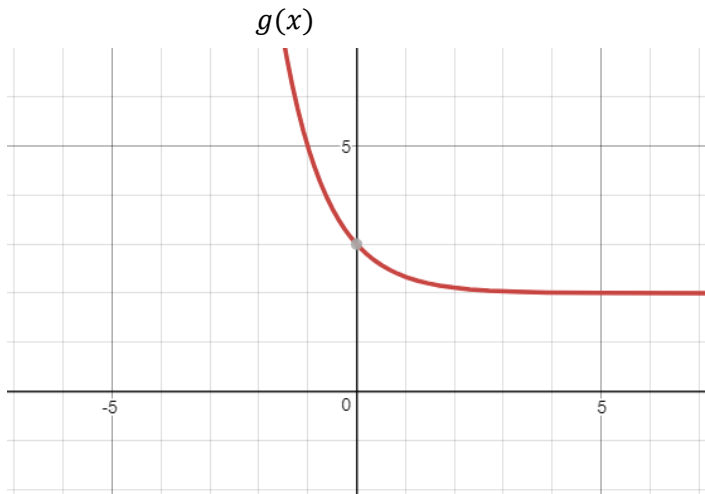


1) The graph below is a transformation of the parent function $f(x) = 3^x$. Describe in words what transformation has occurred then write the equation of the graph in terms of $f(x)$.



Description of Transformation:

First, I notice that it looks like an exponential decay function, but the base is greater than 1. This means it must be **reflected over the y-axis**.

I also notice that the horizontal asymptote has been moved from $y=0$ to $y=2$. Therefore, there has been a **vertical shift up 2 units**.

Equation in terms of $f(x)$:

A reflection over the y-axis will be represented by making the input, x , opposite.

A vertical shift will affect the output, so we would add 2 to $f(x)$. The resulting equation will be

$$g(x) = f(-x) + 2$$

2) Describe the transformation performed on $m(x)$ that produced $t(x)$. Then write an exponential equation for $t(x)$.

$$m(x) = e^x$$

$$t(x) = 2m(x + 1) - 2$$

Anything that happens directly to the input, x , indicates a horizontal change. Since $(x-h)$ means that a function has been shifted h units to the right, I can rewrite $(x+1)$ as $(x-(-1))$. Therefore, $m(x)$ has been **shifted left 1 unit**.

Anything that happens to the output, $m(x)$, indicates a vertical change. The coefficient of 2 indicates a **vertical stretch by a factor of 2**.

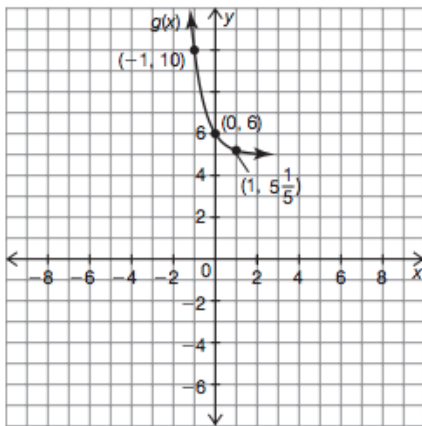
The -2 at the end indicates a **shift down 2 units**.

When writing an exponential equation for $t(x)$, we change the parent function, $m(x) = e^x$, by adding 1 to the exponent, giving the function a coefficient of 2, and subtracting 2 at the end:

$$t(x) = 2e^{x+1} - 2$$

Additional Practice:

1. The graph below is a transformation of the parent function $f(x) = 5^x$. Describe in words what transformation has occurred. Then write the equation of the graph in terms of $f(x)$.



Description of transformation:

Equation in terms of $f(x)$:

2. Describe the transformation performed on $m(x)$ that produced $t(x)$. Then write an exponential equation for $t(x)$.

$$m(x) = 3^x$$

$$t(x) = -m(x + 1)$$

$$m(x) = e^x$$

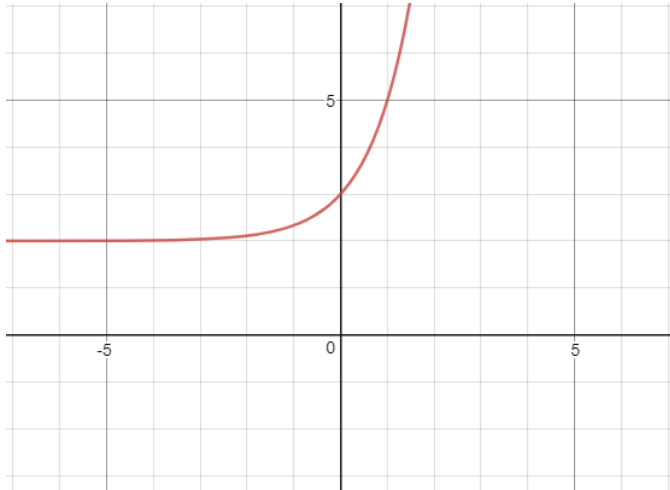
$$t(x) = \frac{1}{2}m(x) + 4$$

$$m(x) = 6^x$$

$$t(x) = -2m(-x) + 3$$

1) The graph below is a transformation of the parent function $f(x) = 3^x$. Describe in words what transformation has occurred then write the equation of the graph.

$g(x)$



Description of Transformation:

I notice that the horizontal asymptote has been moved from $y=0$ to $y=2$. Therefore, there has been a **vertical shift up 2 units**.

Equation: $g(x)=$

A vertical shift will affect the output, so we would add 2 to $f(x)$. So,

$$g(x) = f(x) + 2$$

Then we can replace $f(x)$ with 3^x and the resulting equation would be

$$g(x) = 3^x + 2$$

2) Describe the transformation performed on $m(x)$ that produced $t(x)$.

$$m(x) = e^x$$

$$t(x) = 2e^{x+1} - 2$$

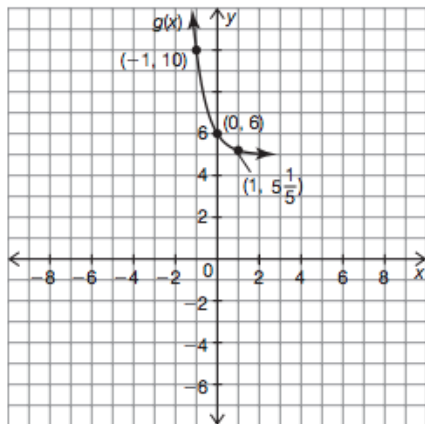
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Anything that happens to the output, $m(x)$, indicates a vertical change. The coefficient of 2 indicates a **vertical stretch by a factor of 2**.

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Additional Practice:

1. The graph below is a transformation of the parent function $f(x) = 5^x$. Describe in words what transformation has occurred. Then write the equation of the graph.



Description of transformation:

Equation: $g(x) =$

2. Describe the transformation performed on $m(x)$ that produced $t(x)$.

a. $m(x) = 3^x$
 $t(x) = -3^{x+1}$

b. $m(x) = e^x$
 $t(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^x + 4$

c. $m(x) = 6^x$
 $t(x) = -2(6^{-x}) + 3$