Unit 10 Review: Comparisons

You MUST trade this review for a test in order to take it the day the test administered.

For each of the following find the average rate of change for the indicated values:



For each of the following give the inequality to represent where f(x) is greater than g(x) and when g(x) is greater than f(x).



Change your calculator window to [-5,5] x [0,10]. Graph the functions on a calculator using Y1 and Y2. Use the graph or tables to identify the intervals where the specified function is greater.

9) $f(x) = 3^x$ and g(x) = 4x + 1. When is the value of g(x) greater than f(x)?

10) $f(x) = 2^x - 1$ and g(x) = 4x + 16 when is the value of g(x) greater than f(x)?

Use the following information to compare the two exponential functions.

- 11)News of an outbreak of a new strain of the swine flu is spreading quickly. In South Jordan the number of people who have heard the news can be modeled by the function: $S(x) = 832(1.3)^x$ where x is the number of hours since 7:00 am. In West Jordan initially 636 people heard the news and the number of people have been increasing by 56% each hour since 7:00 am.
 - a. Which city starts with more people knowing at 7:00 am?
 - b. Which city has the larger growth rate?
 - c. If both cities have the same population of 500,000 how long will it take each city to discover the news?