

Given $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 3$, state the coordinates of an invariant (unchanged) point when sketching the graph of $y = \sqrt{f(x)}$.

$$9b) \quad x = \sqrt{4-x} + 2$$

$$(x-2)^2 = (\sqrt{4-x})^2$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 = 4 - x$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 + x - 4 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3x = 0$$

$$x(x-3) = 0$$

~~$x=0$~~

NOT
the solution

$x=3$ ✓

Therefore $x=3$ is
the solution.

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Solution

$$\left(3\sqrt{2x+1}\right)^2 = (x+4)^2$$

$$9(2x+1) = x^2 + 8x + 16$$

$$18x + 9 = x^2 + 8x + 16$$

$$0 = x^2 + 8x + 16 - 18x - 9$$

$$0 = 1x^2 - 10x + 7$$

so we can use the quadratic formula.

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 28}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{72}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10 + \sqrt{72}}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{10 - \sqrt{72}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10 + \sqrt{36\sqrt{2}}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10 - 6\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{10 + 6\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{5 + 3\sqrt{2}}{1}$$

$$x = 5 + 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$x = 5 - 3\sqrt{2}$$

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$$\left(1 + \sqrt{x-3}\right)^2 = \left(\sqrt{2x-6}\right)^2$$

$$1 + 2\sqrt{x-3} + (x-3) = 2x-6$$

$$2\sqrt{x-3} + x - 2 = 2x - 6$$

$$2\sqrt{x-3} = 2x - 6 - x + 2$$

$$\left(2\sqrt{x-3}\right)^2 = (x-4)^2$$

$$4(x-3) = x^2 - 8x + 16$$

$$4x - 12 = x^2 - 8x + 16$$

$$0 = x^2 - 8x + 16 - 4x + 12$$

$$0 = x^2 - 12x + 28$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 112}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{12 \pm \sqrt{32}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{12 \pm 4\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{2(3 \pm \sqrt{2})}{2} = \boxed{2(3 \pm \sqrt{2})}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} +28 \\ \wedge \\ 1 \quad 28 \\ 2 \quad 14 \\ -14 \quad -2 \\ 4 \quad 7 \\ -4 \quad -7 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 28 \\ 4 \\ \hline 112 \end{array}$$