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$$x \leq 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\text{infinite}}$$

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no discontinuities

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$$\boxed{\text{Infinite discontinuity}} \left( \frac{-1}{0} \right)$$

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$$\boxed{\text{Continuous}} \left( \frac{\cancel{(2u-1)}(3u+2)}{\cancel{2u-1}} \right)$$

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$$3x + 2 = 2x - 3 \Rightarrow \boxed{x = -5}$$

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The function is not continuous at  $x = 2$

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7.1 | a

$$\cos t = t^3$$

7.2 | **b**

$$f(a) = 1$$

$$g(a) = 0$$

Let  $f(x) = \cos x$  and  $g(x) = x^3$ . For  $a = 0$  and  $b = \frac{\pi}{2}$ :  $f(b) = 0$        $g(b) = \frac{\pi^3}{8} > 1$        $\$ \$$  Because these functions each

$$g(b) = \frac{\pi^3}{8} > 1$$

traverse  $0 \leq y \leq 1$  over the interval  $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$  in opposite directions and are continuous over that range, they must cross somewhere in that range.

7.3 | **c**

$$x = 0.8655 \pm 0.005$$

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It's true.