

In–Class Exam 2

STUDY GUIDE Wednesday, April 15, 2013

TOPICS: Chapter 4 and Sec 5.1, 5.2, 5.4 and 5.5.

Review all your paper and WebAssign homework and do the following problems.

I. Complete a) to i) for each of the following functions:

1.
$$y = f(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-2}$$

2. $y = f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 6x + 1$

3.
$$y = f(x) = \frac{e^x - 1}{e^x + 1}$$

Justify your work! No credit for answers without showing work.

a) Determine the domain of f.

Domain:

b) Find the x- and y- intercepts of f (you can give approximate values)

x–intercepts :

<i>y</i> –intercepts :	
y-intercepts.	

c) Determine the behavior of f for large absolute values of x.

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$\lim f(x) =$	
$x \to \infty^{J}$ (∞^{J}	

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

d) Find all horizontal and vertical asymptotes of the graph of f (if any).

Horizontal asymptotes :

Vertical asymptotes :

e) Determine the intervals where f is increasing and where f is decreasing.

f is increasing on :

f is decreasing on :

f) Find the relative extrema of f.

Local maxima :

Local minima :

g) Determine the concavity of the graph of f.

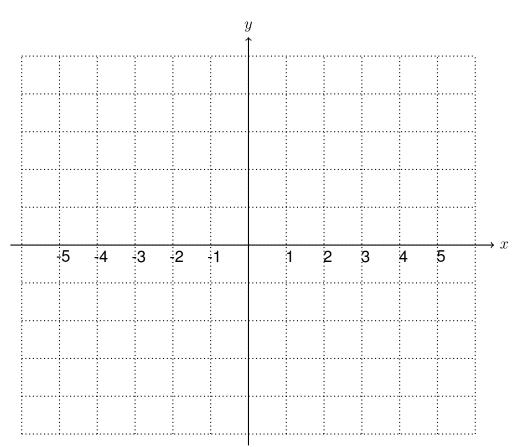
f is concave up on :

f is concave down on :

h) Find the inflection points of f.

Inflection points of *f*:

i) Sketch the graph of the function in the grid below clearly labeling all the points that you determined in b), f), and h). (Hint: Determine an appropriate scale for the *y*-axis.)



II. Find the absolute extrema of the following functions.

1.
$$y = f(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-2}$$
 on $[-1, 1]$
2. $y = f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 - 6x + 1$ on $[-3, 2]$.
3. $y = f(x) = \frac{e^x - 1}{e^x + 1}$ on $[-\ln(4), \ln(4)]$

III. Solve the following problems from the textbook:

- Chapter 4, page 325: 35, 49; page 327: 51, 6 (from before moving on....)
- Chapter 5, page 377: 37, 38, 39, 65