

C11 - 9.2 - Linear/Quadratic Inequalities In One Variable Notes

Solve

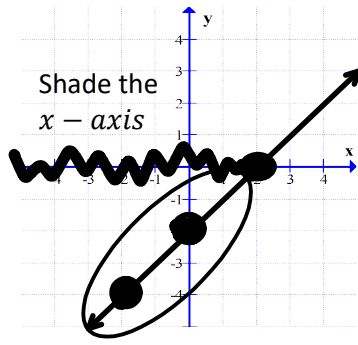
$$x - 2 \leq 0$$

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$$+2 \quad +2 \quad \text{Solve}$$

$$x \leq 2$$

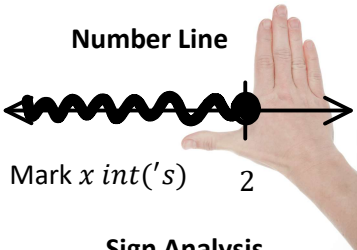
Graphing y values ≤ 0
The Thing ≤ 0



$$y = x - 2$$

What are the x values when $y \leq 0$. Circle them!

Number Line



Mark x int('s) 2

Sign Analysis

Pick a value

$$x \leq 2 \qquad x \geq 2$$

$$x = 0 \quad \text{Substitute} \quad x = 4$$

$x - 2 \leq 0$	$x - 2 \leq 0$
$0 - 2 \leq 0$	$4 - 2 \leq 0$
$-2 \leq 0$ ✓	$2 \leq 0$ ✗

Correct:
Shade that section

$$x \leq 2$$

Incorrect:
Shade Not that section

$$-x^2 + 5x - 4 < 0$$

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$$-(x^2 - 5x + 4) < 0$$

$$\frac{(x^2 - 5x + 4)}{-1} > \frac{0}{-1} \quad \div -1^*$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 4 > 0$$

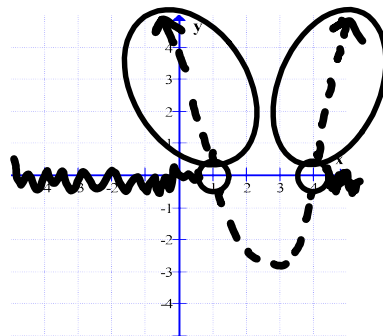
$$(x - 4)(x - 1) > 0 \quad \text{Factor}$$

x - intercept's

$$x - 4 = 0 \quad x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = 4 \quad x = 1$$

Graphing y values > 0
The Thing > 0



$$y = (x - 4)(x - 1)$$

What are the x values when $y > 0$. Circle them!

Number Line



Sign Analysis

Pick a value

$$x < 1 \quad 1 < x < 4 \quad x > 4$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = 2 \quad x = 5$$

\downarrow	Substitute	\downarrow
$(x - 4)(x - 1) > 0$		$(1)(4) > 0$
$(0 - 4)(0 - 1) > 0$		$4 > 0$
$(-4)(-1) > 0$		$4 > 0$ ✓
\downarrow		\downarrow
$(-2)(1) > 0$		$-2 > 0$ ✗

$$x < 1 \quad x > 4$$

$$x^2 - 4 \leq 0$$

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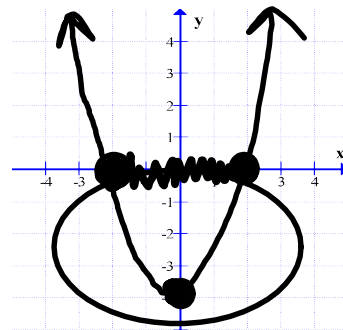
$$(x + 2)(x - 2) \leq 0$$

$$x + 2 = 0 \quad x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = -2 \quad x = 2$$

x - intercept's

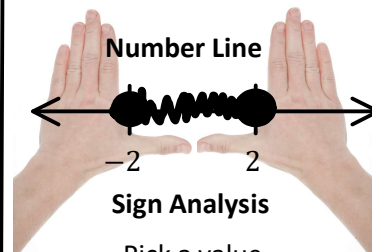
Graphing y values ≤ 0
The Thing ≤ 0



$$y = x^2 - 4$$

What are the x values when $y \geq 0$. Circle them!

Number Line



Sign Analysis

Pick a value

$$x \leq -2 \quad -2 \leq x \leq 2 \quad x \geq 2$$

$$x = -3 \quad x = 0 \quad x = 3$$

\downarrow		\downarrow
$x^2 - 4 \leq 0$		$x^2 - 4 \leq 0$
$(-3)^2 - 4 \leq 0$		$(3)^2 - 4 \leq 0$
$5 \leq 0$ ✗		$5 \leq 0$ ✗
\downarrow		\downarrow
$x^2 - 4 \leq 0$		$x^2 - 4 \leq 0$
$(0)^2 - 4 \leq 0$		$5 \leq 0$
$-4 \leq 0$ ✓		

$$-2 \leq x \leq 2$$

The answer is only the Domain. The number line and graph is only to help. There is no y involved.