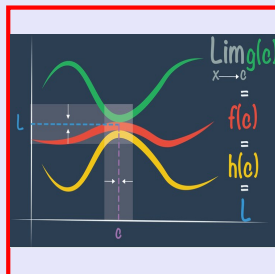


**Math 261**  
**Spring 2022**  
**Lecture 18**



Consider  $f(x) = (x+2)^3$

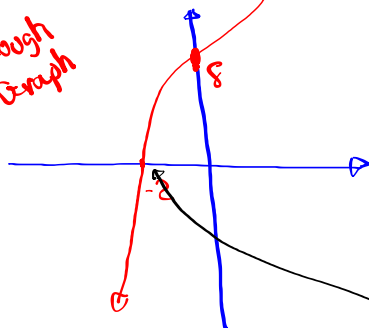
1) Domain  $f(x)$  is a polynomial function  
 Domain  $(-\infty, \infty)$

2) y-Int  $\rightarrow f(0) = (0+2)^3 = 8 \Rightarrow (0, 8)$

3) x-Int.  $\rightarrow f(x) = 0 \rightarrow (x+2)^3 = 0 \Rightarrow x = -2 \Rightarrow (-2, 0)$

4)  $f(x)$  behaves like  $y = x^3$ , shift left 2 units.

Rough Graph



5) Critical number  
 $f'(x) = 0$  or undefined  
 $f'(x) = 3(x+2)^2 \cdot 1$   
 $f'(x) = 3(x+2)^2$   
 $f'(x) = 0 \rightarrow x = -2$   
 C.P.  $\rightarrow (-2, 0)$

6) Possible Inflection Point

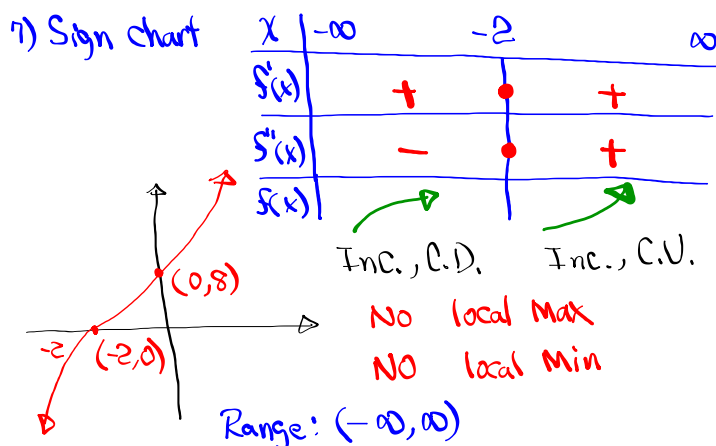
$$f''(x) = 0 \text{ or undefined}$$

$$f''(x) = 3 \cdot 2(x+2)^1 \cdot 1$$

$$f'(x) = 3(x+2)^2$$

$$f''(x) = 6(x+2)$$

$$f''(x) = 0 \rightarrow x = -2 \Rightarrow (-2, 0)$$



Consider  $f(x) = x^{1/3}(x+4)$        $x^{1/3} = \sqrt[3]{x}$

1) Domain  $(-\infty, \infty)$       odd root  
No restrictions

2) Y-Int  $\Rightarrow f(0) = 0(0+4) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (0, 0)$

3) X-Int  $\Rightarrow f(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x^{1/3}(x+4) = 0$   
 $x=0$        $x=-4$   
 $\Rightarrow (0, 0), (-4, 0)$

4) C.N.  $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0$  OR  $f'(x)$  undefined

$$f(x) = x^{1/3}(x+4)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3}(x+4) + x^{1/3} \cdot 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3}(x+4) + \frac{3}{3}x^{1/3} = \frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3}[x+4+3x^1]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3}(4x+4)$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}x^{-2/3}(x+1)$$

$$= \frac{4(x+1)}{3x^{2/3}}$$

$f'(x) = 0 \rightarrow x+1=0 \rightarrow x=-1$

$f'(x)$  undefined  $\rightarrow x^{2/3}=0 \rightarrow x=0$

C.P.  $(-1, f(-1)) = (-1, -3)$   
 $(0, f(0)) = (0, 0)$

Find P.I.P.

$f'(x)=0$  or  $f''(x)$  undefined

$$-\frac{2}{3}-1 = -\frac{2}{3}-\frac{3}{3} = -\frac{5}{3}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{4}{3}x^{-2/3}(x+1)$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{4}{3} \left[ -\frac{2}{3}x^{-5/3}(x+1) + x^{-2/3} \cdot 1 \right]$$

$$-\frac{5}{3}+1 =$$

$$-\frac{5}{3}+\frac{3}{3} =$$

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

$$= \frac{4}{3} \left[ -\frac{2}{3}x^{-5/3}(x+1) + \frac{3}{3}x^{-2/3} \right]$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot x^{-5/3} [-2(x+1) + 3x]$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} x^{-5/3} [-2x - 2 + 3x] = \frac{4(x-2)}{9x^{5/3}}$$

$f'(x)=0 \rightarrow x-2=0 \rightarrow x=2$

$f''(x)$  is undefined  $\rightarrow x^{5/3}=0 \rightarrow x=0$

P.I.P.  $(2, f(2)) = (2, 6\sqrt[3]{2})$

$(0, f(0)) = (0, 0)$

Sign Chart

$$f'(x) = \frac{4(x+1)}{3x^{2/3}}$$

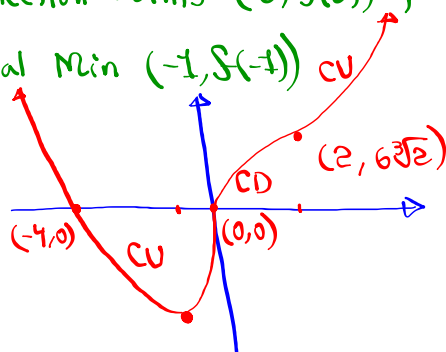
$$f''(x) = \frac{4(x-2)}{9x^{5/3}}$$

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

Inflection Points  $(0, f(0))$ ,  $(2, f(2))$

Local Min  $(-1, f(-1))$

$$f(-1) = \sqrt[3]{-1}(-1+4) = -3$$



Prove a third-degree polynomial function has exactly one inflection point.

$$f(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d, a \neq 0$$

$$f'(x) = 3ax^2 + 2bx + c$$

$$f''(x) = 6ax + 2b$$

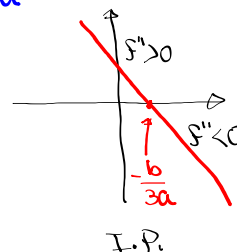
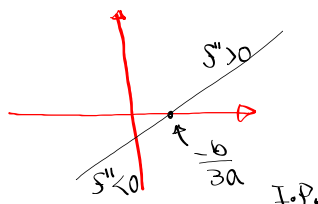
$f''(x)$  is a polynomial  $\rightarrow$  Defined everywhere

$$f''(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 6ax + 2b = 0$$

Linear eqn

$$x = \frac{-2b}{6a}$$

$$x = \frac{-b}{3a}$$



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

1) Domain  $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-2, \infty)$

$$x+2 \neq 0$$

$$x \neq -2$$

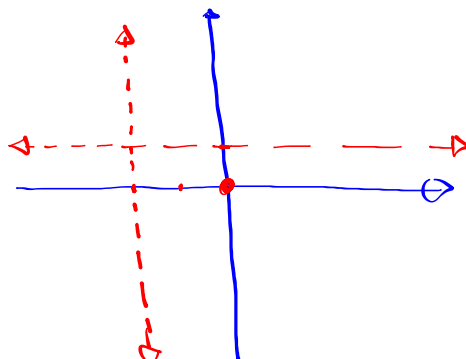
Y-Int  $(0, 0)$

2) All intercepts X-Int  $(0, 0)$

$$\text{V.A.} \Rightarrow x = -2$$

3) All Asymptotes H.A.  $\Rightarrow y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 1$

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



4)  $f'(x) = \frac{1(x+2) - x \cdot 1}{(x+2)^2} = \frac{2}{(x+2)^2} > 0$   $f(x)$  is increasing  
 $= 2(x+2)^{-2}$

5)  $f''(x) = 2 \cdot (-2) \cdot (x+2)^{-3} \cdot 1$   
 $= \frac{-4}{(x+2)^3}$  P.I.P. at  $x = -2$   
 ↑  
 Not in the domain

6) Sign chart

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

Consider  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3}$

1) Domain  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$   
 $x^3 \neq 0, x \neq 0$   $y$ -Int  $\rightarrow$  None

2) All intercepts  $x$ -Int  $\rightarrow (1, 0), (-1, 0)$   
 $V.A. \rightarrow x = 0$

3) All Asymptotes  $H.A. \rightarrow y = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0$   
 $y = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 0$

4) Discuss symmetry

$$f(-x) = \frac{(-x)^2 - 1}{(-x)^3} = \frac{x^2 - 1}{-x^3} = -\frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3} = -f(x)$$

$f(-x) = -f(x) \Rightarrow f(x)$  is an odd function  
 Symmetric with respect to the origin.

$f'(x) = \frac{3-x^2}{x^4}$  ,  $f''(x) = \frac{2(x^2-6)}{x^5}$   $f(x) = \frac{x^2-1}{x^3}$

5) C.N. & C.P.

$f'(x)=0$  or Undefined  $(\sqrt{3}, \frac{2}{3\sqrt{3}})$   
 $3-x^2=0$   $x \neq 0$   $(-\sqrt{3}, \frac{-2}{3\sqrt{3}})$   
 $x = \pm\sqrt{3}$

6) P.I.P.

$f''(x)=0$  or Undefined  $(\sqrt{6}, \frac{5}{6\sqrt{6}})$   
 $x^2-6=0$   $x \neq 0$   $(-\sqrt{6}, \frac{-5}{6\sqrt{6}})$   
 $x = \pm\sqrt{6}$

7) Sign chart

$x$	$-\infty$	$-\sqrt{6}$	$-\sqrt{3}$	$0$	$\sqrt{3}$	$\sqrt{6}$	$\infty$
$f'(x)$	-	+	+	0	-	-	+
$f''(x)$	-	-	+	0	-	+	+

8) Graph

Perimeter of a rectangular garden is 100 ft.  
 Find its dimensions with maximum area.

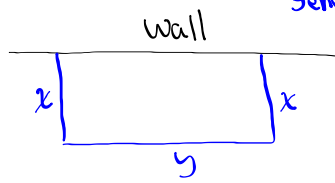
$P = 100$   
 $2x + 2y = 100 \rightarrow x + y = 50$   
 $y = 50 - x$   
 $\text{Area} = xy$   
 $= x(50 - x)$

$A(x) = 50x - x^2$   
 we need  $A(x)$  to be maximum  
 $A'(x) = 50 - 2x$   
 $A''(x) = -2$   
 $A''(x) < 0$

$A'(x) = 0 \rightarrow 50 - 2x = 0$   
 $x = 25$   
 $y = 50 - x$   
 $y = 25$

$\text{Area} = 25^2 = 625 \text{ ft}^2$

We have 1000 ft of fencing.  
 we need a rectangular area by the side of barn for the dogs. No fence needed next to the wall.  
 Find the dimensions with max. Area.



wall

Sencing  $y + 2x = 1000$

Area =  $x y$

$A(x) = x(1000 - 2x)$

$A(x) = 1000x - 2x^2$

$A'(x) = 1000 - 4x$

$A''(x) = -4$  (c.d.)

$A'(x) = 0 \rightarrow \text{Max}$

$1000 - 4x = 0$

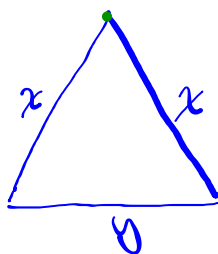
$x = 250$

$y = 500$

Dimensions are 250 ft by 500 ft.

An isosceles triangle has a perimeter 12 m.

Find all sides that gives max. Area



$P = 12$

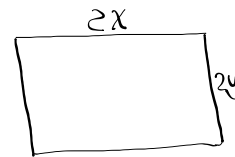
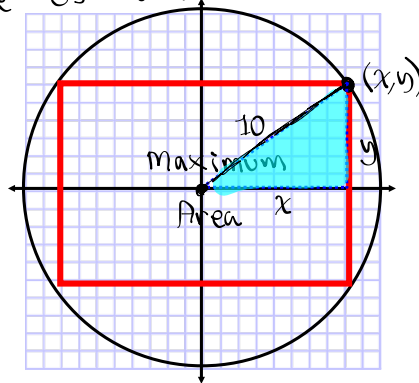
$y + 2x = 12$

Area =  $\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$

Heron's Formula

Review Heron's formula for Wednesday

Find dimensions of a rectangle with maximum area that can be inscribed in a circle of radius 10 inches.



Maximize

$$\text{Area} = 4xy$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 10^2$$

$$y^2 = 100 - x^2$$

$$y = \sqrt{100 - x^2}$$

$$A(x) = 4x \sqrt{100 - x^2}$$

$$A'(x) =$$

$$A''(x) =$$

Make sure

to find

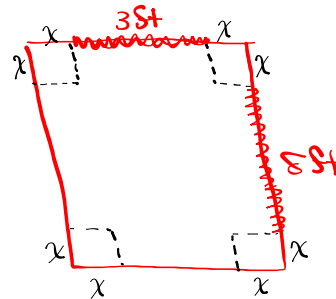
$$A'(x) \text{ \& } A''(x)$$

by wed.

A sheet of metal has a rectangular shape, and it is 3 ft by 8 ft.

Cut 4 equal size squares from 4 corners.

Now bend up sides to make an open-top box.

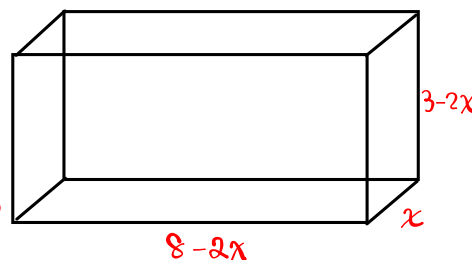


Volume of this Box:

$$V = LWH$$

$$V = (8-2x)(3-2x) \cdot x$$

Find  $x$  that makes Max. Volume.





$$\begin{aligned}V &= (8-2x)(3-2x) \cdot x \\ &= (24 - 16x - 6x + 4x^2)x \\ &= (4x^2 - 22x + 24)x\end{aligned}$$

$$V(x) = 4x^3 - 22x^2 + 24x$$

$$V'(x) =$$

$$V''(x) =$$

Solve  $V'(x) = 0$ , determine for which one

$$V''(x) < 0$$

(c.d.)

Max where  $V'(x) = 0$