

Please show all your work! Answers without supporting work will not be given credit.
Write answers in spaces provided. You have 60 minutes to complete this exam.

1. (10 points) If $f'(x) \leq 10$ for all x and $f(2) = 7$, what is the largest possible value of $f(5)$?

By MVT $\exists c \in (2, 5)$ such that

$$f(5) - f(2) = f'(c)(5 - 2)$$

So $f(5) = f'(c)(3) + 7$

Then $f(5) \leq 10 \cdot 3 + 7 = 37$ since $f'(c) \leq 10$.

Therefore the largest possible value of $f(5)$ is 37

2. (8 points) Does there exist a function f such that $f'(x) \leq 3$ for all x , $f(-2) = 150$, and $f(3) = 200$? Justify your answer.

If such a function exist then by MVT $\exists c \in (-2, 3)$ such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(3) - f(-2)}{3 - (-2)} = \frac{200 - 150}{5} = 10$$

But $f'(x) \leq 3$ for all x which contradicts what we found
so no such function can exist.

3. (8 points) Explain, using either Rolle's theorem or MVT, why a ball launched into the air that falls back to the ground must have a time during its flight when its vertical speed is 0.

Let $h(t)$ be the height of the ball at time t seconds after it is launched. Then h is a continuous and differentiable function and $f(0) = f(t_1) = 0$ where t_1 is the time the ball hits the ground. Then by Rolle's theorem there exists a time $t_0 \in (0, t_1)$ such that $h'(t_0) = 0$ where $h'(t)$ is the vertical speed of the ball at time t .

4. (10 points) Let $f(x) = x^5 + 5x^4 + 5x^3$. Find all critical points, intervals where f is increasing, intervals where f is decreasing, and the x values of all local maxima and minima.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f'(x) = 5x^4 + 20x^3 + 15x^2 = 5x^2(x^2 + 4x + 3) = 0$$

$$5x^2(x+3)(x+1) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{Crit \#s } x=0, x=-3, x=-1$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{Sign chart } f' \leftarrow \begin{array}{c} + \quad - \quad + \quad + \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ -3 \quad -1 \quad 0 \end{array} \rightarrow$$

f is increasing on $(-\infty, -3) \cup (-1, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$

f is decreasing on $(-3, -1)$

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f has a local max when $x=-3$

f has a local min when $x=-1$

5. (10 points) Let $g(x) = x^3 - 2x^4$. Find all intervals where g is concave up, intervals where g is concave down, and the x values of all points of inflection.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad g'(x) = 3x^2 - 8x^3 \quad g''(x) = 3 \cdot 2x - 8 \cdot 3x^2 = 6x(1 - 4x) = 0$$

$\textcircled{2}$ possible inflection points when $x=0$ or $x=\frac{1}{4}$

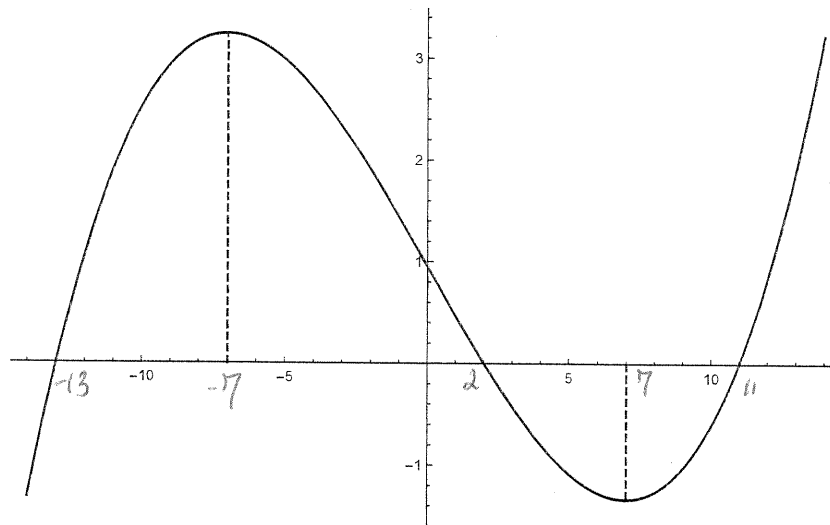
$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{Sign chart } g'' \leftarrow \begin{array}{c} - \quad + \\ | \quad | \\ 0 \quad \frac{1}{4} \end{array} \rightarrow$$

$\textcircled{2}$ g is concave up on $(0, \frac{1}{4})$

g is concave down on $(-\infty, 0) \cup (\frac{1}{4}, \infty)$

$\textcircled{2}$ g has inflection points when $x=0$ and $x=\frac{1}{4}$

6. (14 points) The graph below is the graph of the DERIVATIVE, $f'(x)$, of a function $y = f(x)$



[NOTE: The graph above is of the derivative f' of f . The questions below refer to f , not to f' .]

- (a) Determine the intervals where f is increasing and where f is decreasing.

f is increasing on $(-13, 2) \cup (11, \infty)$

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f is decreasing on $(-\infty, -13) \cup (2, 11)$

- (b) Determine the intervals where f is concave up and where f is concave down.

f is concave up on $(-\infty, -7) \cup (7, \infty)$

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f is concave down on $(-7, 7)$

- (c) Find the x values of all local maxima and minima of f (State whether each is a local maximum or local minimum.)

Local max at $x = 2$

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Local min at $x = -13$; $x = 11$

- (d) Find the x values of all inflection points of f .

②

Inflection points when $x = -7$ and $x = 7$

7. (14 points) Let $f(x) = \frac{4(x^2+3x+1)}{(x+1)^2}$, so that $f'(x) = \frac{4(1-x)}{(x+1)^3}$, and $f''(x) = \frac{8(x-2)}{(x+1)^4}$.
Then $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} f(x) = 4$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 4$, and $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x) = -\infty$, and the following points are on the graph: $\{(1, 5), (2, 4.8), (0, 4), (-2.6, 0), (-0.38, 0)\}$ (Take the values as I've rounded them)

- (a) Given that f is increasing on $(-1, 1)$ and decreasing on $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$, draw the appropriate sign chart for f' .

②



- (b) Find all local maxima and minima of f .

②

Local max at $(1, 5)$

- (c) Given that f is concave-up on $(2, \infty)$ and concave-down on $(-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, 2)$, draw the appropriate sign chart for f'' .

②



- (d) Find all inflection points of f .

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Inflection point at $(2, 4.8)$

- (e) Determine the vertical and horizontal asymptotes of f , if any. Justify your answer by the given information.

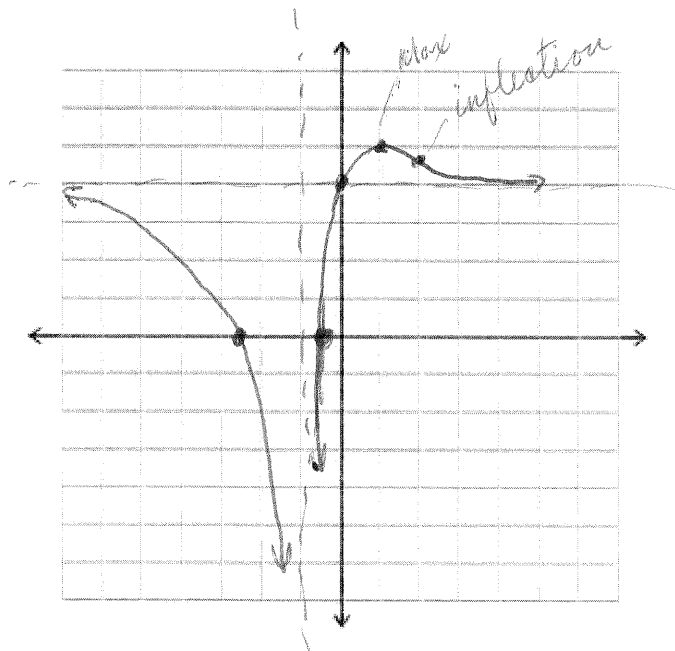
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V.A. of $x = -1$ since $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x) = -\infty$

H.A. of $y = 4$ since $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 4$

- (f) Sketch the graph of f on the set of axes below, clearly indicating all of the information given and obtained above.

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8. (10 points) Find the absolute maximum and absolute minimum values of the function $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 = x^2(x-6)$ on the closed interval $[-1, 7]$

① $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x = 3x(x-4)$ Crit #s $x=0$ $x=4$

$f(-1) = (-1)^2(-1-6) = -7$

④ $f(0) = 0^2(0-6) = 0$

$f(4) = 4^2(4-6) = 16(-2) = -32$

$f(7) = 7^2(7-6) = 49$

So by EVT the absolute:

④ Max is 49 when $x=7$

Min is -32 when $x=4$

9. (10 points) If the product of two positive numbers is 9, what is smallest possible value of the sum of their squares?

① Let x be the first number, y the second. $x, y > 0$

② Then $xy = 9$ and $S = x^2 + y^2$ so $y = \frac{9}{x}$ and

$S(x) = x^2 + \left(\frac{9}{x}\right)^2$

③ $S'(x) = 2x + 9^2 \cdot 2(-1) \frac{1}{x^3} = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2x - 2 \cdot 9^2 \left(\frac{1}{x^3}\right) = 0$

$2x = 2 \cdot 9^2 \cdot \frac{1}{x^3}$

$x^4 = 9^2 = 3^4$ so $x = \pm 3$

-3 is discarded since $x > 0$

$S(3) = 18$ while $S(0) = S(9) = 9^2 = 81$

So the smallest possible sum is 18 by
EVT.

10. (6 points) If a box with a square bottom and open top is to be made from 48 sq. ft. of material, find the function $V(x)$ that gives the volume of the box in terms of one side length. [Note: This is asking you to set up the beginning of an optimization problem. Do not solve]



① Let x be the length of the bottom side of the box and y be the height as labelled. Then the total material needed for the box is the surface area of the sides and bottom. So

② $4xy + x^2 = 48$ and $V = x^2y$. Then $y = \frac{48 - x^2}{4x}$ gives

③ $V(x) = x^2 \left(\frac{48 - x^2}{4x} \right)$

