3.7 Quadratic Inequalities • Form A

Example 1

Graph each inequality on the attached graph paper.

1.
$$y < -x^2 + 4x - 6$$

2.
$$y \le x^2 + 4$$

3.
$$-x^2 + 12x - 36 > y$$

4.
$$y > x^2 - 8x + 17$$

5.
$$y \ge 2x^2 + 4x$$

6.
$$y \ge x^2 - 4x + 4$$

Examples 3 and 4

Solve each inequality by graphing.

7.
$$-x^2 - 4x + 32 \ge 0$$

8.
$$x^2 - x - 6 \le 0$$

9.
$$x^2 - 2x - 24 \le 0$$

Example 5

10. BUSINESS A bicycle maker sold 300 bicycles last year at a profit of \$300 each. The maker wants to increase the profit margin this year, but predicts that each \$20 increase in profit will reduce the number of bicycles sold by 10. How many \$20 increases in profit can the maker add in and expect to make a total profit of at least \$100,000?

Mixed Exercises

Solve each quadratic inequality by using a graph.

11.
$$5x^2 + x + 3 \ge 0$$

12.
$$x^2 - 4x \le -7$$

13.
$$-1 \ge -x^2 - 5x$$

14.
$$x^2 - 3x + 2 \le 0$$

15.
$$x^2 - 5x > 14$$

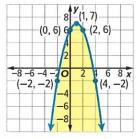
16.
$$9x \le 12x^2$$

17.
$$5x^2 + 10 \ge 27x$$

18. REASONING Consider the equation $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$. Assume that the discriminant is zero and that a is positive. What are the solutions of the inequality $ax^2 + bx + c \le 0$?

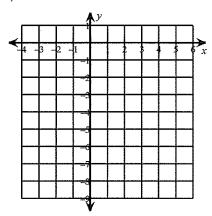
Write a quadratic inequality for each graph.

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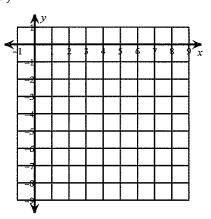


- 20. BASEBALL A baseball player hits a high pop-up with an initial velocity of 32 meters per second,
 - 1.3 meters above the ground. The height h(t) of the ball in meters t seconds after being hit is modeled by $h(t) = -4.9t^2 + 32t + 1.3$.
 - **a.** During what time interval is the ball higher than the camera located in the press box 43.4 meters above the ground?
 - **b.** When is the ball within 2.4 meters of the ground where the catcher can attempt to catch it?

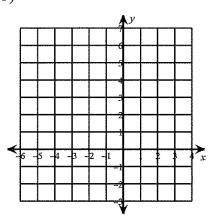
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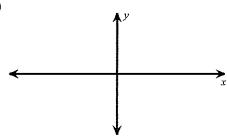
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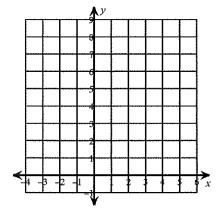
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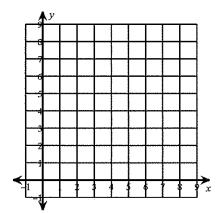
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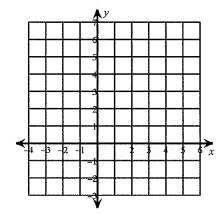
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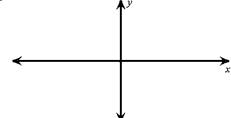
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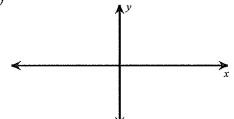
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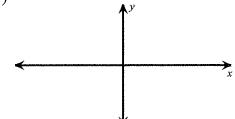




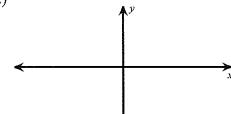


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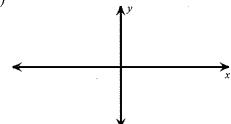
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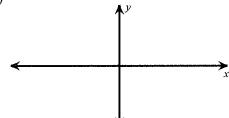
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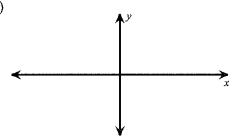
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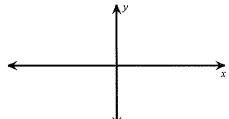
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