

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

Domain: $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$

x-intercepts: $0 = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 3x - 4}$ $x^2 - 1 = 0$
 $x = \pm 1$
 (is out of domain)
 $(-1, 0)$

y-intercept: $f(0) = \frac{-1}{-4} = \frac{1}{4}$

H.A. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 3x - 4} = 1$ $y = 1$

V.A. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 3x - 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{(x-1)(x+1)}{(x+4)(x-1)} = +\infty$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 3x - 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x-1)(x+1)}{(x+4)(x-1)} = \frac{2}{5}$

hole $(1, \frac{2}{5})$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -4^+} \frac{x+1}{x+4} = -\infty$

$x = -4$

Increasing/Decreasing

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

$$f'(x) = \frac{\cancel{2x^3} + \cancel{6x^2} - 8x - (\cancel{2x^3} - \cancel{2x} + \cancel{3x^2} - 3)}{(x^2 + 3x - 4)^2}$$

$$= \frac{3x^2 - 6x + 3}{(x^2 + 3x - 4)^2} = 0 \quad 3(x^2 - 2x + 1) = 0$$

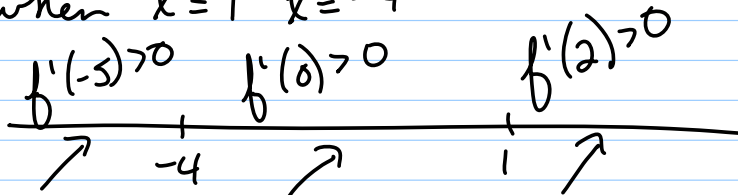
$$3(x-1)^2 = 0$$

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

$$x = 1$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \text{ when } x = 1$$

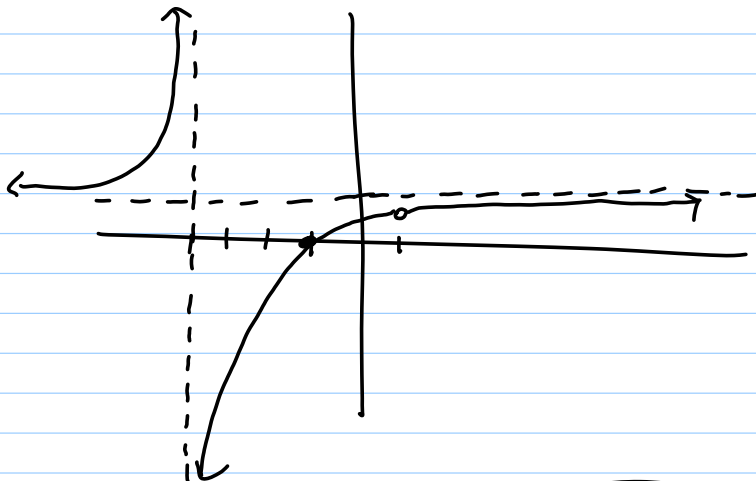
$$f'(x) \text{ undefined when } x = 1 \quad x = -4$$



Increasing $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$

Decreasing nowhere

Relative Max or Min None



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$$y = xe^{-x}$$

$$y' = e^{-x} - xe^{-x}$$

$$u = -x \quad v = e^{-x}$$

$$u' = -1 \quad v' = -e^{-x}$$

$$y'' = -e^{-x} - (e^{-x} - xe^{-x})$$

$$y'' = -2e^{-x} + xe^{-x}$$

Domain: \mathbb{R}

x-int: $0 = xe^{-x} \quad x=0 \quad (0,0)$

y-int: $f(0) = 0e^{-0} = 0 \quad (0,0)$

H.A. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} xe^{-x} = \infty \cdot 0$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} xe^{-x} = -\infty \cdot \infty$
d.n.e

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{e^x} = \frac{\infty}{\infty} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^x} = 0$

Inc/Dec $y' = e^{-x} - xe^{-x} = 0$
 $e^{-x}(1-x) = 0 \quad x=1$

$f'(0) > 0$ $f'(2) < 0$

Relative Max at $x=1 \quad (1, \frac{1}{e})$

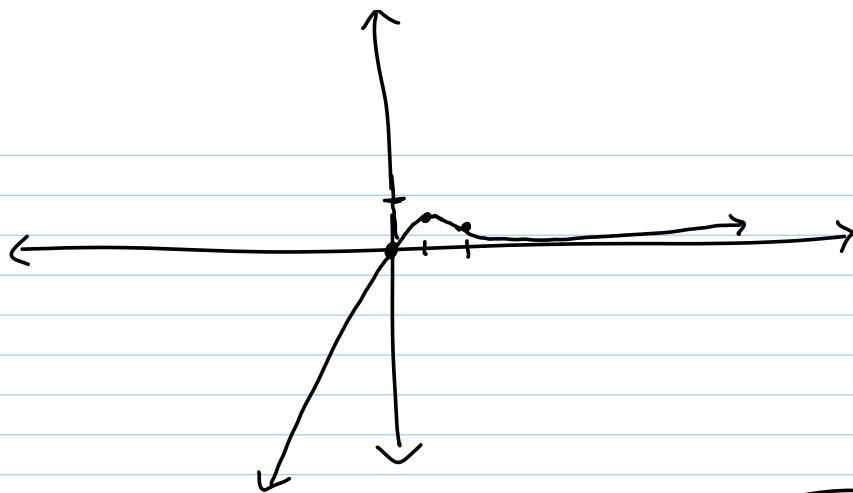
No Relative Min

$y'' = -2e^{-x} + xe^{-x} = e^{-x}(-2+x) = 0 \quad x=2$

$f''(0) < 0$ $f''(3) > 0$

Concave Down $(-\infty, 2)$ Concave Up $(2, \infty)$

Inflection Pt $(2, \frac{2}{e^2})$



$$\int_1^2 x \sqrt{x-1} dx$$

$$u = x-1 \implies x = u+1$$

$$du = dx$$

$$\int_{x=1}^{x=2} (u+1)\sqrt{u} du$$

$$\int_{x=1}^{x=2} u^{\frac{1}{2}}(u+1) du = \int_{x=1}^{x=2} (u^{\frac{3}{2}} + u^{\frac{1}{2}}) du = \frac{2}{5} u^{\frac{5}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} u^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_{x=1}^{x=2}$$

$$\frac{2}{5} (x-1)^{\frac{5}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} (x-1)^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_1^2$$

$$\left[\frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{3} \right] = \frac{16}{15}$$

2.8 Differentials

$$y = f(x) \text{ then } dy = f'(x) dx$$

$$\int \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx \quad u = x^2+1$$

$$du = 2x dx$$

$$dx = \frac{du}{2x}$$

$$\int \frac{x}{u} \cdot \frac{du}{2x} = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u} du$$

$$\int \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx \quad u = x^2+1$$

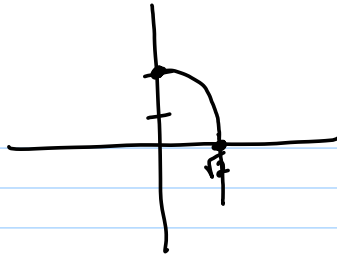
$$du = 2x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u} du$$

$$f(x) = 2 - x^2 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{2-0}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\sum_{i=1}^4 f(x_i) \Delta x = \frac{1}{2} [f(x_1) + f(x_2) + f(x_3) + f(x_4)]$$

$$\frac{1}{2} [f(\frac{1}{2}) + f(1) + f(\frac{3}{2}) + f(2)]$$

$$\frac{1}{2} [\frac{7}{4} + \frac{4}{4} - \frac{1}{4} - \frac{8}{4}] = \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{4}$$