



Increasing and Decreasing Functions Ex 17.2 Q34

We have,

$$f(x) = x^2 - x \sin x$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 2x - \sin x - x \cos x$$

Now,

$$x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \sin x \leq 1, \quad 0 \leq \cos x \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x - \sin x - x \cos x > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) \geq 0$$

Hence, $f(x)$ is an increasing function on $\left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$.

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We have,

$$f(x) = x^3 - ax$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 3x^2 - a$$

Given that $f(x)$ is an increasing function

$$\therefore f'(x) > 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 - a > 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow a < 3x^2 \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathbb{R}$$

But the least value of $3x^2 = 0$ for $x = 0$

$$\therefore a \leq 0$$

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We have,

$$f(x) = \sin x - bx + c$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \cos x - b$$

Given that $f(x)$ is a decreasing function on R

$$\therefore f'(x) < 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in R$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x - b < 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in R$$

$$\Rightarrow b > \cos x \quad \text{for all } x \in R$$

But max value of $\cos x$ is 1

$$\therefore b \geq 1$$

Increasing and Decreasing Functions Ex 17.2 Q37

We have,

$$f(x) = x + \cos x - a$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 1 - \sin x = \frac{2 \cos^2 x}{2}$$

Now,

$$x \in R$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\cos^2 x}{2} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2 \cos^2 x}{2} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) > 0$$

Hence, $f(x)$ is an increasing function for $x \in R$.

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