3.7

Practice A

In Exercises 1–4, graph the function. Compare the graph to the graph of f(x) = |x|. Describe the domain and range.

1.
$$g(x) = |x| - 2$$

2.
$$p(x) = |x| + 1$$

3.
$$h(x) = |x + 5|$$

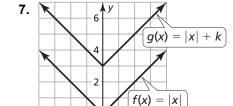
4.
$$k(x) = \frac{1}{2}|x|$$

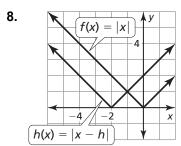
In Exercises 5 and 6, graph the function. Compare the graph to the graph of f(x) = |x + 4|.

5.
$$h(x) = |x + 4| - 4$$

6.
$$h(x) = 2|x+4|$$

In Exercises 7 and 8, compare the graphs. Find the value of h, k, or a.





In Exercises 9 and 10, write an equation for h(x) that represents the given transformation(s) of the graph of g(x) = |x|.

- **9.** vertical translation 4 units up
- **10.** vertical stretch by a factor of 3

In Exercises 11 and 12, graph and compare the two functions.

11.
$$f(x) = |x - 3|$$
; $g(x) = |2x - 3|$

12.
$$m(x) = |x + 2| - 5; n(x) = \left|\frac{1}{2}x + 2\right| - 5$$

- **13.** The number of ice cream cones sold c (in hundreds) increases and then decreases as described by the function c(t) = -5|t 6| + 40, where t is the time (in months).
 - **a.** Graph the function.
 - **b.** What is the greatest number of ice cream cones sold in 1 month?