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§4.2 Optimization Practice & HW

Exercises: For each of the following function use derivative techniques to:

- I) Find the critical points using derivative techniques and identify them as maxima or minima.
- II) Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of each function if it exists.
- III) Identify the intervals on which the function is increasing or decreasing.
- IV) Find points of inflection and intervals where the functions are concave up or concave down for the

SHOW ALL WORK in HW section of your notebook.

1. $f(x) = 4x^3 + 3x^2 - 6x + 1$ on the interval $[-2, 1]$. Use the first derivative test to justify extrema.

2. $f(x) = \sin x - \cos x$ on the interval $[0, \pi]$ Use the second derivative test to justify extrema.

3. $f(x) = \sqrt[5]{x^2}$ on the interval $[-1, 32]$ Use the first derivative test to justify extrema.

4. $f(x) = x - \ln x$ on the interval $[0.1, 5]$ Use the second derivative test to justify extrema.

5. $f(x) = x + \frac{32}{x^2}$ over all real numbers Use the first derivative test to justify extrema.

6. $f(x) = 2x - e^x$ on the interval $[-2, 4]$ Use the second derivative test to justify extrema.

7. $f(x) = 3x\sqrt[3]{x} - 2x$ on the interval $[0, 3]$ Use the first derivative test to justify extrema.

8. $f(x) = \frac{x^4 + 1}{x^2}$ Use the second derivative test to justify extrema.

9. $f(x) = e^x - \ln x^2$ Use the first derivative test to justify extrema.

10. $f(x) = 3\sqrt[3]{x} - 2x$ for the interval $[-2, 3]$ Use the second derivative test to justify extrema.

In exercises 11 and 12, the derivative of the function $y = f(x)$ is given. At what points, if any, does the graph have a relative minimum or relative maximum?

11. $\frac{dy}{dx} = (x-1)^2(x-2)$

12. $\frac{dy}{dx} = (x-1)^2(x-2)(x-4)$

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⑨ $f(x) = e^x - \ln x^2$
 $f(x) = e^x - 2 \ln x$

$$f'(x) = e^x - \frac{2}{x} = 0$$

$f'(x) = 0$ TI-84 solve.
 $x \approx 0.8526$ $e^x = \frac{2}{x}$
 $f'(x)$ und $x=0$ $x e^x = 2$

f'	+	0	-	0	+
	0	0.8526			

$$f''(x) = e^x + \frac{2}{x^2} = 0$$

$f''(x)$ und $x=0$
 $f''(x) = 0$ $x = 0.9012$

f''	-	0	-	0	+
	0	0.9012			

TABLE	x	0	0.8526
	y	∅	2.6646

$f(x)$ increasing on $(-\infty, 0) (0.8526, \infty)$
b/c $f'(x) > 0$

$f(x)$ decreasing on $(0, 0.8526)$
b/c $f'(x) < 0$

$f(0.8526) = 2.6646$ Rel min b/c
 $f'(x)$ changes \ominus to \oplus .

$f(x)$ is concave down $(-\infty, 0) (0, 0.9012)$
b/c $f'' < 0$

$f(x)$ is concave up $(0.9012, \infty)$
b/c $f'' > 0$

$(0.9012, 2.6706)$ is a point of inflection
b/c f'' changes sign \ominus to \oplus .

⑩ $f(x) = 3\sqrt[3]{x} - 2x$ $[-2, 3]$

$$f'(x) = x^{-2/3} - 2 = \frac{1}{x^{2/3}} - 2$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1 - 2x^{2/3}}{x^{2/3}} = 0 \quad \text{c}x = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2}$$

und $\text{c}x = 0$

f'	-	0	+	0	-
	-2	0	$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2}$	3	

$$f''(x) = -\frac{2}{3}x^{-5/3} = \frac{-2}{3x^{5/3}} < 0$$

for all $x \neq 0$

TABLE	x	-2	0	$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2}$	3
	y	0.2202	0	1.4142 <small>$\sqrt{2}$</small>	-1.6732

$f(3)$ ABS MIN, $f(0)$ Rel MIN, $f(-2) = 0.2202$ Rel MAX
 $f''\left(\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2}\right) < 0 \therefore f\left(\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2}\right) = 1.414 = \sqrt{2}$

by 2nd Deriv Test... is an ABS (rel) MAX.
since f is concave down.

f is increasing $(0, \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2})$ b/c $f' > 0$
 f is decreasing $(-2, 0) \left(\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3/2}, 3\right)$ b/c $f' < 0$.

$f(x)$ is always concave down
for $x \in [-2, 0) (0, 3]$.
b/c $f''(x) < 0$

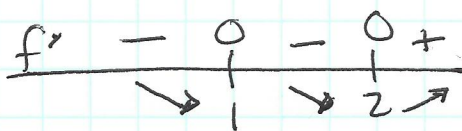
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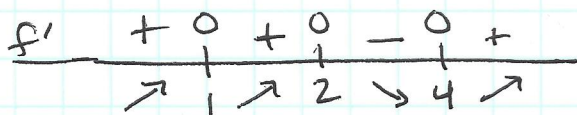
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⑪ $\frac{dy}{dx} = (x-1)^2(x-2) = 0$ $x=1$
 $x=2$



$f(x)$ increasing on $(2, \infty)$ b/c $f' > 0$
 $f(x)$ decreasing on $(-\infty, 1)$ $(1, 2)$ b/c $f' < 0$
 $f(x)$ has a rel min = $f(2)$
 b/c f' changes sign
 \ominus to \oplus at $x=2$.
 $f(x)$ has a terrace point
 at $(1, f(1))$ b/c
 $f' < 0$ on $(-\infty, 1)$ $(1, 2)$.

⑫ $\frac{dy}{dx} = (x-1)^2(x-2)(x-4) = 0$



$f(x)$ increasing on $(-\infty, 1)$ $(1, 2)$ $(4, \infty)$
 b/c $f' > 0$

$f(x)$ decreasing on $(2, 4)$
 b/c $f' < 0$

$f(x)$ has terrace pt @ $(1, f(1))$
 b/c $f' > 0$ $(-\infty, 1)$ $(1, 2)$

$f(x)$ has rel max = $f(2)$
 b/c f' changes sign
 \oplus to \ominus at $x=2$

$f(x)$ has rel min = $f(4)$
 b/c f' changes sign
 \ominus to \oplus .