

6. If $y = e^{\frac{1}{x^2}} + \frac{1}{e^{x^2}}$, then find $\frac{dy}{dx}$

$$y = e^{x^{-2}} + e^{-x^2}$$

$$y' = \frac{-2}{x^3} e^{x^{-2}} - 2x e^{-x^2}$$

7 Let $f(x) = xe^{\frac{x}{2}}$. Where is $f(x)$ increasing, decreasing, concave up, and concave down? Find the local maxima, local minima, and points of inflection of $y = f(x)$. Find all vertical and horizontal asymptotes of $y = f(x)$. Graph $y = f(x)$.

$$f'(x) = \frac{x}{2} e^{\frac{x}{2}} + e^{\frac{x}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} e^{\frac{x}{2}} (x+2)$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{1}{2} e^{\frac{x}{2}} + \frac{1}{4} e^{\frac{x}{2}} (x+2) \\ = \frac{1}{4} e^{\frac{x}{2}} (x+4)$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} f' \text{ neg} & f' \text{ pos} \\ \hline & -2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} f'' \text{ neg} & f'' \text{ pos} \\ \hline & -4 \end{array}$$

No ver asy because $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) \neq \infty$

For any numbers ϵ

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f = \infty$$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f = 0$ Actually this requires L'Hopital's rule

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f = 0 \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f = \infty$$

These two parts of the problem fight one another
But $e^{\frac{x}{2}}$ wins.

So $y=0$ is a hor. asy

f increases for $-2 \leq x$
 f decreases for $x \leq -2$
 f is c.u. for $-4 \leq x$
 f is c.d. for $x \leq -4$

$(-4, f(-4))$ is a p.o.f.i.
 $(-2, f(-2))$ is a loc. min

