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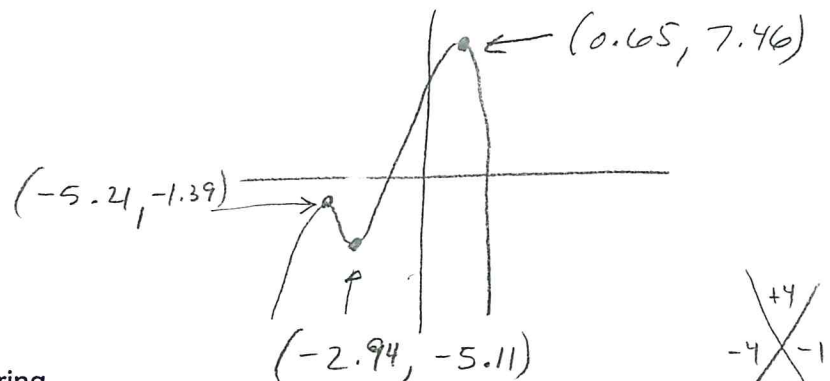
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ABS MAX: 7.46

ABS MIN: NONE

REL MAX: -1.39

REL MIN: -5.11



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a) $y = 2x^3 - x^2 + 18x - 9$

$$= (2x-1)(x^2+9)$$

$$x^2+9=0$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{-9}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}, \pm 3i$$

	$2x$	-1
x^2	$2x^3$	$-x^2$
$+9$	$+18x$	-9

b) $y = 6x^7 - 30x^5 + 24x^3$

$$= 6x^3(x^4 - 5x^2 + 4)$$

$$= 6x^3(x^2-4)(x^2-1)$$

$$= 6x^3(x \pm 2)(x \pm 1)$$

$$x = 0, \pm 2, \pm 1$$