

39. $f(x) = x^n$
 $g(x) = -x^n = -f(x), \quad n = 2, 3, 4, \dots$
 $f'_n(x) = nx^{n-1} = 0$ at $x = 0$
 If n is even, f_n has a loc min, g_n has a loc max at $x = 0$.
 If n is odd, f_n has an inflection at $x = 0$, and so does g_n .

40. Let there be a function f such that

$$f'(x_0) = f''(x_0) = \dots = f^{(k-1)}(x_0) = 0,$$

$$f^{(k)}(x_0) \neq 0 \quad \text{for some } k \geq 2.$$

If k is even, then f has a local min value at $x = x_0$ when $f^{(k)}(x_0) > 0$, and f has a local max value at $x = x_0$ when $f^{(k)}(x_0) < 0$.
 If k is odd, then f has an inflection point at $x = x_0$.

41. $f(x) = \begin{cases} e^{-1/x^2} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{-n} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^{-1/x^2}}{x^n}$ (put $y = 1/x$)
 $= \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} y^n e^{-y^2} = 0$ by Theorem 5 of Sec. 4.4

Similarly, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} x^{-n} f(x) = 0$, and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{-n} f(x) = 0$.

- b) If $P(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n a_j x^j$ then by (a)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} P\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n a_j \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{-j} f(x) = 0.$$

- c) If $x \neq 0$ and $P_1(t) = 2t^3$, then

$$f'(x) = \frac{2}{x^3} e^{-1/x^2} = P_1\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x).$$

Assume that $f^{(k)}(x) = P_k\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x)$ for some $k \geq 1$, where P_k is a polynomial. Then

$$f^{(k+1)}(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2} P'_k\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x) + P_k\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) P_1\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x)$$

$$= P_{k+1}\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x),$$

where $P_{k+1}(t) = t^2 P'_k(t) + P_1(t) P_k(t)$ is a polynomial.

By induction, $f^{(n)} = P_n\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) f(x)$ for $n \neq 0$, where P_n is a polynomial.

d) $f'(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^{-1} f(h) = 0$ by

- (a). Suppose that $f^{(k)}(0) = 0$ for some $k \geq 1$. Then

$$f^{(k+1)}(0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f^{(k)}(h) - f^{(k)}(0)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^{-1} f^{(k)}(h)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^{-1} P_k\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) f(h) = 0$$

by (b).

Thus $f^{(n)}(0) = 0$ for $n = 1, 2, \dots$ by induction.

- e) Since $f'(x) < 0$ if $x < 0$ and $f'(x) > 0$ if $x > 0$, therefore f has a local min value at 0 and $-f$ has a loc max value there.

- f) If $g(x) = x f(x)$ then $g'(x) = f(x) + x f'(x)$,
 $g''(x) = 2f'(x) + x f''(x)$.
 In general, $g^{(n)}(x) = n f^{(n-1)}(x) + x f^{(n)}(x)$ (by induction).

Then $g^{(n)}(0) = 0$ for all n (by (d)).

Since $g(x) < 0$ if $x < 0$ and $g(x) > 0$ if $x > 0$, g cannot have a max or min value at 0. It must have an inflection point there.

42. We are given that

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0; \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

If $x \neq 0$, then

$$f'(x) = 2x \sin \frac{1}{x} - \cos \frac{1}{x}$$

$$f''(x) = 2 \sin \frac{1}{x} - \frac{2}{x} \cos \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x^2} \sin \frac{1}{x}.$$

If $x = 0$, then

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 \sin \frac{1}{h} - 0}{h} = 0.$$

Thus 0 is a critical point of f . There are points x arbitrarily close to 0 where $f(x) > 0$, for example

$$x = \frac{2}{(4n+1)\pi}, \text{ and other such points where } f(x) < 0,$$

for example $x = \frac{2}{(4n+3)\pi}$. Therefore f does not have a local max or min at $x = 0$. Also, there are points

arbitrarily close to 0 where $f''(x) > 0$, for example

$$x = \frac{1}{(2n+1)\pi}, \text{ and other such points where } f''(x) < 0,$$

for instance $x = \frac{1}{2n\pi}$. Therefore f does not have constant concavity on any interval $(0, a)$ where $a > 0$, so 0 is not an inflection point of f either.

27. $y = \frac{x^3 - 3x^2 + 1}{x^3} = 1 - \frac{3}{x} + \frac{1}{x^3}$

$y' = \frac{3}{x^2} - \frac{3}{x^4} = \frac{3(x^2 - 1)}{x^4}$

$y'' = -\frac{6}{x^3} + \frac{12}{x^5} = 6\frac{2-x^2}{x^5}$

From y : Asymptotes: $y = 1, x = 0$. Symmetry: none.
Intercepts: since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} y = \infty$, and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} y = -\infty$, there are intercepts between -1 and 0 , between 0 and 1 , and between 2 and 3 .

Points: $(-1, 3), (1, -1), (2, -\frac{3}{8}), (3, \frac{1}{27})$.

From y' : CP: $x = \pm 1$.

	CP	ASY	CP	
y'	$+$	$-$	0	$-$
	-1	0	1	$+$
y	\nearrow	loc max	\searrow	loc min

From y'' : $y'' = 0$ at $x = \pm\sqrt{2}$.

	ASY			
y''	$+$	$-\sqrt{2}$	0	$+\sqrt{2}$
	$-\sqrt{2}$	0	$+\sqrt{2}$	$-$
y	\searrow	infl	\searrow	infl

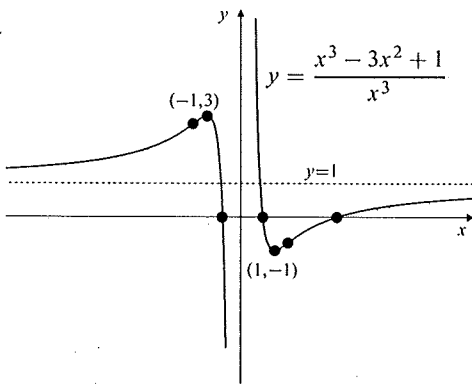


Fig. 4.6.27

28. $y = x + \sin x, y' = 1 + \cos x, y'' = -\sin x$.
From y : Intercept: $(0, 0)$. Other points: $(k\pi, k\pi)$, where k is an integer. Symmetry: odd.
From y' : Critical point: $x = (2k + 1)\pi$, where k is an integer.

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	CP	CP	CP	
f'	$+$	$+$	$-$	$+$
	$-\pi$	π	3π	$+$
f	\nearrow	\nearrow	\searrow	\nearrow

From y'' : $y'' = 0$ at $x = k\pi$, where k is an integer.

	-2π	$-\pi$	0	$-\pi$	2π	$-$
y''	$+$	$+$	$+$	$+$	$+$	$+$
y	\searrow	infl	\searrow	infl	\searrow	infl

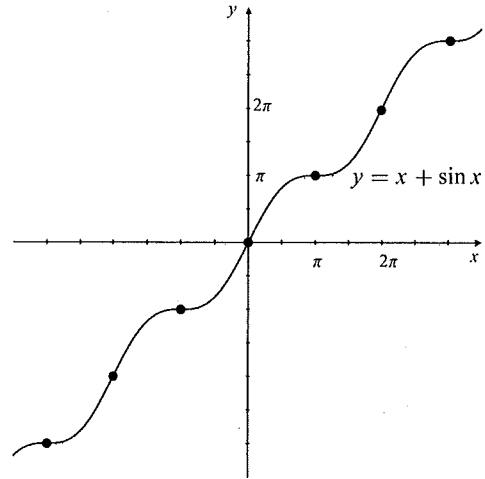


Fig. 4.6.28

29. $y = x + 2 \sin x, y' = 1 + 2 \cos x, y'' = -2 \sin x$.
 $y = 0$ if $x = 0$

$y' = 0$ if $x = \frac{1}{2}, \text{ i.e., } x = \pm \frac{2\pi}{3} \pm 2n\pi$

$y'' = 0$ if $x = \pm n\pi$

From y : Asymptotes: (none). Symmetry: odd.

Points: $(\pm \frac{2\pi}{3}, \pm \frac{2\pi}{3} + \sqrt{3}), (\pm \frac{8\pi}{3}, \pm \frac{8\pi}{3} + \sqrt{3}), (\pm \frac{4\pi}{3}, \pm \frac{4\pi}{3} - \sqrt{3})$.

From y' : CP: $x = \pm \frac{2\pi}{3} \pm 2n\pi$.

	CP	CP	CP	CP	CP	
y'	$-$	$+$	$-$	$+$	$-$	$+$
	$-\frac{8\pi}{3}$	$-\frac{4\pi}{3}$	$-\frac{2\pi}{3}$	$\frac{2\pi}{3}$	$\frac{4\pi}{3}$	$\frac{8\pi}{3}$
y	\searrow	loc min	\nearrow	loc max	\searrow	loc min

From y'' : $y'' = 0$ at $x = \pm n\pi$.

	-2π	$-\pi$	0	$-\pi$	2π	$-$
y''	$+$	$+$	$+$	$+$	$+$	$+$
y	\searrow	infl	\searrow	infl	\searrow	infl

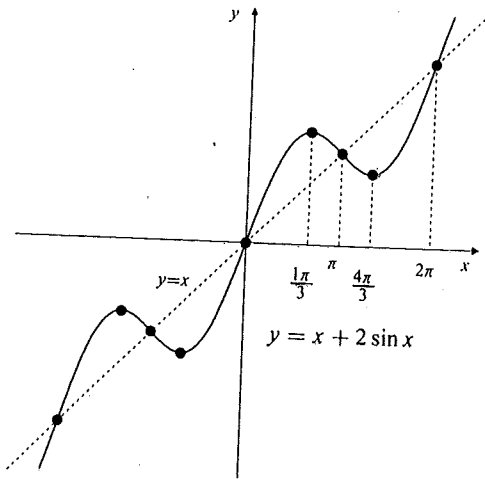


Fig. 4.6.29

From y'' : $y'' = 0$ at $x = -2$.

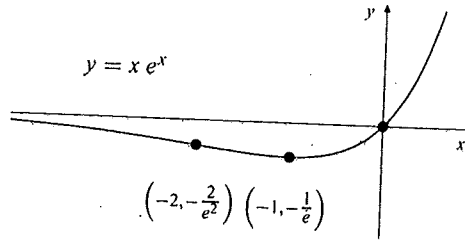
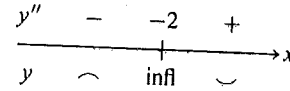
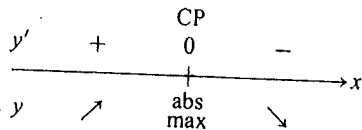


Fig. 4.6.31

30. $y = e^{-x^2}$, $y' = -2xe^{-x^2}$, $y'' = (4x^2 - 2)e^{-x^2}$.
 From y : Intercept: $(0, 1)$. Asymptotes: $y = 0$ (horizontal). Symmetry: even.
 From y' : Critical point: $x = 0$.



From y'' : $y'' = 0$ at $x = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$.

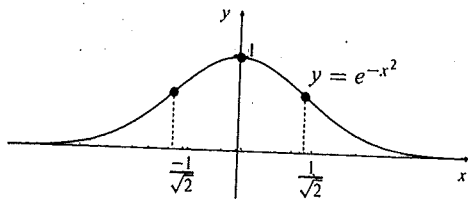
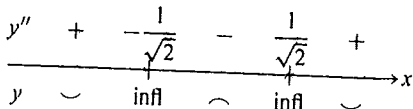
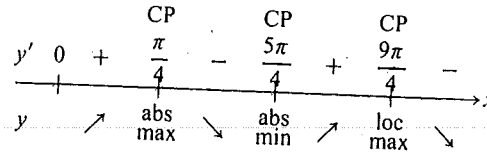
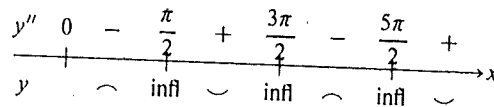


Fig. 4.6.30

32. $y = e^{-x} \sin x$ ($x \geq 0$),
 $y' = e^{-x}(\cos x - \sin x)$, $y'' = -2e^{-x} \cos x$.
 From y : Intercept: $(k\pi, 0)$, where k is an integer.
 Asymptotes: $y = 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$.
 From y' : Critical points: $x = \frac{\pi}{4} + k\pi$, where k is an integer.



From y'' : $y'' = 0$ at $x = (k + \frac{1}{2})\pi$, where k is an integer.



31. $y = xe^x$, $y' = e^x(1+x)$, $y'' = e^x(2+x)$.
 From y : Asymptotes: $y = 0$ (at $x = -\infty$).
 Symmetry: none. Intercept $(0, 0)$.
 Points: $(-1, -\frac{1}{e})$, $(-2, -\frac{2}{e^2})$.
 From y' : CP: $x = -1$.

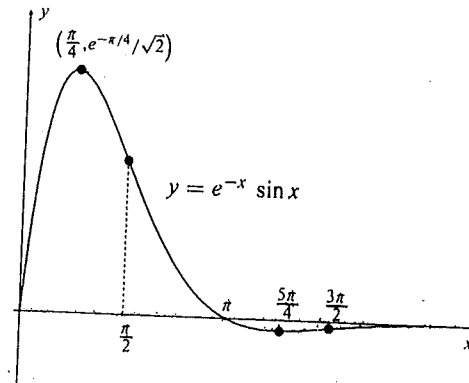
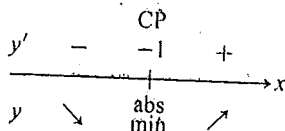


Fig. 4.6.32

Since $V(0) = V(35) = 0$, the maximum value will occur at a critical point:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= V'(x) = 4(2625 - 220x + 3x^2) \\ &= 4(3x - 175)(x - 15) \\ \Rightarrow x &= 15 \text{ or } \frac{175}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

The only critical point in $[0, 35]$ is $x = 15$. Thus, the largest possible volume for the box is

$$V(15) = 15(70 - 30)(150 - 30) = 72,000 \text{ cm}^3.$$

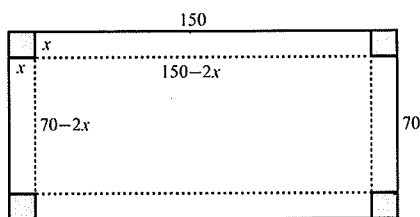


Fig. 4.8.18

19. Let the rebate be $\$x$. Then number of cars sold per month is

$$2000 + 200\left(\frac{x}{50}\right) = 2000 + 4x.$$

The profit per car is $1000 - x$, so the total monthly profit is

$$\begin{aligned} P &= (2000 + 4x)(1000 - x) = 4(500 + x)(1000 - x) \\ &= 4(500,000 + 500x - x^2). \end{aligned}$$

For maximum profit:

$$0 = \frac{dP}{dx} = 4(500 - 2x) \Rightarrow x = 250.$$

(Since $\frac{d^2P}{dx^2} = -8 < 0$ any critical point gives a local max.) The manufacturer should offer a rebate of $\$250$ to maximize profit.

20. If the manager charges $\$(40+x)$ per room, then $(80-2x)$ rooms will be rented. The total income will be $\$(80-2x)(40+x)$ and the total cost will be $\$(80-2x)(10) + (2x)(2)$. Therefore, the profit is

$$\begin{aligned} P(x) &= (80 - 2x)(40 + x) - [(80 - 2x)(10) + (2x)(2)] \\ &= 2400 + 16x - 2x^2 \quad \text{for } x > 0. \end{aligned}$$

If $P'(x) = 16 - 4x = 0$, then $x = 4$. Since $P''(x) = -4 < 0$, P must have a maximum value at $x = 4$. Therefore, the manager should charge $\$44$ per room.

21. Head for point C on road x km east of A . Travel time is

$$T = \frac{\sqrt{12^2 + x^2}}{15} + \frac{10 - x}{39}.$$

We have $T(0) = \frac{12}{15} + \frac{10}{39} = 1.0564$ hrs

$$T(10) = \frac{\sqrt{244}}{15} = 1.0414 \text{ hrs}$$

For critical points:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{dT}{dx} = \frac{1}{15} \frac{x}{\sqrt{12^2 + x^2}} - \frac{1}{39} \\ \Rightarrow 13x &= 5\sqrt{12^2 + x^2} \\ \Rightarrow (13^2 - 5^2)x^2 &= 5^2 \times 12^2 \Rightarrow x = 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$T(5) = \frac{13}{15} + \frac{5}{39} = 0.9949 < \begin{cases} T(0) \\ T(10). \end{cases}$$

(Or note that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2T}{dx^2} &= \frac{1}{15} \frac{\sqrt{12^2 + x^2} - \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{12^2 + x^2}}}{12^2 + x^2} \\ &= \frac{12^2}{15(12^2 + x^2)^{3/2}} > 0 \end{aligned}$$

so any critical point is a local minimum.) To minimize travel time, head for point 5 km east of A .

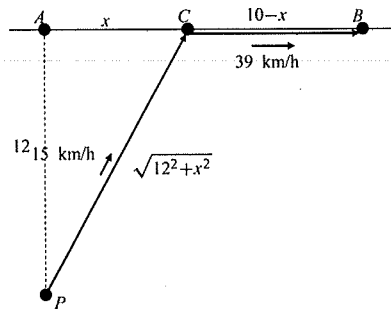


Fig. 4.8.21

22. This problem is similar to the previous one except that the 10 in the numerator of the second fraction in the expression for T is replaced with a 4 . This has no effect on the critical point of T , namely $x = 5$, which now lies outside the appropriate interval $0 \leq x \leq 4$. Minimum T must occur at an endpoint. Note that

$$\begin{aligned} T(0) &= \frac{12}{15} + \frac{4}{39} = 0.9026 \\ T(4) &= \frac{1}{15} \sqrt{12^2 + 4^2} = 0.8433. \end{aligned}$$

30. Let θ be the angle of inclination of the ladder. The height of the fence is

$$h(\theta) = 6 \sin \theta - 2 \tan \theta \quad \left(0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}\right).$$

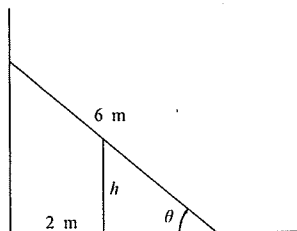


Fig. 4.8.30

For critical points:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= h'(\theta) = 6 \cos \theta - 2 \sec^2 \theta \\ \Rightarrow 3 \cos \theta &= \sec^2 \theta \Rightarrow 3 \cos^3 \theta = 1 \\ \Rightarrow \cos \theta &= \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{1/3}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $h''(\theta) = -6 \sin \theta - 4 \sec^2 \theta \tan \theta < 0$ for $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$, therefore $h(\theta)$ must be maximum at $\theta = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{1/3}$. Then

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3^{2/3} - 1}}{3^{1/3}}, \quad \tan \theta = \sqrt{3^{2/3} - 1}.$$

Thus, the maximum height of the fence is

$$\begin{aligned} h(\theta) &= 6 \left(\frac{\sqrt{3^{2/3} - 1}}{3^{1/3}} \right) - 2\sqrt{3^{2/3} - 1} \\ &= 2(3^{2/3} - 1)^{3/2} \approx 2.24 \text{ m.} \end{aligned}$$

31. Let (x, y) be a point on $x^2 y^4 = 1$. Then $x^2 y^4 = 1$ and the square of distance from (x, y) to $(0, 0)$ is $S = x^2 + y^2 = \frac{1}{y^4} + y^2$, ($y \neq 0$)
Clearly, $S \rightarrow \infty$ as $y \rightarrow 0$ or $y \rightarrow \pm\infty$, so minimum S must occur at a critical point. For CP:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{dS}{dy} = \frac{-4}{y^5} + 2y \Rightarrow y^6 = 2 \Rightarrow y = \pm 2^{1/6} \\ \Rightarrow x &= \pm \frac{1}{2^{1/3}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus the shortest distance from origin to curve is

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2^{2/3}} + 2^{1/3}} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2^{2/3}}} = \frac{3^{1/2}}{2^{1/3}} \text{ units.}$$

32. The square of the distance from $(8, 1)$ to the curve $y = 1 + x^{3/2}$ is

$$\begin{aligned} S &= (x - 8)^2 + (y - 1)^2 \\ &= (x - 8)^2 + (1 + x^{3/2} - 1)^2 \\ &= x^3 + x^2 - 16x + 64. \end{aligned}$$

Note that y , and therefore also S , is only defined for $x \geq 0$. If $x = 0$ then $S = 64$. Also, $S \rightarrow \infty$ if $x \rightarrow \infty$. For critical points:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{dS}{dx} = 3x^2 + 2x - 16 = (3x + 8)(x - 2) \\ \Rightarrow x &= -\frac{8}{3} \text{ or } 2. \end{aligned}$$

Only $x = 2$ is feasible. At $x = 2$ we have $S = 44 < 64$. Therefore the minimum distance is $\sqrt{44} = 2\sqrt{11}$ units.

33. Let the cylinder have radius r and height h . By symmetry, the centre of the cylinder is at the centre of the sphere. Thus

$$r^2 + \frac{h^2}{4} = R^2.$$

The volume of cylinder is

$$V = \pi r^2 h = \pi h \left(R^2 - \frac{h^2}{4} \right), \quad (0 \leq h \leq 2R).$$

Clearly, $V = 0$ if $h = 0$ or $h = 2R$, so maximum V occurs at a critical point. For CP:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{dV}{dh} = \pi \left[R^2 - \frac{h^2}{4} - \frac{2h^2}{4} \right] \\ \Rightarrow h^2 &= \frac{4}{3} R^2 \Rightarrow h = \frac{2R}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \Rightarrow r &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} R. \end{aligned}$$

The largest cylinder has height $\frac{2R}{\sqrt{3}}$ units and radius

$$\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} R \text{ units.}$$

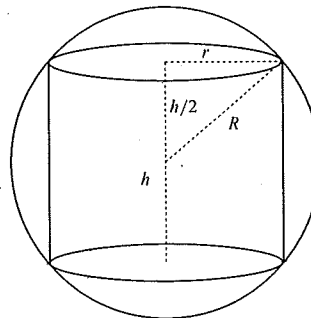


Fig. 4.8.33

$f''(x) < 0$ on $[81, 85]$ so error is negative: $\sqrt[4]{85} < \frac{82}{27}$.

$$|f''(x)| < \frac{3}{16 \times 3^7} = \frac{1}{11,664} = k \text{ on } [81, 85].$$

$$\text{Thus } |\text{Error}| \leq \frac{k}{2}(85 - 81)^2 = 0.00069.$$

$$\frac{82}{27} - \frac{1}{1458} < \sqrt[4]{85} < \frac{82}{27},$$

$$\text{or } 3.036351 \leq \sqrt[4]{85} \leq 3.037037$$

18. Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$, then $f'(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2}$ and $f''(x) = \frac{2}{x^3}$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2.003} &= f(2.003) \approx f(2) + f'(2)(0.003) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)(0.003) = 0.49925. \end{aligned}$$

If $x \geq 2$, then $|f''(x)| \leq \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$. Since $f''(x) > 0$ for $x > 0$, f is concave up. Therefore, the error

$$E = \frac{1}{2.003} - 0.49925 > 0$$

and

$$|E| < \frac{1}{8}(0.003)^2 = 0.000001125.$$

Thus,

$$0.49925 < \frac{1}{2.003} < 0.49925 + 0.000001125$$

$$0.49925 < \frac{1}{2.003} < 0.499251125.$$

19. $f(x) = \cos x$, $f'(x) = -\sin x$, $f''(x) = -\cos x$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 46^\circ &= \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{180}\right) \\ &\approx \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\left(\frac{\pi}{180}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(1 - \frac{\pi}{180}\right) \approx 0.694765. \end{aligned}$$

$f''(0) < 0$ on $[45^\circ, 46^\circ]$ so

$$|\text{Error}| < \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}\left(\frac{\pi}{180}\right)^2 \approx 0.0001.$$

We have

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(1 - \frac{\pi}{180} - \frac{\pi^2}{2 \times 180^2}\right) < \cos 46^\circ < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(1 - \frac{\pi}{180}\right)$$

$$\text{i.e., } 0.694658 \leq \cos 46^\circ < 0.694765.$$

20. Let $f(x) = \sin x$, then $f'(x) = \cos x$ and $f''(x) = -\sin x$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{5}\right) &= f\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{30}\right) \approx f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\left(\frac{\pi}{30}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\left(\frac{\pi}{30}\right) \approx 0.5906900. \end{aligned}$$

If $x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$, then $|f''(x)| \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$. Since $f''(x) < 0$ on $0 < x \leq 90^\circ$, f is concave down. Therefore, the error E is negative and

$$|E| < \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}\left(\frac{\pi}{30}\right)^2 = 0.0038772.$$

Thus,

$$0.5906900 - 0.0038772 < \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{5}\right) < 0.5906900$$

$$0.5868128 < \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{5}\right) < 0.5906900.$$

21. Let $f(x) = \sin x$, then $f'(x) = \cos x$ and $f''(x) = -\sin x$. The linearization at $x = \pi$ gives:

$$\sin(3.14) \approx \sin \pi + \cos \pi(3.14 - \pi) = \pi - 3.14 \approx 0.001592654.$$

Since $f''(x) < 0$ between 3.14 and π , the error E in the above approximation is negative: $\sin(3.14) < 0.001592654$. For $3.14 \leq t \leq \pi$, we have

$$|f''(t)| = \sin t \leq \sin(3.14) < 0.001592654.$$

Thus the error satisfies

$$|E| \leq \frac{0.001592654}{2}(3.14 - \pi)^2 < 0.000000002.$$

Therefore $0.001592652 < \sin(3.14) < 0.001592654$.

22. Let $f(x) = \sin x$, then $f'(x) = \cos x$ and $f''(x) = -\sin x$. The linearization at $x = 30^\circ = \pi/6$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(33^\circ) &= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{60}\right) \\ &\approx \sin \frac{\pi}{6} + \cos \frac{\pi}{6}\left(\frac{\pi}{60}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\left(\frac{\pi}{60}\right) \approx 0.545345. \end{aligned}$$

Since $f''(x) < 0$ between 30° and 33° , the error E in the above approximation is negative: $\sin(33^\circ) < 0.545345$. For $30^\circ \leq t \leq 33^\circ$, we have

$$|f''(t)| = \sin t \leq \sin(33^\circ) < 0.545345.$$

Thus the error satisfies

$$|E| \leq \frac{0.545345}{2}\left(\frac{\pi}{60}\right)^2 < 0.000747.$$