

# CURVE SKETCHING REVIEW

## 2/ Inc/Dec

1)  $f'(x) = 0$  crit pts.

2)  $\frac{+ \quad - \quad +}{\quad 3 \quad 7}$

## 3/ Concave Up/Down

$f''(x) = 0$

$\frac{- \quad + \quad +}{\quad 2 \quad 5}$

Infl pts (2, -)

## 5) Finding Rel Extrema

### 1st Deriv. Test

1)  $f'(x) = 0$

$\frac{+ \quad - \quad +}{\quad \quad \quad}$

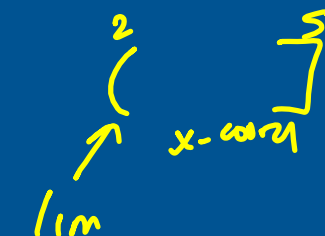
Mountain Test

### 2nd Deriv Test

1) Find Crit pts  
 $f'(x) = 0$

2) Find  $f''(x)$

$f''(\text{crit pts}) = + \begin{matrix} \cup \\ \text{min} \end{matrix}$   
 $- \begin{matrix} \cap \\ \text{max} \end{matrix}$

6) Absolute Extrema

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 8$$

x	
3	-1
5	4

No Abs max  
Abs. min (3, -1)

$$f(x) = 3x^{2/3} - 4x$$

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

$$0 = \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{x}} - 4$$

$$\sqrt[3]{x} \cdot 4 = \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{x}} \cdot \sqrt[3]{x}$$

$$4\sqrt[3]{x} = 2$$

$$(\sqrt[3]{x})^3 = (\frac{1}{2})^3$$

$$x = \frac{1}{8} \text{ + } x = 0$$

## 7/ Asymptotes

### Vertical

Where denom = 0

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x) = +\infty$$

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$$x^2 + 2$$

### Horiz

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x^3}{8x^3}$$

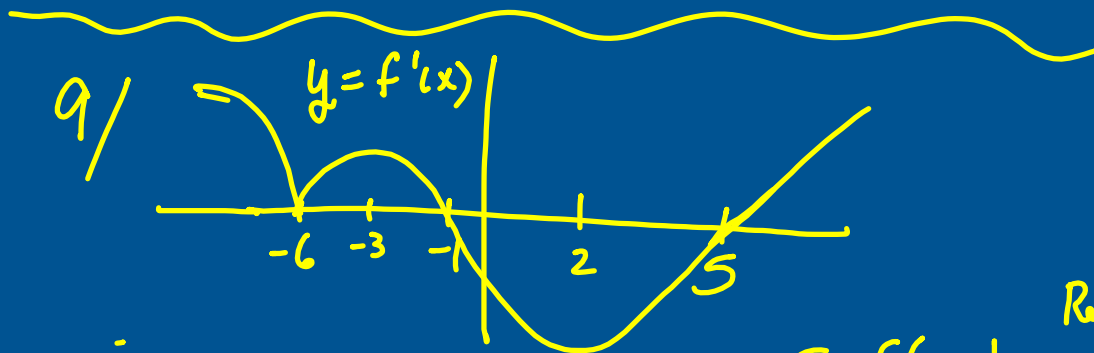
$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{y = \frac{1}{2}}$$

Numerator  
has higher  
power

### Slant/Ob.

long division

CASSolve  $(f(x) = 0, x)$ 

∴  
Crit pts -6, -1, 5  
 Inc/Dec  $\frac{+}{-6} \frac{+}{-1} \frac{-}{1} \frac{+}{5}$   
 above/below  
 x-axis

Rel max/min  
 Inf( pts -6, -3, 2  
 Concavity (check  
 inc/dec)  
 $\frac{-}{-6} \frac{+}{-3} \frac{-}{2} \frac{+}{5}$

