## Transformations of Functions~Effect on x-values

Secondary Math II Notes

**OBJECTIVE:** Determine the effect of k on the original function f(x) if it were replaced with either f(kx)or f(x+k) where k is a real number.

## The effect of f(kx)

for f(x) play <u>https://www.desmos.com/calculator/nqxx2mhknn</u> and only focus on "k". Change f(x) to  $f(x) = x^3$ . Then change g(x) to g(x)=f(kx) and watch the transformation. Have students begin to make hypothesis about the effect of the constant "k". Then change the equation to f(x) = x to verify their hypothesis. Have students then sketch the transformations of p(x). The parent function always occurs when k=1



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