Exercise 82

Let f(x) = x - 7 and $g(x) = x^2$. Graph f and g together with $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$.

Solution

Below is a graph of $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ and $g(x) = \sqrt{1-x}$ together with their compositions,

$$f \circ g = f(g(x)) = x^2 - 7$$

$$g \circ f = g(f(x)) = (x - 7)^2 = x^2 - 14x + 49.$$



