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1. Determine whether each of the following statements is True or False.

Correct answers are worth +3, incorrect answers are worth -1, and no answer is worth +1.

/3 (a) True False If $f(a) < N < f(b)$ then there exists $c \in (a, b)$ such that $f(c) = N$.
 False. This is almost the Intermediate Value Theorem but lacks the assumption that f is continuous on $[a, b]$.

/3 (b) True False $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln(x)}{x} = \infty$.
 [3.7#9] False. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln(x)}{x} = \frac{-\infty}{0^+} = -\infty \neq \infty$.

/3 (c) True False A local maximum of a function $f(x)$ can only occur at a point where $f'(x) = 0$.
 False. It could also occur where $f'(x)$ does not exist.

/3 (d) True False If f is a continuous function on the interval $[a, b]$ then f attains an absolute maximum at some number c in $[a, b]$.
 True. This is the Extreme Value Theorem in section 4.1.

/3 (e) True False If f and g are increasing functions on an interval (a, b) then fg is an increasing function on (a, b) .
 False. Both $f(x) = x$ and $g(x) = x$ are increasing everywhere, but $f(x)g(x) = x^2$ is decreasing on $(-\infty, 0)$.

/3 (f) True False If $f'(x) > 2$ for all x and $f(0) = 5$, then $f(3) > 11$.
 [Similar to 4.3 #23, 25] True. The Mean Value Theorem implies there exists $c \in (0, 3)$ with $f'(c) = \frac{f(3)-5}{3-0}$, so $\frac{f(3)-5}{3} > 2$, which implies $f(3) > 11$. (The simpler logic of saying f must be above the line through $(0, 5)$ with slope 2 also works.)

- /7 2. For the function $f(x) = x^{1/3}(x + 4)$, find all c such that $f''(c) = 0$ or $f''(c)$ does not exist.

[Similar to part of 4.3 #33] We can compute

$$f'(x) = (1/3)x^{-2/3}(x + 4) + x^{1/3} = (1/3)x^{-2/3}((x + 4) + 3x) = (4/3)x^{-2/3}(x + 1) \quad \text{and}$$

$$f''(x) = (4/3) \left((-2/3)x^{-5/3}(x + 1) + x^{-2/3} \right) = (4/9)x^{-5/3}((-2)(x + 1) + 3x) = (4/9)x^{-5/3}(x - 2).$$

$f''(c) = 0$ when $c = 2$ and $f''(c)$ DNE when $c = 0$.

3. Compute the limits. Show your work and/or explain your reasoning.

/5 (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^3 e^{-x^3} =$

[Similar to 3.7 #25] Plugging in yields $\infty \cdot 0$, which is indeterminate but not in the form for L'Hôpital's rule. Rewriting to get ∞/∞ form, we can apply L'Hôpital's rule to get

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3}{e^{x^3}} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2}{3x^2 e^{x^3}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{x^3}} = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0.$$

/5 (b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 5x^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) =$

[Similar to 1.4 Example 9] Set

$$f(x) = -5x^2,$$

$$g(x) = 5x^2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), \quad \text{and}$$

$$h(x) = 5x^2.$$

Since $|\cos(\cdot)| \leq 1$, we have $f(x) \leq g(x) \leq h(x)$ when x is near 0 (and for all $x \neq 0$). We can compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} h(x) = 0$, so the assumptions of the Squeeze Theorem are satisfied and we can conclude $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = 0$.

/5 4. (a) State the Mean Value Theorem (MVT) using the template below.

If • f is continuous on the closed interval $[a, b]$ and

• f is differentiable on the open interval (a, b) ,

then there exists $c \in (a, b)$ such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}.$$

/5 (b) Verify that the function $f(x) = 1/x$ satisfies each of the hypotheses of the MVT on the interval $[1, 3]$. Then find all numbers c that satisfy the conclusion of the MVT.

[4.2 #12] $f(x) = 1/x$ is differentiable on $(0, \infty)$ and hence differentiable on $(1, 3)$ and continuous on $[1, 3]$.

We have $f'(x) = -x^{-2}$ and $\frac{f(3) - f(1)}{3 - 1} = \frac{\frac{1}{3} - 1}{2} = -\frac{1}{3}$. Setting $-x^{-2} = -\frac{1}{3}$ and solving gives $x = \pm\sqrt{3}$, of which $\sqrt{3} \in (1, 3)$.

- /10 5. Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 1$ on the interval $[-2, 2]$. [Similar to 4.1 #40] $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x = 3x(x - 4)$ so the critical numbers are $x = 0$ and $x = 4$. Since $x = 4$ is not in the interval, we discard it. Evaluating at $x = 0$ and at the endpoints we get

$$f(0) = 1,$$

$$f(-2) = (-2)^3 - 6(-2)^2 + 1 = -8 - 24 + 1 = -31, \quad \text{and}$$

$$f(2) = 2^3 - 6 \cdot 2^2 + 1 = 8 - 24 + 1 = -15.$$

Thus the absolute maximum is 1 and occurs at $x = 0$ and the absolute minimum is -31 and occurs at $x = -2$.

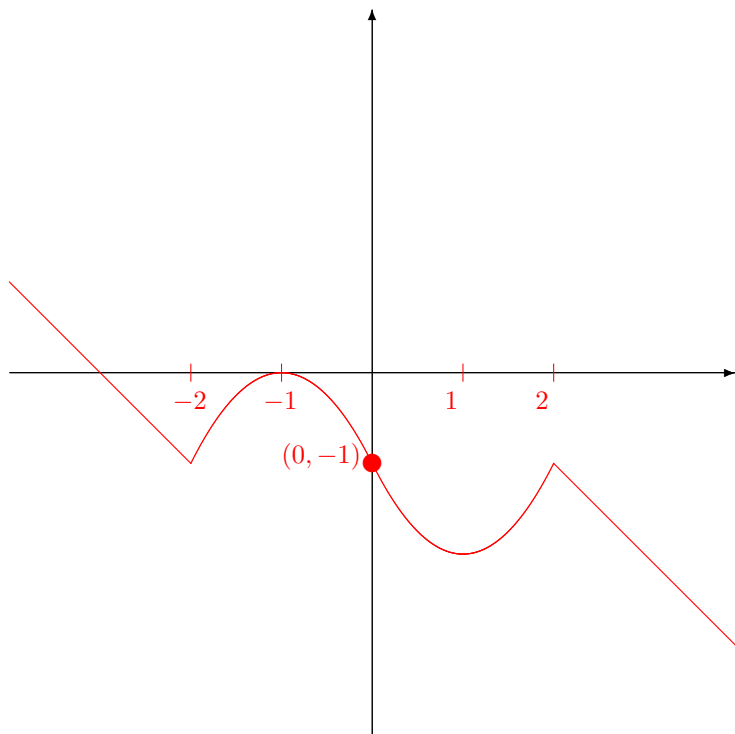
6. Sketch the graph of a single function f that has all of the following properties:

- /4 (a) $f'(1) = f'(-1) = 0$.
 /2 (b) $f'(x) < 0$ if $|x| < 1$.
 /4 (c) $f'(x) > 0$ if $1 < |x| < 2$.
 /4 (d) $f'(x) = -1$ if $|x| > 2$.
 /3 (e) $f''(x) < 0$ if $-2 < x < 0$.
 /3 (f) An inflection point at $(0, -1)$.

[Similar to 4.3 #20] Since $f'(x) = -1$ if $|x| > 2$, we know $f''(x) = 0$ if $|x| > 2$. Since there is an inflection point at $(0, -1)$ and $f''(x) < 0$ for $-2 < x < 0$, we know $f''(x) > 0$ for $0 < x < 2$. Organizing into a chart, we have

f	\searrow	\curvearrowright	\rightarrow	\curvearrowleft	\searrow , IP	\curvearrowleft	\rightarrow	\nearrow	\searrow		
f''	0	-	-	-	?	+, ?	0	+	0		
f'	-1	+	0	-	-	-	0	+	-1		
	$(-\infty, -2)$	-2	$(-2, -1)$	-1	$(-1, 0)$	0	$(0, 1)$	1	$(1, 2)$	2	$(2, \infty)$

It is consistent if we make $f''(x) > 0$ if $0 < x < 2$. At -2 and 2 there must be a cusp or discontinuity. Here is one solution:



7. For the function $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + 4}$, which has $f'(x) = \frac{(2+x)(2-x)}{(x^2+4)^2}$ and $f''(x) = \frac{2x(x+2\sqrt{3})(x-2\sqrt{3})}{(x^2+4)^3}$:

- /2 (a) Find the x - and y -intercepts.
- /4 (b) Find any asymptotes.
- /3 (c) Find the intervals on which f is increasing or decreasing.
- /4 (d) Find the local maximum and minimum values of f .
- /7 (e) Find the intervals of concavity and the inflection points .
- /5 (f) Use the information above to sketch the graph.

(f has odd symmetry, so we could save half the work, but this is optional.)

$f(0) = 0$ and no other x makes $f(x) = 0$, so both intercepts are at $(0, 0)$.

The denominator is never 0 so there are no vertical asymptotes.

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{x}{x^2+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{x}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0$ so there is a horizontal asymptote at $y = 0$.

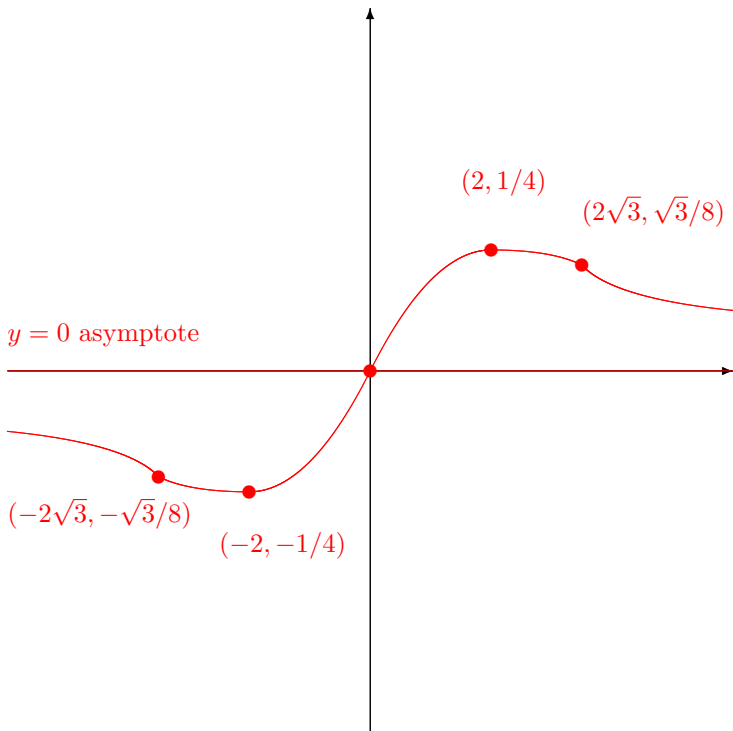
The given $f'(x) = \frac{(2+x)(2-x)}{(x^2+4)^2}$ is zero at $x = -2$ and $x = 2$.

The given $f''(x) = \frac{2x(x+2\sqrt{3})(x-2\sqrt{3})}{(x^2+4)^3}$ is 0 at $x = 0$, $x = -2\sqrt{3}$, and $x = 2\sqrt{3}$.

Assembling into a chart and checking signs, we have

f	\	I.P.	\	→	\	I.P.	\	→	\	I.P.	\
f''	-	0	+	+	+	0	-	-	-	0	+
f'	-	-	-	0	+	+	+	0	-	-	-
	$(-\infty, -2\sqrt{3})$	$-2\sqrt{3}$	$(-2\sqrt{3}, -2)$	-2	$(-2, 0)$	0	$(0, 2)$	2	$(2, 2\sqrt{3})$	$2\sqrt{3}$	$(2\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

There is a local max at $x = 2$ with value $f(2) = 2/(2^2 + 4) = 1/4$ and a local min at $x = -2$ with value $f(-2) = -2/(2^2 + 4) = -1/4$. There are inflection points at $(-2\sqrt{3}, f(-2\sqrt{3})) = (-2\sqrt{3}, -2\sqrt{3}/(12 + 4)) = (-2\sqrt{3}, -\sqrt{3}/8)$, $(0, 0)$, and $(2\sqrt{3}, f(2\sqrt{3})) = (2\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3}/8)$.



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