6.2 Practice A

In Exercises 1–3, graph the function. Compare the graph with the graph of $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$.

1. $h(x) = \frac{2}{x}$ **2.** $g(x) = \frac{9}{x}$ **3.** $h(x) = \frac{-4}{x}$

In Exercises 4–15, graph the function. State the domain and range.

4. $f(x) = \frac{3}{x} + 2$ 5. $y = \frac{5}{x} - 1$ 6. $g(x) = \frac{4}{x - 3}$ 7. $y = \frac{1}{x + 4}$ 8. $h(x) = \frac{-1}{x + 3}$ 9. $y = \frac{-4}{x - 5}$ 10. $f(x) = \frac{x + 3}{x - 2}$ 11. $y = \frac{x - 5}{x + 3}$ 12. $g(x) = \frac{x + 4}{2x - 6}$ 13. $y = \frac{5x + 2}{3x - 9}$ 14. $h(x) = \frac{-2x + 3}{3x + 4}$ 15. $y = \frac{8x - 1}{5x - 1}$

In Exercises 16–21, rewrite the function in the form $g(x) = \frac{a}{x-h} + k$. Graph the

function. Describe the graph of g as a transformation of the graph of $f(x) = \frac{a}{x}$.

- **16.** $g(x) = \frac{4x+5}{x+1}$ **17.** $g(x) = \frac{6x+5}{x-2}$ **18.** $g(x) = \frac{3x-6}{x-4}$
- **19.** $g(x) = \frac{5x 12}{x + 2}$ **20.** $g(x) = \frac{x + 15}{x 5}$ **21.** $g(x) = \frac{x + 3}{x 9}$
- **22.** Your choir is taking a trip. The trip has an initial cost of \$500, plus \$150 for each student.
 - **a.** Estimate how many students must go on the trip for the average cost per student to fall to \$175.
 - **b.** What happens to the average cost as more students go on the trip?

In Exercises 23–25, use a graphing calculator to graph the function. Then determine whether the function is *even*, *odd*, or *neither*.

23.
$$f(x) = \frac{5}{x^2 - 1}$$
 24. $g(x) = \frac{3x^2}{x^2 + 4}$ **25.** $h(x) = \frac{x^3}{2x^2 + x^4}$