

$$3) f(x) = x \cdot e^{-x} \quad (x \in \mathbb{R})$$

1) Intersection with axes

$$x=0 \Rightarrow f(0)=0$$

$$y=0 \Rightarrow f(x)=0 \Rightarrow x=0$$

2)  $f'$  and its sign

$$f'(x) = e^{-x} - e^{-x} \cdot x = e^{-x}(1-x)$$

$$f'(x)=0 \Leftrightarrow (1-x)=0, x=1$$

$$f'(x)>0 \Leftrightarrow x<1$$

$$f'(x)<0 \Leftrightarrow x>1$$

3)  $f''$  and its sign (convexity)

$$f''(x) = (2-x) \cdot e^{-x}$$

$$f''(x)=0 \Leftrightarrow x=2$$

$$f''(x)>0 \Leftrightarrow x<2$$

$$f''(x)<0 \Leftrightarrow x>2$$

4) Limits and asymptotes

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} x \cdot e^{-x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{x}{e^x} = \frac{\infty}{\infty} \stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{1}{e^x} \stackrel{+0}{=} \underline{\underline{0}}$$