

Increasing and Decreasing Functions Ex 17.2 Q1(v) We have,

$$f(x) = 5 + 36x + 3x^2 - 2x^3$$

$$f'(x) = 36 + 6x - 6x^2$$

Critical point

$$f^+(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 36 + 6x - 6x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -6\left(x^2 - x - 6\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad \left(x-3\right)\left(x+2\right)=0$$

$$\therefore \qquad x = 3, -2$$

Clearly, 
$$f'(x) > 0$$
 if  $-2 < x < 3$ 

Also 
$$f'(x) < 0$$
 if  $x < -2$  and  $x > 3$ 

Thus, increases if  $x \in (-2,3)$ , decreases if  $x \in (-\infty,-2) \cup (3,\infty)$ 

Increasing and Decreasing Functions Ex 17.2 Q1(vi)

We have,

$$f(x) = 8 + 36x + 3x^2 - 2x^3$$

$$f'(x) = 36 + 6x - 6x^2$$

Critical points

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6(6+x-x^2)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3-x)(2+x)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 3, -2$ 

Clearly, 
$$f'(x) > 0$$
 if  $-2 < x < 3$ 

and 
$$f'(x) < 0$$
 if  $-\infty < x < -2$  and  $3 < x < \infty$ 

Thus, increases in (-2,3), decreases in  $(-\infty,-2) \cup (3,\infty)$ 

Increasing and Decreasing Functions Ex 17.2 Q1(vii)

We have,

$$f(x) = 5x^3 - 15x^2 - 120x + 3$$

$$f'(x) = 15x^2 - 30x - 120$$

Critical points

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 15(x^2 - 2x - 8) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-4)(x+2)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 4, -2$ 

Clearly, 
$$f'(x) > 0$$
 if  $x < -2$  and  $x > 4$   
and  $f'(x) < 0$  if  $-2 < x < 4$ 

Thus, increases in  $(-\infty, -2) \cup (4, \infty)$ , decreases in (-2, 4)

Increasing and Decreasing Functions Ex 17.2 Q1(viii)

$$f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 - 36x + 2$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x - 36$$

Critical point

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x^2 - 4x - 12) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-6)(x+2)=0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
  $x = 6, -2$ 

Clearly, 
$$f'(x) > 0$$
 if  $x < -2$  and  $x > 6$   
 $f'(x) < 0$  if  $-2x < x < 6$ 

Thus, increases in  $(-\infty, -2) \cup (6, \infty)$ , decreases in (-2, 6).

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