

Notes: Derivative as a Function

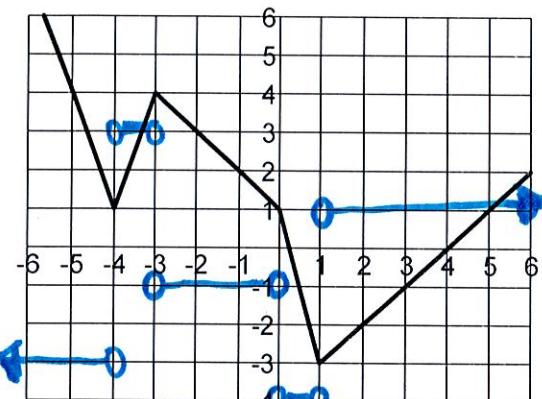
Example(s) 1:

For the function given, arrange the following numbers from least to greatest.

A.) $f'(-5), f'(-3.5), f'(-2), f'(.5), f'(3) \text{ & } f(4)$

B.) Sketch a graph of the derivative on top of $f(x)$.

A) $f'(\frac{1}{2}) < f'(-5) < f'(-2) < f(4) < f'(3) < f'(-3.5)$



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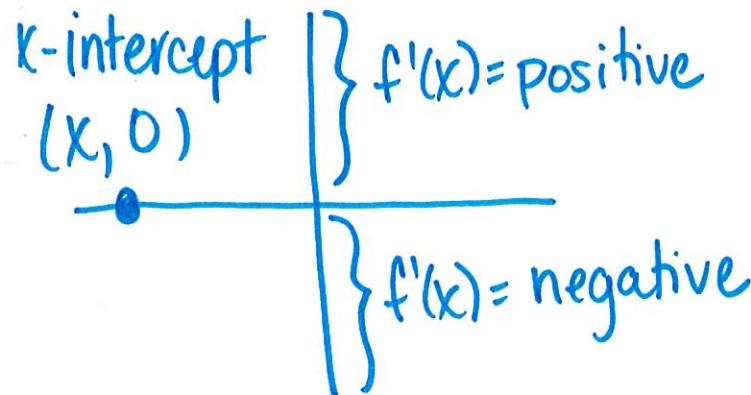
$f' = -3 \quad -4 \quad -3 \quad -1 \quad -4 \quad 1 \quad f' = 1 \quad +\infty$

What do you know about $f(x)$?

- 1 CORNER, CUSP, vertical tangent, OR discontinuity
- 2 max or min
- 3 Increasing
- 4 Decreasing

What does it tell you about $f'(x)$?

1. $f'(x) = \text{undefined}$
2. $f'(x) = 0$ (x-intercept)
3. $f'(x) = \text{positive}$ (above- x-axis)
4. $f'(x) = \text{negative}$ (below- x-axis)



Example(s) 2:

Sketch the graph of $f'(x)$ given the graph of $f(x)$.

