

Application of Derivative.

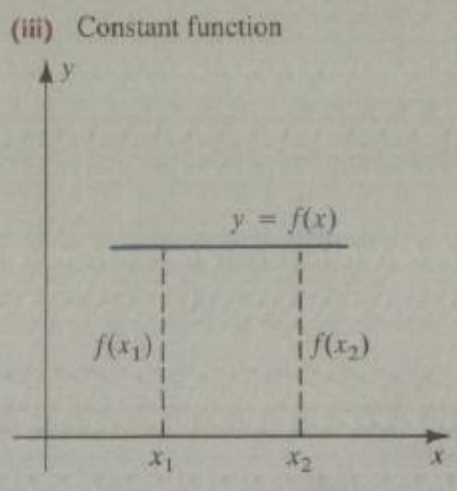
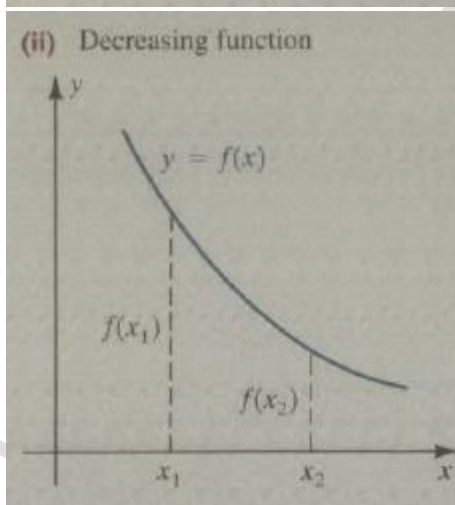
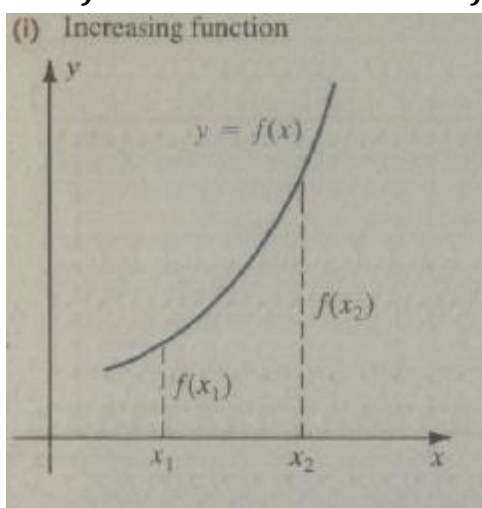
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Def. 3.1

Let a function f be defined on the interval I and let x_1, x_2 denote numbers in I

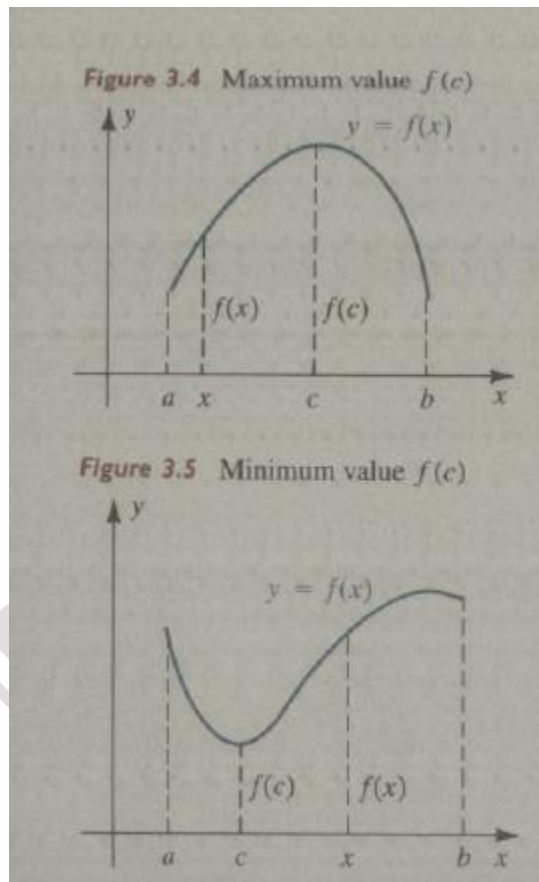
- I. f is increasing on I if $f(x_1) < f(x_2)$ whenever $x_1 < x_2$
- II. f is decreasing on I if $f(x_1) > f(x_2)$ whenever $x_1 < x_2$
- III. f is constant on I if $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ for x_1 and x_2



Def. 3.2

Let a function f be defined on the set of real number, and let c be a number in S

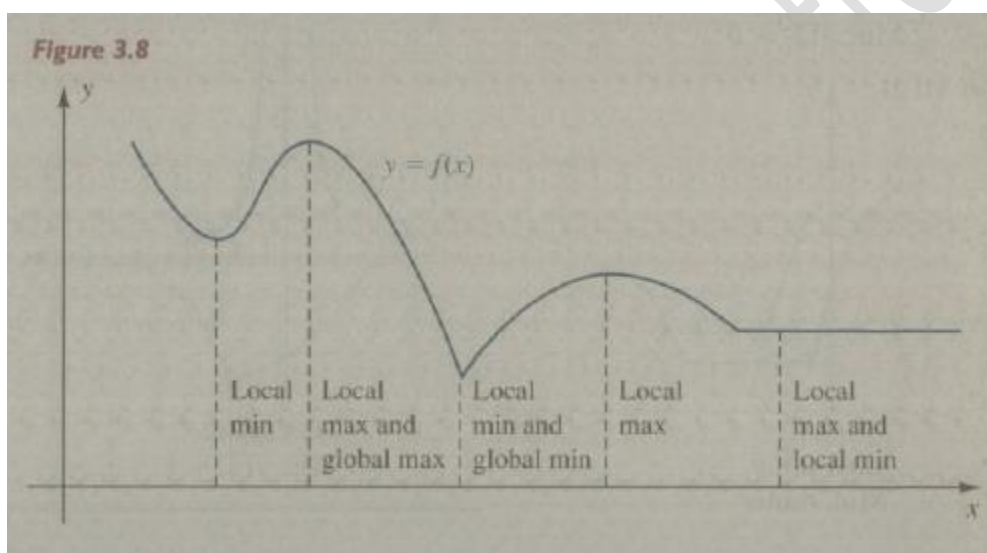
- I. $f(c)$ is maximum of f on S if $f(x) \leq f(c)$ for every x in S .
- II. $f(c)$ is minimum of f on S if $f(x) \geq f(c)$ for every x in S .



Def. 3.4

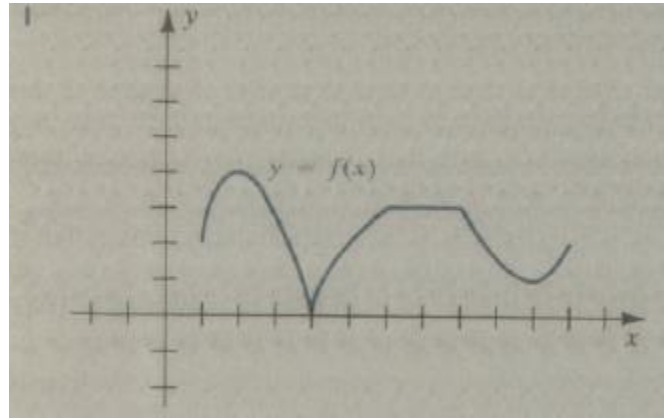
Let c be a number in the domain of a function f .

- I. $f(c)$ is local maximum of f if there exist open interval (a, b) containing c such that $f(x) \leq f(c)$ for every x in (a, b) that is the domain of f .
- II. $f(c)$ is local minimum of f if there exist open interval (a, b) containing c such that $f(x) \geq f(c)$ for every x in (a, b) that is the domain of f .



Ex. No. 3.1

Exr. 1-2: Use the graph to estimate the absolute maximum the absolute minimum and the local extrema of f .

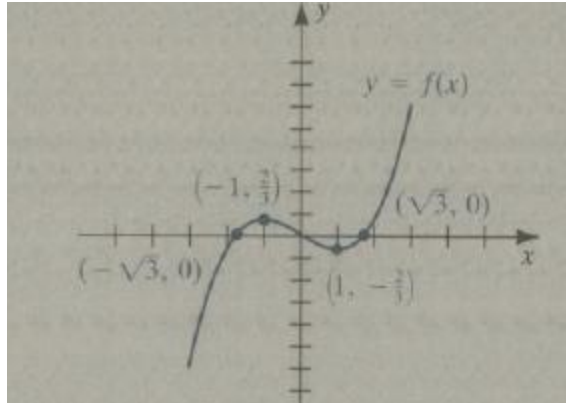


Absolute Maxima $f(2) = 4$

Absolute Minima $f(4) = 0$

Exr. 3-4: Use the graph to estimate the extreme of f on each interval

3. (a) $[-3, 3]$, (b) $(-3, \sqrt{3})$, (c) $[-\sqrt{3}, 1)$, (d) $[0, 3]$



(a) $[-3, 3]$

Local Maxima $f(3) = \text{None}$

Local Minima $f(-3) = -6$

(b) $(-3, \sqrt{3})$

Local Maxima $f(-1) = 2/3$

Local Minima $f(-3) = \text{None}$

(c) $[-\sqrt{3}, 1)$

Local Maxima $f(-1) = 2/3$

Local Minima $f(1) = \text{None}$

(d) $[0, 3]$

Local Maxima $f(3) = 6$

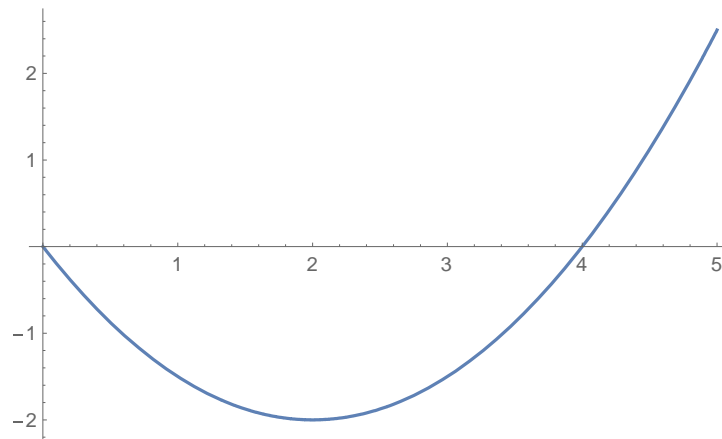
Local Minima $f(1) = -2/3$

NOTE, IF the maxima or mina lies at the point of the open, then we cant find extrema.

Exr. 5-6: Sketch graph of f and find extrema on each interval.

$$5. f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 2x$$

(a) $[0,5)$, (b) $(0,2)$, (c) $(0,4)$, (d) $[2,5]$



(a) $[0,5)$,

Local Min. $f(2) = -2$

Local Max. $f(5) = \text{None.}$

(b) $(0,2)$

Local Min. $f(2) = \text{None}$

Local Max. $f(0) = \text{None.}$

(c) $(0,4)$

Local Min. $f(2) = -2$

Local Max. $f(0) = f(4) = \text{None.}$

(d) $[2,5]$

Local Min. $f(2) = -2$

Local Max. $f(5) = \frac{5}{2}$

Critical points

If a function f has a local extremum at a number c in an open interval, then either $f'(c) = 0$, or $f'(c)$ does not exist

Exr. 11-36: Find the critical numbers of the function

11. $f(x) = 4x^2 - 3x + 2$ (1)

Diff. Eq. (1) w.r.t x

$$f'(x) = 8x - 3$$

For critical points put $f'(c) = 0$

$$8c - 3 = 0$$

$$c = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$17. f(z) = \sqrt{z^2 - 16} \quad (1)$$

Diff. W.r.t z Eq. (1)

$$f'(z) = \frac{1}{2}(z^2 - 16)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(2z) = \frac{2z}{2\sqrt{z^2 - 16}} = \frac{z}{\sqrt{z^2 - 16}}$$

For critical points put $f'(c) = 0$

$$\frac{c}{\sqrt{c^2 - 16}} = 0, \Rightarrow c = 0$$

Critical points are those points where f' does not exist

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{c^2 - 16} &= 0, \\ c^2 - 16 &= 0, \Rightarrow c = \pm 4 \end{aligned}$$

So $c = 0, \pm 4$ are the critical points

$$25. \quad f(t) = \sin^2 t - \cos t \quad (1)$$

Diff. Eq. (1) w.r.t t

$$f'(t) = 2 \sin t \cos t + \sin t$$

$$f'(c) = 0$$

$$2 \sin c \cos c + \sin c = 0$$

$$\sin c (2 \cos c + 1) = 0$$

$$\sin c = 0, \quad \text{or} \quad 2 \cos c + 1 = 0$$

$$\sin c = 0,$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \sin^{-1} 0 = 0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi \dots = n\pi, \text{ where } n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$2 \cos c + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos c = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$c = \cos^{-1} -\frac{1}{2} = 120,$$

$$c = \frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\pi n$$

So, all the critical points are

$$c = n\pi, \frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\pi n \text{ where } n \in \mathbb{Z}$$