

5.3 Day 3

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1. Find the local maximums and minimums of the function. Use the first derivative test. (NO Calculator)

$$y = xe^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$y' = xe^{\frac{1}{x}} \cdot -x^{-2} + e^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$y' = -x^{-1} \cdot e^{\frac{1}{x}} + e^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$y' = e^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(-\frac{1}{x} + 1 \right)$$

$$e^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(-\frac{1}{x} + 1 \right) = 0$$

$$x = 1$$



y has a local min
 $\Rightarrow x=1$ b/c y' goes
 from $-$ to $+$
 $x=1$.

2. Find the local maximums and minimums of the function. Use the second derivative test. (NO calculator)

$$f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 2$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x$$

$$= 3x(x+2)$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = -2$$

$$f''(x) = 6x + 6$$

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

$$f''(0) = 6 \quad f''(-2) = -6$$

$$f''(0) > 0 \quad f''(-2) < 0$$

$\Rightarrow x=0$ local
min

$x=-2$
local
max

3. Given $f'(x) = (x+3)^2(x-1)(x-5)$ find: (Calculator ok)

- a. Find where all points of inflections occur on $f(x)$.

$$x = -3$$

$$x \approx -0.562$$

$$x \approx 3.562$$

$f(x)$ has a p.o.i. $\Rightarrow x = -3, -0.562, 3.562$
 b/c $f''(x)$ changes signs at these points.

- b. Where all local extrema occur on $f(x)$.

$f(x)$ has a local max $\Rightarrow x=1$ b/c f' goes from
 $+$ to $-$ $\Rightarrow x=1$.

$f(x)$ has a local min $\Rightarrow x=5$ b/c f' goes from $-$ to $+$
 $\Rightarrow x=5$

- c. When $f(x)$ is concave up and justify your answer.

$f(x)$ is ccu $(-3, -0.562) \cup (3.562, \infty)$ b/c $f'' > 0$

over the interval.