5-1 Additional Practice

The Absolute Value Function

Graph each absolute value function.

1. f(x) = 3|x|







2. $g(x) = -\frac{1}{2}|x|$

2¹

0

2

4

6

Х

3. h(x) = 4|x|



6. h(x) = -|x|



7. How does the value of a determine the range for $f(x) = a_{|x|}$?

5. $g(x) = \frac{1}{4}|x|$

-4

8. A bus is traveling between two cities that are in neighboring states. The graph of the function d(t) = 60|t - 1.25| shows the distance of the bus in miles from the state line, where t represents time in hours.



a. What does the graph tell you about the bus ride?

b. What is the average rate of change from 1.5 h to 2 h? What does the average rate of change represent?