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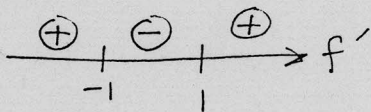
Math 12
 Test 2
 Spring 2012

You have 50 minutes to complete this test. You must *show all work* to receive full credit. Work any 7 of the following 8 problems. Clearly **CROSS OUT** the problem you do not wish me to grade. Each problem is worth 14 points, and you get 2 points for free, for a total of 100 points. The answers will be posted on the electronic reserves later today.

1. Given the function $f(x) = x^5 - 5x$, list the intervals where f is increasing, where it is decreasing, where it is concave up and where it is concave down. Find all extrema and inflection points. Do not sketch the graph.

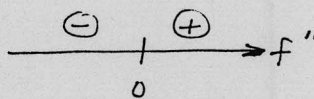
$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= 5x^4 - 5 \\ &= 5(x^4 - 1) \\ &= 5(x^2 - 1)(x^2 + 1) \\ &= 5(x - 1)(x + 1)(x^2 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

CN: $x = 1, -1$



$$f''(x) = 20x^3$$

IN: $x = 0$



increasing on $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$
 decreasing on $(-1, 1)$
 max $(-1, 4)$
 min $(1, -4)$
 conc up $(0, \infty)$
 conc down $(-\infty, 0)$
 Infl. pt $(0, 0)$

2. For the following functions, find all horizontal and vertical asymptotes (remember that an asymptote is a LINE, not a number). If there are no asymptotes, say so.

a) $f(x) = \frac{3x^2}{x^2 - 16} = \frac{3x^2}{(x+4)(x-4)}$

VA: $x = 4, x = -4$
 HA: $y = 3$

b) $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x - 3}{x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x} = \frac{(x-3)(x+1)}{x(x-3)(x-2)}$

VA: $x = 0, x = 2$
 (hole at $x = 3$)
 HA: $y = 0$

c) $f(x) = \frac{4}{x^2 + 1} + 7 = \frac{4 + 7(x^2 + 1)}{x^2 + 1}$
 $= \frac{7x^2 + 11}{x^2 + 1}$

VA: none
 HA: $y = 7$

3. Suppose that at price p , demand for a certain product is given by $q(p) = 10,000 - 500p$ when price is a positive value less than \$20.

- a) Find the price elasticity of demand when price is \$5. Is demand elastic or inelastic at this price?

$$E(p) = \frac{p}{q} \cdot q' = \frac{p}{10000 - 500p} \cdot (-500)$$

$$E(5) = \frac{-2500}{10000 - 2500} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$|E(5)| = \frac{1}{3} < 1$,
demand is
inelastic

- b) Suppose the price of \$5 is increased to \$5.15. What is the percentage increase in price?

$$\% \text{ increase} = \frac{\text{amt of increase}}{\text{orig amt}} \cdot 100\% = \frac{0.15}{5.00} \cdot 100\% = 3\%$$

- c) If price is increased from \$5 to \$5.15, use (a) and (b) to determine the new demand amount.

by (a), if price $\uparrow 1\%$, demand $\downarrow \frac{1}{3}\%$.

using (b), if price $\uparrow 3\%$, demand $\downarrow 1\%$.

old demand = $q(5) = 7500$. 1% of this is 75, so

$$\text{new demand} = 7500 - 75 = 7425$$

4. For the function $f(x) = \frac{4x}{x^2+1}$, list the intervals where f is concave up and where it is concave down. Find all inflection points. Find all asymptotes. If any of these items do not exist, say so.

$$f'(x) = \frac{4(x^2+1) - (4x)(2x)}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{4x^2+4-8x^2}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{4-4x^2}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{(-8x)(x^2+1)^2 - (4-4x^2)(2)(x^2+1)(2x)}{(x^2+1)^4}$$

$$= \frac{-8x(x^2+1) - (4-4x^2)(4x)}{(x^2+1)^3} = \frac{-8x^3-8x-16x+16x^3}{(x^2+1)^3}$$

$$= \frac{8x^3-24x}{(x^2+1)^3} = \frac{8x(x^2-3)}{(x^2+1)^3}$$

IN: $x = 0, \pm\sqrt{3}$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \ominus & \oplus & \ominus & \oplus & & & \\ | & | & | & | & & & \\ -\sqrt{3} & 0 & \sqrt{3} & & & & \end{array} \rightarrow f''$$

conc up on $(-\sqrt{3}, 0) \cup (\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

conc down on $(-\infty, -\sqrt{3}) \cup (0, \sqrt{3})$

inf. pts $(-\sqrt{3}, -\sqrt{3}), (0, 0), (\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3})$

VA: none

HA: $y=0$

5. Find the absolute extrema of $f(x) = x^4 - 8x^2 + 16$ on the interval $[1, 3]$.

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 16x = 4x(x^2 - 4) = 4x(x+2)(x-2)$$

CN: $x = 0, -2, 2$
 $\swarrow \quad \nwarrow$ not in interval

$$f(0) = 16$$

$$f(2) = 16 - 32 + 16 = 0 \longrightarrow \text{abs min } (2, 0)$$

$$f(1) = 1 - 8 + 16 = 9$$

$$f(3) = 81 - 72 + 16 = 25 \longrightarrow \text{abs max } (3, 25)$$

6. Sketch the graph of a function $f(x)$ so that all conditions below are satisfied. Be sure your graph is big enough so I can see it and it is properly labeled.

a) $f(x)$ is defined for all x except $x=1$. \longrightarrow a symp or hole at $x=1$

b) $f'(x) > 0$ when $1 < x < 3$. inc

c) $f''(x) > 0$ when $x > 4$ and when $x < -1$. up

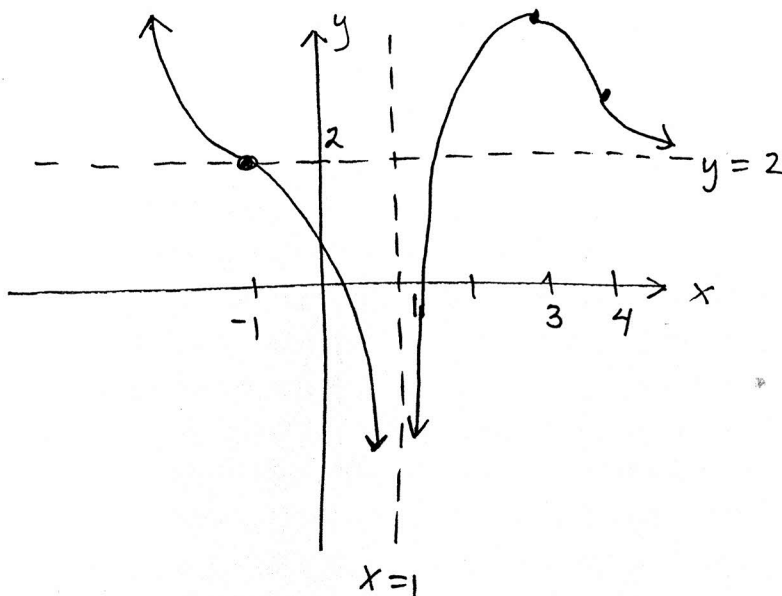
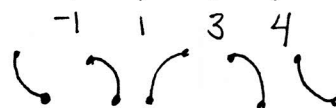
d) $f(x)$ has an inflection point at $(-1, 2)$.

e) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 2$. \longrightarrow a symp $y=2$

$$\begin{array}{c} \ominus \quad \oplus \quad \ominus \\ | \quad | \\ 1 \quad 3 \end{array} \longrightarrow f'$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \oplus \quad \ominus \quad \oplus \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ -1 \quad 4 \end{array} \longrightarrow f''$$

dec dec inc dec dec
 up down down down up \longrightarrow combo



7. Find the equation of the line tangent to $x^4 - 2x^3y^2 = 1 - y^3$ at the point (2,1).

$$4x^3 - (6x^2y^2 + 4x^3yy') = -3y^2y'$$

Fill in $x=2, y=1$

$$32 - (24 + 32y') = -3y'$$

$$32 - 24 = 32y' - 3y'$$

$$8 = 29y'$$

$$y' = m = \frac{8}{29}$$

Line: $y - 1 = \frac{8}{29}(x - 2)$

8. A company that makes iPad keyboard cases finds that if q packages of cases are produced in an hour, the average cost per package is $\bar{c} = 2q^2 - 36q + 210 - \frac{200}{q}$, where the number of packages that can be produced per hour is restricted to $2 \leq q \leq 10$. How many packages should be produced (within the restrictions) in order to maximize total cost? What is the minimum total cost in an hour?

$$\text{Total cost} = C = \bar{c} \cdot q = 2q^3 - 36q^2 + 210q - 200$$

$$C' = 6q^2 - 72q + 210$$

$$= 6(q^2 - 12q + 35) = 6(q - 5)(q - 7)$$

CN: $q = 5, 7$

$$C(2) = 16 - 144 + 420 - 200 = 92 \longrightarrow$$

$$C(5) = 250 - 900 + 1050 - 200 = 200$$

$$C(7) = 686 - 1764 + 1470 - 200 = 192$$

$$C(10) = 2000 - 3600 + 2100 - 200 = 300$$

produce 2 pkgs
per hour at
a minimum
total cost of
\$92. per hour