

MAT100 Midterm Solution (2021)

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3. (i) $a=b=\frac{1}{2}$.

(ii) 5.

(iii) $\frac{10}{7}$.

(iv) $\frac{83}{2}$.

(v) Smaller than.

(vi) $y = \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}x^{-3} + \frac{1}{\pi} \cos \pi x + \frac{1}{\pi}$.

(vii) $\frac{6\pi - 20}{5}$.

$$4. (i) \text{ Since } \lim_{x \rightarrow -6^-} \frac{2x+12}{|x+6|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -6^-} \frac{2x+12}{-(x+6)} = \frac{2}{-1} = -2 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow -6^+} \frac{2x+12}{|x+6|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -6^+} \frac{2x+12}{x+6} = 2 \neq -2, \quad (2)$$

limit does not exist. (2)

$$(ii) \begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} + 2x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} + 2x) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} - 2x}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} - 2x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{4x^2 + 3x - 4x^2}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} - 2x} \quad (2) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{3x}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 3x} - 2x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{3}{\sqrt{4 + 3/x} - 2} = -\frac{3}{4} \quad (2) \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sqrt{x^2} = -x$ for $x < 0$

$$(iii) \text{ For } x \in (-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}), |2x-1| = |-2x| \quad \& \quad |2x+1| = |2x+1| \quad (3)$$

$$\therefore \text{Limit} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{|-2x - (2x+1)|}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4x}{x} = -4. \quad (3)$$

$$(iv) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(1-\cos x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(1-\cos x)}{1-\cos x} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1-\cos x}{x} \quad (2)$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin y}{y} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2\sin^2(\frac{x}{2})}{x} \quad (2)$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin y}{y} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\frac{x}{2})}{x/2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin(\frac{x}{2})$$

$$= 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 0 = 0 \quad (2)$$

Can get ONLY 1 pt
if ans is right but no step.

5. The only point on the curve satisfies $x=0$ is $(x,y) = (0,2)$. (1)

$$0 = \frac{d}{dx} y = \frac{d}{dx} (y^3 - 4 \sin(xy)) = 3y^2 \cdot y' - 4 \cos(xy)(xy' + y)$$

$$\text{At } (x,y) = (0,2), \quad 0 = 12y' - 4 \cdot 2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad y' = \frac{2}{3}. \quad \text{②}$$

Hence, line is given by $\frac{y-2}{x} = \frac{2}{3}$, or (2)

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x + 2.$$

(1)

6. (i) Since $x - \sin x = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0$, the domain is (1)

$$D = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}. \quad \text{span style="color:red">(1)}$$

(ii) • $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} 3x^2 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x+1}{x-\sin x} = 3 + \frac{2}{1-\sin 1} \quad \text{span style="color:red">(2)}$

So f can be extended continuously at $x=1$
by setting $f(1) = 3 + \frac{2}{1-\sin 1}$. (1)

• $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x+1}{x-\sin x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 + \frac{1}{x}}{1 - \frac{\sin x}{x}}. \quad (\ast) \quad \rightarrow \text{span style="color:red">(2)}$

Since $1 + \frac{1}{x} \rightarrow \infty$ & $1 - \frac{\sin x}{x} \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow 0^+$,
the limit (\ast) D.N.E. Hence $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ D.N.E., (1)

so f cannot be extended continuously at $x=0$. (1)

(iii) Since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} 3x^2 + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x+1}{x-\sin x} = \infty, \quad \text{span style="color:red">(2)}$
(See (ii))

$x=0$ is a vertical asymptote. (1)

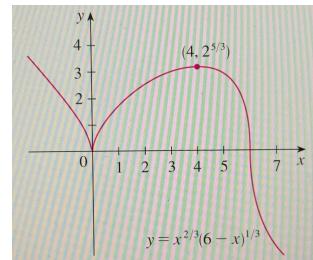
Since $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{f(x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \left(3x + \frac{x+1}{x(x-\sin x)} \right)$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} 3x + \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{1 + \frac{1}{x}}{1 - \frac{\sin x}{x}} \xrightarrow[\substack{x \rightarrow \pm\infty \\ x \rightarrow \pm\infty}]{} \pm\infty, \quad \text{span style="color:red">(2)}$

there is no oblique (and hence horizontal) asymptote. (1)

$$7. (i) f'(x) = \frac{4-x}{x^{1/3}(6-x)^{2/3}} \quad (2)$$

$$\underline{f'(x)=0 \Leftrightarrow x=4}, \quad (1)$$

and $f'(x)$ D.N.E when $x=0$ or $x=6$. (1)



f'	<0	>0	<0	<0
f	$\searrow 0$	$\nearrow 4$	$\searrow 6$	\searrow

So f is decreasing on $(-\infty, 0]$ and $[4, \infty)$ (1)
increasing on $[0, 4]$. (1)

$$(ii) f''(x) = \frac{-8}{x^{4/3}(6-x)^{5/3}} \quad (2)$$

$\underline{f''(x) \neq 0 \ \forall x}$, and f'' is not defined at $x=0$ & $x=6$. (2)

f''	<0	<0	>0
	0	6	

So f is concave down on $(-\infty, 0)$ and $(0, 6)$ (1)
and concave up on $(6, \infty)$. (1)

$$\text{(iii)} \cdot \text{ Since } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(6+h) - f(6)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{(6+h)^{\frac{4}{3}} - h^{\frac{1}{3}}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-(6+h)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{h^{\frac{2}{3}}} = -\infty \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(6+h) - f(6)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{-(6+h)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{h^{\frac{2}{3}}} = -\infty, \quad \textcircled{1}$$

there is a vertical tangent at $x=6$. $\textcircled{1}$

$\therefore \exists$ an inflection pt at $x=6$. $\textcircled{1}$

(iv) By (i) and first derivative test :

- local minimum at $x=0$ $\textcircled{1}$
- local maximum at $x=4$ $\textcircled{1}$

$$\text{Since } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty \cdot (-\infty) = -\infty$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \infty \cdot (\infty) = \infty,$$

there are ≥ 2 absolute extrema.

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$$8. \quad \frac{ds}{d\alpha} = \frac{v_0^2}{4.9} \cos 2\alpha ,$$

$$\text{so } \frac{ds}{d\alpha} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \cos 2\alpha = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2\alpha \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2} \right\} \Leftrightarrow \alpha \in \left\{ \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4} \right\}.$$

$$\text{Since } \alpha \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}] , \quad \frac{ds}{d\alpha} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \alpha = \frac{\pi}{4} .$$

$$\text{Let } f(\alpha) := \frac{v_0^2}{9.8} \sin(2\alpha) .$$

Since $f(0) = 0$, $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{v_0^2}{9.8}$, $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$,
the distance is maximized when $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

(Alternatively, since $|\sin x| \leq 1$ and $v_0 > 0$, $f(\alpha)$ is
maximized when $\sin(2\alpha) = 1$, which happens when $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$,
since $\alpha \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$.)

10. Proof: Let $f(x) := x - \sin x$. Fix any $x_0 \in (0, 2\pi]$. Then f is continuous on $[0, x_0]$ and differentiable on $(0, x_0)$. By MVT,

$$(*) \quad f(x_0) - f(0) = f'(c)x_0 \text{ for some } c \in (0, x_0).$$

Since $f(0) = 0$ and $f'(c) = 1 - \cos c > 0$, by $(*)$,

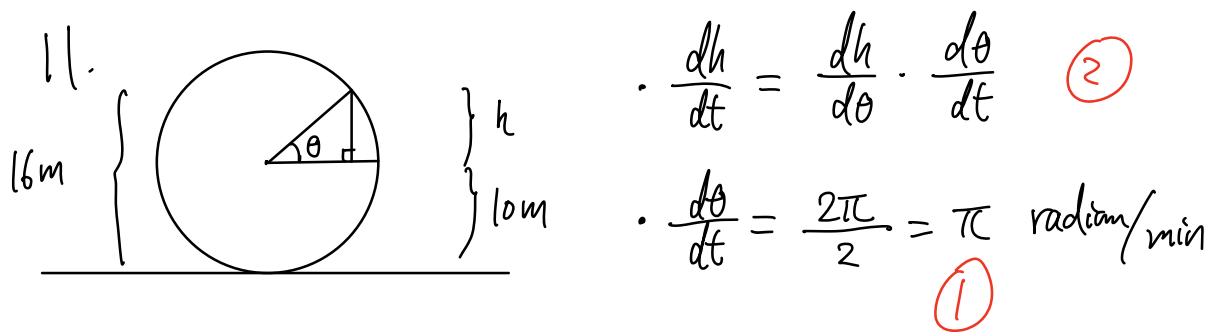
$$f(x_0) = f'(c)x_0 > 0,$$

i.e.,

$$x_0 > \sin x_0,$$

This holds for all $x_0 \in (0, 2\pi]$.





$$\cdot \frac{h}{10} = \sin \theta \Rightarrow h = 10 \sin \theta$$

(1)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dh}{d\theta} = 10 \cos \theta \text{ m/radian}$$

$$\cdot \text{At } h=6, \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{10^2 - 6^2}}{10} = \frac{8}{10} = \frac{4}{5}$$

(2)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dh}{d\theta} \Big|_{h=6} = 8 \text{ m/radian}$$

$$\cdot \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{dh}{d\theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt} = 8 \cdot \pi = 8\pi \text{ m/min.}$$

(2)