

§3.1 59) $f(x) = \frac{4}{x^2(x-3)}$

zeros of numerator? None. So no x-intercepts.

" " denominator? 0, 0, 3

So domain is all reals except 0, 3.

Also, vertical asymptotes of $x=0$ and $x=3$

horizontal asymptote? Yes: $y=0$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{x^2(x-3)} = 0$$

NO y-intercept, for 0 is not in the domain.

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

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

$$f'(x) = -8x^{-3}(x-3)^{-1} + 4x^{-2} \cdot [-(x-3)^{-2} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (x-3)]$$

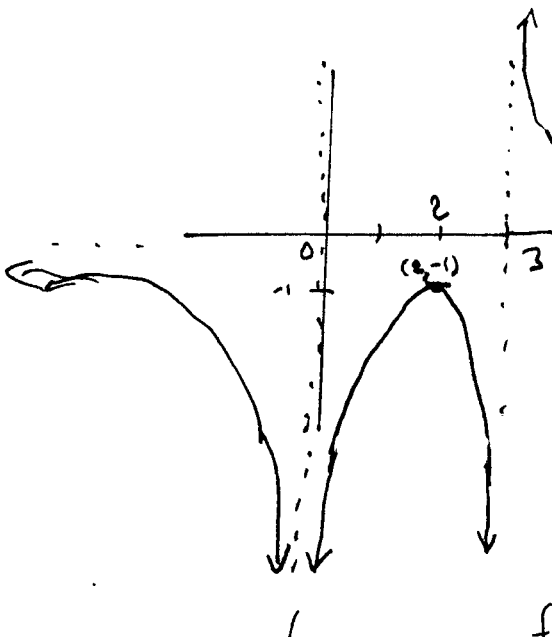
$$f'(x) = -8x^{-3}(x-3)^{-1} - 4x^{-2}(x-3)^{-2}$$

Factor the least powers of x and of $(x-3)$:

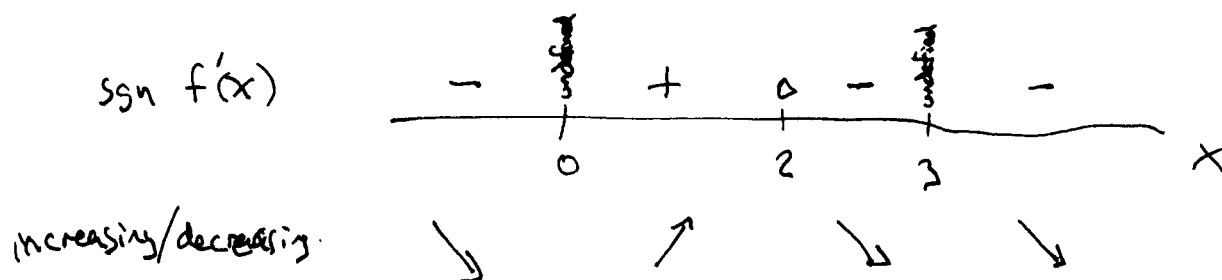
$$f'(x) = -4x^{-3}(x-3)^{-2} [2(x-3) + x]$$

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

$$0 = f'(x) = \frac{-12(x-2)}{x^3(x-3)^2} \Rightarrow x=2 \text{ is the only critical number}$$



sign diagram for $f'(x) = \frac{-12(x-2)}{x^3(x-3)^2}$



What is the relative max? We know it occurs at $x=2$

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

so rel. max. at $(x, y) = (2, -1)$

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open-topped can has volume

$$V = \pi r^2 h = 8\pi \text{ in}^3$$

minimize the area:

$$A = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r h$$

Use: $h = \frac{8\pi}{\pi r^2} \text{ inches} = \frac{8}{r^2} \text{ inch}$

$$A(r) = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r \cdot \frac{8}{r^2} = 2\pi r^2 + 16\pi r^{-1}$$

$$0 = A'(r) = 4\pi r - 16\pi r^{-2} = 4\pi r - \frac{16\pi}{r^2}$$

multiply by r^2 :

$$0 = 4\pi r^3 - 16\pi \Rightarrow 4\pi r^3 = 16\pi$$

$$r^3 = 4$$

$$r = \sqrt[3]{4} \text{ inches}$$

$$\text{So } h = \frac{8}{(\sqrt[3]{4})^2} = \frac{8}{4^{2/3}} = \frac{2^3}{2^{4/3}} = 2^{5/3} = 2 \cdot 2^{2/3} = \boxed{2\sqrt[3]{4} \text{ inches}}$$

Why a minimum?

$$f''(\sqrt[3]{4}) > 0$$

Intro to §3.6 Implicit differentiation.

2) $y^2 = x^4$ "implicitly" defines y as a function of x .
But we don't want to solve for y .
Yet, we want to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

$$\frac{d}{dx}[y^2] = \frac{d}{dx}[x^4]$$

Note: x is the independent variable.

chain
rule!

$$\rightarrow 2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^3$$

solve for $\frac{dy}{dx}$:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x^3}{2y}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x^3}{y}}$$