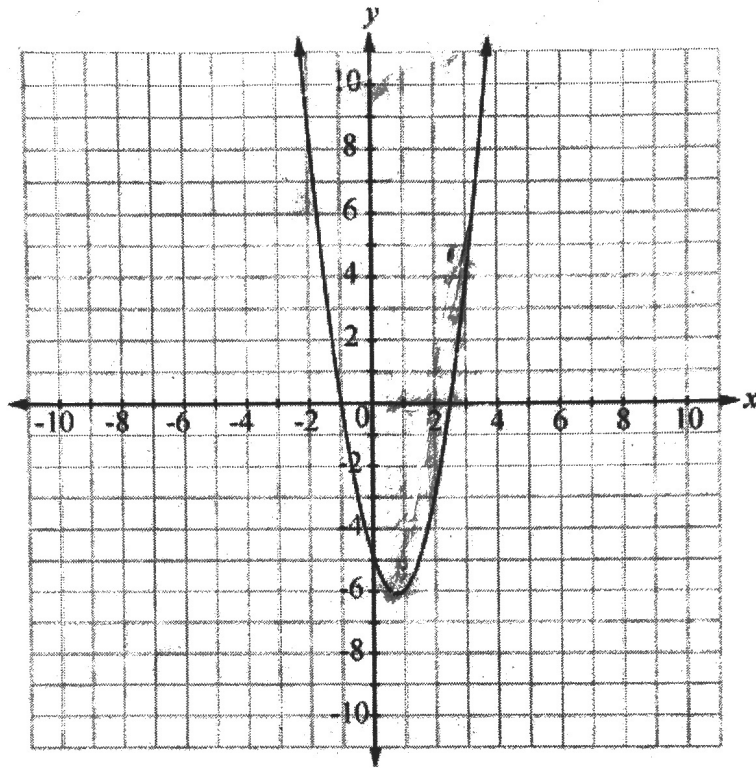


Mathematics Algebra I Benchmark Assessment

- 19 The graph of a quadratic function is shown below.



Which of the following is the closest estimate of the average rate of change on the interval $[1, 3]$?

- (A) $-\frac{3}{2}$
- (B) $-\frac{1}{2}$
- (C) 3
- (D) 5