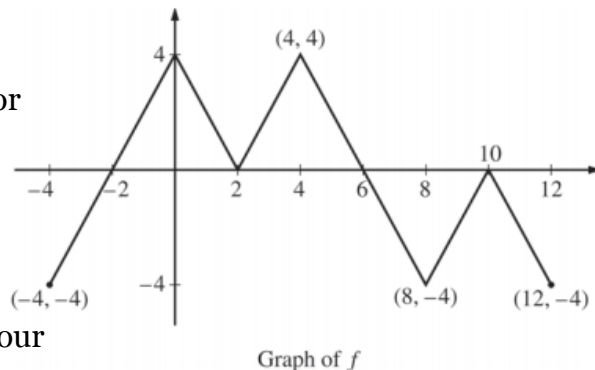


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**Question 3**

The figure above shows the graph of the piecewise-linear function  $f$ . For  $-4 \leq x \leq 12$ , the function  $g$  is defined by  $g(x) = \int_2^x f(t) dt$ .



(a) Does  $g$  have a relative minimum, a relative maximum, or neither at  $x = 10$ ? Justify your answer.

(b) Does the graph of  $g$  have a point of inflection at  $x = 4$ ? Justify your answer.

(c) Find the absolute minimum value and the absolute maximum value of  $g$  on the interval  $-4 \leq x \leq 12$ . Justify your answers.

(d) For  $-4 \leq x \leq 12$ , find all intervals for which  $g(x) \leq 0$ .

(a)  $g'(x) = f(x)$   $f(x)$  is not changing signs at  $x = 10$  so there is neither a minimum nor maximum

2 : { 1 :  $g'(x) = f(x)$   
1 : answer

(b)  $g'(x) = f(x)$ ,  $g''(x) = f'(x)$ , a point of inflection occurs when the second derivative changes signs, at  $x = 4$ ,  $f(x)$  has a maximum, meaning  $f'(x)$  goes from positive to negative.

2 : { 1 :  $g''(x) = f'(x)$   
1 : answer

(c)  $g'(x) = f(x)$  which changes sign at  $x = -2$ ,  $x = 6$ , and the end points  $x = -4$ ,  $x = 12$

$$g'(-2) = \int_2^{-2} f(t) dt = -8$$

$$g'(-4) = \int_2^{-4} f(t) dt = -4$$

$$g'(6) = \int_2^6 f(t) dt = 8$$

$$g'(12) = \int_2^{12} f(t) dt = -4$$

4 : { 1 : changing signs  
1 :  $x = -2$ ,  $x = -6$  and endpoints  
1 : integrals  
1 : answer

(d)  $[-4, 2] \cup [10, 12]$

1 : answer