

Question 1

(2, 3 = 5 marks)

Find the derivative of the following functions, fully simplifying where possible

a) $f(x) = \sqrt{x}(2x^3 + 1)$

$$f(x) = 2x^{\frac{3}{2}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \text{OR} \quad f'(x) = 6x^{\frac{1}{2}}(\sqrt{x}) + \frac{2x^3+1}{2\sqrt{x}} \quad \checkmark$$

$$f'(x) = 7x^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{14x^3+1}{2\sqrt{x}} \quad \checkmark$$
$$= \frac{6x^2(2x) + 2x^3+1}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{14x^3+1}{2\sqrt{x}} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{Answers: } f'(x) = \frac{14x^3+1}{2\sqrt{x}}, \frac{\sqrt{x}(14x^3+1)}{2x}, \frac{14\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x}}{2x} = 7x^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

b) $y = \frac{6x}{(x^2-5x+6)^3}$

$$y' = \frac{6(x^2-5x+6)^3 - 6x(3)(x^2-5x+6)^2}{(x^2-5x+6)^6} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{6(x^2-5x+6)^2 [x^2-5x+6 - 3x(2x-5)]}{(x^2-5x+6)^6} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{6(x^2-5x+6-6x^2+15x)}{(x^2-5x+6)^4}$$

$$= \frac{6(-5x^2+10x+6)}{(x^2-5x+6)^4} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{Answers } y' = \frac{6(-5x^2+10x+6)}{(x^2-5x+6)^4} \quad \text{OR} \quad \frac{-6(5x^2-10x-6)}{(x^2-5x+6)^4}$$

Question 2

(3 marks)

Given that $u = g(x) = 4x - 3$ and $f(u) = \frac{1}{u^2+7}$, determine $(f \circ g)'(x)$. Simplify your answer where possible.

$$f(g(x)) = \frac{1}{(4x-3)^2+7} \quad \checkmark$$
$$= \frac{1}{16x^2-24x+16}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8(2x^2-3x+2)} = \frac{1}{8}(2x^2-3x+2)^{-1}$$

$$(f(g(x)))' = \frac{1}{8}(2x^2-3x+2)^{-2}(-1)(4x-3) \quad \checkmark$$
$$= \frac{-(4x-3)}{8(2x^2-3x+2)^2} \quad \checkmark$$

Question 3

(1, 2 = 3 marks)

Determine the following;

a) The antiderivative of $\frac{3}{\sqrt{x}} - 4x^3 + \frac{2}{5x^3}$

$$F(x) = 6\sqrt{x} - x^4 - \frac{1}{5x^2} + C \quad \checkmark$$

-1 missing + C

b) $\int 10(6x+1)(6x^2+2x+1)^3 dx$

$$5 \int (12x+2)(6x^2+2x+1)^3 dx \quad \checkmark$$

$$F(x) = \frac{5(6x^2+2x+1)^4}{4} + C \quad \checkmark$$

Question 4

(7 marks)

The position of a particle is described by the function $x(t) = -\frac{t^3}{3} + t^2 + 8t + 1$ for $t \geq 0$, where t is in seconds and $x(t)$ in cm. Determine the distance travelled by the particle when the acceleration reaches -8 m/s^2 .

$$v(t) = -t^2 + 2t + 8 \quad \checkmark$$

Start point: $0 = -t^2 + 2t + 8$

$$a(t) = -2t + 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$0 = t^2 - 2t - 8$$

$$0 = (t-4)(t+2)$$

$$-8 = -2t + 2$$

$$t = 5 \quad \checkmark$$

$$t = -4 \text{ or } t = 2$$

reject

distance

$$x(0) = 1 \quad x(4) = -\frac{64}{3} + 16 + 32 + 1$$

$$= -\frac{64}{3} + 49$$

$$= \frac{147-64}{3}$$

$$= \frac{83}{3} \quad \checkmark = 27\frac{2}{3}$$

$$x(5) = -\frac{125}{3} + 25 + 40 + 1$$

$$= -\frac{125}{3} + 66$$

$$= \frac{198-125}{3}$$

$$= \frac{73}{3} \quad \checkmark = 24\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{Distance covered} = \left(\frac{83}{3} - 1\right) + \left(\frac{83}{3} - \frac{73}{3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{80}{3} + \frac{10}{3}$$

$$= 30 \text{ cm.} \quad \checkmark$$

Question 5

(6 marks)

A small moving body, W moves in a straight line with acceleration $a \text{ m/s}^2$ at time $t \text{ s}$ given by the function $a = At + B$.

Initially, W had a displacement of 12 m from a fixed point of O and moves with a velocity of 3 m/s. Two seconds later, W has a displacement of 1.8 cm and a velocity of -2 cm/s.

Determine the value of the constants A and B .

$$v = \int a \, dt$$

$$= \int (At + B) \, dt$$

$$v = \frac{At^2}{2} + Bt + C$$

$$v(0) = 3 = C$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{At^2}{2} + Bt + 3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = \int \left(\frac{At^2}{2} + Bt + 3 \right) dt$$

$$= \frac{At^3}{6} + \frac{Bt^2}{2} + 3t + C$$

$$x(0) = 12 = C$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{At^3}{6} + \frac{Bt^2}{2} + 3t + 12 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x(2) = 1.8 = \frac{8A}{6} + \frac{4B}{2} + 6 + 12$$

$$-16.2 = \frac{4A}{3} + 2B \quad \checkmark \rightarrow 2B = -16.2 - \frac{4A}{3}$$

$$v(2) = -2 = \frac{4A}{2} + 2B + 3$$

$$-5 = 2A + 2B \quad \checkmark \rightarrow 2B = -5 - 2A$$

$$-5 - 2A = -16.2 - \frac{4A}{3}$$

$$\frac{-2A}{3} = -11.2$$

$$A = 16.8 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2B = -5 - 2(16.8)$$

$$B = -19.3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore A = 16.8, B = -19.3$$

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