

7R #6 Find the relative extrema

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$f(x) = x^2 e^{-x}$$

$$f'(x) = x^2(e^{-x})(-1) + e^{-x}(2x)$$

$$= -x^2 e^{-x} + 2x e^{-x}$$

$$0 = x e^{-x} (-x + 2)$$

$$x e^{-x} = 0$$

$$\text{and } -x + 2 = 0$$

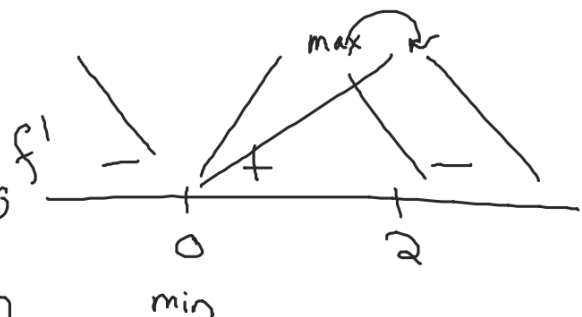
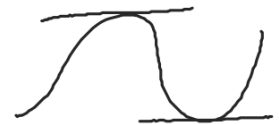
$$-x = -2$$

$$x = 2$$

$$f(2) = 2^2 e^{-2}$$

$$= \frac{4}{e^2}$$

$$(2, e^{-2})$$



$$x = 0$$

$$e^{-x} = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{e^x} = 0$$

$$(0, 0)$$



$$75 \#6 \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2+1} = 1(x^2+1)^{-1}$$

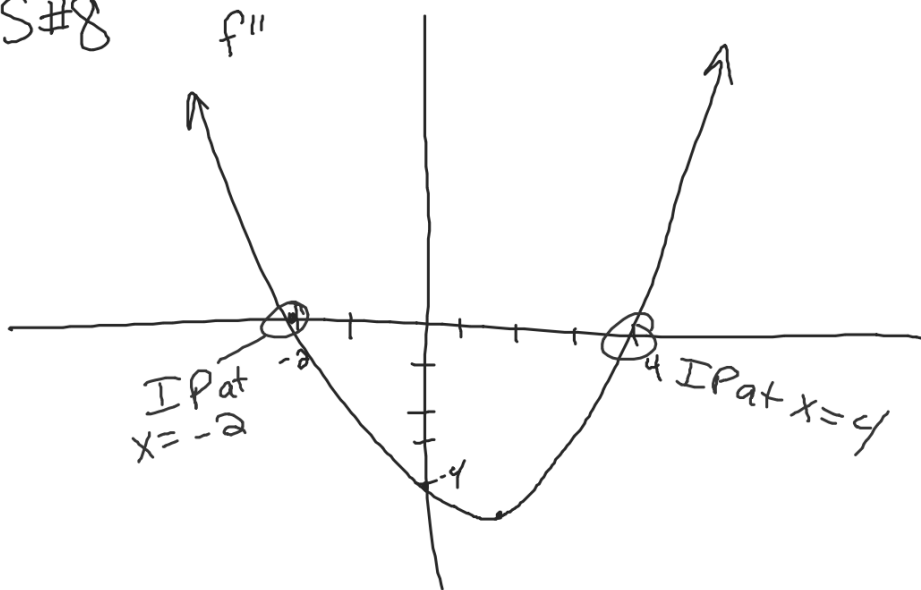
$$f'(x) = -1(x^2+1)^{-2}(2x) \\ = -2x(x^2+1)^{-2}$$

$$f''(x) = +2x[-2(x^2+1)^{-3}(2x)] + 2(x^2+1)^{-2} \\ = \frac{-8x^2}{(x^2+1)^3} + \frac{2}{(x^2+1)^2} \cdot \frac{(x^2+1)}{(x^2+1)}$$

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

$$\frac{x^2 + 2}{(x^2+1)^3} = 0 \quad x^2 + 2 = 0 \\ x^2 = -2 \\ x = \pm \sqrt{-2} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

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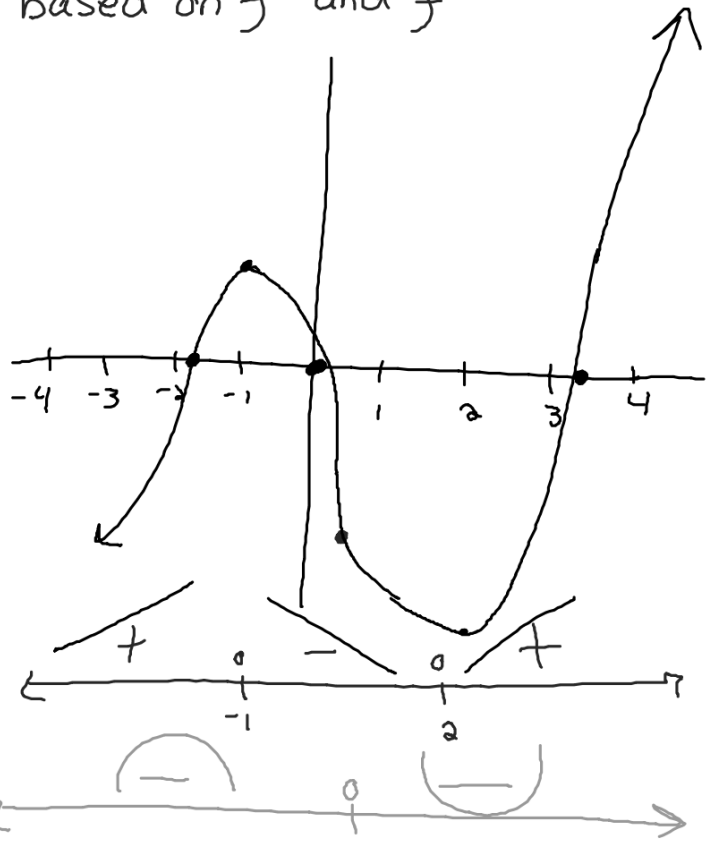


$f''(x) > 0$, f is concave up
 $(-\infty, -2)$ and $(4, \infty)$

$f''(x) < 0$, f is \cap
 $(-2, 4)$

More practice with graphs:
 need to sketch f based on f' and f''

a) $f(x) = 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 12x$
 $f'(x) = 6x^2 - 6x - 12$
 $f''(x) = 12x - 6$



$f(x)$ { x -int: $(0,0), (-1.8,0), (3.31,0)$
 y -int: $(0,0)$
 $f'(x)$ { inc: $(-\infty, -1)$ and $(2, \infty)$
 dec: $(-1, 2)$
 max: $f(-1) = (-1, 7)$
 min: $f(2) = (2, -17)$
 inflection pts: $(2, 12)$
 $f''(x)$ { CUP $(\frac{1}{2}, \infty)$
 C.D $(-\infty, \frac{1}{2})$

I.P. at $x = \frac{1}{2}$
 $(\frac{1}{2}, -13\frac{1}{2})$

$\frac{1}{2}$
 I.P.

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#ke (fixed)

$$f(x) = (x^2 + 1)^{-1}$$

$$f'(x) = -2x(x^2 - 1)^{-2}$$

$$f''(x) = -2x [-2(x^2 - 1)^{-3}(2x)] + (x^2 - 1)^{-2}(-2)$$

$$= 8x^2(x^2 - 1)^{-3} - 2(x^2 - 1)^{-2}$$

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

$$= \frac{8x^2 - 2x^2 - 2}{(x^2 - 1)^3} = \frac{6x^2 - 2}{(x^2 - 1)^3} = 0$$

$$6x^2 - 2 = 0$$

$$6x^2 = 2$$

$$x^2 = \frac{2}{6}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$$

Ex 2 $f(x) = \frac{x^2-4}{x^2-1}$

$f'(x) = \frac{6x}{(x^2-1)^2}$

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

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2, 3, 4, 6

x-int:

$0 = \frac{x^2-4}{x^2-1}$

$x^2-4=0$
 $x^2=4$
 $x=\pm 2$

y-int: $f(0) = \frac{0^2-4}{0^2-1} = 4$

asymptotes: $x^2-1=0$ $x^2=1$ $x=\pm 1$ vertical
 $y=1$ horizontal

max/min

$f'(x)=0$ $\frac{6x}{(x^2-1)^2}=0$ $6x=0$
 $x=0$

min at $x=0$ $f(0)=4$ $(0, 4)$

I.P. $f''(x)=0$ $-6(3x^2+1)=0$

$-6=0$ $3x^2+1=0$

NO real $3x^2=-1$

Solution \Rightarrow no I.P.

