



Maxima and Minima Ex 18.2 Q1

$$f(x) = (x - 5)^4$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 4(x - 5)^3$$

For local maxima and minima

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(x - 5)^3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 5$$

$f'(x)$ changes from -ve to +ve as passes through 5.

So, $x = 5$ is the point of local minima

Thus, local minimum value is $f(5) = 0$

Maxima and Minima Ex 18.2 Q2

$$g(x) = x^3 - 3x$$

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

Now,

$$g'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 3x^2 = 3 \Rightarrow x = \pm 1$$

$$g''(x) = 6x$$

$$g''(1) = 6 > 0$$

$$g''(-1) = -6 < 0$$

By second derivative test, $x = 1$ is a point of local minima and local minimum value of g at $x = 1$ is $g(1) = 1^3 - 3 = 1 - 3 = -2$. However,

$x = -1$ is a point of local maxima and local maximum value of g at

$$x = -1 \text{ is } g(-1) = (-1)^3 - 3(-1) = -1 + 3 = 2.$$

Maxima and Minima Ex 18.2 Q3

$$f(x) = x^3(x-1)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore f'(x) &= 3x^2(x-1)^2 + 2x^3(x-1) \\ &= (x-1)(3x^2(x-1) + 2x^3) \\ &= (x-1)(3x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x^3) \\ &= (x-1)(5x^3 - 3x^2) \\ &= x^2(x-1)(5x-3)\end{aligned}$$

For all maxima and minima,

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(x-1)(5x-3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0, 1, \frac{3}{5}$$

At $x = \frac{3}{5}$ $f'(x)$ changes from +ve to -ve

$\therefore x = \frac{3}{5}$ is point of minima.

At $x = 1$ $f'(x)$ changes from -ve to +ve

$\therefore x = 1$ is point of maxima

Maxima and Minima Ex 18.2 Q4

$$f(x) = (x - 1)(x + 2)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore f'(x) &= (x + 2)^2 + 2(x - 1)(x + 2) \\ &= (x + 2)(x + 2 + 2x - 2) \\ &= (x + 2)(3x)\end{aligned}$$

For point of maxima and minima

$$f'(x) = 0$$

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

$$\Rightarrow x = 0, -2$$

At $x = -2$ $f'(x)$ changes from +ve to -ve

$\therefore x = -2$ is point of local maxima

At $x = 0$ $f'(x)$ changes from -ve to +ve

$\therefore x = 0$ is point of local minima

Thus, local min value = $f(0) = -4$

local max value = $f(-2) = 0$.

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