

11/7/06 More curve sketching

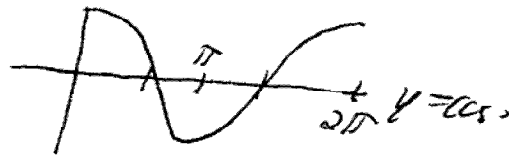
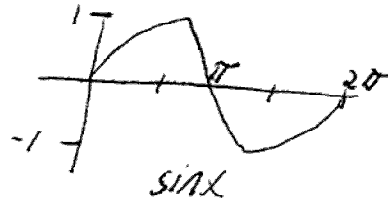
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$$y = \sin x - \tan x = \sin x \left(1 - \frac{1}{\cos x}\right)$$

1. Observe that $f(x) = f(x+2\pi)$ periodic, so we will sketch it on $[0, 2\pi]$.

Intercepts $(0,0)$ $(\pi,0)$ $(2\pi,0)$

Must know graphs of $\sin x, \cos x$



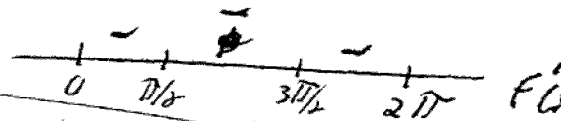
V.A. at $x = \pi/2, 3\pi/2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2^-} f(x) = -\infty \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2^+} f(x) = +\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3\pi/2^-} f(x) = +\infty \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 3\pi/2^+} f(x) = -\infty$$

$$f'(x) = \cos x - \sec^2 x = \cos x - \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \quad \text{DNE at } x = \pi/2, 3\pi/2$$

$$0 = \cos x - \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \Rightarrow \cos^3 x = 1 \Rightarrow x = 0, 2\pi$$

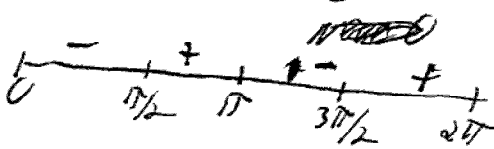


Decreasing on $(0, \pi/2)$ $V(\pi/2, 3\pi/2)$ $V(3\pi/2, 2\pi)$

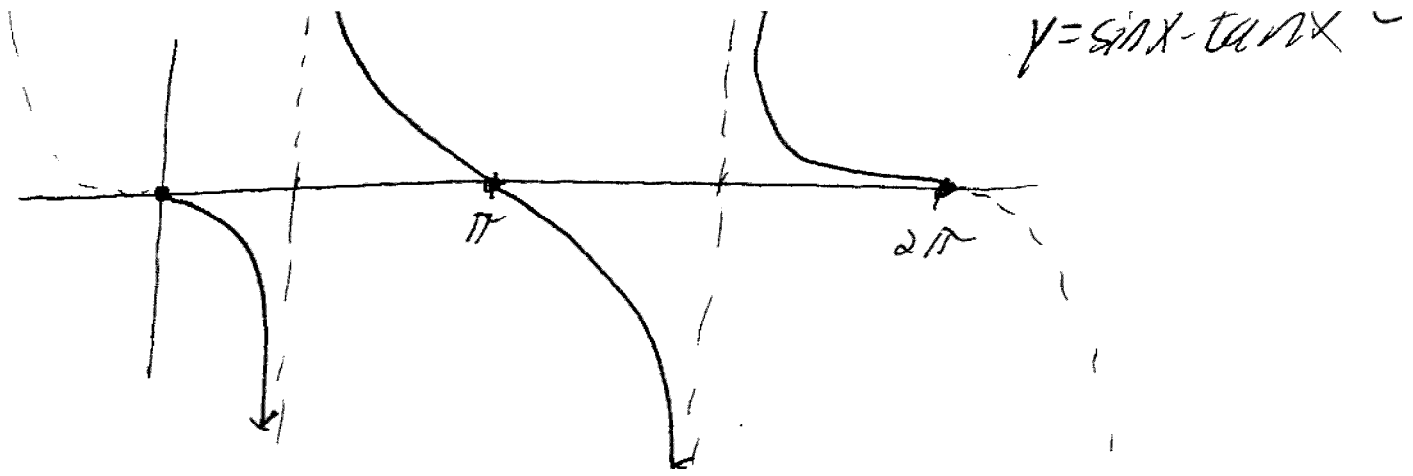
$$f''(x) = -\sin x - \frac{-2\cos x(-\sin x)}{\cos^4 x} = -\sin x - \frac{2\sin x}{\cos^3 x} \quad \text{DNE at } \pi/2, 3\pi/2$$

$$0 = -\sin x \left(1 + \frac{2}{\cos^3 x}\right)$$

so $f'' = 0$ at $0, \pi, 2\pi$



concave down $(0, \pi/2) \cup (\pi/2, \pi) \cup (\pi, 3\pi/2)$
 concave up $(\pi/2, \pi) \cup (3\pi/2, 2\pi)$



$$y = \sin x - \tan x$$

Int. point $(\pi, 0)$
 Notice $f'(\pi) = -2$
 $f'(0) = f'(2\pi) = 0$

$$y = x - \sqrt[3]{x}$$

Domain $(-\infty, \infty)$
 Intercepts $(0,0)$
 $(\sqrt[3]{27}, 0)$

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

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

$$27 \sqrt[3]{x} = x^3 \quad x = \sqrt[3]{27}$$

No asymptotes

$$y' = 1 - x^{-2/3} = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$$

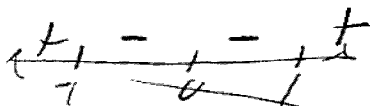
DNE at $x=0$
 vertical tangent at $x=0$

$$0 = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$$

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

$$x = \pm 1$$

critical #'s $(-1, 0), (1, 0)$



local max $(-1, 2)$
 local min $(1, -2)$

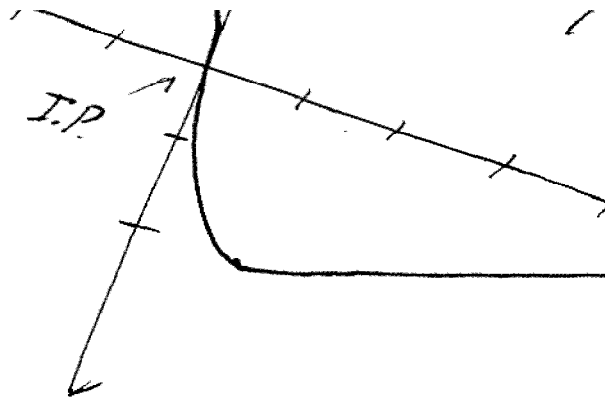
increasing $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$
 decreasing $(-1, 1)$

$$y'' = \frac{2}{3} x^{-5/3} = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{x^5}}$$

DNE at $x=0$

concave down $(-\infty, 0)$
 concave up $(0, \infty)$

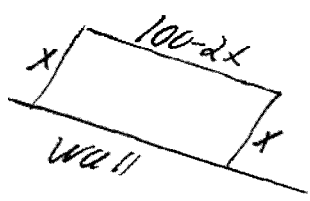
I.P. $(0,0)$



OPTIMIZATION

- * Major real world application of calculus *
- ! Maximize/minimize some quantity as a function of other quantity, subject to some constraints (restrictions)
- * Usually want global max/min.

I have 100 ft of fence, make a ^{rectangle} pen of maximal area against a wall.



$$A(x) = x(100-2x) \quad 0 \leq x \leq 50$$

$$= 100x - 2x^2$$

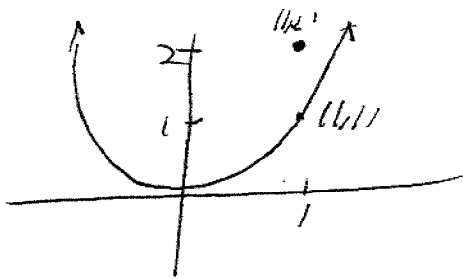
$$A'(x) = 100 - 4x$$

$$0 = 100 - 4x \quad x = \frac{100}{4} = 25$$

maximal

Problem

Find point on $y=x^2$ closest to $(1,2)$



Let $D(x) =$ distance from $(1,2)$ to point (x, x^2)

$$D(x) = \sqrt{(1-x)^2 + (2-x^2)^2} \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

$$D'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{(1-x)^2 + (2-x^2)^2}} \cdot (2(1-x)(-1) + 2(2-x^2)(-2x))$$

Notice $D'(x)$ always exists so set

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

$$-1+x-4x+2x^3=0$$

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

$$x \approx$$

Stick method minimize $D^2(x)$, instead of x !

Global min