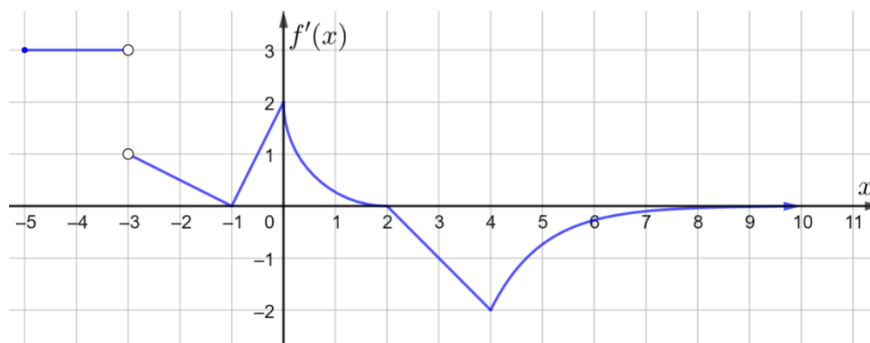


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Free Response Questions Stem Types: Graphical

2020 FRQ Practice Problem BC1



BC1: The graph of f' , the derivative of the continuous function f , is given above.

For $-5 \leq x < 4$, the graph of f' consists of four linear pieces and a quarter circle centered at $(2, 2)$. For $x \geq 4$, $f'(x) = -2e^{4-x}$. It is known that $f(0) = 6$

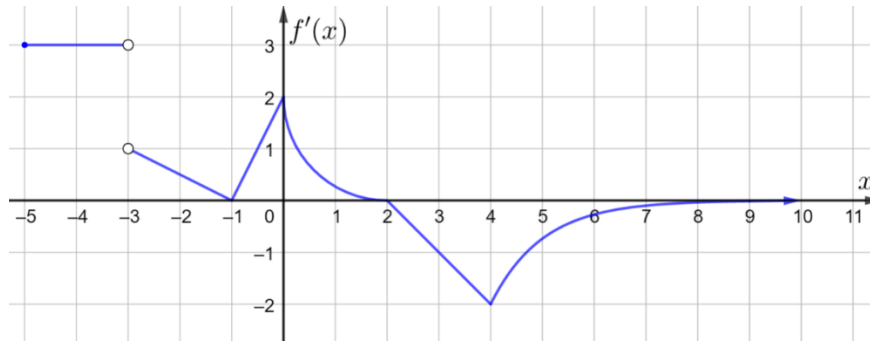
(a) Find $f(4)$.

$$f(4) = f(0) + \int_0^4 f'(x) dx = 6 + \left[(2)(2) - \frac{1}{4}\pi(2)^2 - \frac{1}{2}(2)(2) \right] = 6 + [2 - \pi] = 8 - \pi$$

(b) Write, but do not evaluate, an integral expression that gives the arc length of the graph of f from $x = 4$ to $x = 10$.

$$L = \int_4^{10} \sqrt{1 + [f'(x)]^2} dx = \int_4^{10} \sqrt{1 + [-2e^{4-x}]^2} dx = \int_4^{10} \sqrt{1 + 4[e^{8-2x}]} dx$$

The problem has been restated.



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(c) Find $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n$ where $a_n = f'(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} f'(n) = f'(2) + f'(3) + \sum_{n=4}^{\infty} (-2e^{4-n}) = -1 + \sum_{n=4}^{\infty} (-2e^{4-n}) = -1 + \sum_{n=4}^{\infty} \left(-2e^4 \left(\frac{1}{e} \right)^n \right) \\ \sum_{n=4}^{\infty} \left(-2e^4 \left(\frac{1}{e} \right)^n \right) &\Rightarrow \text{geometric with } r = \frac{1}{e}, a = \frac{-2e^4}{e^4} = -2 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=4}^{\infty} \left(-2e^4 \left(\frac{1}{e} \right)^n \right) = \frac{-2}{1 - \frac{1}{e}} = \frac{-2e}{e-1} \\ \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n &= -1 + \frac{-2e}{e-1} = \frac{-(e-1) - 2e}{e-1} = \frac{1-3e}{e-1}\end{aligned}$$

For parts (d) and (e), let $g(x) = 3 - \int_{-1}^x [2f'(2t) + 1] dt$.

(d) Write an expression for $g'(x)$ and $g''(x)$.

$$g'(x) = -[2f'(2x) + 1] \qquad g''(x) = -[2f''(2x)(2)] = -4f''(2x)$$

(e) Does the graph of g have a point of inflection at $x = 2$? Give a reason for your answer.

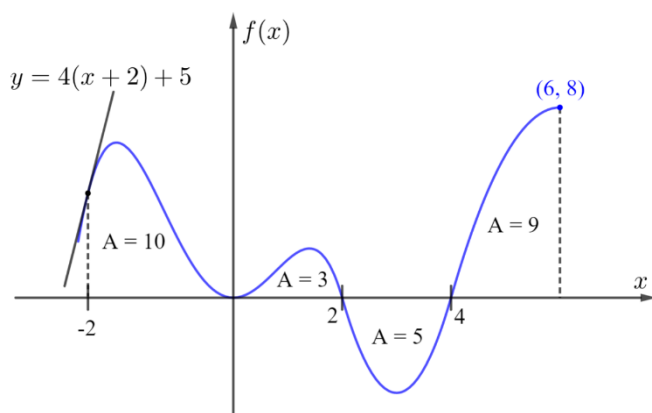
$$g''(2) = -4f''(4) \qquad \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f''(x) = -1 \qquad \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f''(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} (2e^{4-x}) = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} g''(x) = (-4) \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f''(x) \right] = 4 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} g''(x) = (-4) \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f''(x) \right] = -8$$

g does have a point of inflection at $x = 2$, $g''(2)$ does not exist and there is sign change.

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2020 FRQ Practice Problem BC2



BC2: A portion of the graph of the twice differentiable function f is shown in the figure above. The areas of the regions bounded by the graph of f and the x axis for $[-2, 6]$ are shown above. At $x = -2$, the line tangent to the graph of f is shown along with its equation.

The function H is defined by $H(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$.

(a) Evaluate $\int_{-1}^2 f(4 - 2x) dx$.

$$-\frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^2 \underbrace{f(4 - 2x)}_u \underbrace{(-2 dx)}_{du} = -\frac{1}{2} \int_6^0 f(u) du = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^6 f(u) du = \frac{1}{2} [3 - 5 + 9] = \frac{7}{2}$$

(b) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{H(3x) - 7}{\sin(\pi x)}$.

$$H(x) \text{ is continuous} \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (H(3x) - 7) = H(6) - 7 = -7 + \int_0^6 f(t) dt = -7 + [7] = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \sin(\pi x) = \sin(2\pi) = 0$$

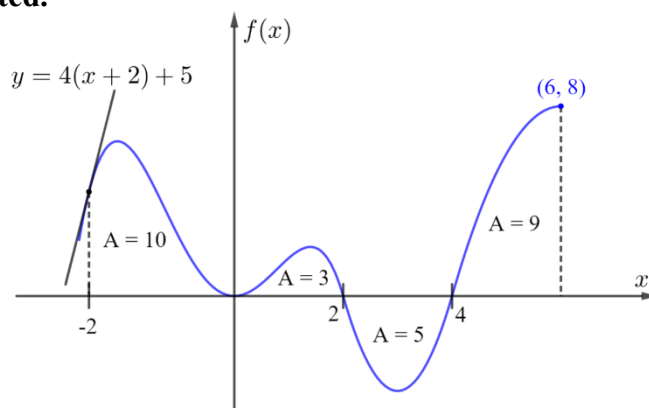
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{H(3x) - 7}{\sin(\pi x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \underbrace{\frac{H'(3x)(3)}{\cos(\pi x)(\pi)}}_{\text{L'Hospital's Rule}} = \frac{3H'(6)}{\pi} = \frac{3f(6)}{\pi} = \frac{3(8)}{\pi} = \frac{24}{\pi}$$

(c) Find any x value(s) where $H(x)$ has a relative maximum. Give a reason for your answer.

$$H'(x) = f(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0, x = 2, x = 4$$

$H(x)$ has a relative maximum at $x = 2$ because $H'(x) = f(x)$ changes from positive to negative at $x = 2$.

The problem has been restated.



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The function H is defined by $H(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$.

(d) Find the second degree Taylor polynomial to $H(x)$ centered at $x = -2$.

$$H(-2) = \int_0^{-2} f(t) dt = -10 \quad H'(-2) = \underbrace{f(-2)}_{\text{point of tangency}} = 5 \quad H''(-2) = \underbrace{f'(-2)}_{\text{slope of tangent line when } x=-2} = 4$$

$$P_2(x) = H(-2) + H'(-2)(x+2) + \frac{H''(-2)}{2!}(x+2)^2$$

$$P_2(x) = -10 + 5(x+2) + \frac{4}{2!}(x+2)^2 = 10 + 5(x+2) + 2(x+2)^2$$

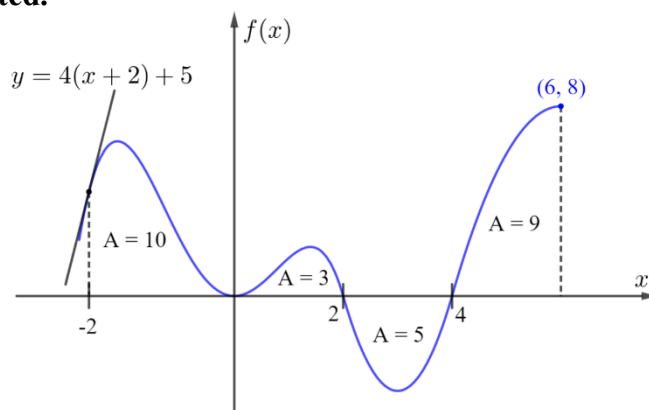
(e) Consider the curve $y^2 + 2xy - x = H(x)$. Find the slope of the line tangent to the curve at the point $(6,1)$.

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 \left(y + x \frac{dy}{dx} \right) - 1 = H'(x) \quad (6,1) \Rightarrow 2(1) \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 \left(1 + (6) \frac{dy}{dx} \right) - 1 = H'(6) = f(6) = 8$$

$$2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 \left(1 + (6) \frac{dy}{dx} \right) - 1 = 8 \Rightarrow 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2 + (12) \frac{dy}{dx} = 9 \Rightarrow 14 \frac{dy}{dx} = 7 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}$$

The slope of the tangent line to the curve at the point $(6,1)$ is $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(6,1)} = \frac{1}{2}$

The problem has been restated.



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The function H is defined by $H(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$.

For values of x greater than or equal to 6, the function H can also be modeled by the function:

$$H(x) = 64 - \frac{128}{\sqrt{x-2}}.$$

(f) Find $\int_6^{\infty} f(t) dt$.

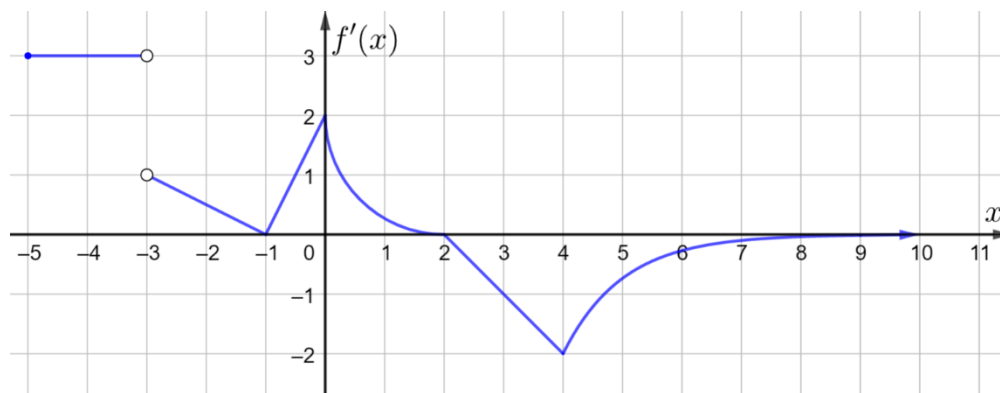
$$H(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt = \int_0^6 f(t) dt + \int_6^x f(t) dt = (3 - 5 + 9) + \int_6^x f(t) dt = 7 + \int_6^x f(t) dt$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} H(x) = 7 + \int_6^{\infty} f(t) dt \qquad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} H(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[64 - \frac{128}{\sqrt{x-2}} \right] \rightarrow 64 - \frac{128}{\infty} = 64$$

$$64 = 7 + \int_6^{\infty} f(t) dt \Rightarrow \int_6^{\infty} f(t) dt = 57$$

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2020 FRQ Practice Problem BC3



BC3: The graph of f' , the derivative of the continuous function f , is given above.

For $-5 \leq x < 4$, the graph of f' consists of four linear pieces and a quarter circle centered at $(2,2)$. For $x \geq 4$, $f'(x) = -2e^{4-x}$. It is known that $f(0) = 6$

(a) Find any x value(s) where the graph of f has a point of inflection. Explain your reasoning.

point of inflection occurs where f' changes from increasing to decreasing or vice versa
points of inflection at $x = -1, 0$, and 4 .

(b) Find the maximum value of f on the closed interval $[-1, 4]$. Justify your answer.

local maximum when $x = 2$

endpoints of interval: $x = -1, 4$

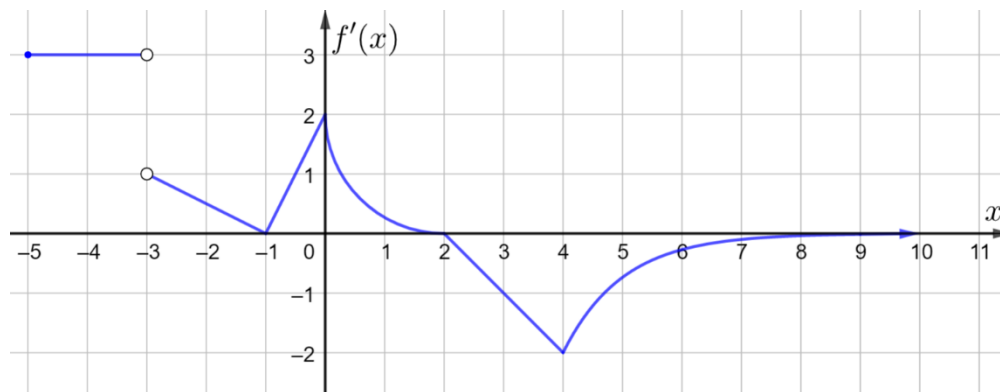
x	$f(x)$
-1	$6 - \int_{-1}^0 f'(x) dx = 6 - \left(\frac{1}{2}(1)(2) \right) = 5$
2	$6 + \int_0^2 f'(x) dx = 6 + \left[(2)(2) - \frac{1}{4}\pi(2)^2 \right] = 10 - \pi$
4	$6 + \int_0^4 f'(x) dx = 6 + \left[(2)(2) - \frac{1}{4}\pi(2)^2 - \frac{1}{2}(2)(2) \right] = 6 + [2 - \pi] = 8 - \pi$

The maximum value is $10 - \pi$

(c) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 x \geq 4 &\Rightarrow f'(x) = -2e^{4-x} \Rightarrow f(x) = f(4) + \int_4^x -2e^{4-t} dt = (8 - \pi) + [2e^{4-t}]_4^x \\
 &= 2e^{4-x} - 2e^0 + (8 - \pi) = 2e^{4-x} + 6 - \pi \qquad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (2e^{4-x} + 6 - \pi) = 6 - \pi
 \end{aligned}$$

The problem has been restated.



BC3: The graph of f' , the derivative of the continuous function f , is given above.

For $-5 \leq x < 4$, the graph of f' consists of four linear pieces and a quarter circle centered at $(2,2)$. For $x \geq 4$, $f'(x) = -2e^{4-x}$. It is known that $f(0) = 6$

For parts (d) and (e), let $g(x) = 3 - \int_{-1}^x [2f'(2t) + 1]dt$.

(d) Does the graph of g have a local minimum, local maximum, or neither at $x = 2$?

Give a reason for your answer.

$$g'(x) = -[2f'(2x) + 1]$$

$$g'(2) = -[2f'(4) + 1] = -[2(-2) + 1] = 3 \Rightarrow \text{neither since } g'(2) \neq 0$$

(e) Find $P_2(x)$, the second degree Taylor polynomial to $g(x)$ centered at $x = -1$.

$$g(-1) = 3 \qquad g'(-1) = -[2f'(-2) + 1] = -\left[2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 1\right] = -2$$

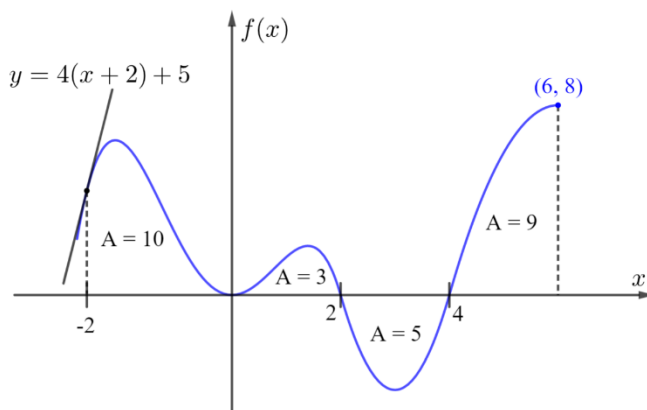
$$g''(-1) = -4f''(-2) = (-4)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = 2$$

$$P_2(x) = g(-1) + g'(-1)(x+1) + \frac{g''(-1)}{2!}(x+1)^2$$

$$P_2(x) = 3 - 2(x+1) + \frac{2}{2!}(x+1)^2 = 3 - 2(x+1) + (x+1)^2$$

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2020 FRQ Practice Problem BC4



BC4: A portion of the graph of the twice differentiable function f is shown in the figure above. The areas of the regions bounded by the graph of f and the x axis for $[-2, 6]$ are shown above. At $x = -2$, the line tangent to the graph of f is shown along with its equation.

The function H is defined by $H(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$.

(a) Evaluate $\int_0^4 H(x) f(x) dx$

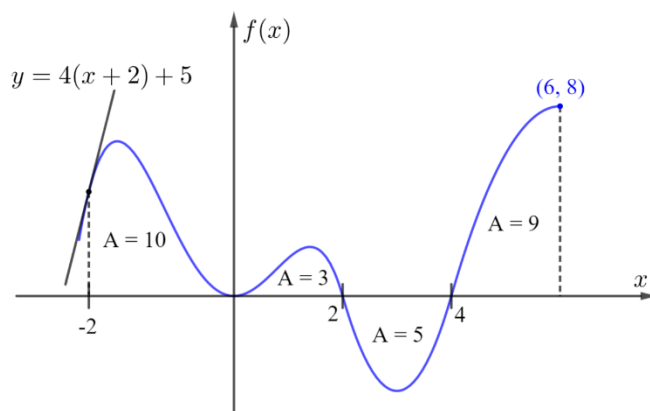
$$\int_0^4 \underbrace{H(x)}_u \underbrace{f(x) dx}_{du} = \int_0^{-2} u du = \left[\frac{1}{2} u^2 \right]_0^{-2} = \left[\frac{1}{2} (-2)^2 \right] - \left[\frac{1}{2} (0)^2 \right] = 2$$

(b) Let $k(x) = H(x)e^{2x}$. Find $k'(6)$.

$$k'(x) = H'(x)e^{2x} + H(x)(2e^{2x})$$

$$k'(6) = H'(6)e^{12} + H(6)(2e^{12}) = f(6)e^{12} + 7(2e^{12}) = 8e^{12} + 14e^{12} = 22e^{12}$$

The problem has been restated.



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For values of x greater than or equal to 6, the function H can also be modeled by the function:

$$H(x) = 64 - \frac{128}{\sqrt{x-2}}.$$

(c) Consider the series $\sum_{n=6}^{\infty} a_n$ where $a_n = H'(x)$. Determine if $\sum_{n=6}^{\infty} a_n$ converges or diverges.

$$H(x) = 64 - 128(x-2)^{-1/2} \quad H'(x) = -128 \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) (x-2)^{-3/2} = \frac{64}{(x-2)^{3/2}}$$

$$\sum_{n=6}^{\infty} a_n = \sum_{n=6}^{\infty} \frac{64}{(n-2)^{3/2}} = 64 \sum_{n=6}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-2)^{3/2}}$$

$$\sum_{n=6}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-2)^{3/2}} = \frac{1}{(6-2)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{(7-2)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{(8-2)^{3/2}} + \dots = \frac{1}{(4)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{(5)^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{(6)^{3/2}} + \dots p\text{-series}$$

$$\sum_{n=6}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-2)^{3/2}} \text{ is a } p\text{-series with } p = \frac{3}{2} > 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=6}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-2)^{3/2}} \text{ converges so } 64 \sum_{n=6}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-2)^{3/2}} \text{ converges}$$

(d) Write, but do not evaluate, an expression with one or more integrals in terms of x and $f(x)$ that gives the length of the curve $H(x)$ from $x = 0$ to $x = 10$.

$$0 \leq x \leq 6 \Rightarrow H'(x) = f(x) \quad 6 < x \leq 10 \Rightarrow H'(x) = \frac{64}{(x-2)^{3/2}}$$

$$L = \int_0^{10} \sqrt{1 + [H'(x)]^2} dx = \int_0^6 \sqrt{1 + [f(x)]^2} dx + \int_6^{10} \sqrt{1 + \left[\frac{64}{(x-2)^{3/2}} \right]^2} dx$$