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1. A  $f'(x) = 2x + 2x + 3x^2 \rightarrow f'(1) = 7$  (A)
2. C We use L'Hopital since  $\frac{0}{0}$  is an indeterminate form.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(6x)}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6 \cos(6x)}{2} = 3$  (C)
3. D  $f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(x) \left( e^x \cos\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) \right) = \left( e^x \cos\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) \right) \rightarrow f'(\pi) = e^\pi \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{e^\pi}{2}$  (D)
4. D We use L'Hopital since  $\frac{0}{0}$  is an indeterminate form.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{2x}-1}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2e^{2x}}{1} = 2$  (D)
5. A We use L'Hopital since  $\frac{0}{0}$  is an indeterminate form.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x^2-16}{x^2-2x-8} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{2x}{2x-2} = \frac{4}{3}$  (A)
6. B We use L'Hopital twice since  $\frac{0}{0}$  is an indeterminate form.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(\cos(x))}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\tan(x)}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sec^2(x)}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}$  (B)
7. B We use L'Hopital since  $\frac{0}{0}$  is an indeterminate form.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1-\cos(x)}{\tan^2(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)}{2 \tan(x) \sec^2(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos^3(x)}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$  (B). Note that we could've also used Taylor series as the first term of the numerator is  $1 - \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) = \frac{x^2}{2}$  and the first term of the denominator is  $\left(x + \frac{x^3}{3}\right)^2 = x^2$  so the limit is  $\frac{\frac{x^2}{2}}{x^2} = \frac{1}{2}$
8. D  $g'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{f'\left(g\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right)} = \frac{1}{f'(e)} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{e(1+(\ln(e))^2)}} = 2e$  (D)  
Note that  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x(1+(\ln(x))^2)}$  and  $g\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = e$  since  $\arctan(\ln(e)) = \arctan(1) = \frac{\pi}{4}$
9. A We can turn this summation into an integral by letting  $\frac{1}{n}$  be  $dx$  and  $\frac{i}{n}$  be  $x$  with the bounds from 0 to 1:

$$\int_0^1 x \sin(\pi x) dx$$

Now we use tabular with  $x$  on the derivative side and  $\sin(\pi x)$  on the integral side to get an expression we evaluate from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 1$ :

$$-\frac{x}{\pi} \cos(\pi x) + \frac{1}{\pi^2} \sin(\pi x)$$

$$x = 1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{\pi}$$

$$x = 0 \rightarrow 0$$

Our answer is  $\frac{1}{\pi} - 0 = \frac{1}{\pi}$  (A)

10. C Let  $d = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \rightarrow d^2 = x^2 + y^2 \rightarrow \frac{dd}{dt} = \frac{dx}{dt}x + \frac{dy}{dt}y$ . At  $t = 2$ , we have  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2(2) - 8 = -4$  and  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 3(2)^2 = 12$ . We also have  $x = (2)^2 - 8(2) = -12$  and  $y = (2)^3 - 3 = 5$  at  $t = 2$ . With  $x = -12$  and  $y = 5$ , we have  $d = 13$ .  $\frac{dd}{dt}(13) = (-4)(-12) + (12)(5) = 108 \rightarrow \frac{dd}{dt} = \frac{108}{13}$  (C)

11. B

$$\frac{\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t + 6$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{-3t^2 + 4}{2t + 6}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = \frac{(2t + 6)(-6t) - (-3t^2 + 4)(2)}{(2t + 6)^2} = \frac{-6t^2 - 36t - 8}{(2t + 6)^2}$$

At  $t = 1$ , we have  $\frac{-50}{\frac{64}{8}} = -\frac{25}{256}$  (B)

12. C We use Taylor Series.  $\ln(1 + x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \dots$  so  $\ln^2(1 + x) = x^2 - x^3 + \frac{11}{12}x^4 + \dots$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln^2(1 + x) - x^2}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - x^3 + \dots - x^2}{x^3} = -1 \text{ (C)}$$

13. D We isolate  $y' = xy + 2x + y + 2 = (x + 1)(y + 2) \rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = (x + 1)(y + 2) \rightarrow \frac{1}{y+2} dy = (x + 1)dx \rightarrow \ln(y + 2) = x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + C$

With  $f(0) = 1$ ,  $\ln(3) = C$  so  $\ln(y + 2) = x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \ln(3)$ . At  $x = 2$ , we have  $\ln(y + 2) = 2 + 2 + \ln(3) \rightarrow y + 2 = 3e^4 \rightarrow y = 3e^4 - 2$  (D)

14. C We look at the graph of  $4 - x^2$ . As  $x$  approaches 0,  $g(x)$  approaches 4 from the negative direction. Thus, we're taking the floor function of a value that's barely less than 4, so the answer is 3 (C)

15. D

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{r' \sin(\theta) + r \cos(\theta)}{r' \cos(\theta) - r \sin(\theta)}$$

$$r' = \cos(\theta) - \sin(2\theta)$$

$$\theta = \frac{3\pi}{4} \rightarrow r = \frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$r' = \frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\left(\frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)}{\left(\frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{1 + \sqrt{2}}{2}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)} = \frac{\frac{1 - 2\sqrt{2}}{2}}{\frac{-3}{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2} - 1}{3} \quad (D)$$

16. D Let this cubic be  $f(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$ .  $f(0) = d$

$$f'(0) = c$$

$$f''(0) = 2b$$

$$f'''(0) = 6a$$

Since  $d = c = 2b = 6a$ , we can write  $f(x) = ax^3 + 3ax^2 + 6ax + 6a$ . Note that  $f(x) = a(x - r_1)(x - r_2)(x - r_3)$  so  $\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \frac{1}{x - r_1} + \frac{1}{x - r_2} + \frac{1}{x - r_3}$ . The question asks for  $\frac{f'(2)}{f(2)} = \frac{a(3(2)^2 + 6(2) + 6)}{a(8 + 12 + 12 + 6)} = \frac{30}{38} = \frac{15}{19}$

$$15 + 19 = 34 \quad (D)$$

17. C We get  $\frac{0}{0}$  when we plug in  $h = 0$  so we can use L'Hopital where we take the derivative of top and bottom with respect to  $h$ .  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+5h) - f(x-3h)}{2h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5f'(x+5h) + 3f'(x-3h)}{2} = 4f'(x) = 4(3x^2) = 12x^2 \quad (C)$

18. E

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{-((x-5)^2 + (x-8)(2)(x-5))}{(x-5)^4(x-8)^2} = -\frac{3x^2 - 36x + 105}{(x-5)^4(x-8)^2} \\ &= -\frac{3(x-5)(x-7)}{(x-5)^4(x-8)^2} = \frac{-3(x-7)}{(x-8)^2(x-5)^3} \end{aligned}$$

We let this equal to 0 and then we get  $x = 7$ .  $x = 8$  and  $x = 5$  makes  $f'(x)$  undefined but they're not critical points because they're not even in the domain of  $f(x)$ . Thus, our answer is 7 (E)

19. D

$$f'(c) = \frac{\sqrt{a}}{a} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2\sqrt{c}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} \rightarrow a = 4c$$

Since  $a$  and  $c$  are positive integers and we want to minimize  $a^2 + c^2$ , we let  $a = 4$  and  $c = 1$  so that  $a^2 + c^2 = 17$  and the sum of the digits is  $1 + 7 = 8$  (D)

20. C

$$f'(x) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n-1}}{n-1}$$

$$f''(x) = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} x^{n-2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = \frac{1}{1-x}$$

We now take anti-derivatives and get  $f'(x) = -\ln(1-x) + C$ . From the summation,  $f'(0) = 0$  so  $C = 0$ .  $f'(x) = -\ln(1-x)$ . We take the anti-derivative and calculate the integral on the right using tabular to get  $f(x) = -x\ln(1-x) + x + \ln(1-x) + C$ . The summation tells us  $f(0) = 0$  so  $C = 0$ .  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2} + \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}\ln(2) + \frac{1}{2} - \ln(2) = \frac{1-\ln(2)}{2} \rightarrow 100f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 50 - 50\ln(2) \approx 50 - 50(.69) = 50(.31) = 15.5$ . The floor function gives us 15 (C)

21. B We use  $a_n = c^2 a_{n-1} = c$  and  $a_{n-2} = 1$  so that  $c^2 = 2c + 3 \rightarrow c^2 - 2c - 3 = 0 \rightarrow (c-3)(c+1) = 0 \rightarrow c = 3, -1$ . So  $a_n = a(3)^n + b(-1)^n$ .  $a_0 = 10$  means that  $a + b = 10$  and  $a_1 = 14$  means that  $3a - b = 14$ . We add the two equations and get  $4a = 24 \rightarrow a = 6$  and  $b = 4$ . So  $a_n = 2(3)^{n+1} + 4(-1)^n$ . As  $n$  goes to infinity, the  $(-1)^n$  term is negligible so  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+2}}{a_n} = \frac{2(3)^{n+3}}{2(3)^{n+1}} = 9$  (B)

22. C

We let  $v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt}$  so that  $\frac{dx}{x} = k \arctan(t) \rightarrow \frac{1}{x} dx = k \arctan(t) dt \rightarrow \ln(x) = k \left( \arctan(t) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+t^2) \right) + C$ . At  $t = 0$ , we have  $x = 1$  so  $0 = k(0) + C$  and  $C = 0$ . At  $t = 1$ , we have  $x = \frac{e^\pi}{4}$  and  $\ln\left(\frac{e^\pi}{4}\right) = k\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\ln(2)\right)$ . Note that  $k = 4$  satisfies this. When  $t = \sqrt{3}$ , we have  $\ln(x) = k\left(\frac{\pi\sqrt{3}}{3} - \ln(2)\right) = \frac{4\pi\sqrt{3}}{3} - 4\ln(2) \rightarrow x = \frac{e^{\frac{4\pi\sqrt{3}}{3}}}{16}$  so  $a = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3}$  and  $b = 16$  so that  $\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{16}{\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}}}\right)^2 = 48$  (C)

23. C We use Taylor series so  $\left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2}\right)^4 = 1 + (1)^3\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)(4) = 1 - 2x^2$ . It remains to find the area bounded by  $y = 1 - 2x^2$  and the x-axis. This is a parabola so we can use the area formula  $\frac{2}{3}bh = \frac{2}{3}(\sqrt{2})(1) = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$  (C)

24. B We have  $V = \frac{\pi r^2 h}{3} \rightarrow r^2 = \frac{3V}{h\pi}$ . The lateral surface area of the cone is  $\pi r l = \pi r \sqrt{r^2 + h^2} = \pi \sqrt{r^2(r^2 + h^2)} = \pi \sqrt{\left(\frac{3V}{h\pi}\right)\left(\frac{3V}{h\pi} + h^2\right)} = \pi \sqrt{\frac{9V^2}{h^2\pi^2} + \frac{3Vh}{\pi}} = \sqrt{\frac{9V^2}{h^2} + 3Vh\pi}$ . We now take the derivative with respect to  $h$  and get  $\frac{-\frac{18V^2}{h^3} + 3V\pi}{2\sqrt{\frac{9V^2}{h^2} + 3Vh\pi}} = 0 \rightarrow 3V\pi = \frac{18V^2}{h^3} \rightarrow 3V\pi h^3 = 18V^2 \rightarrow \pi h^3 = 6V \rightarrow \frac{3V}{h\pi} = \frac{h^2}{2} = r^2 \rightarrow \frac{h^2}{r^2} = 2 \rightarrow \frac{h}{r} = \sqrt{2}$  (B)

25. B We will use Taylor Series. Note that we only care about the  $x^6$  term.  $\tan^{-1}(x) = x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} + \dots$  is the Maclaurin expansion. We'll also use the fact that  $e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots$ .  $e^{\arctan(x)} = 1 + \arctan(x) + \frac{\arctan^2(x)}{2} + \frac{\arctan^3(x)}{6} + \frac{\arctan^4(x)}{24} + \frac{\arctan^5(x)}{120} + \frac{\arctan^6(x)}{720} + \dots$ . Note that  $\frac{\arctan^n(x)}{n!}$  doesn't contribute any  $x^6$  terms for  $n \geq 7$  because the smallest exponent in that case would be  $x^n$  where  $n \geq 7 > 6$ .

The 1 doesn't contribute and note that  $\arctan(x)$ ,  $\frac{\arctan^3(x)}{6}$ , and  $\frac{\arctan^5(x)}{120}$  only contribute  $x$  terms with odd exponents since all of them are odd functions ( $\arctan(x)$  is an odd function). Thus, the only terms that could contribute  $x^6$  terms are  $\frac{\arctan^2(x)}{2} + \frac{\arctan^4(x)}{24} + \frac{\arctan^6(x)}{720}$ .  $\arctan^2(x) = \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5}\right)^2 = 2(x)\left(\frac{x^5}{5}\right) + \left(-\frac{x^3}{3}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{9}\right)x^6 = \frac{23}{45}x^6$  so  $\frac{\arctan^2(x)}{2}$  contributes a  $\frac{23}{90}$ .  $\arctan^4(x) = \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5}\right)^4 = 4(x)^3\left(-\frac{x^3}{3}\right)^1 = -\frac{4}{3}$  so  $\frac{\arctan^4(x)}{24}$  contributes a  $-\frac{1}{18}$ .  $\arctan^6(x) = \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5}\right)^6 = x^6$  so  $\frac{\arctan^6(x)}{720}$  contributes a  $\frac{1}{720}$ .

$$\frac{23}{90} - \frac{1}{18} + \frac{1}{720} = \frac{29}{144} \rightarrow 29 + 144 = 173 \text{ (B)}$$

26. D We use Stirling's Approximation that  $n! \sim \frac{n^n}{e^n} \sqrt{2\pi n}$ . We also write  $\binom{an}{n} = \frac{(an)!}{n!((a-1)n)!}$

This way, we can denote  $(an)! = \frac{(an)^{an}}{e^{an}} \sqrt{2\pi an}$  and the rest of the factorials using Stirling's. After lots of careful computation, we arrive at the following limit:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{a^a}{b(a-1)^{a-1}} \right)^n \sqrt{\frac{a}{2\pi(a-1)n}}$$

It's clear that if  $\frac{a^a}{b(a-1)^{a-1}}$  is greater than 1, then the limit will go to infinity because the exponential function when the base is greater than 1 will always overpower the  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$  when they're multiplied together. Note that  $a$  is treated as a fixed constant where all we can assume about it is that  $a > 1$ . Logically, if  $b$  gets extremely large then  $\frac{a^a}{b(a-1)^{a-1}}$  will be closer to 0 and raising that to  $n$  where  $n \rightarrow \infty$  makes the limit zero. Thus, our minimum value of  $b$  must be  $\frac{a^a}{b(a-1)^{a-1}} = 1 \rightarrow b = \frac{a^a}{(a-1)^{a-1}}$

When  $a = 4$ , we have  $b = \frac{4^4}{3^3} \approx 9.7$  so the floor function becomes 9 (D)

27. A We can write  $b = \frac{a^a}{(a-1)^{a-1}} = \left(1 + \frac{1}{a-1}\right)^a (a-1)$ . In the limit as  $a \rightarrow \infty$  this is approximately  $e(a-1)$  since  $\lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{a-1}\right)^a = e$ . Thus,  $\frac{db}{da}$  approaches  $\frac{d}{da}(ea - e) = e$  as  $a \rightarrow \infty$  and our answer is  $e$  (A)

28. B We use our finding from number 26 and thus  $\left(\frac{a^a}{b(a-1)^{a-1}}\right)^n \sqrt{\frac{a}{2\pi(a-1)n}} = (1)^n \sqrt{\frac{a}{2\pi(a-1)n}} = \sqrt{\frac{a}{2\pi(a-1)n}}$ . Thus, we just need to multiply by  $\sqrt{n}$  and we arrive at  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(a^n)^{\sqrt{n}}}{b^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{a}{2\pi(a-1)}} = \sqrt{\frac{a}{2\pi(a-1)}} = k$ . Now we set  $a = k$ :

$$\sqrt{\frac{k}{2\pi(k-1)}} = k \rightarrow 2\pi k(k-1) = 1 \rightarrow k = \frac{\pi + \sqrt{\pi^2 + 2\pi}}{2\pi}$$

We take the positive value of  $k$ . Thus,  $2k = \frac{\pi + \sqrt{\pi^2 + 2\pi}}{\pi} = 1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{2}{\pi}}$  and our answer is 2 (B)

29. A We use quotient rule and get that  $g(x) = \frac{x^2(x^2+2bx+3c)}{(x^2+bx+c)^2}$  so  $g(x) = 0$  has a solution at  $x = 0$  and the other solution must come from  $x^2 + 2bx + 3c$ . Thus, the quadratic only has 1 root and thus the discriminant is equal to zero.  $(2b)^2 - 4(3c) = 0 \rightarrow c = \frac{b^2}{3}$ . Now we can write  $b - c = b - \frac{b^2}{3}$  which has a maximum value at the vertex of the parabola which is  $b = \frac{3}{2}$ . Plugging it back in, we get  $b - c = \frac{3}{4} \rightarrow 3 + 4 = 7$  (A)
30. C If  $g(x)$  has no vertical asymptotes, that means that the denominator can't ever equal 0. This means that the discriminant of  $x^2 + bx + c$  is strictly less than 0:

$$b^2 - 4c < 0 \rightarrow c > \frac{b^2}{4}$$

If  $g(x)$  crosses the axis at 3 points, that means that  $x = 0$  is one of those points and that the quadratic  $x^2 + 2bx + 3c = 0$  has 2 distinct solutions. Thus, the discriminant is strictly greater than 0.  $4b^2 - 12c > 0 \rightarrow c < \frac{b^2}{3}$ . Now we use geometric probability. Imagine the y-axis as  $c$  and imagine the x-axis as  $b$ . We now graph  $y < \frac{x^2}{3}$  and  $y > \frac{x^2}{4}$  from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 16$  and from  $y = 0$  to  $y = 16$ . The area that this bounds is:

$$\int_0^{16} \sqrt{4c} - \sqrt{3c} dc = \frac{128}{3} (2 - \sqrt{3})$$

To make this a probability, we divide by the area of the 16 x 16 square and get a final answer of

$$\frac{1}{256} \left( \frac{128}{3} \right) (2 - \sqrt{3}) = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3}}{6} \rightarrow 2 + 3 + 6 = 11 (C)$$