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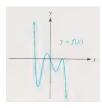
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Sections 4.2 Classwork (CW 13)



Complete as many of the following problems as you can with your group. You do not have to go in order. Each group will be given a specific problem that they must complete and present to either Professor MG or to Stefanie before they leave.

(1) Consider the following graph of a function f



- (a) Is the leading coefficient positive or negative? Is the degree odd or even?
- (b) Describe the end behavior
- (2) Without graphing $f(x) = 2 + 3x 3x^2 2x^3$, answer the following:
 - (a) What is the degree of the polynomial and what is the leading coefficient?
 - (b) What is the end behavior of the graph?
- (3) Sketch a graph that satisfies all of the following:
 - The graph has an x and y intercept at (0,0)
 - The graph is increasing on (0,4) and decreasing on $(-\infty,0),(4,\infty)$
 - The graph is concave down on $(2, \infty)$ and concave up on $(-\infty, 2)$
- (4) Sketch two different graphs that both satisfies all of the following:
 - Increasing on $(-\infty,0)$, (4,6), and $(6,\infty)$ Decreasing on (0,4)
- (5) Sketch a graph that satisfies all of the following:
 - Absolute maximum at x = 4
- Local maximum at x = 2
- Absolute minimum at x = 5
- Local minimum at x = 3

Key:

(1) (a) a < 0

- (3) Many answers
- (b) f approaches ∞ (rises) on the left and $-\infty$ (falls). Many answers on the right
- (2) (a) 3 and -2

- (5) Many answers
- (b) Approaches ∞ (rises) to the left and approaches $-\infty$ (falls) to the right