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1] Webwork, Quiz, + WA#5 this week!

2] With your neighbors:

a) Find critical points of $f(x) = 3x^5 - 5x^3 + 3$

b) Find the critical points of $f'(x)$.

§4.3: Derivatives + Shapes of graphs

Theme: §4.1 → ~~test~~ abs max/min techniques

§4.2 → MVT → gave us relationship b/w
secants + tangents.

today! → How to calculate local max/mins +
other qualities of graph of f .

First derivatives + graphs

Increasing/Decreasing Test:

- If $f'(x) > 0$ on (a, b) , then $f(x)$ is increasing on (a, b) .
- If $f'(x) < 0$ on (a, b) , then $f(x)$ is decreasing on (a, b) .

First derivative test: Suppose c is a critical number of f , and f is cts.

- If f' changes from pos to neg at c , then f has a local max at c .
- If f' changes from neg to pos at c , then f has a local min at c .
- If f' does not change sign at c , then f has neither local max nor local min at c .

Second Derivatives!

Defⁿ: If near every x in (a,b) the graph of f lies above the tangent line to $(x, f(x))$, then f is called concave up on (a,b) . If graph of f is below tangent line for every x , then f is concave down on (a,b) .

Concavity Test: (a) If $f''(x) > 0$, for all x in (a,b) , then f is concave up on (a,b) .

(b) If $f''(x) < 0$ for all x in (a,b) , then f is concave down on (a,b) .

Defⁿ: A pt on graph of $f(x)$ is an inflection point if f changes concavity at that point and f is cts.

2nd Der. Test: Suppose f'' is cts near c .

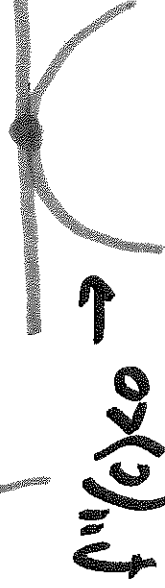
(a) If $f'(c) = 0$ and $f''(c) > 0$,
then f has a local min at c .



$f''(c) > 0$ means
concave up, so f
is above horiz.
tang. line.

(b) If $f'(c) = 0$ and $f''(c) < 0$,
then f has a local max at c .

Similar picture: $f'(c) = 0$



$f''(c) < 0$
 \Rightarrow concave
down
 \Rightarrow graph below tangent.

Ex: For $h(x) = 3x^5 - 5x^3 + 3$, find

- local max/min pts
- intervals of concavity.
- intervals of inc/dec.

Let's try 2nd der. test.

$$h'(x) = 15x^4 - 15x^2 = 15x^2(x^2 - 1) = 15x^2(x-1)(x+1).$$

$$h''(x) = 60x^3 - 30x = 30x(2x^2 - 1).$$

Critical numbers are $x=0, 1, -1$, i.e. where $h'(x)=0$.

Evaluate $h''(0) = 0 \leftarrow$ Inconclusive... 1st
Need to use 1st

der. test.

$$h''(1) = 30 > 0$$

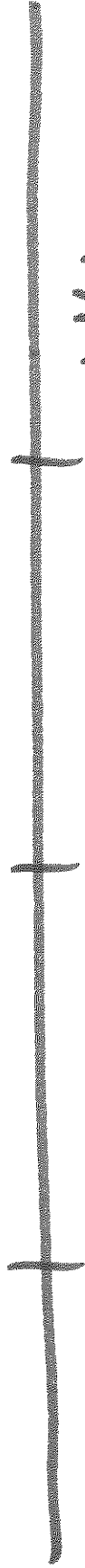
$$h''(-1) = -30 < 0$$

By 2nd der. test, $x=1$ gives a local min)

$x=-1$ gives a local max.

What about $x=0$? Find signs of $h'(x)$ on $(-\infty, 0)$.

sign of $h'(x)$ + - - +



test pts for $h'(x)$ $h'(-2) = 180$ $h'(0) = -2.8$ $h'(2) = 180$

$h'(x)$ does not change sign at 0, So no local max/min at $x=0$.

Intervals of increase: $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$.

" " decrease: $(-1, 0) \cup (0, 1)$

NOTE: A similar analysis ~~shows~~ on $h''(x)$ shows

h is concave up when x in $(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0) \cup (\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \infty)$

" " " down " " " $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) \cup (0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$

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1 Turn in WA #5

2 w/ neighbors, compute

using our
technique
from before.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 2}{x^3 + x + 1}$$

§4.4: L'Hospital's Rule

 \rightarrow Proof in textbook

Ex: ~~lim~~ $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2}{e^x}$ $\rightarrow \infty$

Hummm... What to do?

If this were...
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2+2}{x^3+x+1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{x^3}(x^2+2)}{\frac{1}{x^3}(x^3+x+1)} =$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{x} + \frac{2}{x^3}}{1 + \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x^3}} = \frac{0}{1} = 0.$$

w/ e^x , can't use this technique... So.

L'Hospital's Rule: Suppose f + g are diff
and $g'(x) \neq 0$ near a (a might be $\pm\infty$).

If either (A) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)$

or (B) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = \pm\infty$ and

$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = \pm\infty$

then $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$, if right-hand limit exists.

Condition (A) \Rightarrow type $\frac{0}{0}$ in limit. } L'H rule bypasses
Condition (B) \Rightarrow type $\frac{\pm\infty}{\pm\infty}$ in limit. } this issue.

$$\text{Ex: } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2+2}}{x^{3+x}} \uparrow \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ type } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ L'H} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{3x^2+1} \uparrow \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ type } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ L'H} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{6x} = 0.$$

$$\text{Ex: } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2}{e^x} \uparrow \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ type } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ L'H} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{e^x} \uparrow \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ type } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ L'H} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{e^x} = 0.$$

$$\text{Ex: } \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{4-x^2}{\sin(\pi x)} \uparrow \frac{0}{0} \text{ type } \frac{0}{0} \text{ L'H} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{-2x}{-\pi \cos(\pi x)} \uparrow \frac{0}{\pi \cdot \cos(\pi)} = \frac{-\pi}{-\pi} = 1.$$

$$\text{Ex: } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2-9}{x+3} = \frac{1^2-9}{1+3} = \frac{-8}{4} = -2. \text{ by continuity!}$$

ON L'H here!

Ex: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x-1}{\ln(x)} \rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{1/x} = 1.$

type $\frac{0}{0}$
L'H

Ex: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 - 8}{x^4 + 2x - 20} \rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{3x^2}{4x^3 + 2} = \frac{6}{17}$

continuity

type $\frac{0}{0}$,
L'H

L'H Rule w/ products: Say

$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = 0$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = \pm \infty.$

What might $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)g(x)$ be?

Fact: Might be any real #, or $\pm \infty.$

Rewrite f.g as either $\frac{f}{g}$ or $\frac{g}{f}$,

and you can apply L'H rule.

$$\text{Ex: } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x \cdot \ln(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln(x)}{1/x} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{type } \frac{-\infty}{\infty} \\ \text{L'H} \end{array}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} -x = 0.$$

"x goes to zero faster than $\ln(x)$ goes to $-\infty$ as $x \rightarrow 0^+$."

Ex: Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^7}{e^x}$

$\frac{7}{\infty} \uparrow \frac{\infty}{\infty} \uparrow \frac{7 \cdot 6}{\infty} \uparrow \frac{7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5}{\infty} \uparrow \frac{7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4}{\infty} \uparrow \frac{7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}{\infty}$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot \dots}{e^x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}{e^x}$

L'H's applications = 0 since $e^x \rightarrow \infty$, numerator constant.

Two outcomes:

- ① Notation $n \cdot (n-1) \cdot (n-2) \cdot \dots \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = n!$ n factorial.
- ② $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^n}{e^x} = 0$ by a similar argument. \Rightarrow exponentials grow faster than polynomials.