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# Maxima and Minima

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Maxima and Minima of a Function

Concept of Global Maximum/Minimum

## Maxima and Minima of a Function

A function f(x) is said to attain a **maximum** at x = a, if there exists a neighbourhood  $(a - \delta, a + \delta), x \neq a$ i.e.  $f(x) < f(a), \forall x \in (a - \delta, a + \delta),$ 

 $x \neq a \cdot h > 0$  (very small quantity)

In such a case f(a) is said to be the maximum value of f(x) at x = a.

A function f(x) is said to attain a **minimum** at x = a, if there exists a neighbourhood  $(a - \delta, a + \delta)$  such that  $f(x) > f(a), \forall x \in (a - \delta, a + \delta), x \neq a$ .



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Graph of a continuous function explained local maxima (minima) and absolute maxima (minima). In such a case f(a) is said to be the minimum value of f(x) at x = a.

The points at which a function attains either the maximum or the minimum values are known as the **extreme points** or **turning points** and both minimum and maximum values of f(x) are called extreme values. The turning points *A* and *C* are called **local maximum** and points *B* and *D* are called **local minimum**.

## **Critical Point**

- A point *c* in the domain of a function *f* at which either f'(c) = 0 or *f* is not differentiable is called a **critical point** of *f*. Note that, if *f* is continuous at point *c* and f'(c) = 0, then there exists h > 0 such that *f* is differentiable in the interval (c h, c + h).
- The converse of above theorem need not be true, that is a point at which the derivative vanishes need not be a point of local maxima or local minima.

## Method to Find Local Maxima or Local Minima

## First Derivative Test

Let f be a function defined on an open interval I and f be continuous at a critical point c in I. Then,

(i) If f'(x) changes sign from positive to negative as x increases through c, i.e. if f'(x) > 0 at every point sufficiently close to and to the left of c and f'(x) < 0 at every point sufficiently close to and to the right of c, then c is a point of **local maxima**.

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- (ii) If f'(x) changes sign from negative to positive as x increases through point c, i.e. if f'(x) < 0 at every point sufficiently close to and to the left of c and f'(x) > 0 at every point sufficiently close to and to the right of c, then c is a point of **local minima**.
- (iii) If f'(x) does not change sign as x increases through c, then c is neither a point of local maxima nor a point of local minima. Infact, such a point is called **point of inflection**.



Graph of f around c explained following points.

(iv) If c is a point of local maxima of f, then f(c) is a local maximum value of f. Similarly, if c is a point of local minima of f, then f(c) is a local minimum value of f.

#### Second or Higher Order Derivative Test

- (i) Find f'(x) and equate it to zero. Solve f'(x) = 0 let its roots be  $x = a_1, a_2, \dots$
- (ii) Find f''(x) and at  $x = a_1$ ,
  - (a) if  $f''(a_1)$  is positive, then f(x) is minimum at  $x = a_1$ .
  - (b) if  $f''(a_1)$  is negative, then f(x) is maximum at  $x = a_1$ .
- (iii) (a) If at  $x = a_1, f''(a_1) = 0$ , then find f'''(x). If  $f'''(a_1) \neq 0$ , then f(x) is neither maximum nor minimum at x = a.
  - (b) If  $f'''(a_1) = 0$ , then find  $f^{iv}(x)$ .
  - (c) If f<sup>iv</sup>(x) is positive (minimum value) and f<sup>iv</sup>(x) is negative (maximum value).
- (iv) If at  $x = a_1, f^{iv}(a_1) = 0$ , then find  $f^v(x)$  and proceed similarly.

#### Point of Inflection

At point of inflection

- (i) It is not necessary that 1st derivative is zero.
- (ii) 2nd derivative must be zero or 2nd derivative changes sign in the neighbourhood of point of inflection.

#### nth Derivative Test

Let f be a differentiable function on an interval I and a be an interior point of I such that

- (i)  $f'(a) = f''(a) = f'''(a) = \dots = f^{n-1}(a) = 0$  and
- (ii)  $f^n(a)$  exists and is non-zero.

Important Results

- If *n* is even and *f<sup>n</sup>(a)* < 0 ⇒ *x* = *a* is a point of local maximum.
- If *n* is even and *f<sup>n</sup>(a)* > 0 ⇒ *x* = *a* is a point of local minimum.
- If *n* is odd ⇒ *x* = *a* is a point of neither local maximum nor a point of local minimum.
- The function  $f(x) = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$  has no local maximum or

minimum regardless of values of a, b, c and d.

• The function  $f(\theta) = \sin^m \theta \cdot \cos^n \theta$  attains maximum values at

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{m}{n}} \right) \; .$$

• If *AB* is diameter of circle and *C* is any point on the circumference, then area of the  $\triangle$  *ABC* will be maximum, if triangle is isosceles.

## Concept of Global Maximum/Minimum

- Let y = f(x) be a given function with domain *D* and  $[a,b] \subseteq D$ , then global maximum/minimum of f(x) in [a,b] is basically the greatest / least value of f(x) in [a,b].
- Global maxima/minima in [*a*, *b*] would always occur at critical points of *f*(*x*) within [*a*, *b*] or at end points of the interval.

#### Global Maximum/Minimum in [a, b]

In order to find the global maximum and minimum of f(x) in [a, b].

- **Step I** Find out all critical points of f(x) in [a, b][i.e. all points at which f'(x) = 0] and let these points are  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_n$ .
- **Step II** Find the value of  $f(c_1)$ ,  $f(c_2)$ ,...,  $f(c_n)$  and also at the end points of domain i.e. f(a) and f(b).
- **Step III** Find  $M_1 \rightarrow$  Global maxima or greatest value and  $M_2 \rightarrow$  Global minima or least value. where,  $M_1 = \max \{f(a), f(c_1), f(c_2), ..., f(c_n), f(b)\}$ and  $M_2 = \min \{f(a), f(c_1), f(c_2), ..., f(c_n), f(b)\}$

## Some Important Results on Maxima

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- (i) Maxima and minima occur alternatively i.e. between two maxima there is one minimum and *vice-versa*.
- (ii) If  $f(x) \to \infty$  as  $x \to a$  or b and f'(x) = 0 only for one value of x (say c) between a and b, then f(c) is necessarily the minimum and the least value.
- (iii) If  $f(x) \to -\infty$  as  $x \to a$  or *b*, then f(c) is necessarily the maximum and greatest value.
- (iv) The stationary points are the points of the domain, where f'(x) = 0.

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## DAY PRACTICE SESSION 1

# FOUNDATION QUESTIONS EXERCISE

**1** If f is defined as  $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$ , then which of following is

#### true?

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- (a) Local maximum value of f(x) is -2
- (b) Local minimum value of f(x) is 2
- (c) Local maximum value of f(x) is less than local minimum value of f(x)
- (d) All the above are true
- 2 If the sum of two numbers is 3, then the maximum value of the product of the first and the square of second is

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(d) 0

(a) 4 (b) 1 (c) 3 **3** If  $y = a \log x + bx^2 + x$  has its extremum value at x = 1and x = 2, then (a, b) is equal to

(a) 
$$\left(1, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$
 (b)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, 2\right)$  (c)  $\left(2, \frac{-1}{2}\right)$  (d)  $\left(\frac{-2}{3}, \frac{-1}{6}\right)$ 

**4** The function  $f(x) = a \cos x + b \tan x + x$  has extreme values at x = 0 and  $x = \frac{\pi}{c}$ , then

(a) 
$$a = -\frac{2}{3}, b = -1$$
  
(b)  $a = \frac{2}{3}, b = -1$   
(c)  $a = -\frac{2}{3}, b = 1$   
(d)  $a = \frac{2}{3}, b = 1$ 

**5** The minimum radius vector of the curve

$$\frac{4}{x^2} + \frac{9}{y^2} = 1$$
 is of length

(c) 7 (a) 1 (b) 5 (d) None of these

- 6 The function  $f(x) = 4x^3 18x^2 + 27x 7$  has (a) one local maxima → NCERT Exemplar (b) one local minima

(c) one local maxima and two local minima (d) neither maxima nor minima

- 7 The function  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 2}{x^2 4}$  has
  - (a) no point of local minima
  - (b) no point of local maxima
  - (c) exactly one point of local minima
  - (d) exactly one point of local maxima
- **8** Let  $f : R \to R$  be defined by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} k 2x, & \text{if } x \le -1 \\ 2x + 3, & \text{if } x > -1 \end{cases}$ If f has a local minimum at x = -1, then a possible value

|   | of <i>k</i> is |               |                    | → AIEEE         | 2010 |
|---|----------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------|------|
|   | (a) 1          | (b) 0         | (c) $-\frac{1}{2}$ | (d) -1          |      |
| 9 | The minimu     | m value of 9x | x + 4y, where $y$  | <i>y</i> =16 is |      |
|   | (a) 48         | (b) 28        | (c) 38             | (d) 18          |      |

**10** If the function  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9ax^2 + 12a^2x + 1$ , where a > 0attains its maximum and minimum at p and qrespectively such that  $p^2 = q$ , then *a* is equal to

| (a) 3 | (b) 1 | (c) 2 | (d) $\frac{1}{2}$ |
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- **11** If  $f(x) = x^2 + 2bx + 2c^2$  and  $g(x) = -x^2 2cx + b^2$  such that minimum f(x) > maximum g(x), then the relation between *b* and *c* is
  - (a)  $0 < c < b\sqrt{2}$ (b)  $|c| < |b| \sqrt{2}$ (d) No real values of b and c (c)  $|c| > |b| \sqrt{2}$
- **12** Let f(x) be a polynomial of degree four having extreme values at x = 1 and x = 2. If  $\lim_{x \to 0} \left[ 1 + \frac{f(x)}{x^2} \right] = 3$ , then f(2) is equal to → JEE Mains 2015 (a) -8 (b) -4 (d) 4 (c) 0
- **13** If a differential function f(x) has a relative minimum at x = 0, then the function  $\phi(x) = f(x) + ax + b$  has a relative minimum at x = 0 for
  - (a) all *a* and all *b* (b) all b, if a = 0(c) all b > 0(d) all a > 0
- 14 The denominator of a fraction is greater than 16 of the square of numerator, then least value of fraction is (a) -1/4(b) - 1/8(d) 1/16 (c) 1/12
- **15** The function  $f(x) = ax + \frac{b}{x}$ , b, x > 0 takes the least value

at x equal to

(b)  $\sqrt{a}$  (c)  $\sqrt{b}$  (d)  $\sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$ (a) b

$$\frac{\tan x}{x}, \quad x \neq 0$$

$$1, \quad x = 0$$

**Statement I** x = 0 is point of minima of f.

#### Statement II f'(0) = 0.

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- (a) Statement I is true, Statement II is true; Statement II is a correct explanation for Statement I
- (b) Statement I is true, Statement II is true; Statement II is not a correct explanation for Statement I
- (c) Statement I is true; Statement II is false
- (d) Statement I is false; Statement II is true
- 17 The absolute maximum and minimum values of the function f given by  $f(x) = \cos^2 x + \sin x, x \in [0, \pi]$

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| (a) 2.25 and 2   | (b) 1.25 and 1    |
|------------------|-------------------|
| (c) 1.75 and 1.5 | (d) None of these |

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**18** The maximum value of  $f(x) = \frac{x}{4 + x + x^2}$  on [-1,1] is (a)  $-\frac{1}{4}$  (b)  $-\frac{1}{3}$  (c)  $\frac{1}{6}$  (d)  $\frac{1}{5}$ 

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}$$

**19** In interval [1, *e*], the greatest value of  $x^2 \log x$  is

(a) 
$$e^2$$
 (b)  $\frac{1}{e}\log \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$  (c)  $e^2\log \sqrt{e}$  (d) None of these

**20** If *x* is real, the maximum value of  $\frac{3x^2 + 9x + 17}{3x^2 + 9x + 7}$  is

(a) 41 (b) 1 (c) 
$$\frac{17}{7}$$
 (d)  $\frac{1}{4}$ 

21 The maximum and minimum values of  $f(x) = \sec x + \log \cos^2 x$ ,  $0 < x < 2\pi$  are respectively

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- (a) (1, -1) and  $\{2(1 \log 2), 2(1 + \log 2)\}$
- (b) (1, -1) and  $\{2(1 \log 2), 2(1 \log 2)\}$
- (c) (1, -1) and (2, -3)

(d) None of the above

22 The difference between greatest and least values of the function  $f(x) = \sin 2x - x$ , on  $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$  is → NCERT Exemplar ...π (a)

) 
$$\pi$$
 (b)  $2\pi$  (c)  $3\pi$  (d)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ 

- **23** The point of inflection for the curve  $y = x^{5/2}$  is (a) (1, 1) (b) (0, 0) (c) (1, 0) (d) (0, 1)
- 24 The maximum area of a right angled triangle with hypotenuse h is → JEE Main 2013 (a)

) 
$$\frac{h^3}{2\sqrt{2}}$$
 (b)  $\frac{h^2}{2}$  (c)  $\frac{h^2}{\sqrt{2}}$  (d)  $\frac{h^2}{4}$ 

25 A straight line is drawn through the point P(3, 4) meeting the positive direction of coordinate axes at the points A and B. If O is the origin, then minimum area of  $\triangle OAB$  is equal to

| (a) | 12 sq units | (b) | 6 sq units  |
|-----|-------------|-----|-------------|
| (C) | 24 sq units | (d) | 48 sq units |

**26** Suppose the cubic  $x^3 - px + q$  has three distinct real roots, where p > 0 and q > 0. Then, which one of the following holds?

(a) The cubic has maxima at both 
$$\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$$
 and  $-\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$   
(b) The cubic has minima at  $\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$  and maxima at  $-\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$   
(c) The cubic has minima at  $-\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$  and maxima at  $\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$   
(d) The cubic has minima at both  $\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$  and  $-\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$ 

**27** If  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  and  $C(x_3, y_3)$  are the vertices of a  $\Delta$  ABC. A parallelogram AFDE is drawn with D, E and F on the line segment BC, CA and AB, respectively. Then, maximum area of such parallelogram is

(a) 
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 (area of  $\triangle ABC$ )  
(b)  $\frac{1}{4}$  (area of  $\triangle ABC$ )  
(c)  $\frac{1}{6}$  (area of  $\triangle ABC$ )  
(d)  $\frac{1}{8}$  (area of  $\triangle ABC$ )

**28** If y = f(x) is a parametrically defined expression such that  $x = 3t^2 - 18t + 7$  and  $y = 2t^3 - 15t^2 + 24t + 10$ ,  $\forall x \in [0, 6].$ Then, the maximum and minimum values of v = f(x) are

(a) 36, 3 (b) 46, 6 (c) 40, 
$$-6$$
 (d) 46,  $-6$ 

29 The value of a, so that the sum of the squares of the roots of the equation  $x^2 - (a - 2)x - a + 1 = 0$  assume the least value is (a)(d) ( (-) 0

- 30 The minimum intercepts made by the axes on the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  is (a) 25 (c) 1 (d) None of these (b) 7
- 31 The curved surface of the cone inscribed in a given sphere is maximum, if

(a) 
$$h = \frac{4R}{3}$$
 (b)  $h = \frac{R}{3}$  (c)  $h = \frac{2R}{3}$  (d) None of these

- 32 The volume of the largest cone that can be inscribed in a sphere of radius R is → NCERT
  - (a)  $\frac{3}{8}$  of the volume of the sphere (b)  $\frac{8}{27}$  of the volume of the sphere
  - (c)  $\frac{2}{7}$  of the volume of the sphere
  - (d) None of the above
- 33 Area of the greatest rectangle that can be inscribed in

the ellipse 
$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$
 is  
(a)  $\sqrt{ab}$  (b)  $\frac{a}{b}$  (c)  $2ab$  (d)  $ab$ 

- **34** The real number x when added to its inverse gives the minimum value of the sum at *x* equal to → AIEEE 2003 (a) 2 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) -2
- 35 The greatest value of

$$f(x) = (x + 1)^{1/3} - (x - 1)^{1/3}$$
 on [0, 1] is → AIEEE 2002  
(a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 1/3

- **36** The coordinate of a point on the parabola  $y^2 = 8x$  whose distance from the circle  $x^2 + (y+6)^2 = 1$  is minimum, is (b) (2,4) (c) (18,-12) (d) (8, 8) (a) (2,-4)
- 37 The volume of the largest cylinder that can be inscribed in a sphere of radius *r* cm is

(a) 
$$\frac{4\pi r^3}{\sqrt{3}}$$
 (b)  $\frac{4\pi r^3}{3\sqrt{3}}$  (c)  $\frac{4\pi r^3}{2\sqrt{3}}$  (d)  $\frac{4\pi r^3}{5\sqrt{2}}$ 

**38** Maximum slope of the curve  $y = -x^3 + 3x^2 + 9x - 27$  is (a) 0 (b) 12 (c) 16 (d) 32

**39** If ab = 2a + 3b, a > 0, b > 0, then the minimum value of ab

| 15                |  |
|-------------------|--|
| (a) 12            |  |
| (c) $\frac{1}{-}$ |  |
| (0) 4             |  |

- (b) 24(d) None of these
- **40** The perimeter of a sector is *p*. The area of the sector is maximum, when its radius is

(a) 
$$\sqrt{p}$$
 (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{p}}$  (c)  $\frac{p}{2}$  (d)  $\frac{p}{4}$ 

**1** The minimum radius vector of the curve  $\frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{b^2}{y^2} = 1$  is of

| length      |  |
|-------------|--|
| (a) $a - b$ |  |

| (a) | a = 0  | (D) | a + b         |
|-----|--------|-----|---------------|
| (c) | 2a + b | (d) | None of these |

2 
$$f(x) = x^2 - 4 |x|$$
 and  

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \min \{f(t) : -6 \le t \le x\}, x \in [-6, 0] \\ \max \{f(t) : 0 < t \le x\}, x \in (0, 6] \end{cases}$$
, then  $g(x)$  has

- (a) exactly one point of local minima
- (b) exactly one point of local maxima
- (c) no point to local maxima but exactly one point of local minima
- (d) neither a point of local maxima nor minima

**3** 
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 4x - x^3 + \log(a^2 - 3a + 3), & 0 \le x < 3 \\ x - 18, & x \ge 3 \end{cases}$$

Complete the set of values of *a* such that f(x) has a local maxima at x = 3, is

| (a) [-1, 2] | (b) (−∞, 1) ∪ (2, ∞)                 |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| (c) [1, 2]  | (d) $(-\infty, -1) \cup (2, \infty)$ |

**4** The point in the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$ , where  $f(x) = e^x \sin x$  has maximum slope is

| (a) | $\frac{\pi}{4}$ | (b) | $\frac{\pi}{2}$ |
|-----|-----------------|-----|-----------------|
| (C) | π               | (d) | None of these   |

**5** The total number of local maxima and local minima of the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} (2+x)^3, -3 < x \le -1 \\ 0 \le x \le -1 \end{cases}$  is

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- 6 If 20 m of wire is available for fencing off a flower-bed in the form of a circular sector, then the maximum area (in sq m) of the flower-bed is → JEE Mains 2017 (a) 12.5 (b) 10 (c) 25 (d) 30
- **7** The cost of running a bus from *A* to *B*, is  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}\left(av + \frac{b}{v}\right)$ ,

where v km/h is the average speed of the bus. When the bus travels at 30 km/h, the cost comes out to be ₹ 75

 ₹ 75 while at 40 km/h, it is ₹ 65. Then, the most economical speed (in km/h) of the bus is → JEE Mains 2013

 (a) 45
 (b) 50
 (c) 60
 (d) 40

8 If 
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x^2 - 2|, & -1 \le x < \sqrt{3} \\ \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}, & \sqrt{3} \le x < 2\sqrt{3}, \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}}, & 2\sqrt{3} \le x \le 4 \end{cases}$$
 then the points,

where f(x) takes maximum and minimum values, are

(a) 1, 4 (b) 0, 4 (c) 2, 4 (d) None of these 9 Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x^3 + x^2 + 3x + \sin x| (3 + \sin \frac{1}{x}), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ , then

number of points [where, f(x) attains its minimum value] is

**10** A wire of length 2 units is cut into two parts which are bent respectively to form a square of side = *x* units and a circle of radius = *r* units. If the sum of the areas of the square and the circle so formed is minimum, then

(a) 
$$2x = (\pi + 4)r$$
 (b)  $(4 - \pi)x = \pi r$   
(c)  $x = 2r$  (d)  $2x = r$   
**11** Let  $f(x) = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$  and  $g(x) = x - \frac{1}{x}$ ,  $x \in R - \{-1, 0, 1\}$ . If  
 $h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ , then the local minimum value of  $h(x)$  is  
 $\Rightarrow$  JEE Mains 2018  
(a) 3 (b) -3 (c)  $-2\sqrt{2}$  (d)  $2\sqrt{2}$ 

**12** The largest term in the sequence  $a_n = \frac{n^2}{n^3 + 200}$  is given by

- (a)  $\frac{529}{49}$  (b)  $\frac{8}{89}$ (c)  $\frac{49}{543}$  (d) None of these
- **13** All possible values of the parameter *a* so that the function  $f(x) = x^3 3(7-a)x^2 3(9-a^2)x + 2$  has a negative point of local minimum are

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(a) all real values (b) no real values (c)  $(0,\infty)$  (d)  $(-\infty,0)$ 

**14** The circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  cuts the X-axis at P and Q. Another circle with centre at Q and variable radius intersects the first circle at R above the X-axis and the line segment PQ at S. Then, the maximum area of the  $\Delta QSP$ 

R  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ Ò

(a)  $4\sqrt{3}$  sq units (c)  $\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9}$  sq units

**15** Given,  $P(x) = x^4 + ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$  such that x = 0 is the only real root of P'(x) = 0. If P(-1) < P(1), then in the interval [-1,1]. → AIEEE 2009

(a) P(-1) is the minimum and P(1) is the maximum of P (b) P(-1) is not minimum but P(1) is the maximum of P(c) P(-1) is the minimum and P(1) is not the maximum of P (d) Neither P(-1) is the minimum nor P(1) is the maximum of P

## ANSWERS

| (SESSION 1) | <b>1</b> (d)  | <b>2</b> (a)  | <b>3</b> (d)  | <b>4</b> (a)  | <b>5</b> (b)  | <b>6</b> (d)  | <b>7</b> (d)  | <b>8</b> (d)  | <b>9</b> (a)  | <b>10</b> (c) |
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## **Hints and Explanations**

**SESSION 1** 

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**1** Let 
$$y = x + \frac{1}{x} \implies \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - \frac{1}{x^2}$$
  
Now,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \implies x^2 = 1$   
 $\implies x = \pm 1$   
 $\implies \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{2}{x^3}$ , therefore  
 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  (at  $x = 1$ ) > 0  
and  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  (at  $x = -1$ ) < 0  
Hence, local maximum value of y is at  $x = -1$  and the local maximum value  
 $= -2$ 

Local minimum value of *y* is at x = 1and local minimum value = 2. Therefore, local maximum value - 2 is less than local minimum value 2.

2 Let two numbers be x and 
$$(3 - x)$$
.  
Then, product  $P = x(3 - x)^2$   
 $\frac{dP}{dx} = -2x(3 - x) + (3 - x)^2$   
 $\frac{dP}{dx} = (3 - x)(3 - 3x)$  and  $\frac{d^2P}{dx^2} = 6x - 12$   
For maxima or minima, put  $\frac{dP}{dx} = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (3 - x)(3 - 3x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3, 1$ 

At x = 3,  

$$\frac{d^{2}P}{dx^{2}} = 18 - 12 = 6 > 0 \text{ [minima]}$$
At x = 1,  

$$\frac{d^{2}P}{dx^{2}} = -6 < 0$$
So, P is maximum at x = 1.  
 $\therefore$  Maximum value of P = 1 (3 - 1)^{2} = 4  
**3**  $\therefore$   $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{a}{x} + 2bx + 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{x=1} = a + 2b + 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a = -2b - 1$   
and  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{x=2} = \frac{a}{2} + 4b + 1 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow -b + 4b + \frac{1}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow 3b = -\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow b = -\frac{1}{6}$  and  $a = \frac{1}{3} - 1 = -\frac{2}{3}$   
**4**  $f'(x) = -a \sin x + b \sec^{2} x + 1$   
Now,  $f'(0) = 0$  and  $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0$ 

 $\Rightarrow b + 1 = 0 \text{ and } - \frac{a}{2} + \frac{4b}{3} + 1 = 0$ 

 $b = -1, a = -\frac{2}{3}$ **5** The given curve is  $\frac{4}{x^2} + \frac{9}{v^2} = 1$ Put  $x = r \cos \theta$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta$ , we get  $r^{2} = (2 \sec \theta)^{2} + (3 \operatorname{cosec} \theta)^{2}$ So,  $r^2$  will have minimum value  $(2+3)^2$ . or r have minimum value equal to 5. 6  $f(x) = 4x^3 - 18x^2 + 27x - 7$  $f'(x) = 12x^2 - 36x + 27$  $=3(4x^2-12x+9)=3(2x-3)^2$  $f'(x)=0 \Rightarrow x=\frac{3}{2}$  (critical point) Since, f'(x) > 0 for all  $x < \frac{3}{2}$  and for all  $x > \frac{3}{2}$ Hence,  $x = \frac{3}{2}$  is a point of inflection *i.e.*, neither a point of maxima nor a point of minima.  $x = \frac{3}{2}$  is the only critical point and f has neither maxima nor minima. **7** For  $y = \frac{x^2 - 2}{x^2 - 4} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x}{(x^2 - 4)^2}$ 

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$$\Rightarrow \quad \frac{dy}{dx} > 0, \text{ for } x < 0$$
  
and 
$$\frac{dy}{dx} < 0, \text{ for } x > 0$$
  
Thus,  $x = 0$  is the point of local maxima  
for y. Now,  $(y)_{x=0} = \frac{1}{2}$  (positive). Thus,  
 $x = 0$  is also the point of local  
maximum for  $y = \left| \frac{x^2 - 2}{x^2 - 4} \right|$   
**8** If  $f(x)$  has a local minimum at  $x = -1$ ,  
then  
$$\lim_{x \to -1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \to -1^-} f(x)$$
  
 $\Rightarrow \lim_{x \to -1^+} 2x + 3 = \lim_{x \to -1^-} 1 < -2x$   
 $\Rightarrow -2 + 3 = k + 2 \Rightarrow k = -1$   
 $f(x) = 1 < -2x$   
 $(-1, 1)$   
 $y'$   
**9** Let  $S = 9x + 4y$   
Since,  $xy = 16$  is given.  
 $\therefore \quad y = \frac{16}{x} \text{ or } S = 9x + \frac{64}{x}$   
On differentiating both sides, we get  
 $\frac{dS}{dx} = 9 - \frac{64}{x^2}$  ...(i)  
 $\because \quad \frac{dS}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{64}{x^2} = 9 \Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{8}{3}$   
Again, on differentiating Eq. (i)  
w.r.t.  $x$ , we get  $\frac{d^2S}{dx^2} = \frac{128}{x^3}$   
Hence, it is minimum at  $x = \frac{8}{3}$  and  
minimum value of  $S$  is  
 $S_{\min} = 9\left(\frac{8}{3}\right) + 4(6) = 48$   
**10** We have,  
 $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9 ax^2 + 12a^2 x + 1$   
 $f'(x) = 6x^2 - 18ax + 12a^2$   
 $f''(x) = 12x - 18a$   
For maximum and minimum,  
 $6x^2 - 18ax + 12a^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \quad x^2 - 3ax + 2a^2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \quad x = a \text{ or } x = 2a$   
At  $x = a$  maximum and at  $x = 2a$   
minimum.  
 $\therefore \qquad p^2 = q$   
 $\therefore \qquad a^2 = 2a \Rightarrow a = 2 \text{ or } a = 0$   
But  $a > 0$ , therefore  $a = 2$   
**11** Minimum of  $f(x) = -\frac{D}{4a}$   
 $= \frac{-(4b^2 - 8c^2)}{4}$ 

 $= b^2 + c^2$ Since,  $\min f(x) > \max g(x)$  $2c^2 - b^2 > b^2 + c^2$  $\Rightarrow$  $c^2 > 2b^2$  $\Rightarrow$  $|c| > \sqrt{2} |b|$  $\Rightarrow$ 12 Central Idea Any function have extreme values (maximum or minimum) at its critical points, where f'(x) = 0.Since, the function have extreme values at x = 1 and x = 2. f'(x) = 0 at x = 1 and x = 2÷. f'(1) = 0 and f'(2) = 0Also it is given that  $\lim_{x \to 0} \left[ 1 + \frac{f(x)}{x^2} \right] = 3 \implies 1 + \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{f(x)}{x^2} = 3$  $\Rightarrow \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{f(x)}{x^2} = 2$  $\Rightarrow$  f(x) will be of the form  $ax^4 + bx^3 + 2x^2$ [:: f(x) is of four degree polynomial] Let  $f(x) = ax^4 + bx^3 + 2x^2 \Rightarrow f'(x)$  $= 4ax^{3} + 3bx^{2} + 4x$  $\Rightarrow$  f'(1) = 4a + 3b + 4 = 0...(i) and f'(2) = 32a + 12b + 8 = 08a + 3b + 2 = 0...(ii) On solving Eqs. (i) and (ii), we get  $a = \frac{1}{2}, b = -2$ :.  $f(x) = \frac{x^4}{2} - 2x^3 + 2x^2$  $\Rightarrow f(2) = 8 - 16 + 8 = 0$ **13**  $\phi'(x) = f'(x) + a$ ÷  $\phi'(0) = 0 \implies f'(0) + a = 0$  $a = 0 \qquad [\because f'(0) = 0]$  $\Rightarrow$ Also,  $\phi'(0) > 0$  [:: f''(0) > 0]  $\Rightarrow \phi(x)$  has relative minimum at x = 0 for all b, if a = 0**14** Let the number be x, then  $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + 16}$ On differentiating w.r.t. *x*, we get  $f'(x) = \frac{(x^2 + 16) \cdot 1 - x(2x)}{(x^2 + 16)^2}$  $= \frac{x^2 + 16 - 2x^2}{(x^2 + 16)^2} = \frac{16 - x^2}{(x^2 + 16)^2}$ ...(i) Put f'(x) = 0 for maxima or minima  $f'(x) = 0 \implies 16 - x^2 = 0$  $\Rightarrow$ x = 4, -4Again, on differentiating w.r.t. *x*, we get  $(x^{2} + 16)^{2}(-2x) - (16 - x^{2})$ ٩t

and maximum of  $g(x) = -\frac{(4c^2 + 4b^2)}{4(-1)}$ 

$$f''(x) = \frac{2(x^2 + 16)2x}{(x^2 + 16)^4}$$
  
x = 4, f''(x) < 0

 $\therefore f(x)$  is maximum at x = 4. and at x = -4, f''(x) > 0, f(x) is minimum.  $\therefore \text{ Least value of} \\ f(x) = \frac{-4}{16 + 16} = -\frac{1}{8}$ **15** Given,  $f(x) = ax + \frac{b}{x}$ On differentiating w.r.t. x, we get  $f'(x) = a - \frac{b}{x^2}$ For maxima or minima, put f'(x) = 0  $\Rightarrow \qquad x = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$ Again, differentiating w.r.t. x, we get  $f^{\prime\prime}(x) = \frac{2b}{x^3}$ At  $x = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}, f''(x) = \text{positive}$  $\Rightarrow f(x)$  is minimum at  $x = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$ .  $\therefore f(x)$  has the least value at  $x = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$ **16**  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\tan x}{x}, & x \neq 0\\ 1, & x = 0 \end{cases}$  $\frac{\tan x}{x} > 1, \ \forall \ x \neq 0$ As :. f(0 + h) > f(0) and f(0 - h) > f(0)At x = 0, f(x) attains minima. Now,  $f'(0) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h}$  $=\lim_{h\to 0}\frac{\frac{\tan h}{h}-1}{h}=\lim_{h\to 0}\frac{\tan h-h}{h^2}$  $[\text{using L' Hospital's rule}] = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{\sec^2 h - 1}{2h} [\because \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta - 1]$  $=\lim_{h\to 0}\frac{\tan^2 h}{2h^2}\cdot h=\frac{1}{2}\cdot 0=0$ Therefore, Statement II is true. Hence, both statements are true but Statement II is not the correct explanation of Statement I. **17** Given,  $f(x) = \cos^2 x + \sin x, x \in [0, \pi]$ Now,  $f'(x) = 2\cos x \left(-\sin x\right) + \cos x$  $= -2\sin x\cos x + \cos x$ For maximum or minimum put f'(x) = 0 $\Rightarrow -2\sin x \cos x + \cos x = 0$  $\cos x \left(-2\sin x+1\right)=0$  $\Rightarrow$  $\cos x = 0 \text{ or } \sin x = \frac{1}{2}$ ⇒  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\pi}{2}$ 

For absolute maximum and absolute minimum, we have to evaluate

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$$f(0), f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right), f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right), f(\pi)$$
  
At  $x = 0$ ,  
$$f(0) = \cos^2 0 + \sin 0 = 1^2 + 0 = 1$$
  
At  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}, f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \sin\frac{\pi}{6}$   
$$= \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{4} = 1.25$$
  
At  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  
$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \sin\frac{\pi}{2} = 0^2 + 1 = 1$$
  
At  $x = \pi$ ,  
$$f(\pi) = \cos^2 \pi + \sin \pi = (-1)^2 + 0 = 1$$
  
Hence, the absolute maximum value of  
 $f$  is 1.25 occurring at  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$  and the  
absolute minimum value of  $f$  is 1  
occurring at  $x = 0, \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\pi$ .

**Note** If close interval is given, to determine global maximum (minimum), check the value at all critical points as well as end points of a given interval.

**18** : 
$$f(x) = \frac{x}{4 + x + x^2}$$
  
On differentiating w.r.t. x, we get  
 $f'(x) = \frac{4 + x + x^2 - x(1 + 2x)}{(4 + x + x^2)^2}$   
For maximum, put  $f'(x) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{4 - x^2}{(4 + x + x^2)^2} = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2, -2$   
Both the values of x are not in the  
interval [-1, 1].  
 $\therefore f(-1) = \frac{-1}{4 - 1 + 1} = \frac{-1}{4}$   
 $f(1) = \frac{1}{4 + 1 + 1} = \frac{1}{6}$  (maximum)  
**19** Given,  $f(x) = x^2 \log x$   
On differentiating w.r.t. x, we get  
 $f'(x) = (2 \log x + 1) x$   
For a maximum, put  $f'(x) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (2 \log x + 1) x = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = e^{-1/2}, 0$   
 $\therefore 0 < e^{-1/2} < 1$   
None of these critical points lies in the  
interval [1, e].  
So, we only compute the value of  $f(x)$  at  
the end points 1 and e.  
We have,  $f(1) = 0, f(e) = e^2$   
Hence, greatest value of  $f(x) = e^2$   
**20** Let  $f(x) = 1 + \frac{10}{3(x^2 + 3x + \frac{7}{3})}$ 

$$= 1 + \frac{10}{3\left[\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{12}\right]}$$

So, the maximum value of f(x) at  $x = -\frac{3}{2}$  is  $f\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = 1 + \frac{10}{3\left(\frac{1}{12}\right)} = 1 + 40 = 41$ 

**21** Given,  $f(x) = \sec x + \log \cos^2 x$  $f(x) = \sec x + 2 \log(\cos x)$  $\Rightarrow$ Therefore,  $f'(x) = \sec x \tan x - 2 \tan x$  $= \tan x (\sec x - 2)$ f'(x) = 0 $\tan x = 0$  or sec  $x = 2 \Rightarrow \cos x = \frac{1}{2}$  $\Rightarrow$ Therefore, possible values of x are  $x = 0, x = \pi$  and  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  or  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$ . Again,  $f''(x) = \sec^2 x(\sec x - 2)$ +  $\tan x (\sec x \tan x)$  $= \sec^3 x + \sec x \tan^2 x - 2 \sec^2 x$  $= \sec x (\sec^2 x + \tan^2 x - 2 \sec x)$  $\Rightarrow f''(0) = 1 (1 + 0 - 2) = -1 < 0$ Therefore, x = 0 is a point of maxima.  $f^{\prime\prime}(\pi) = -1(1+0+2) = -3 < 0$ Therefore,  $x = \pi$  is a point of maxima.  $f''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 2(4+3-4) = 6 > 0$ Therefore,  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  is a point of minima.  $f''\left(\frac{5\pi}{3}\right) = 2(4+3-4) = 6 > 0$ Therefore,  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$  is a point of minima. Maximum value of y at x = 0 is 1 + 0 = 1.Maximum value of *y* at  $x = \pi$  is -1 + 0 = -1.Minimum value of y at  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  is  $2 + 2 \log \frac{1}{2} = 2 (1 - \log 2).$ Minimum value of y at  $x = \frac{5\pi}{3}$  is  $2 + 2 \log \frac{1}{2} = 2 (1 - \log 2).$ **22** Given,  $f(x) = \sin 2x - x$  $\Rightarrow f'(x) = 2\cos 2x - 1$ Put  $f'(x) = 0 \implies \cos 2x = \frac{1}{2}$  $\Rightarrow 2x = -\frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } \frac{\pi}{3} \Rightarrow x = -\frac{\pi}{6} \text{ or } \frac{\pi}{6}$ Now,  $f\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin(-\pi) + \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}$  $f\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin\left(-\frac{2\pi}{6}\right) + \frac{\pi}{6} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\pi}{6}$  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{6}\right) - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{\pi}{6}$ 

and  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin(\pi) - \frac{\pi}{2} = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ Clearly,  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  is the greatest value and  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  is the least. Therefore, difference  $=\frac{\pi}{2}+\frac{\pi}{2}=\pi$ **23** Given,  $y = x^{5/2}$  $\therefore \qquad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5}{2} x^{3/2}, \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{15}{4} x^{1/2}$ At x = 0,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ ,  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = 0$ and  $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$  is not defined, when x = 0, y = 0(0, 0) is a point of inflection. **24** Area of triangle,  $\Delta = \frac{1}{2} x \sqrt{h^2 - x^2}$  $\frac{d\Delta}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \sqrt{h^2 - x^2} + \frac{x(-2x)}{2\sqrt{h^2 - x^2}} \right] = 0$  $\Rightarrow x = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2}}$  $\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 \Delta}{dx^2} < 0 \text{ at } x = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2}}$  $\therefore \qquad \Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{h}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{h^2 - \frac{h^2}{2}} = \frac{h^2}{4}$ **25** Let the equation of drawn line be  $\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$ , where a > 3, b > 4, as the line passes through (3, 4) and meets the positive direction of coordinate axes. We have,  $\frac{3}{a} + \frac{4}{b} = 1 \Rightarrow b = \frac{4a}{(a-3)}$ Now, area of  $\triangle AOB$  $\Delta = \frac{1}{2}ab = \frac{2a^2}{(a-3)}$  $\frac{d\Delta}{d} = \frac{2a(a-6)}{(a-3)^2}$  $da (a-3)^2$ Clearly, a = 6 is the point of minima for  $\Delta$ . Thus,  $\Delta_{\min} = \frac{2 \times 36}{3} = 24$  sq units **26** Let  $f(x) = x^3 - px + q$ Maxima  $-\sqrt{p/3}$ Minima

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 $\sqrt{p/3}$ 

Then, 
$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - p$$
  
Put  $f'(x) = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \qquad x = \sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}, -\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}$   
Now,  $f''(x) = 6x$   
At  $x = \sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}, f''(x) = 6\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}} > 0$   
[minima]  
and at  $x = -\sqrt{\frac{p}{3}}, f''(x) < 0$  [maxima]

**27** We have, *AF* || *DE* and *AE* || *FD* 



Now, in  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle EDC$ ,  $\angle DEC = \angle BAC$ ,  $\angle ACB$  is common.  $\Rightarrow \qquad \triangle ABC \cong \triangle EDC$ Now,  $\frac{b-y}{b} = \frac{x}{c} \Rightarrow x = \frac{c}{b}(b-y)$ Now, S = Area of parallelogram AFDE = 2 (area of  $\triangle AEF$ )  $\Rightarrow \qquad S = 2\left(\frac{1}{2}xy\sin A\right)$   $= \frac{c}{b}(b-y)y\sin A$   $\frac{dS}{dy} = \left(\frac{c}{b}\sin A\right)(b-2y)$ Sign scheme of  $\frac{dS}{dy}$ ,  $\xrightarrow{+} \qquad + \qquad \frac{b}{b/2}$ Hence, S is maximum when  $y = \frac{b}{2}$ .  $\therefore S_{\max} = \frac{c}{b}\left(\frac{b}{2}\right) \times \frac{b}{2}\sin A$   $= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{2}bc\sin A\right) = \frac{1}{2}$  (area of  $\triangle ABC$ ) **28** We have,  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 6t^2 - 30t + 24 = 6(t-1)(t-4)$ and  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 6t - 18 = 6(t-3)$ Thus,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(t-1)(t-4)}{(t-3)}$ which indicates that t = 1, 3 and 4 are

which indicates that t = 1, 3 and 4 are the critical points of y = f(x). Now,  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \cdot \frac{dt}{dx}$  $= \frac{t^2 - 6t + 11}{(t - 3)^2} \times \frac{1}{6(t - 3)}$ 

At  $(t = 1), \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} < 0$  $\Rightarrow t = 1 \text{ is a point of local maxima.}$ At (t = 4),  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$  $\Rightarrow t = 4 \text{ is a point of local minima.}$ At (t = 3),  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  and  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  are not defined and change its sign.  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$  is unknown in the vicinity of t = 3, thus t = 3 is a point of neither maxima nor minima. Finally, maximum and minimum values of expression y = f(x) are 46 and -6, respectively. **29** Let  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the roots of the equation  $x^{2} - (a - 2) x - a + 1 = 0$ Then,  $\alpha + \beta = a - 2, \alpha\beta = -a + 1$  $z = \alpha^2 + \beta^2$ Let  $= (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta$  $= (a - 2)^{2} + 2 (a - 1)$  $= a^{2} - 2a + 2$  $\frac{dz}{da} = 2a - 2$ Put  $\frac{dz}{da} = 0$  , then a = 1 $\frac{d^2z}{da^2} = 2 > 0$ So, *z* has minima at a = 1. So,  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$  has least value for a = 1. This is because we have only one stationary value at which we have minima. Hence, a = 1. **30** Any tangent to the ellipse is  $\frac{x}{4}\cos t + \frac{y}{3}\sin t = 1$ , where the point of contact is  $(4\cos t, 3\sin t)$ or

or 
$$\frac{x}{4 \sec t} + \frac{y}{3 \csc t} = 1$$
,  
It means the axes  $Q$  (4sec  $t$ , 0) and

 $R(0, 3 \operatorname{cosec} t)$ .  $\therefore$  The distance of the line segment QR is

 $QR^{2} = D = 16 \sec^{2} t + 9 \operatorname{cosec}^{2} t$ So, the minimum value of *D* is  $(4 + 3)^{2}$ 

- or QR = 7.
- **31** Let *S* be the curved surface area of a cone.



OA = AC - OC = h - RIn  $\triangle OAB$ ,  $R^2 = r^2 + (h - R)^2$  $\Rightarrow r = \sqrt{2Rh - h^2}$  $\therefore \quad S = \pi r l = \pi (\sqrt{2Rh - h^2}) (\sqrt{h^2 + r^2})$  $=(\pi\sqrt{2Rh-h^2})(\sqrt{2Rh})$ Let  $S^2 = P$  $\therefore P = \pi^2 2R(2Rh^2 - h^3)$ Since, S is maximum, if P is maximum, then  $\frac{dP}{dh} = 2\pi^2 R (4Rh - 3h^2) = 0$  $\therefore \quad h = 0, \frac{4R}{3}$ Again, on differentiating  $\frac{dP}{dh}$ , we get  $\frac{d^2P}{dh^2} = 2 \pi^2 R (4R - 6h)$  $\frac{d^2P}{dh^2} < 0 \text{ at } h = \frac{4R}{2}$ **32** Let OC = x, CQ = rNow, OA = R [given] Height of the cone = h = x + R $\therefore$  Volume of the cone  $= V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$ ...(i) 0 Х Also, in right angled  $\triangle OCQ$ ,  $DC^{2} + CQ^{2} = OQ^{2}$   $DC^{2} + CQ^{2} = OQ^{2}$   $x^{2} + r^{2} = R^{2}$   $r^{2} = R^{2} - x^{2}$ From Eqs. (i) and (ii),  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi(R^{2} - x^{2})(x + R)$ ...(ii) ...(iii)  $[\because h = x + R]$ On differentiating Eq. (iii) w.r.t. x, we get  $\frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}\pi[(R^2 - x^2) - 2x(x + R)]$   $\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{\pi}{3}(R^2 - x^2 - 2x^2 - 2xR)$   $\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{\pi}{3}(R^2 - 2xR - 3x^2)$  $\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{\pi}{3}(R - 3x)(R + x)$ ...(iv) For maxima, put  $\frac{dV}{dx} = 0$  $\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}(R-3x)(R+x) = 0$  $\Rightarrow x = \frac{R}{3} \text{ or } x = -R \Rightarrow x = \frac{R}{3}$ 

[since, *x* cannot be negative]

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On differentiating Eq. (iv) w.r.t. x, we get

$$\frac{d^2 V}{dx^2} = \frac{\pi}{3} [(-3)(R+x) + (R-3x)]$$
$$= \frac{\pi}{3} (-2R - 6x) = -\frac{\pi}{3} (2R + 6x)$$
At  $x = \frac{R}{3}, \ \frac{d^2 V}{dx^2} = \frac{-\pi}{3} \left(2R + \frac{6R}{3}\right)$ 
$$= -\frac{4\pi}{3} R < 0$$

So, *V* has a local maxima at x = R / 3. Now, on substituting the value of *x* in Eq. (iii), we get

$$V = \frac{\pi}{3} \left( R^2 - \frac{R^2}{9} \right) \left( R + \frac{R}{3} \right)$$
$$= \frac{\pi}{3} \cdot \frac{8R^2}{9} \cdot \frac{4R}{3} = \frac{8}{27} \left( \frac{4}{3} \pi R^3 \right)$$
$$\Rightarrow V = \frac{8}{27} \times \text{Volume of sphere}$$
$$(-a\cos\theta, b\sin\theta) \left[ (a\cos\theta, b\sin\theta) \right]$$

$$(-a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta) \quad (a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$$

$$X' \leftarrow C \qquad D$$

$$(-a \cos \theta, -b \sin \theta) \quad (a \cos \theta, -b \sin \theta)$$

$$Y' \qquad Area of rectangle ABCD = (2a \cos \theta) (2b \sin \theta) = 2ab \sin 2\theta$$
Hence, area of greatest rectangle is equal to 2ab when sin  $2\theta = 1$ .
$$f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$$

$$f'(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{x^2}$$
For maxima and minima, put  $f'(x) = 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \frac{1}{x^2} = 0 \Rightarrow x = \pm 1$$

Now, 
$$f''(x) = \frac{2}{x^3}$$

At x = 1, f''(x) = +ve [minima] and at x = -1, f''(x) = -ve [maxima] Thus, f(x) attains minimum value at x = 1.

**35** Given that, 
$$f(x) = (x + 1)^{1/3} - (x - 1)^{1/3}$$
  
On differentiating w.r.t. *x*, we get  

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{(x + 1)^{2/3}} - \frac{1}{(x - 1)^{2/3}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{(x - 1)^{2/3} - (x + 1)^{2/3}}{3(x^2 - 1)^{2/3}}$$
Clearly,  $f'(x)$  does not exist at  $x = \pm 1$ .  
Now, put  $f'(x) = 0$ , then  
 $(x - 1)^{2/3} = (x + 1)^{2/3} \Rightarrow x = 0$   
At  $x = 0$   
 $f(x) = (0 + 1)^{1/3} - (0 - 1)^{1/3} = 2$   
Hence, the greatest value of  $f(x)$  is 2.  
**36**  $\because y^2 = 8x$ . But  $y^2 = 4ax$   
 $\Rightarrow 4a = 8 \Rightarrow a = 2$ 

Any point on parabola is  $(at^2, 2at)$ , i.e.,  $(2t^2, 4t)$ . For its minimum distance from the circle means its distance from the centre (0, -6) of the circle. Let  $z = (2t^2)^2 + (4t+6)^2$  $=4(t^4+4t^2+12t+9)$  $\frac{dz}{dt} = 4(4t^3 + 8t + 12)$ *.*.. dt  $16(t^3+2t+3)=0$  $\Rightarrow$  $\Rightarrow$  $(t+1)(t^2-t+3)=0$  $\Rightarrow$ t = -1 $\Rightarrow \frac{d^2z}{dt^2} = 16(3t^2 + 2) > 0, \text{ hence minimum.}$ So, point is (2, - 4). **37** We know that, volume of cylinder,  $V = \pi R^2 h$ h/2 0 h/2 In  $\triangle OCA$ ,  $r^2 = \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^2 + R^2$  $R^2 = r^2 - \frac{h^2}{4}$  $V = \pi \left( r^2 - \frac{h^2}{4} \right) h$  $V = \pi r^2 h - \frac{\pi}{4} h^3 \dots$ (i)  $\Rightarrow$ On differentiating Eq. (i) both sides w.r.t. h, we get  $\frac{dV}{dh} = \pi r^2 - \frac{3\pi h^2}{4}$  $\frac{d^2 V}{dh^2} = \frac{-3\pi h}{2}$ For maximum or minimum value of V,  $\frac{dV}{dh} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \pi r^2 - \frac{3\pi h^2}{4} = 0$  $\Rightarrow h^2 = \frac{4r^2}{3} \Rightarrow h = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}r$ Now,  $\left(\frac{d^2 V}{dh^2}\right)_{h=\frac{2r}{c}} = -\sqrt{3}\pi r < 0$ Thus, *V* is maximum when  $h = \frac{2r}{\sqrt{2}}$ , then  $R^{2} = r^{2} - \frac{h^{2}}{4} = r^{2} - \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{2r}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^{2} = \frac{2}{3}r^{2}$  $\operatorname{Max} V = \pi R^2 h = \frac{4\pi r^3}{3\sqrt{3}}$ **38** Let  $f(x) = -x^3 + 3x^2 + 9x - 27$ The slope of this curve  $f'(x) = -3x^2 + 6x + 9$ 

On differentiating w.r.t. x, we get g'(x) = -6x + 6For maxima or minima put g'(x) = 0 $\Rightarrow$ x = 1Now, g''(x) = -6 < 0 and hence, at x = 1, g(x) (slope) will have maximum value.  $\therefore [g(1)]_{\max} = -3 \times 1 + 6(1) + 9 = 12$ **39** Given,  $ab = 2a + 3b \implies (a - 3)b = 2a$  $b = \frac{2a}{a-3}$  $\Rightarrow$ Now, let  $z = ab = \frac{2a^2}{a-3}$ On differentiating w.r.t. *x*, we get  $\frac{dz}{dz} = \frac{2 \left[ (a-3) 2 a - a^2 \right]}{2 \left[ a^2 - 6a \right]} = \frac{2 \left[ a^2 - 6a \right]}{2 \left[ a^2 - 6a \right]}$  $(a-3)^2$ da  $(a - 3)^2$ For a minimum, put  $\frac{dz}{da} = 0$  $\Rightarrow a^2 - 6a = 0$  $\Rightarrow$ *a* = 0, 6 At a = 6,  $\frac{d^2z}{da^2} = \text{positive}$ When a = 6, b = 4 $\therefore (ab)_{\min} = 6 \times 4 = 24$ **40** :: Perimeter of a sector = pLet AOB be the sector with radius r. If angle of the sector be  $\theta$  radians, then area of sector,  $A = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \theta$ ...(i) and length of arc,  $s = r \theta \implies \theta = \frac{s}{r}$  $\therefore$  Perimeter of the sector p = r + s + r = 2r + s ...(ii) On substituting  $\theta = \frac{s}{r}$  in Eq. (i), we get  $A = \left(\frac{1}{2}r^2\right)\left(\frac{s}{r}\right) = \frac{1}{2}rs \implies s = \frac{2A}{r}$ Now, on substituting the value of *s* in Eq. (ii), we get  $p = 2r + \left(\frac{2A}{r}\right) \Rightarrow 2A = pr - 2r^2$ On differentiating w.r.t. r, we get  $2 \frac{dA}{dr} = p - 4r$ For the maximum area, put  $\frac{dA}{dr} = 0$ p - 4r = 0 $\Rightarrow$  $r = \frac{p}{4}$  $\Rightarrow$ 

Let

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

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### **SESSION 2**

**1** Let radius vector is r.  

$$\therefore r^{2} = x^{2} + y^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^{2} = \frac{a^{2}y^{2}}{y^{2} - b^{2}} + y^{2} \quad \left(\because \frac{a^{2}}{x^{2}} + \frac{b^{2}}{y^{2}} = 1\right)$$
For minimum value of r,  

$$\frac{d(r^{2})}{dy} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{-2yb^{2}a^{2}}{(y^{2} - b^{2})^{2}} + 2y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{2} = b(a + b)$$

$$\therefore x^{2} = a(a + b)$$

$$\Rightarrow r^{2} = (a + b)^{2} \Rightarrow r = a + b$$

**2** Bold line represents the graph of y = g(x), clearly g(x) has neither a point of local maxima nor a point of local minima.



**3** Clearly, f(x) in increasing just before x = 3 and decreasing after x = 3. For x = 3 to be the point of local maxima.  $f(3) \ge f(3-0)$  $-15 \ge 12 - 27 + \log (a^2 - 3a + 3)$  $\Rightarrow$  $0 < a^2 - 3a + 3 \le 1 \Longrightarrow 1 \le a \le 2$  $\Rightarrow$ **4** (Slope)  $f'(x) = e^x \cos x + \sin x e^x$  $= e^{x}\sqrt{2} \sin(x + \pi/4)$  $f''(x) = \sqrt{2}e^x \{\sin(x + \pi/4)\}$  $+ \cos (x + \pi/4) \}$  $= 2e^x \cdot \sin(x + \pi/2)$ For maximum slope, put f''(x) = 0 $\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$  $\Rightarrow$  $\Rightarrow$  $\cos x = 0$  $\begin{array}{l} x = \pi/2, \, 3\pi/2 \\ f^{\prime\prime\prime}(x) = 2e^x \cos{(x + \pi/2)} \end{array}$ ÷.  $f^{\prime\prime\prime}(\pi/2) = 2e^x \cdot \cos \pi = -ve$ Maximum slope is at  $x = \pi/2$ . **5**  $f'(x) = \begin{cases} 3(2+x)^2, -3 < x \le -1 \\ \frac{2}{2}x^{-1/3}, -1 < x < 2 \end{cases}$ (-2, 0)/(-1, 0)(-3, 0)

local maxima at x = -1. Also, f'(0) does not exist but  $f'(0^{-}) < 0$ and  $f'(0^+) > 0$ . It can only be inferred that f(x) has a possibility of a minimum at x = 0. Hence, it has one local maxima at x = -1 and one local minima at x = 0So, total number of local maxima and local minima is 2. **6** Total length =  $2r + r\theta = 20$ rθ  $\theta = \frac{20 - 2r}{r}$ Now, area of flower-bed,  $A = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \theta$  $A = 10r - r^{2}$  $\frac{dA}{dr} = 10 - 2r$ For maxima or minima, put  $\frac{dA}{dr} = 0$ .  $\Rightarrow$  $10 - 2r = 0 \Rightarrow r = 5$  $A_{\max} = \frac{1}{2} (5)^2 \left[ \frac{20 - 2(5)}{5} \right]$  $=\frac{1}{2} \times 25 \times 2 = 25$  sq m **7** Let  $c = av + \frac{b}{v}$ ...(i) When v = 30 km/ h, then c = ₹ 75 $75 = 30 a + \frac{b}{30}$ *:*. ...(ii) When v = 40 km/h, then c = ₹ 65  $\therefore \qquad 65 = 40 a + \frac{b}{40}$ ...(iii) On solving Eqs. (ii) and (iii), we get  $a = \frac{1}{2}$  and b = 1800On differentiating w.r.t. v in Eq. (i),  $\frac{dc}{dv} = a - \frac{b}{v^2}$ For maximum or minimum c,3 $\frac{dc}{dv} = 0 \implies v = \pm \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$  $\Rightarrow \frac{d^2c}{dv^2} = \frac{2b}{v^3} \text{ at } v = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}, \frac{dx}{dv^2} > 0$ 

Clearly, f'(x) changes its sign at x = -1

from positive to negative and so f(x) has

So, at  $v = \sqrt{\frac{b}{a}}$  the speed is most economical. ∴ Most economical speed is  $c = a\sqrt{\frac{b}{a}} + b\sqrt{\frac{a}{b}} = 2\sqrt{ab}$  $c = 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \times 1800} = 2 \times 30$ c = 60 $\mathbf{8} \ f(x) = \begin{cases} |x^2 - 2|, -1 \le x < \sqrt{3} \\ \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}, \sqrt{3} \le x < 2\sqrt{3} \end{cases}$  $y = |x^2 - 2|$ v=3From the above graph, Maximum occurs at x = 0 and minimum at x = 4.  $|x^3 + x^2 + 3x + \sin x|$  $\left(3+\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)\right),$  $x \neq 0$ **9** f(x) =x = 0Let  $g(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 3x + \sin x$  $g'(x) = 3x^2 + 2x + 3 + \cos x$  $= 3\left(x^{2} + \frac{2x}{2} + 1\right) + \cos x$  $= 3 \left\{ \left( x + \frac{1}{3} \right)^2 + \frac{8}{9} \right\} + \cos x > 0$ and  $2 < 3 + \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) < 4$ Hence, minimum value of f(x) is 0 at x = 0.Hence, number of points = 1**10** According to given information, we have Perimeter of square + Perimeter of circle = 2 units  $4x + 2\pi r = 2$  $r = \frac{1 - 2x}{1 - 2x}$ ...(i) Now, let A be the sum of the areas of the square and the circle. Then,  $A = x^{2} + \pi r^{2}$  $= x^{2} + \pi \left(\frac{(1-2x)^{2}}{\pi^{2}}\right)$  $\Rightarrow A(x) = x^{2} + \frac{(1-2x)^{2}}{\pi}$ 

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Now, for minimum value of A(x),  $\frac{dA}{dA} = 0$ 

$$\frac{dx}{\pi} \cdot (-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad 2x + \frac{2(1-2x)}{\pi} \cdot (-2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad x = \frac{2-4x}{\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \pi x + 4x = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad x = \frac{2}{\pi + 4} \qquad \dots (ii)$$
Now, from Eq. (i), we get
$$2$$

$$r = \frac{1 - 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{\pi + 4}}{\frac{\pi}{\pi}}$$
$$= \frac{\pi + 4 - 4}{\pi(\pi + 4)} = \frac{1}{\pi + 4} \dots (\text{iii})$$
n Eqs. (ii) and (iii), we get

From Eqs. (ii) and (iii), we get 
$$x = 2r$$

**11** We have,

$$f(x) = x^{2} + \frac{1}{x^{2}} \text{ and } g(x) = x - \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$$

$$\therefore h(x) = \frac{x^{2} + \frac{1}{x^{2}}}{x - \frac{1}{x}} = \frac{\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^{2} + 2}{x - \frac{1}{x}}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(x) = \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) + \frac{2}{x - \frac{1}{x}}$$

$$x - \frac{1}{x} > 0, \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) + \frac{2}{x - \frac{1}{x}} \in [2\sqrt{2}, \infty]$$

$$x - \frac{1}{x} < 0,$$

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right) + \frac{2}{x - \frac{1}{x}} \in (-\infty, 2\sqrt{2}]$$

: Local minimum value is  $2\sqrt{2}$ .

**12** Consider the function

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2}{(x^3 + 200)}$$
$$f'(x) = x \frac{(400 - x^3)}{(x^3 + 200)^2} = 0$$
when  $x = (400)^{1/3}$ ,  $(\because x \neq 0)$ 

$$x = (400)^{1/3} - h \Rightarrow f'(x) > 0$$
  
x = (400)^{1/3} + h ⇒ f'(x) < 0  
∴ f(x) has maxima at x = (400)^{1/3}

Since,  $7 < (400)^{1/3} < 8$ , either  $a_7$  or  $a_8$  is the greatest term of the sequence.

$$\therefore \qquad a_7 = \frac{49}{543}$$
  
and 
$$a_8 = \frac{8}{89}$$

and 
$$\frac{49}{543} > \frac{8}{89}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_7 = \frac{49}{543}$$
 is the greatest term.
  
**13**  $f(x) = x^3 - 3(7 - a)x^2 - 3(9 - a^2)x + 2$   
 $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6(7 - a)x - 3(9 - a^2)$   
For real root  $D \ge 0$ ,  
 $\Rightarrow 49 + a^2 - 14a + 9 - a^2 \ge 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a \le \frac{58}{14}$   
For local minimum  
 $f''(x) = 6x - 6(7 - a) > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 7 - x$   
has x must be negative  
 $\Rightarrow 7 - a < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a > 7$   
Thus constradictory, *i.e.*, for real roots  
 $a \le \frac{58}{14}$  and for negative point of local  
minimum  $a > 7$ .  
No possible values of  $a$ .

**14** From the given figure coordinate of Q is (-1, 0).

The equation of circle centre at Q with variable radius r is



 $(x + 1)^{2} + y^{2} = r^{2} \qquad \dots(i)$ This circle meets the line segment QP at S, where QS = rIt meets the circle  $x^{2} + y^{2} = 1$  at  $\dots(ii)$  $R\left(\frac{r^{2}-2}{2}, \frac{r}{2}\sqrt{4-r^{2}}\right)$ [on solving Eqs. (i) and (ii)  $A = \text{Area of } \Delta QSR$  $= \frac{1}{2} \times QS \times RT$  $= \frac{1}{2}r\left(\frac{r}{2} \cdot \sqrt{4-r^{2}}\right)$ [since, RT is the y-coordinate of R]  $= \frac{1}{4}[r^{2}\sqrt{4-r^{2}}]$  $\therefore \qquad \frac{dA}{dr} = \frac{1}{4}\left\{2r\sqrt{4-r^{2}} + \frac{r^{2}(-r)}{\sqrt{4-r^{2}}}\right\}$ 

$$\therefore \quad \frac{dr}{dr} = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ 2r \sqrt{4 - r^2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4 - r^2}} \right\}$$
$$= \frac{\left\{ 2r \left(4 - r^2\right) - r^3 \right\}}{4\sqrt{4 - r^2}}$$

 $=\frac{8r-3 r^{3}}{4\sqrt{4-r^{2}}}$  $\frac{dA}{dr} = 0$ , when  $r (8 - 3 r^2) = 0$  giving  $r = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}}$  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4\sqrt{4 - r^2}} (8 - 9r^2) \\
\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 A}{dr^2} = \frac{-(8r - 3r^3)\frac{(-4r)}{\sqrt{4 - r^2}}}{16(4 - r^2)} \\
\text{When} \qquad r = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}}, \text{ then } \frac{d^2 A}{dr^2} < 0$ Hence, A is maximum when  $r = \sqrt{\frac{8}{3}}$ . Then, maximum area  $=\frac{8}{4\times3}\sqrt{4-\frac{8}{3}}=\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9}$  sq unit 15 Given,  $P(x) = x^4 + a x^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$  $\Rightarrow P'(x) = 4x^3 + 3ax^2 + 2bx + c$ Since, x = 0 is a solution for P'(x) = 0, then c = 0 $\therefore \quad P(x) = x^4 + ax^3 + bx^2 + d$ ...(i) Also, we have P(-1) < P(1) $\Rightarrow 1-a+b+d < 1+a+b+d$ a > 0 $\rightarrow$ Since, P'(x) = 0, only when x = 0 and P(x) is differentiable in (-1, 1), we should have the maximum and minimum at the points x = -1, 0 and 1. Also, we have P(-1) < P(1) $\therefore$  Maximum of  $P(x) = Max \{P(0), P(1)\}$ and minimum of P(x) = Min $\{P(-1), P(0)\}$ In the interval [0, 1],  $P'(x) = 4x^3 + 3ax^2 + 2bx$  $= x (4x^{2} + 3ax + 2b)$ Since, P'(x) has only one root x = 0, then  $4x^2 + 3ax + 2b = 0$  has no real roots.  $\therefore \quad (3a)^2 - 32b < 0$  $\frac{9\,\alpha^2}{32} < b$  $\Rightarrow$ b > 0Thus, we have a > 0 and b > 0.  $\therefore P'(x) = 4x^3 + 3ax^2 + 2bx > 0,$  $\forall x \in (0, 1)$ Hence, P(x) is increasing in [0, 1].  $\therefore$  Maximum of P(x) = P(1)

Similarly, P(x) is decreasing in [-1, 0]. Therefore, minimum P(x) does not occur at x = -1.

