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**1 | 131**

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

**2 | 132****no discontinuities****3 | 140**

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

**4 | 141**

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

**5 | 145**

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

**6 | 150****The function is not continuous at  $x = 2$** **7 | 152****7.1 | a**

$$\cos t = t^3$$

7.2 | **b**

Let  $f(x) = \cos x$  and  $g(x) = x^3$ . For  $a = 0$  and  $b = \frac{\pi}{2}$ :

$$f(a) = 1$$

$$g(a) = 0$$

$$f(b) = 0$$

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

Because these functions each 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**

$$x = 0.8655 \pm 0.005$$

8 | **164**

It's true.