AP Calculus – Worksheet – Extreme Values of Functions on an Interval

Use analytical methods to find the minimums and maximums of the functions below.

1. 
$$y = 2x^2 - 14x$$
,  $[-4, 6]$ 

4. 
$$y = x^3 - 3x + 5$$
,  $[-3, 2]$ 

2. 
$$y = 3x - 12x^2$$
,  $[-3, 5]$ 

5. 
$$y = (x+4)(x-1)(x+2), [-5,2]$$

3. 
$$y = x^2 - 4x - 5$$
, [3,6]

6. 
$$y = 16x^2 - 256x$$
, [0,8]

7. 
$$y = \sqrt{x-4}$$
, [4,20]

9. 
$$y = x^4 - 8x^2 + 12x$$
,  $[-3,3]$ 

8. 
$$y = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x}$$
,  $[-3, 4]$  and  $x \neq 0$ 

10. 
$$y = x^{2/3}$$
,  $[-64, 64]$