

Calculus Practice Questions

Additional Exercises

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Question 1. A smart traffic monitoring system tracks vehicles on a coordinate plane. A vehicle's path is described by the points A(1,3), B(4,7), and C(6,5).

- (a) Plot these points and find the total distance traveled.
- (b) Write the equation of line AB in point-slope form.
- (c) Find the midpoint of line BC.
- (d) Determine if point D(5,6) is collinear with points A, B, and C.

Question 2. An AI image recognition system has a circular detection zone centered at (0,0) with radius 6 units.

- (a) Write the equation of this circular detection zone.
- (b) Check if points P(3,4), Q(5,2), and R(1,6) are inside, on, or outside the detection zone.
- (c) Find the distance of point P(3,4) from the center of the detection zone.
- (d) Identify the maximum x and y coordinates within this detection zone.

Question 3. A temperature monitoring system uses the following piecewise function:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 2x & \text{for } x < 2 \\ 4 & \text{for } x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

- (a) Plot this function for $x \in [-1, 4]$
- (b) Find $f(0)$, $f(1)$, $f(2)$, and $f(3)$.
- (c) Determine the domain and range of this function.

Question 4. A robot arm moves in a rectangular workspace defined by the points A(0,0), B(5,0), C(5,4), and D(0,4).

- (a) Write the equations of all four sides of this workspace.
- (b) Calculate the perimeter of the workspace.
- (c) A point P(2,3) is detected within the workspace. Find its distance from side AB.
- (d) Find the coordinates of the point equidistant from all four corners.

Question 5. An autonomous vehicle's path is described by vector components.

- (a) Vector $\vec{u} = (3,4)$ and $\vec{v} = (1,-2)$. Find the magnitude of each vector.
- (b) Calculate the vector sum $\vec{u} + \vec{v}$.
- (c) Plot these vectors on a coordinate system.
- (d) Find the angle between \vec{u} and \vec{v} .

Question 6. A signal strength follows a semi-circular distribution centered at the origin with radius 4 units.

- (a) Write the equation of this semi-circle.
- (b) Plot the region bounded by this semi-circle.
- (c) Check if points S(0,3), T(2,2), and U(3,1) are inside the region.
- (d) Find the area of this region.

Question 7. An AI classification system uses a rational function:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3}$$

- (a) Find the domain of this function.
- (b) Simplify the function and plot it for $x \in [0, 6]$.
- (c) Find $f(0)$, $f(4)$, and $f(5)$.
- (d) Describe the behavior of the function near $x = 3$.

Question 8. A communication network covers a triangular region with vertices A(0,0), B(6,0), and C(3,4).

- (a) Verify if this is a right-angled triangle.
- (b) Calculate the area of the triangle.
- (c) Write the equations of all three sides.
- (d) Find the perimeter of the triangle.

Question 9. An object tracking system uses two functions:

$$f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2$$

$$g(x) = 5 - x$$

- (a) Plot both functions on the same coordinate system.
- (b) Find the points of intersection.
- (c) Determine where $f(x) \geq g(x)$.
- (d) Find $f(2)$ and $g(2)$.

Question 10. A sensor network defines a region by the inequality:

$$x^2 + y^2 \leq 16 \text{ and } y \geq -x + 4$$

- (a) Sketch this region on a coordinate plane.
- (b) Find the boundary points.
- (c) Check if points (2,3), (1,4), and (0,5) are inside the region.
- (d) Determine the area of this region.