## Practice 1.2: Finding Inverses of Functions in Various Forms

Use your knowledge of table and graph representations of functions and inverse functions to complete each problem.

1. Use the given table for $f(x)$ to create a graph representing the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$.

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | -6 | -2 | 1 | 4 | 8 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\boldsymbol{f}(\boldsymbol{x})$ | 2 | 4 | 1 | -2 | 0 |

2. Use the given table for $f(x)$ to find $f(1), f(5), f^{-1}(1)$, and $f^{-1}(5)$.

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | $\boldsymbol{f ( x )}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 4 |
| 2 | 1 |
| 3 | 2 |
| 4 | 6 |
| 5 | 3 |
| 6 | 5 |

3. Use the given table for the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ to find $f(9), f(23), f^{-1}(9)$, and $f^{-1}(23)$.

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | $\boldsymbol{f}^{-1}(\boldsymbol{x})$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 4 | 9 |
| 9 | 14 |
| 15 | 18 |
| 17 | 23 |
| 21 | 27 |
| 23 | 32 |

4. Use the given graph of $f(x)$ to find $f(2), f(3), f^{-1}(8)$, and $f^{-1}(9)$.

5. Use the given graph of the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ to find $f(1), f(4), f^{-1}(1)$, and $f^{-1}(3)$.

6. Use the given table for the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ to create a new table for the function $f(x)$.

| $\boldsymbol{x}$ | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\boldsymbol{f}^{-1}(\boldsymbol{x})$ | -12 | -18 | -8 | -14 | -6 | -10 |

7. Use the given graph of the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ to graph the function $f(x)$.

8. Janiya delivers newspapers, and the amount of money she earns in dollars if she delivers $n$ newspapers is given by the function $f(n)$ in the table. Find and interpret the value of $f^{-1}(100)$.

| $\boldsymbol{n}$ | $\boldsymbol{f}(\boldsymbol{n})$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0 |
| 50 | 12.50 |
| 100 | 25 |
| 150 | 37.50 |
| 200 | 50 |
| 250 | 62.50 |
| 300 | 75 |
| 350 | 87.50 |
| 400 | 100 |
| 450 | 112.50 |
| 500 | 125 |

9. The approximate average height $h(x)$ of boys aged $2-12$ is shown in the graph, where $x$ is a boy's age in years and $h(x)$ is measured in centimeters. Find and interpret the value of the inverse function $h^{-1}(124)$.

10. Sebastien hand-crafts circular braided rugs. The graph shows the prices of various sizes of his rugs. A customer ordered 3 identical rugs for a total of $\$ 1,350$. Use the graph to determine the radius of each rug in the order.

