

Q1 Find any relative or absolute extremum of

$$f(x) = \sqrt{3x}e^{1-x^2}$$

$$D_f = [0, +\infty)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{3x}} e^{1-x^2} - 2x\sqrt{3x} e^{1-x^2} = \left(\frac{3}{2\sqrt{3x}} - 2x\sqrt{3x} \right) e^{1-x^2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{3-6x^2}{2\sqrt{3x}} \right) e^{1-x^2}$$

So $f'(x) = 0$ iff $3-12x^2=0$ iff $1-4x^2=0$ iff $x = \frac{1}{2}$

x	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$+\infty$
$f'(x)$		+	-
$f(x)$	0	$f(\frac{1}{2})$	0

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} f(x) = 0$$

0 is an absolute minimum
(f is not differentiable at 0)
 $\frac{1}{2}$ is an absolute maximum

Q2 Find the absolute extrema of the function

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}(12 - x)$$

on the closed interval $[0, 12]$.

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{1}{3} x^{-2/3} (12 - x) - \sqrt[3]{x} \\ &= x^{-2/3} \left[\frac{1}{3}(12 - x) - x \right] = x^{-2/3} \left(4 - \frac{4}{3}x \right) \end{aligned}$$

So $f'(x) = 0$ iff $4 - \frac{4}{3}x = 0$ iff $x = 3$.

$$f(0) = 0, \quad f(12) = 0, \quad f(3) = 9\sqrt[3]{3}$$

Hence: 3 is the absolute maximum
0 & 12 are the absolute minima

Q3 Let $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x+2}}$

- a) What is the domain of definition of f ?
 b) Find the intervals of increase or decrease.

a) $D_f = (-2, +\infty)$

b) $f'(x) = \frac{2x\sqrt{x+2} - \frac{x^2}{2\sqrt{x+2}}}{x+2}$

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

Thus $f'(x) = 0$ iff $x=0$ or $x = -\frac{8}{3}$

↑ to reject because $\notin (-2, +\infty)$

x	-2	0	$+\infty$
$f'(x)$		$-$	$+$
$f(x)$	$+\infty$	0	$+\infty$

f is \searrow on $(-2, 0)$

f is \nearrow on $(0, +\infty)$

Q4 Let $f(x) = x^2 e^{-x}$. Find the intervals of concavity and the inflection points.

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

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

Thus $f''(x) = 0$ iff $2 - 4x + x^2 = 0$ iff $x = 2 \pm \sqrt{2}$

x	$-\infty$	$2 - \sqrt{2}$	$2 + \sqrt{2}$	$+\infty$	
$f''(x)$	+	\emptyset	-	\emptyset	+

f is concave up on $(-\infty, 2 - \sqrt{2}) \cup (2 + \sqrt{2}, +\infty)$

f is concave down on $(2 - \sqrt{2}, 2 + \sqrt{2})$

$2 - \sqrt{2}$ & $2 + \sqrt{2}$ are inflection points

Q5 Find all the asymptotes of $f(x) = \frac{x^4 - 6x^2}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x}$.

$$*) \quad x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x = x(x^2 - 6x + 5) = x(x-1)(x-5)$$

Therefore only $x=1$ and $x=5$ are vertical asymptotes.

$x=0$ is not a vertical asymptote. In fact 0 is also a zero for the numerator. It is easy to see that:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2(x^2-6)}{x(x-1)(x-5)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \frac{x^2-6}{(x-1)(x-5)} = 0 \neq \pm\infty$$

$$*) \quad \begin{array}{r|l} x^4 - 6x^2 & x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x \\ -x^4 - 6x^3 + 5x^2 & \\ \hline 6x^3 - 11x^2 & \\ -6x^3 + 36x^2 + 30x & \\ \hline 25x^2 - 30x & \end{array}$$

$$\text{So: } x^4 - 6x^2 = (x+6)(x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x) + (25x^2 - 30x)$$

$$\text{Thus } \frac{x^4 - 6x^2}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x} = x+6 + \frac{25x^2 - 30x}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x}$$

$$\text{Therefore } f(x) - (x+6) = \frac{25x^2 - 30x}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x} \quad \text{Hence}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} [f(x) - (x+6)] = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{25x^2 - 30x}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{25x^2}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{25}{x} = 0$$

Thus: $y = x+6$ is an oblique asymptote.

Q6 Use the Second Derivative Test to find any relative

extremum of $f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x^2}$.

$$1) f'(x) = \frac{\frac{1}{x}x^2 - 2x \ln x}{x^4} = \frac{x - 2x \ln x}{x^4} = \frac{1 - 2 \ln x}{x^3}$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \text{ iff } 1 - 2 \ln x = 0 \text{ iff } \ln x = \frac{1}{2} \text{ iff } x = \sqrt{e}$$

f has only one critical point $x = \sqrt{e}$.

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

$$= \frac{-2 - 3(1 - 2 \ln x)}{x^4}$$

$$\text{Then } f''(\sqrt{e}) = \frac{-2 - 3(1 - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2})}{(\sqrt{e})^4} = -\frac{2}{e^2} < 0$$

Hence \sqrt{e} is a relative maximum.

Q7 Let $f(x) = \frac{e^{2x} - 1}{x + 1}$. Use differentials to approximate $f(0.01)$.

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

$$0.01 = 0 + 0.01$$

$$f(0.01) \approx f(0) + f'(0)(0.01)$$

$$f(0) = 0, \quad f'(0) = 2$$

$$\text{Therefore } f(0.01) \approx 0.02$$

Q8 Find the following indefinite integral

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \sqrt[3]{x^2} \left(\frac{3x^{\frac{3}{2}} - x^{-\frac{7}{6}}}{\sqrt{x}} \right) dx \\ &= \int x^{\frac{2}{3}} x^{-\frac{1}{2}} (3x^{\frac{3}{2}} - x^{-\frac{7}{6}}) dx \\ &= \int x^{\frac{2}{3}} (3x - x^{-\frac{5}{3}}) dx \\ &= \int (3x^{\frac{5}{3}} - x^{-1}) dx \\ &= 3 \frac{x^{\frac{5}{3}+1}}{\frac{5}{3}+1} - \ln|x| + C \\ &= \frac{9}{8} x^{\frac{8}{3}} - \ln|x| + C \end{aligned}$$

Q9 Find y subject to the following conditions :

$$y'' = \frac{3}{(x+1)^2} + e^{-2x}, \quad y'(0) = -2, \quad y(0) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{)} \quad y' = -\frac{3}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x} + C$$

$$\text{Since } y'(0) = -2, \quad -3 - \frac{1}{2} + C = -2 \quad \text{ie } C = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{Thus } y' = -\frac{3}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x} + \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{)} \quad y = -3 \ln|x+1| + \frac{1}{4}e^{-2x} + \frac{3}{2}x + C$$

$$\text{Since } y(0) = 0, \quad \frac{1}{4} + C = 0 \quad \text{ie } C = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{Hence } y = -3 \ln|x+1| + \frac{1}{4}e^{-2x} + \frac{3}{2}x - \frac{1}{4}$$

Q10 Find the following indefinite integrals

a) $I = \int \frac{3}{x^2} e^{1+\frac{2}{x}} dx$

b) $J = \int \frac{\ln(5+2\sqrt{x})}{5\sqrt{x}+2x} dx$

a) Let $u = 1 + \frac{2}{x}$, $du = -\frac{2}{x^2} dx$ ie $\frac{1}{x^2} dx = -\frac{1}{2} du$

$$I = \int -\frac{3}{2} e^u du = -\frac{3}{2} e^u + C = -\frac{3}{2} e^{1+\frac{2}{x}} + C$$

b) Let $u = \ln(5+2\sqrt{x})$, $du = \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}}{5+2\sqrt{x}} dx = \frac{1}{5\sqrt{x}+2x} dx$

Hence $J = \int u du = \frac{u^2}{2} + C = \frac{\ln^2(5+2\sqrt{x})}{2} + C$

Q11 Determine the following indefinite integral

$$I = \int \frac{\ln x - 1}{2x^2} 2^{\frac{\ln x}{x}} dx$$

$$\text{let } u = \frac{\ln x}{x} \quad du = \frac{1 - \ln x}{x^2} dx$$

$$\text{So } \frac{\ln x - 1}{2x^2} dx = -\frac{1}{2} du \quad \text{Thus}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int -\frac{1}{2} 2^u du = -\frac{2^u}{2 \ln 2} + C \\ &= -\frac{2^{\frac{\ln x}{x}}}{2 \ln 2} + C \end{aligned}$$

Q12 Find the area of the region bounded by the curve $y = xe^{x^2}$, the x -axis and the vertical line $x = 3$.

$$A = \int_0^3 xe^{x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} e^{x^2} \Big|_0^3 = \frac{1}{2} (e^9 - 1)$$

Rmk: $y' = e^{x^2} + 2x^2 e^{x^2} = (1 + 2x^2) e^{x^2} \geq 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

x	$-\infty$	$+\infty$
y'	+	
y	$-\infty$	$+\infty$

$$\begin{aligned} y'' &= 4xe^{x^2} + 2x(1+2x^2)e^{x^2} \\ &= 2xe^{x^2}(3+2x^2) \end{aligned}$$

x	$-\infty$	0	$+\infty$
y''	-	0	+

So 0 is an inflection point

