

Chap 4: Increasing and decreasing functions

Basic Def:- f is a function defined on interval I :-

→ if whenever $x_2 > x_1$ we have $f(x_2) > f(x_1) \forall x \in I$ then f is increasing on I

→ if whenever $x_2 > x_1$ we have $f(x_2) < f(x_1) \forall x \in I$ then f is decreasing on I

Th (that we use):- f is cont on $[a, b]$ & diff on (a, b)

Then

if $f'(x) > 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$

f is increasing on $[a, b]$

if $f'(x) < 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$

f is decreasing on $[a, b]$

Extreme values

They exist: when and may occurs when
 $f'(x) = 0$
 $f'(x) \text{ DNE}$
 for $y = f(x)$
 ① end points
 ② Interior points

Absolute

- M is an Abs. Max at $c \in I$
 if $M = f(c) \geq f(x)$
 and its a local Max on small interval around c
- m is an Abs Min at c if $m = f(c) \leq f(x)$
 and its a local min on small interval around c

local

- M is a local Max on I
 if $M = f(c) \geq f(x) \forall x \in I$
- m is a local min on I
 if $M = f(c) \leq f(x) \forall x \in I$

Area Brain

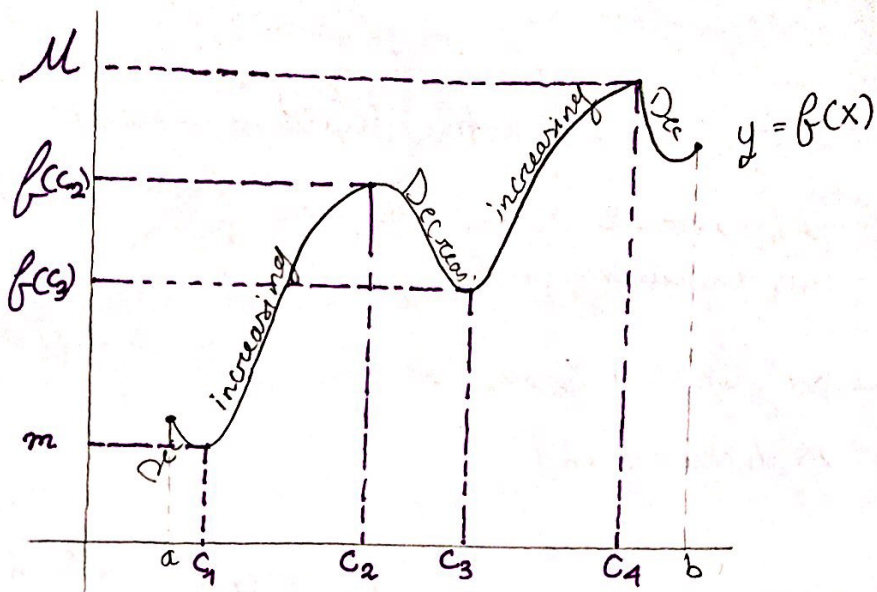
Sketch

- Analysing -

- a, b End points
 - c_1
 - c_2
 - c_3
 - c_4
- } Interior points

critical points:-

- $(c_1, f(c_1))$
- $(c_2, f(c_2))$
- $(c_3, f(c_3))$
- $(c_4, f(c_4))$



- f has Abs. Max of M at $c_4 \rightarrow +$ also local Max
- f has Abs. Min of m at $c_1 \rightarrow +$ also local Min
- f has local Max of $f(c_2)$ at c_2
- f has local Min of $f(c_3)$ at c_3

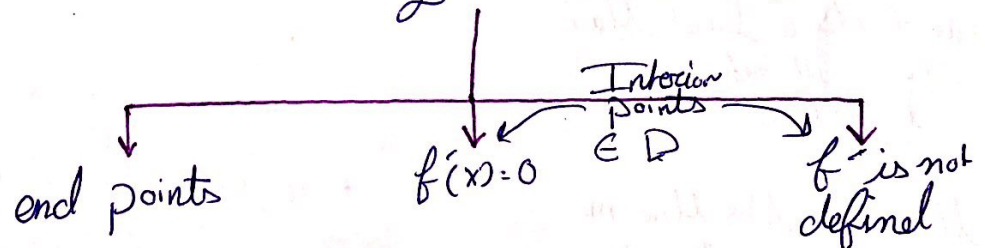
R! : Abs \Rightarrow local

R! : if $f = X$ Then
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Then f has Abs. Max
& Abs. Min at all f

Theory if f is ^{cont} on $[a, b]$ then
 f has Abs. Max & Abs. Min

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The extreme values may occur for $y = f(x)$ at

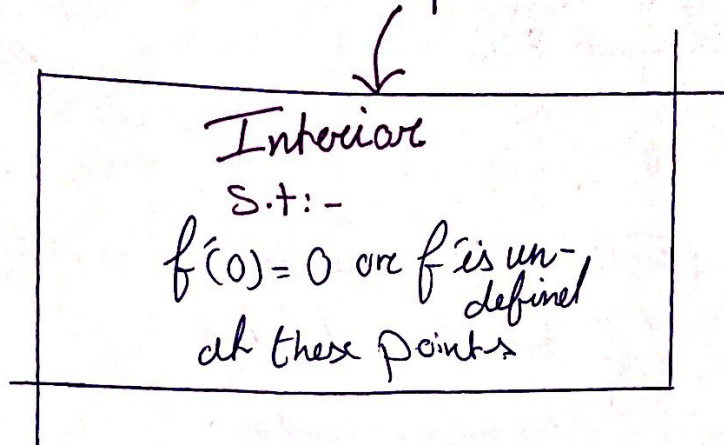


* To find them we check the ~~ex~~ critical points and the end points

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Critical points

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Th: If f is diff on I and has extreme values at $x=c \in I$ then $f'(c) = 0$
But $f'(z) = 0$ then f may not have extreme values at $x=z$

to classify the critical points
we use either

The FDT First Derivative Test

- suppose that f has critical point at $x=c$ and f' exists on open I containing c
Then:-
 - 1] if f' changes sign from $+$ to $-$ at $x=c$ then $f(c)$ is local Max
 - 2] if f' changes sign from $-$ to $+$ at $x=c$ then $f(c)$ is local Min
 - 3] if f' does not change sign at $x=c$ then f does not have extreme values at $x=c$

The SDT second derivative Test

- suppose $f''(c) = 0$ and f is cont on an open I containing c . Then:-
 - 1] if $f''(c) > 0$ then $f(c)$ is local min
 - 2] if $f''(c) < 0$ then $f(c)$ is local Max
 - 3] if $f''(c) = 0$ then the test fails

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Remark 1 :- $f''(c) \begin{cases} \geq 0 \rightarrow \text{Concave up} \\ \leq 0 \rightarrow \text{Concave down} \end{cases}$

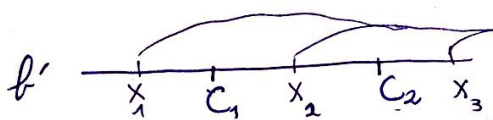
inflection point : f has an inflection point at $x=c$

f : 1 f has tangent at $x=c$ and to find it we use:
2 f changes Concavity $f''(x)=0$

Remarks for Solving Questions :-

- when we find the critical points and we want to check when is f increasing or decreasing, we use points x_1, x_2, \dots that lies in the I and we calculate f' at these points

Exp



we find f' and when $f' > 0$ Then increasing and when $f' < 0$ Then decreasing

Th (Rolle's Th)

- $f(x)$ has to be :-
- 1- $f(x)$ is cont on $[a,b]$
 - 2- $f(x)$ is diff on (a,b)
 - 3- $f(a) = f(b)$

$\Rightarrow \exists$ at least one point $C \in (a,b)$ s.t $f'(C) = 0$

Th (Mean value Th)

- H :-
- 1- $f(x)$ is cont on $[a,b]$
 - 2- $f(x)$ is diff on (a,b)

$\Rightarrow \exists$ one point $C \in (a,b)$ s.t $f'(C) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$

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Sketching

Functions

• Steps :-

- 1] find the Domain $D(f) =$
- 2] find the Asymptotes
- 3] find the critical points
- 4] find the decreasing & increasing Intervals of $f(x)$
- 5] find the Intervals of concavity for $f(x)$
- 6] find inflection points
- 7] find local Max and Min points

How to find them?

Go back to Chap: 2

How to know a point is critical or not

Go back to Chap: 4

How to know a point is an inflection point or not?

Go back to Chap: 4

Th. Roll's Th. If $f(x)$ is ① cont on $[a, b]$ and diff on (a, b)
② $f(a) = f(b)$ Then
→ \exists at least one point $c \in (a, b)$
s.t $f'(c) = 0$

Th. Mean Th. If $f(x)$ is ① cont on $[a, b]$ & diff on (a, b) then
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