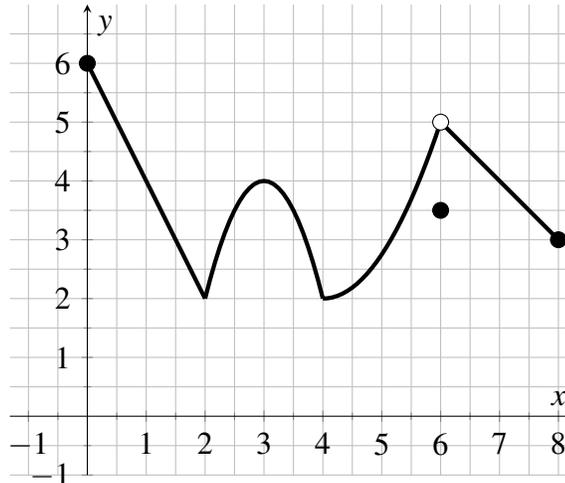


25 points possible. No aids (book, calculator, etc.) are permitted. You need not simplify, but show all work and use proper notation for full credit.

1. [4 points] Use the graph to determine all the absolute and local maximum and minimum values of the function. If a value does not exist, write DNE.

	y-value	occurs at $x =$
local max (list all)	4	3
local min (list all)	3.5 2	6 2, 4
absolute max	6	0
absolute min	2	2, 4



2. [7 points] Find the absolute maximum and absolute minimum values of

$$f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x - 3$$

on the interval  $[0, 3]$ , and the  $x$ -values where they occur.

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x - 9$$

$$\text{Solve } f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 3x^2 + 6x - 9 = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x + 3)(x - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -3 \text{ or } x = 1.$$

only  $x = 1$  is in the domain. Note  $f'(x)$  is defined everywhere.

Test values

$x$	$f(x)$
0	-3
1	-8
3	24

$$\begin{aligned} f(1) &= 1^3 + 3(1)^2 - 9(1) - 3 \\ &= 1 + 3 - 9 - 3 \\ &= -8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(3) &= 27 + 3(9) - 9(3) - 3 \\ &= 27 + 27 - 27 - 3 \\ &= 24 \end{aligned}$$

Absolute Maximum:  $y =$  24 at  $x =$  3

Absolute Minimum:  $y =$  -8 at  $x =$  1

3. [8 points]

Consider the function  $f(x)$  shown on the graph below, on the interval  $[0, 2]$ . It has the property that  $f(0) = 0$  and  $f(2) = \frac{3}{2}$ .

a. Fill in the blanks: The function  $f(x)$  satisfies the hypotheses of the Mean Value Theorem, which means that  $f(x)$  is differentiable on  $(0, 2)$  and continuous on  $[0, 2]$ .

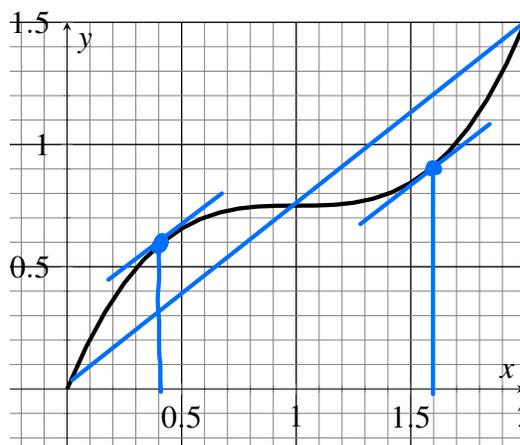
b. What can we conclude about the function  $f(x)$ , by the Mean Value Theorem? (That is, state the conclusion of the Mean Value Theorem, specified to this function.)

There exists a value  $c \in (0, 2)$  so that

$$\frac{\frac{3}{2} - 0}{2 - 0} = f'(c) \Rightarrow$$

$$f'(c) = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{4}.$$

c. The graph of  $f(x)$  is shown below. Add lines to the graph to illustrate what the Mean Value Theorem says about this function. Then use the graph to estimate the value(s) of  $c$  whose existence is predicted by the Mean Value Theorem.



Estimated value(s) (to the nearest tenth) of  $c$  predicted by MVT (list all):

$x = 0.4, 1.6$

4. [6 points] Find the critical numbers (critical points) of the function

$$g(x) = \sqrt[3]{x^2 - 9} = (x^2 - 9)^{1/3}$$

$$g'(x) = \frac{1}{3} (x^2 - 9)^{-2/3} (2x) = \frac{2x}{3\sqrt[3]{(x^2 - 9)^2}}$$

$$g'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$g'(x) \text{ DNE} \Rightarrow x^2 - 9 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3 \text{ or } x = -3$$

Critical points:  $x =$   $0, 3, -3$