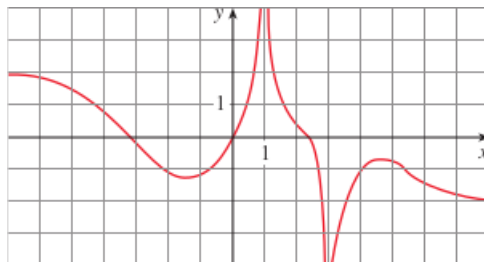


Section 3.4:

3. For the function  $f$  whose graph is given, state the following.



(a)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -2$$

(b)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 2$$

(c)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \infty$$

(d)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) = -\infty$$

(e) The equations of the asymptotes

$$x = 1, x = 3, y = -2, y = 2$$

8. Evaluate the limit and justify each step by indicating the appropriate properties of limits.

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{9x^3 + 8x - 4}{3 - 5x + x^3}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{x^3(9 + 8/x^2 - 4/x^3)}{x^3(3/x^3 - 5/x^2 + 1)}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{9 + 8/x^2 - 4/x^3}{3/x^3 - 5/x^2 + 1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{9+0-0}{0-0+1}}$$

$$\boxed{= \sqrt{9} = 3}$$

11. Find the limit or show that it does not exist.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{3t^2 + t}{t^3 - 4t + 1}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{t^2(3 + 1/t)}{t^3(1 - 4/t^2 + 1/t^3)}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{(3 + 1/t)}{t(1 - 4/t^2 + 1/t^3)}$$

$$\boxed{= 0}$$

18. Find the limit or show that it does not exist.

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t + 3}{\sqrt{2t^2 - 1}}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t(1 + 3/t)}{t\sqrt{2 - 1/t^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 3/t}{\sqrt{2 - 1/t^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1 + 0}{\sqrt{2 - 0}}$$

$$\boxed{= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}$$

26. Find the limit or show that it does not exist.

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} + 2x)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (|x|\sqrt{4 + 3/x} + 2x)$$

Because  $x$  is approaching to  $-\infty$ .  $|x| = -x$ .

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (-x\sqrt{4 + 3/x} + 2x)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x(-\sqrt{4 + 3/x} + 2)$$

$$= -\infty(-2 + 2)$$

$$= -\infty(0)$$

$$\boxed{= 0}$$

28. Find the limit or show that it does not exist.

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (x - \sqrt{x}) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x(1 - 1/\sqrt{x}) \\ &= \infty(1 - 0) \\ & \boxed{= \infty} \end{aligned}$$

31. Find the limit or show that it does not exist.

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \sin \frac{1}{x} \\ &= \infty \sin 0 \\ & \boxed{= 0} \end{aligned}$$

37. Find the horizontal and vertical asymptotes of each curve. You may want to use a graphing calculator (or computer) to check your work by graphing the curve and estimating the asymptotes.

$$y = \frac{2x^2 + x - 1}{x^2 + x - 2}$$

Horizontal Asymptotes:

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^2 + x - 1}{x^2 + x - 2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2(2 + 1/x - 1/x^2)}{x^2(1 + 1/x - 2/x^2)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 + 1/x - 1/x^2}{1 + 1/x - 2/x^2} \\ & \boxed{= 2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x^2 + x - 1}{x^2 + x - 2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^2(2 + 1/x - 1/x^2)}{x^2(1 + 1/x - 2/x^2)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2 + 1/x - 1/x^2}{1 + 1/x - 2/x^2} \\ & \boxed{= 2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{y = 2}$$

Vertical Asymptotes;

$$\begin{aligned} & x^2 + x - 2 = 0 \\ & (x - 1)(x + 2) = 0 \\ & \boxed{x = 1 \text{ or } x = -2} \\ & \boxed{x = 1, x = -2} \end{aligned}$$

54. Find the limits as  $x \rightarrow \infty$  and as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ . Use this information, together with intercepts, to give a rough sketch of the graph as in Example 11.

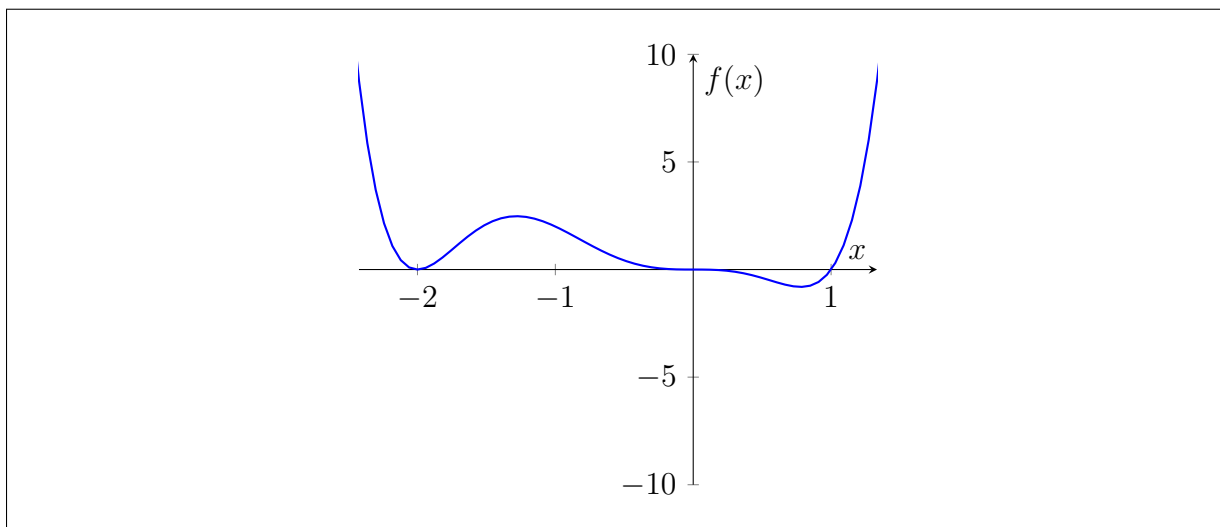
$$y = x^3(x + 2)^2(x - 1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^3(x + 2)^2(x - 1)$$

$$= \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^3(x + 2)^2(x - 1)$$

$$= -\infty$$



59. Sketch the graph of a function that satisfies all of the given conditions.

Section 3.5:

5. Use the guidelines of this section to sketch the curve.

$$y = x(x - 4)^3 = x(x^3 - 3x^2 \times 4 + 3x \times 4^2 - 4^3)$$

$$y = x(x^3 - 12x^2 + 48x - 64) = x^4 - 12x^3 + 48x^2 - 64x$$

- (a) Domain:  $(-\infty, \infty)$

- (b) Intercepts:

$$f(0) = 0(0 - 4)^3 = 0$$

$y$  - intercepts are 0

$$f(x) = x(x - 4)^3 = 0$$

$x$  - intercepts are 0 and 4

- (c) Symmetry:

$$f(-x) = (-x)^4 - 12(-x)^3 + 48(-x)^2 - 64(-x)$$

$$f(-x) = x^4 + 12x^3 + 48x^2 + 64x$$

The function is not odd nor even.

- (d) Asymptotes:

Since the function is a polynomial function. It will be defined everywhere and has no vertical asymptote.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^4 - 12x^3 + 48x^2 - 64x = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^4 - 12x^3 + 48x^2 - 64x = \infty$$

The function also doesn't have horizontal asymptote.

- (e) Intervals of Increase or Decrease:

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 36x^2 + 96x - 64 = 0$$

$$x = 1 \text{ or } x = 4$$

$x$	$-\infty$	1	4	$\infty$
$f'(x)$	-	0	+	0
$f(x)$		↓ -27	↑ 0	↑

The function  $f(x)$  increases on the intervals  $(1, 4)$  and  $(4, \infty)$ .

The function  $f(x)$  decreases on the interval  $(-\infty, 1)$ .

- (f) Local Maximum and Minimum Values:

Local Minimum Values is  $f(1) = -27$ .

- (g) Concavity and Points of Inflection:

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 - 72x + 96 = 0$$

$$x = 2 \text{ or } x = 4$$

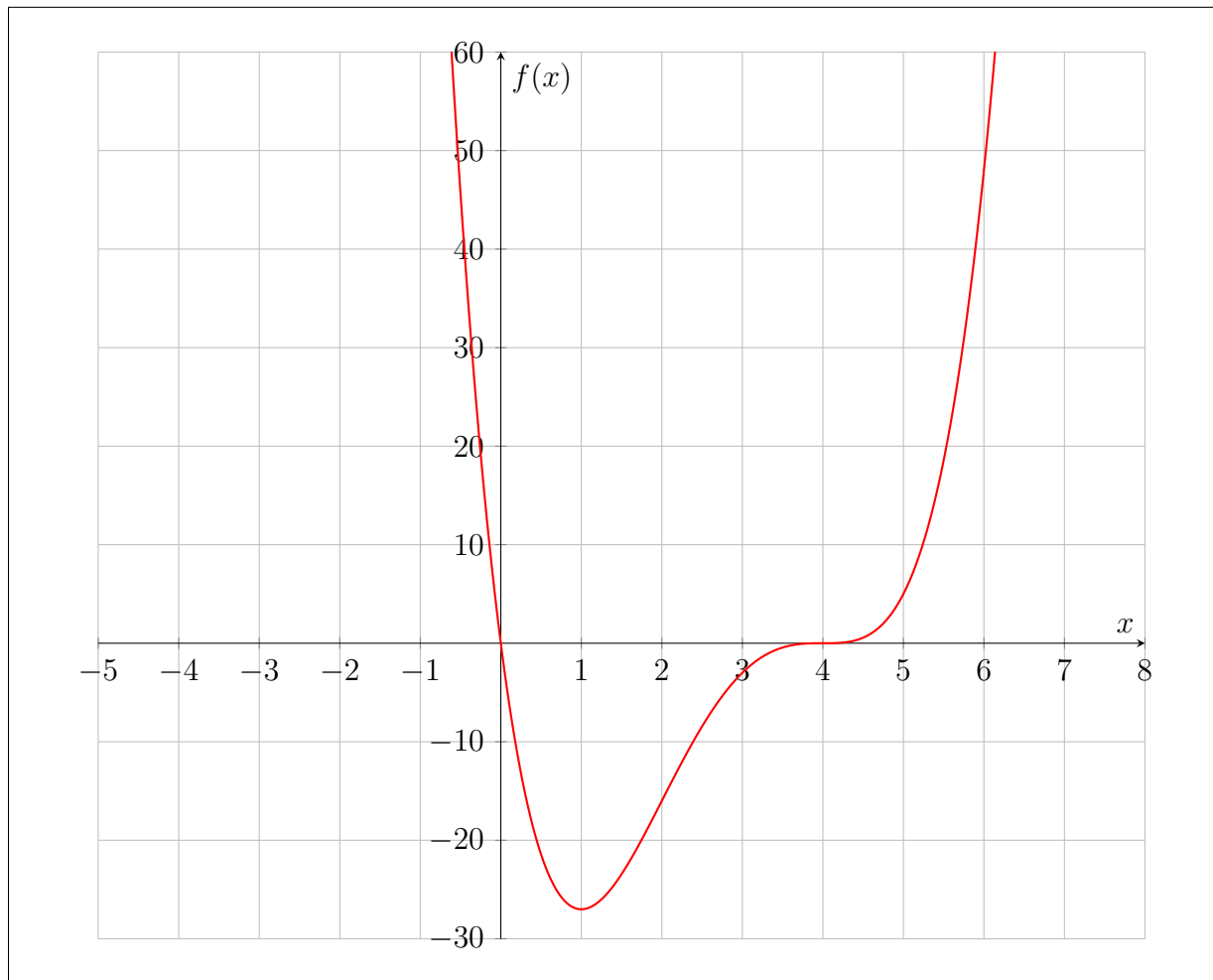
$x$	$-\infty$	$2$	$4$	$\infty$
$f''(x)$	$+$	$0$	$-$	$0$
	$+$		$+$	

The function  $f(x)$  is concave up on the intervals  $(-\infty, 2)$  and  $(4, \infty)$ .

The function  $f(x)$  is concave down on the intervals  $(2, 4)$ .

Points of Inflection are  $(2, 16)$  and  $(4, 0)$ .

(h) Sketch the graph:



9. Use the guidelines of this section to sketch the curve.

$$y = \frac{2x + 3}{x + 2}$$

(a) Domain:

$$x + 2 \neq 0$$

$$x \neq -2$$

Hence, the domain of  $f(x)$  is:  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{-2\}$

(b) Intercepts:

$$f(0) = \frac{2 \times 0 + 3}{0 + 2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2x+3}{x+2} = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

The y-intercepts of the function is  $\frac{3}{2}$ .

The x-intercepts of the function is  $-\frac{3}{2}$ .

(c) Symmetry:

$$f(-x) = \frac{2(-x)+3}{(-x)+2}$$

$$f(-x) = \frac{-2x+3}{-x+2}$$

The function is not odd nor even.

(d) Asymptotes:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} \frac{2x+3}{x+2} = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{2x+3}{x+2} = -\infty$$

The function has a vertical asymptote  $x = -2$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x+3}{x+2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x(2+3/x)}{x(1+2/x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2+3/x}{1+2/x} = \frac{2+0}{1+0} = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x+3}{x+2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x(2+3/x)}{x(1+2/x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2+3/x}{1+2/x} = \frac{2+0}{1+0} = 2$$

The function has a horizontal asymptote  $y = 2$ .

(e) Intervals of Increase or Decrease:

$$f'(x) = \frac{(2x+3)'(x+2) - (x+2)'(2x+3)}{(x+2)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{2(x+2) - (2x+3)}{(x+2)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{2x+4-2x-3}{(x+2)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{(x+2)^2} > 0 \quad \forall x \in (\mathbb{R} \setminus \{-2\})$$

Hence, the function always increases on the domain  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{-2\}$ .

(f) Local Maximum and Minimum Values:

The function doesn't have any local maximum nor minimum.

(g) Concavity and Points of Inflection:

$$f''(x) = -\frac{[(x+2)^2]'}{(x+2)^4}$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{2(x+2)}{(x+2)^4}$$

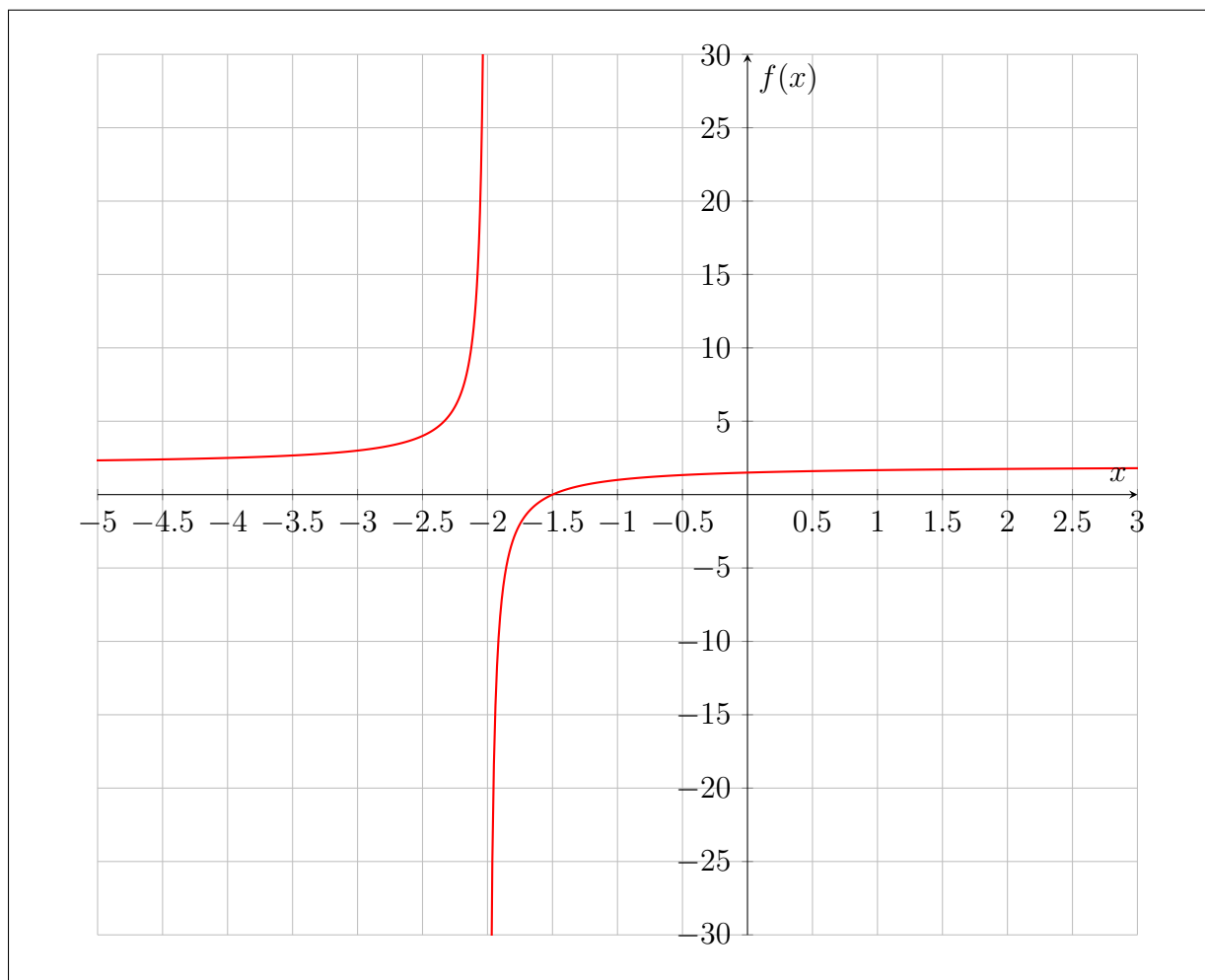
$$f''(x) = -\frac{2}{(x+2)^3}$$

$x$	$-\infty$	$-2$	$\infty$
$f''(x)$	$+$	$0$	$-$

The function  $f(x)$  is concave up in the interval  $(-\infty, -2)$ .

The function  $f(x)$  is concave down in the interval  $(-2, \infty)$ .

(h) Sketch the graph:



21. Use the guidelines of this section to sketch the curve.

$$y = (x - 3)\sqrt{x}$$

(a) Domain:

$$x \geq 0$$

The domain of the function  $f(x)$  is  $[0, \infty)$ .

(b) Intercepts:

$$f(0) = (0 - 3)\sqrt{0} = 0$$

$$f(x) = (x - 3)\sqrt{x} = 0$$

$$(x - 3)\sqrt{x} = 0$$



$$x = 0 \text{ or } x = 3$$

The y-intercept of the function is 0.

The x-intercepts of the function are 0 and 3.

(c) Symmetry:

Because the function has the domain  $[0, \infty)$  so this function is not symmetrical.

(d) Asymptotes:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (x - 3)\sqrt{x} = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) \text{ is undefined.}$$

So the function doesn't have any horizontal nor vertical asymptote.

(e) Interval of Increase or Decrease:

$$f'(x) = (x - 3)' \sqrt{x} + (x - 3) \sqrt{x}'$$

$$f'(x) = \sqrt{x} + \frac{x - 3}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{2x + x - 3}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3x - 3}{2\sqrt{x}} = 0$$

$$x = 1 \text{ or } x = 0$$

$x$	0	1	$\infty$
$f'(x)$		- 0	+
$f(x)$	0	↓ -2	↑

Hence, the function f increases on the interval  $(1, \infty)$ .

The function f decreases on the interval  $(0, 1)$ .

(f) Local Maximum and Minimum Values:

The function f has local minimum at  $x = 1$ ,  $f(1) = -2$ .

(g) Concavity and Inflection Points: