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- 5 1. Complete the following definition: The derivative of a function f is the function f' given by

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

- 10 2. Find the derivative of the function $f(x) = x^2 - 5x - 3$ using the definition. Check using other methods.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} &= \frac{(x+h)^2 - 5(x+h) - 3 - (x^2 - 5x - 3)}{h} \\ &= \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 5x - 5h - 3 - x^2 + 5x + 3}{h} \\ &= \frac{2xh + h^2 - 5h}{h} = 2x - 5 + h \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x - 5 + h) = 2x - 5$$

- 10 3. Show that $D[f(x)+g(x)] = Df(x)+Dg(x)$ ($= f'(x)+g'(x)$.)

$$\begin{aligned} D[f(x)+g(x)] &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) + g(x+h) - (f(x) + g(x))}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} + \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} \right) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} + \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} \\ &= f'(x) + g'(x) \end{aligned}$$

Find the following derivatives:

a. $f(x) = x^3 - 6x - 7$, $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6$

b. $g(x) = x^7 - \frac{6}{x^2} + \sqrt{x}$, $g'(x) = 7x^6 - 6(2)x^{-3} + \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}$
 $= 7x^6 + 12x^{-3} + \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}$
 $= 7x^6 + \frac{12}{x^3} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$

c. $f(x) = 2(3x - 7)^5$, $f'(x) = 12(3x - 7)^4(3) = 36(3x - 7)^4$
 $f'' = 180(3x - 7)^3(3) = 540(3x - 7)^3$

d. $D\left[\frac{x^2}{x^2+1}\right] = \frac{(x^2+1)(2x) - x^2(2x)}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{2x[x^2+1-x^2]}{(x^2+1)^2}$
 $= \frac{2x}{x^2+1}$

e. $D\sqrt{x^2-2x+1} = \frac{1}{2}(x^2-2x+1)^{-1/2}(2x-2)$
 $= \frac{x-1}{\sqrt{x^2-2x+1}}$

f. $D[(2x-5)(x^2+6x-1)] = (2x-5)(2x+6) + (x^2+6x-1) \cdot 2$

5. On what intervals is the function $f(x) = x^3(x-4) = x^4 - 4x^3$ strictly increasing? Find the coordinates of all local maxima and minima.

$$f' = 4x^3 - 12x^2 = 4x^2[x-3]$$

$$I \quad x \geq 3$$

$$f'' = 12x^2 - 24x$$

CP

$$x=0$$

$$x=3$$

$$12x[x-2]$$

$$f' = 0$$

$$f'' > 0$$

X

MIN

$$(3, -27)$$

5.

- 10 6. On what intervals is the graph of the function $f(x) = x^4(x+5)$ concave up? Find the coordinates of all points of inflection.

$$f = x^5 + 5x^4$$

$$f' = 5x^4 + 20x^3$$

$$f'' = 20x^3 + 60x^2$$

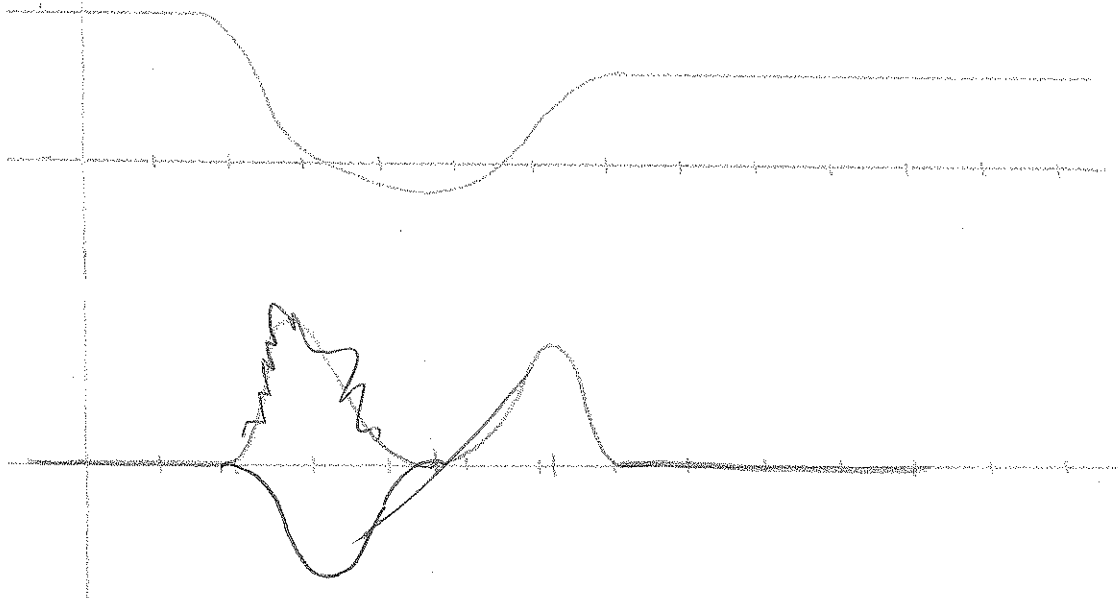
$$20x^2[x+3]$$

$$x > -3$$

$$0, -3$$

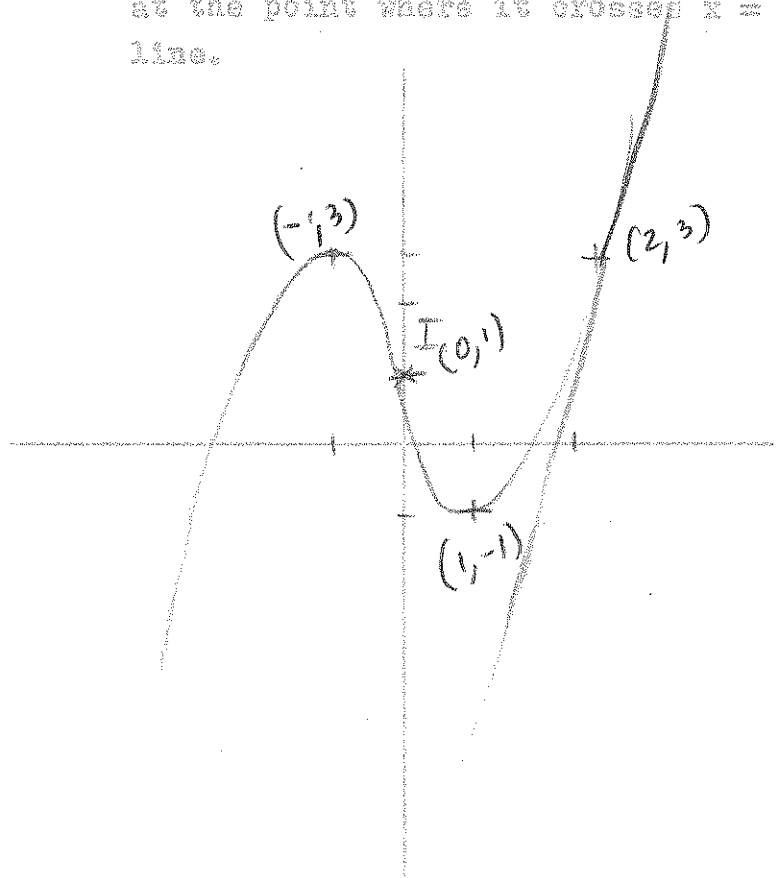
$$(-3, 162)$$

- 10 7. Below is the graph of the function f . Sketch from this the graph of f' .



4. $y = x^3 - 3x + 1$

- a. Carefully sketch the graph of this curve. Plot and label all local maxima and minima, and points of inflection (give coordinates)
- b. On the same graph sketch the straight line tangent to the curve at the point where it crosses $x = 2$. Find the equation of this line.



$$y' = 3x^2 - 3$$

$$y'' = 6x$$

(0, 1) P I

CP $(x^2 = 1)$
 $x = \pm 1$

$$y'' = 6 > 0$$

(1, -1) min

$$-1 \quad y'' = -6 < 0$$

(-1, 3) max

$$1, \quad | -3 | | -1$$

$$-1, \quad -1 + 3 | | = 3$$

2 $8 - 6 + 1 = 3$

$$y' = 3(4) - 3 = 9$$

$$y - 3 = 9(x - 2)$$

$$y = 9x - 18 + 3$$

$$= 9x - 15$$