

Q. Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $f(x) = \lceil x \rceil$  (Least Integer fn)  
 Define:  $g(x) = |f(x)| - f(|x|)$ . Then  $R_g$ :

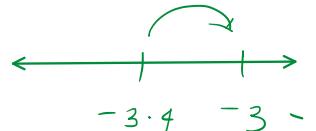
- (a)  $\{0, 1\}$       (c)  $\{-1, 0, 1\}$   
 (b)  $[-1, 1]$       (d)  $\{-1, 0\}$

If  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $g(x) = 0$

Eg:  $x = -2.3$ ,  $\lceil x \rceil = 3 = f(x)$

$$g(x) = |-3| - f(-3) = 0$$

$x = -3.4$ ,  $\lceil x \rceil = -3 = f(x)$



$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= |-3| - f(-3.4) \\ &= 3 - \lceil -3.4 \rceil \\ &= 3 - 4 = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore R_g \in \{-1, 0\}$$

Q. Range of the function  $f(x) = 4^x + 4^{-x} + 2^x + 2^{-x} + 3$  is:  
 (a)  $(-\infty, -7]$     (b)  $[-7, \infty)$     (c)  $(-\infty, -6]$     (d)  $[6, \infty)$ .

$$f(x) = (\underbrace{4^x + 4^{-x}}_{\geq 2}) + (\underbrace{2^x + 2^{-x}}_{\geq 2}) + 3 \geq 2 + 2 + 3 = 7$$

$4^x, 4^{-x}$ , AM  $\geq$  GM.

$$\left( \frac{4^x + 4^{-x}}{2} \right) \geq \sqrt{4^x \cdot 4^{-x}} \Rightarrow 4^x + 4^{-x} \geq 2$$

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8. If  $f(x) = \ln(6 - |x^2 + x - 6|)$ , then the domain of  $f(x)$  contains how many integral values of  $x$ ?

- (a) 5    ~~(b)~~ 4    (c)  $\infty$     (d) None.

$$6 - |x^2 + x - 6| > 0$$

$$|x^2 + x - 6| < 6$$

$$-6 < x^2 + x - 6 < 6$$

$$x^2 + x - 6 > -6$$

$$\text{or } x^2 + x - 6 < 6$$

$$x^2 + x > 0$$

$$x^2 + x - 12 < 0$$

$$x(x+1) > 0$$

$$(x+4)(x-3) < 0$$

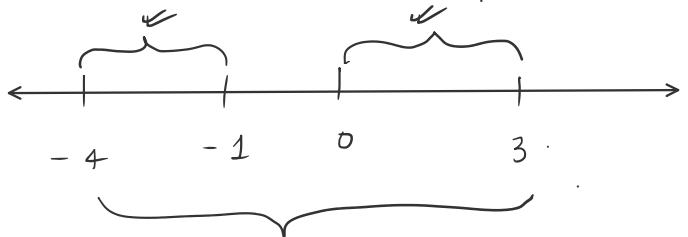
$$\hookrightarrow x > 0 \text{ or } x < -1$$

$$x \in (-4, 3)$$

$$\therefore D_f : (-4, -1) \cup (0, 3)$$

Integers: -3, -2, 1, 2

$\Rightarrow 4$  integers.



9. If  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  satisfying  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $f(1) = 7$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n) = ?$

$$f(2) = f(1) + f(1) = 2f(1)$$

$$f(3) = f(2) + f(1) = 3f(1)$$

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$$f(n) = nf(1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \sum_{k=1}^n f(k) &= f(1) + f(2) + \dots + f(n) \\
 &= f(1) + 2f(1) + \dots + nf(1) \\
 &= f(1) [1 + 2 + \dots + n] \\
 &= f(1) \cdot \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{f(1)n(n+1)}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q. Let  $f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{100} \alpha_k x^k$  and  $f(0)$  and  $f(1)$  are odd numbers; then  
for any integer  $x$  :-

- (a)  $f(x)$  is odd/even no. if  $x$  is odd/even no.
- (b)  $f(x)$  is odd/even no. if  $x$  is even/odd no.
- (c)  $f(x)$  is even no.  $\forall x$ .
- (d)  $f(x)$  is odd no.  $\forall x$ .

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f(0) = \alpha_0 \\ f(1) = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_{100} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \text{odd numbers.}$$

Let  $x$  be even.  $x = 2n$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(2n) &= \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 (2n) + \alpha_2 (2n)^2 + \dots + \alpha_{100} (2n)^{100} \\
 &= \underbrace{\alpha_0}_{\text{odd}} + 2 \underbrace{[\dots]}_{\text{even}} + \dots = \text{odd no.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $x$  be odd,  $x = (2n+1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(2n+1) &= \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 (2n+1) + \alpha_2 (2n+1)^2 + \dots + \alpha_{100} (2n+1)^{100} \\
 &= \underbrace{\alpha_0}_{\text{odd}} + \underbrace{\alpha_1}_{\text{odd}} (2n+1) + \underbrace{\alpha_2}_{\text{even}} (1+4n+4n^2) + \dots + \\
 &\quad \underbrace{\alpha_{100}}_{\text{even}} (1+\text{even no.}) \\
 &= (\underbrace{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_{100}}_{\text{odd}}) + \underbrace{[2n(\alpha_1) + \alpha_2(4n+4n^2)]}_{\text{even}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \dots + \alpha_{100} (\text{even no.}) \Big] .$$

$$\text{odd} + \text{even} = \text{odd no.}$$

Q. If  $f(x) = [x]^2 - [x^2]$  where  $[x]$  is the G.I.F and  $x \in [0, 2]$   
 Find the range of  $f(x)$ .

$$x \in [0, 2].$$

$$[x] = \begin{cases} 0, & x \in [0, 1) \\ 1, & x \in [1, 2) \\ 2, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$[x^2] = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq x^2 < 1 \Rightarrow x \in [0, 1) \\ 1, & 1 \leq x^2 < 2 \Rightarrow x \in [\sqrt{1}, \sqrt{2}) \\ 2, & 2 \leq x^2 < 3 \Rightarrow x \in [\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}) \\ 3, & 3 \leq x^2 < 4 \Rightarrow x \in [\sqrt{3}, 2) \\ 4, & x = 2 \end{cases}$$

