## Section 5.2-3: "Area So Far" functions

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1. Let $f(x)$ be given by the graph below and define $A(x)=\int_{0}^{x} f(t) d t$.


Compute the following using the graph. Hint: $A(1)=\int_{0}^{1} f(x) d x$, which calculates the area accumulated under the graph from $x=0$ to $x=1$.
$A(1)=$ $\qquad$

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f(1)=
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$A(2)=$ $\qquad$
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A(3)=
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$\qquad$ $f(3)=$
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A(4)=
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$A(5)=$ $\qquad$ $f(4)=$ $\qquad$

The $x$-value in the interval $[0,5]$ at which $A(x)$ attains its maximum is $\qquad$

The maximum value of $A(x)$ on $[0,5]$ is $\qquad$

The $x$-value in the interval $[0,5]$ at which $f(x)$ attains its maximum is $\qquad$

The maximum value of $f(x)$ on $[0,5]$ is $\qquad$

What can you say about the rate of change of $A(x)$ ?
2. A toy car is travelling on a straight track. Its velocity $v(t)$, in meters per second, is given by the graph below. Define $s(t)$ to be the position of the car in meters, and suppose that $s(0)=0$. Note that $s(t)=\int_{0}^{t} v(x) d x$. (Here, $x$ is called the "dummy variable of integration".)


Compute the following:
$s(2)=$ $\qquad$

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s(4)=
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$\qquad$ $s(6)=$ $\qquad$
$v(2)=$ $\qquad$ $v(4)=$ $\qquad$ $v(6)=$ $\qquad$

The $t$-value in the interval $[0,6]$ at which $s(t)$ attains its maximum is $\qquad$
The maximum value of $s(t)$ on $[0,6]$ is $\qquad$
The $t$-value in the interval $[0,6]$ at which $s(t)$ attains its minimum is $\qquad$
The minimum value of $s(t)$ on $[0,6]$ is $\qquad$
The $t$-value in the interval $[0,6]$ at which $v(t)$ attains its maximum is $\qquad$
The maximum value of $v(t)$ on $[0,6]$ is $\qquad$
The $t$-value in the interval $[0,6]$ at which $v(t)$ attains its minimum is $\qquad$
The minimum value of $v(t)$ on $[0,6]$ is $\qquad$
Describe the position of the car over the 6 seconds. $\qquad$
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Describe the velocity of the car over the 6 seconds. $\qquad$
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