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# Math 131 (Principles of Calculus)

## Final Exam A

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### Instructions:

- For questions which require a written answer, show all your work. Full credit will be given only if the necessary work is shown justifying your answer.
- Simplify your answers.
- Calculators are allowed.
- Should you have need for more space than is allocated to answer a question, use the back of the exam.
- Please do not talk about the test with other students until exams are handed back.
- **Honor Code:**

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**Multiple Choice (5 points each)** Mark the correct answer on the bubble sheet.

For questions 1-4, use the following graph of  $f(x)$ :

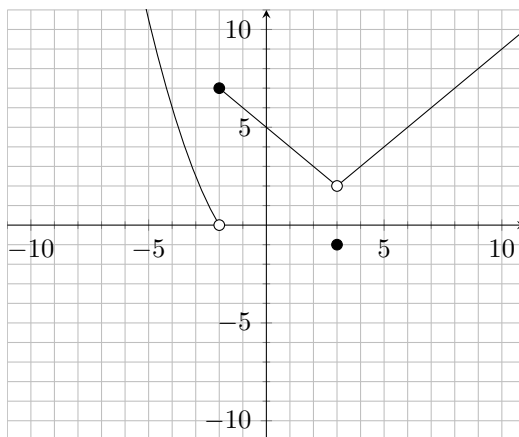


Figure 1:  $f(x)$

1. According to the graph of  $f(x)$ , the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)$  equals which of the following.
  - a) 8
  - b) 2
  - c) -1
  - d) -3
  - e) The limit does not exist.
2. According to the graph of  $f(x)$ , the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x)$  equals which of the following.
  - a) 7
  - b) 0
  - c) -2
  - d) -5
  - e) The limit does not exist.
3. According to the graph of  $f(x)$ , the  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x)$  equals which of the following.
  - a) 8
  - b) 4
  - c) 0
  - d) -1
  - e) The limit does not exist.
4. According to the graph of  $f(x)$ , the function  $f(x)$  is not continuous at  $x = 3$  because
  - a)  $f(x)$  is not defined at  $x = 6$ .
  - b) there is a removable discontinuity at  $x = 6$
  - c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 6} f(x)$  does not exist.
  - d) there is a horizontal asymptote at  $x = 6$ .
  - e) there is a vertical asymptote at  $x = 6$ .

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5. The graph of  $g(x)$  is given below.

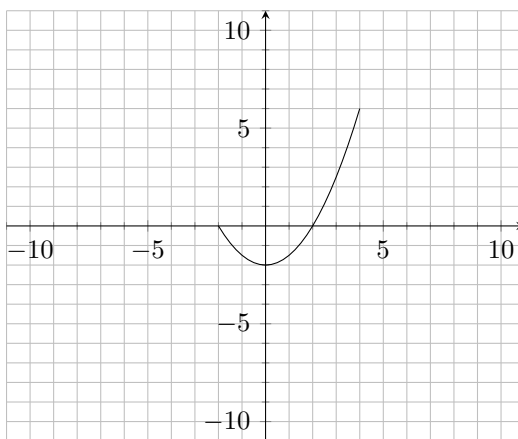


Figure 2:  $g(x)$

According to the graph above, the domain and range of  $g(x)$  are

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| a) Domain: $[-4, 4]$ , Range: $[-4, 2]$  | b) Domain: $[-6, 4]$ , Range: $[-2, 6]$ |
| c) Domain: $[-6, 2]$ , Range: $[-2, 4]$  | d) Domain: $[-4, 4]$ , Range: $[-6, 2]$ |
| e) Domain: $[-2, -6]$ , Range: $[-2, 4]$ |   |

6. Find the domain of  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 16}$ .

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|-------------------------------------|--|
| a) $(-2, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$       | b) $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, 4) \cup (4, \infty)$ |
| c) $(-\infty, -4) \cup (0, \infty)$ | d) $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-2, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$ |
| e) $[-2, 2)$                        |  |

7. Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$  and  $g(x) = \ln(x)$ . What is the domain of  $f(x) * g(x)$ ?

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| a) $(0, 2]$       | b) $[-1, 2)$     |
| c) $[-2, \infty)$ | d) $(0, \infty)$ |
| e) $[-2, 2]$      |                  |

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8. Given a function  $f(x)$ , then the graph of  $2f(3-x)$  will be

- a) the graph of  $f(x)$  shrunk horizontally by a factor of 2, shifted 4 units up, then reflected across the  $x$ -axis.
- b) the graph of  $f(x)$  stretched vertically by a factor 3, shifted 2 units up, then reflected across the  $y$ -axis.
- c) the graph of  $f(x)$  stretched vertically by a factor of 2, shifted 3 units to the right, then reflected across the  $y$ -axis.
- d) the graph of  $f(x)$  stretched vertically by a factor of 2, shifted 3 units to the left, then reflected across the  $y$ -axis.
- e) the graph of  $f(x)$  shrunk horizontally by a factor of 3, shifted 4 units to the right, then reflected across the  $x$ -axis.

9. A bacteria population doubles every 47 minutes. If the initial population is 1000 bacteria, how many bacteria will there be after 5 hours?

- a)  $4.2 \times 10^4$
- b)  $3.2 \times 10^3$
- c)  $4.3 \times 10^3$
- d)  $1.2 \times 10^3$
- e)  $8.3 \times 10^3$

10. Find the derivative of the function  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x^3} - 4x^2 + 3$ .

- a)  $-\frac{15}{x^2} - 8x$
- b)  $-\frac{15}{x^2} + 3$
- c)  $-\frac{9}{x^4} - 8x$
- d)  $-\frac{9}{x^4} - 4$
- e)  $-\frac{10}{x} - 3$

For the next two questions, use the following graph of  $f'(x)$ :

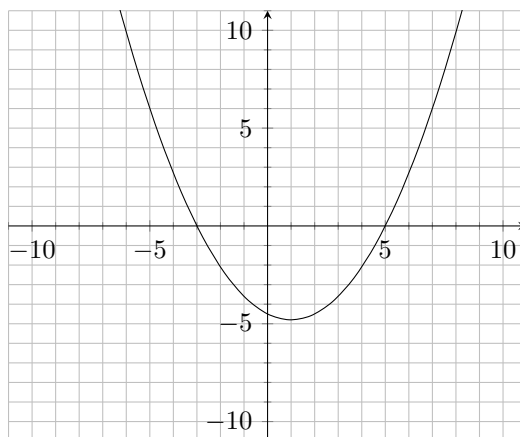


Figure 3:  $f'(x)$

11. According to the graph of  $f'(x)$ , the original function  $f(x)$  has a local maximum at
- a)  $-5$                                       b)  $-3$                                       c)  $0$
- d)  $1$     e)  $5$
12. According to the graph of  $f'(x)$ , the original function  $f(x)$  is concave upward in which interval(s)?
- a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$                                       b)  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (1, 5)$
- c)  $(1, \infty)$     d)  $(-\infty, -3)$
- e) The original function  $f(x)$  is never concave up.
13. A vertical spring is released at time  $t = 0$  seconds and begins to oscillate in a straight vertical line. The height of its endpoint above the ground in meters is given by the function
- $$h(t) = 3 - 0.2\cos(2t)$$
- To two decimal places, what is the velocity (in meters/second) of the spring's endpoint at time  $t = 3$  ?
- a)  $-0.11$                                       b)  $-0.06$                                       c)  $0.12$
- d)  $2.12$     e)  $2.84$

14. Find the linear approximation to  $\sqrt{x^2 + 8}$  at  $x = 1$

a)  $3x + \sqrt{8}$

b)  $x + \sqrt{8}$

c)  $\frac{1}{6}x + 3$

d)  $\frac{2}{3}x + 3$

e)  $\frac{1}{3}x + 3$

15. We are given an unknown function  $f(x)$  such that  $f'(2) > 0$  and  $f''(2) < 0$ . We can conclude that at  $x = 2$ , the function  $f(x)$  has

a) a local min.

b) a local max.

c) an inflection point.

d) an undefined derivative.

e) none of the above.

16. Calculate the equation of the tangent line to  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  at  $x = 2$

a)  $y = -\frac{1}{4}x + \frac{1}{2}$

b)  $y = x + \frac{1}{2}$

c)  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 2$

d)  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}$

e)  $y = -\frac{1}{4}x + 2$

17. Find the absolute maximum and minimum values for the function  $f(x) = \ln(x^2 + 1)$  on the interval  $[-1, 3]$

a) maximum value = 2.30, minimum value = 1.1

b) maximum value = 3.62, minimum value = 1.1

c) maximum value = 2.30, minimum value = 0

d) maximum value = 3.62, minimum value = 0

e) maximum value = 1.32, minimum value = 1

18. Find the derivative of the function  $\tan(xe^x)$ .

a)  $(1+x)e^x \sec^2(xe^x)$

b)  $e^x \sec^2(xe^x)$

c)  $(1+x)e^x \tan(xe^x)$

d)  $e^x \cos^2(xe^x)$

e)  $\sec^2(xe^x)$

19. If  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$  and  $f(9) = 5$

a)  $f(x) = \frac{3}{4}x^{-3/2} + \frac{11}{4}$

b)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x} + \frac{7}{2}$

c)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{x} + 3$

d)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{x} + \frac{7}{2}$

e)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x} + 2$

20. A particle moves along a wire with velocity  $v(t) = 4\cos(2t)$ . Find the net change in position between time  $t = 0$  and  $t = \pi$

a)  $1 + \pi$

b)  $2\pi$

c)  $4\pi$

d)  $0$

e)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

21. Calculate the indefinite integral  $\int \frac{1}{x} + \sec(3x) \tan(3x) dx$

a)  $\ln|x| + 3\sec(3x) + C$

b)  $\frac{2}{x^2} + \frac{1}{3}\sec(3x) + C$

c)  $\ln|x| + \frac{1}{3}\sec(3x) + C$

d)  $-\frac{2}{x^2} + \frac{1}{3}\tan(3x) + C$

e)  $\ln|x| + \frac{1}{3}\cot(3x) + C$





27. What is the average value of the function  $f(x) = \sin(x)$  on  $[0, \pi]$

a)  $2$

b)  $-2\pi$

c)  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$

d)  $\pi$

e)  $\frac{2}{\pi}$

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