

$g(f(x)) =$
 Write down $g(x)$
 with brackets for x
 $g(x) = \frac{1}{()}$

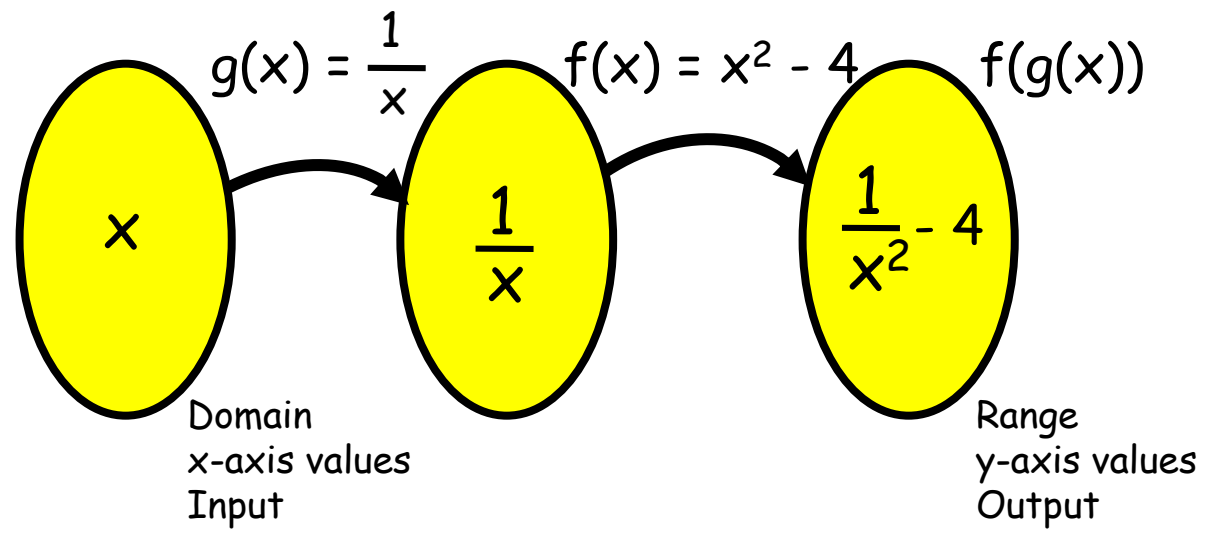
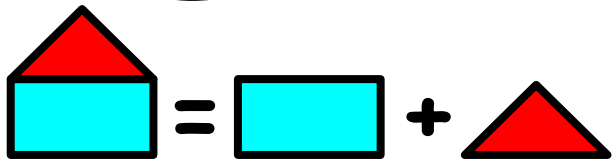
inside bracket put $f(x)$
 $g(f(x)) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 4}$

Restriction $x^2 - 4 \neq 0$
 $(x - 2)(x + 2) \neq 0$
 $x \neq 2 \quad x \neq -2$

Similar to composite Area

A complex function made up of 2 or more simpler functions

Composite Functions



$f(g(x)) =$
 Write down $f(x)$
 with brackets for x

$f(x) = ()^2 - 4$
 inside bracket put $g(x)$
 $f(g(x)) = \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^2 - 4 = \frac{1}{x^2} - 4$

Restriction $x^2 \neq 0$