

**Final test \_ December 2015**

1. (11)

- (a) Solve:  $2^{2x+2} = 3^{x-7}$
- (b) Let  $f(x) = \ln(x^2 - 1)$  and  $g(x) = 1 - x$ , calculate  $(f \circ g)(x)$  and determine its domain.
- (c) Calculate the inverse function  $f^{-1}(x)$  for  $f(x) = \ln(1 - 2x)$ , and determine the range of both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

2. (7) Calculate the limit if it exists:

- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{|x-2|(x+3)}{x^2 + x - 6}$
- (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x-1}{3 - \sqrt{x^2 + 8}}$

3. (6) Find all asymptotes for  $y = \frac{\sqrt{9x^2 + 1}}{x^2 - 25} \frac{x^2 + 1}{x + 5}$

4. (12) Calculate the derivatives of:

- (a)  $f(x) = x^e e^x + e^2$
- (b)  $f(x) = \frac{1 + \ln x^2}{1 + x^2}$
- (c)  $f(x) = \arctan\left(\sin\left(e^{x^2 \cos x}\right)\right)$
- (d)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}(x^{3/2} - x^{-1/2})(x + 1)$
- (e)  $f(x) = (1 + x^2)^{\tan x}$ .

4. (12) Consider  $y = \sqrt{25 + x}$

- (a) Use the definition of derivative to determine  $\frac{dy}{dx}$
- (b) Calculate the linearization  $L(x)$  of  $\sqrt{25 + x}$  at  $a = 0$
- (c) Use  $L(x)$  to approximate  $\sqrt{30}$ .

5. (7) Let  $f(x) = x^3 - 2x + 3$ .

- (a) Calculate the slope  $m$  of the secant line joining the points **A**  $(-2, f(-2))$  and **B**  $(0, f(0))$ .
- (b) Locate the value  $x = c$  (if any) on the interval  $(-2, 0)$  such that  $f'(c) = m$ .

6. (17)

- (a) Verify that the point  $\mathbf{A}(2, 1)$  lies on the curve  $C : x^2 + 2y^2 + 2 = x^3y^3$  and write an equation of the tangent line to  $C$  at  $\mathbf{A}$ .
- (b) A spherical snowball is melting in such way that its diameter  $D$  is decreasing at the rate  $\frac{dD}{dt} = -.01\text{cm}/\text{min}$ . At what rate is the volume  $V = \frac{4\pi r^3}{3}$  ( $r$  is the radius of the snowball) of the snowball decreasing when  $D = 9\text{cm}$ ?
- (c) Use the l'Hospital's rule to calculate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2(3x)}{1 - \cos(2x)}$ .

7. (11)

- (a) Locate the point  $\mathbf{A}(x_0, y_0)$  on the straight line  $y = x + 6$  that is closest to the origin  $\mathbf{O}(0, 0)$ .
- (b) A rectangle is has its base on the  $x$ -axis and its upper corners lie on the parabola  $y = 12 - x^2$ . What is the largest area of such rectangle.

8. (14) Let  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 21x^2 + 36x - 9$ .

- (a) Evaluate  $f'(x)$  to determine intervals where  $f(x)$  is increasing, intervals where it is decreasing, and all critical  $x$ -values to identify the local extrema.
- (b) Evaluate  $f''(x)$  to determine intervals where  $f(x)$  is concave upwards, intervals where it is concave downwards, and all critical  $x$ -values to identify the points of inflection.
- (c) Use all the above information to sketch the graph  $y = f(x)$ .

Bonus (5) Is it possible to have  $f(x)$  such that  $f(0) = 0$ ,  $f(2) = 4$  and  $f'(x) < 2$  for all  $x \in [0, 2]$ . Give an example of such a function or prove that it is impossible.

### Solutions.

1. Then:

- (a)  $2^{2x+2} = 3^{x-7} \rightarrow (2x+2)\ln 2 = (x-7)\ln 3 \rightarrow x = \frac{2\ln 2 + 7\ln 3}{\ln 3 - 2\ln 2}$
- (b) If  $f(x) = \ln(x^2 - 1)$  and  $g(x) = 1-x$ , then  $(f \circ g)(x) = \ln((1-x)^2 - 1)$   
and its domain is  $(1-x)^2 - 1 = x^2 - 2x = x(x-2) > 0 \rightarrow (-\infty, 0) \cup (2, \infty)$ .
- (c) The inverse function  $f^{-1}(x)$  for  $f(x) = \ln(1-2x)$ , and determine the range of both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

2. Calculate the limits if it exists:

- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{|x-2|(x+3)}{x^2+x-6} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{|x-2|(x+3)}{(x+3)(x-2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{|x-2|}{x-2}$  does not exist as  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{|x-2|}{x-2} = -1 \neq 1 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{|x-2|}{x-2}$
- (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x-1}{3-\sqrt{x^2+8}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x-1)(3+\sqrt{x^2+8})}{9-(x^2+8)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x-1)(3+\sqrt{x^2+8})}{(1-x)(1+x)} = -\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{3+\sqrt{x^2+8}}{1+x} = -3$

3. Find all asymptotes for  $y = \frac{\sqrt{9x^2+1}}{x^2-25} \frac{x^2+1}{x+5}$

a)  $x = \pm 5$  are **vertical** asymptotes as when  $x \rightarrow \pm 5$  then  $|y| \rightarrow \infty$

b)  $y = \frac{\pm x \sqrt{9 + \frac{1}{x^2}}}{x^2 \left(1 - \frac{25}{x^2}\right)} \frac{x^2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)}{x \left(1 + \frac{5}{x}\right)} = \frac{\pm \left(1 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) \sqrt{9 + \frac{1}{x^2}}}{\left(1 - \frac{25}{x^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{5}{x}\right)} \rightarrow y = \pm 3$   
are **horizontal** asymptotes, as when  $x \rightarrow \pm \infty$  then  $y \rightarrow \pm 3$

4. Calculate the derivatives:

- (a)  $\frac{d}{dx} (x^e e^x + e^2) = x^{e-1} e^x (x+e) = x^e e^x + e x^{e-1} e^x$
- (b)  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1 + \ln x^2}{1 + x^2} \right) = \frac{(1+x^2) \frac{2}{x} - 2x(1+\ln x^2)}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{2-2x^2 \ln x^2}{x^5+2x^3+x}$
- (c)  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \arctan \left( \sin \left( e^{x^2 \cos x} \right) \right) \right) = \frac{\cos \left( e^{x^2 \cos x} \right) e^{x^2 \cos x} (2x \cos x - x^2 \sin x)}{1 + \sin^2 \left( e^{x^2 \cos x} \right)}$
- (d)  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \sqrt{x} (x^{3/2} - x^{-1/2}) (x+1) \right) = \frac{d}{dx} (x^3 + x^2 - x - 1) = 3x^2 + 2x - 1$

$$(e) \frac{d}{dx} (1+x^2)^{\tan x} : \text{put } y = (1+x^2)^{\tan x} \rightarrow \ln y = \tan x \ln (1+x^2) \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{y'}{y} = \sec^2 x \ln (1+x^2) + \frac{2x \tan x}{1+x^2} \rightarrow y' = \frac{d}{dx} (1+x^2)^{\tan x} = (1+x^2)^{\tan x} \left( \sec^2 x \ln (1+x^2) + \frac{2x \tan x}{1+x^2} \right)$$

5. For  $y = \sqrt{25+x}$

- (a) Use the definition of derivative to determine  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{25+x+h} - \sqrt{25+x}}{h} =$
- $$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{25+x+h} - \sqrt{25+x}}{h} \frac{\sqrt{25+x+h} + \sqrt{25+x}}{\sqrt{25+x+h} + \sqrt{25+x}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(25+x) + h - (25+x)}{h(\sqrt{25+x+h} + \sqrt{25+x})} =$$
- $$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{25+x+h} + \sqrt{25+x}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{25+x}}$$
- (b) The linearization of  $\sqrt{25+x}$  at  $a = 0$  is  $L(x) = f(0) + x f'(0) =$
- $$5 + \frac{x}{2\sqrt{25}} = \frac{x}{10} + 5$$
- (c) Use  $L(x)$  to approximate  $\sqrt{30}$ : as  $f(x) = \sqrt{25+x} = \sqrt{30}$  when
- $$x = 5 \rightarrow L(5) = 5 + \frac{5}{2\sqrt{25}} = \frac{11}{2} = 5.5 (\approx 5.4772... = \sqrt{30})$$

6. For  $f(x) = x^3 - 2x + 3$

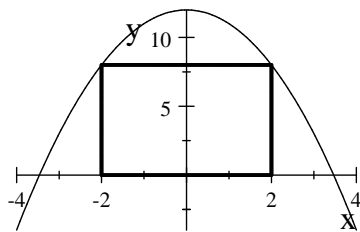
- (a) the slope of the secant line joining the points  $\mathbf{A}(-2, f(-2)) = \mathbf{A}(-2, -1)$  and  $\mathbf{B}(0, f(0)) = \mathbf{B}(0, 3)$  is  $m = \frac{f(0) - f(-2)}{0 - (-2)} = \frac{3 - (-1)}{2} = 2$
- (b) the value  $x = c$  on the interval  $(-2, 0)$  such that  $f'(c) = 3c^2 - 2 = 2$
- $$2 \rightarrow \left( \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{3} \notin (-2, 0) \right) c = -\frac{2}{3}\sqrt{3}.$$

7. (a) The point  $\mathbf{A}(2, 1)$  lies on the curve  $C : x^2 + 2y^2 + 2 = x^3y^3$  since  $2^2 + 2 + 2 = 8 = 2^3$ . Since the differentiation gives:  $2x + 4yy' = 3x^2y^3 + 3x^3y^2y' \xrightarrow{At \mathbf{A}} 4 + 4y' = 12 + 24y' \rightarrow y' = -\frac{2}{5}$ . The tangent line to  $C$  at  $\mathbf{A}$  has equation:  $y = y'(\mathbf{A})(x - 2) + 1 = -\frac{2}{5}(x - 2) + 1 \rightarrow$
- $$y = \frac{9 - 2x}{5}$$

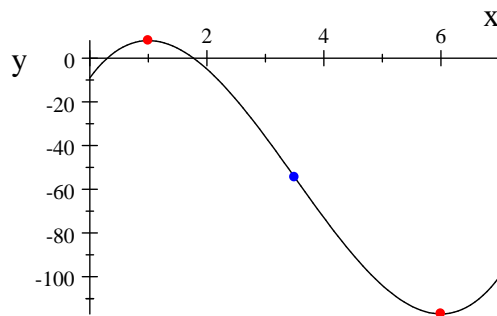
- (b) If a spherical snowball is melting in such way that its diameter  $D = 2r$  is decreasing at the rate  $\frac{dD}{dt} \rightarrow \frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{-0.01}{2} \text{ cm/min}$ . Therefore, the rate  $V' = 4\pi r^2 r'$  of the volume of the snowball when  $D = 9 \text{ cm} \rightarrow r = 4.5 \text{ cm}$  is then  $V' = 4\pi \left( \frac{81}{4} \right) \frac{-0.01}{2} \text{ cm/min} = -0.405 \pi \text{ cm/min}$ .

- (c) Use the l'Hospital's rule to calculate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2(3x)}{1 - \cos(2x)} \stackrel{\frac{0}{0}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6 \sin(3x) \cos(3x)}{2 \sin(2x)} \stackrel{\frac{0}{0}}{=}$
- $$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{18(\cos^2(3x) - \sin^2(3x))}{4 \cos(2x)} = \frac{9}{2}.$$

8. (a) The distance of a point  $\mathbf{A}(x, y)$  from the origin is  $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + (x+6)^2} = \sqrt{2x^2 + 12x + 36} = d(x)$ , as  $\mathbf{A}$  is on the line  $y = x + 6$ . Therefore,  $d'(x) = \frac{2x+6}{\sqrt{2x^2 + 12x + 36}} = 0$  when  $x_0 = -3 \rightarrow y_0 = 3 \rightarrow \mathbf{A}(-3, 3)$
- (b) A rectangle is has its base  $\overline{\mathbf{A}(-x, 0)\mathbf{B}(x, 0)}$  on the  $x$ -axis and its upper corners lie on the parabola  $y = 12 - x^2$ . Then its area  $A(x)$  is:  $A(x) = 2xy = 2x(12 - x^2) = 24x - 2x^3 \rightarrow A'(x) = 24 - 6x^2 = 0 \rightarrow x = 2$  giving the largest area  $A_{\max} = 16$



9. For  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 21x^2 + 36x - 9$ .
- (a) Gives  $f'(x) = 6x^2 - 42x + 36 = 6(x-1)(x-6) \rightarrow f(x)$  is increasing in  $(-\infty, 1) \cup (6, \infty)$ , decreasing in  $(1, 6)$ , and all critical  $x$ -values are  $x_{\max} = 1 \rightarrow (1, 8)$ ,  $x_{\min} = 6 \rightarrow (6, -117)$ .
- (b) Evaluate  $f''(x) = 12x - 42 = 6(2x - 7) \rightarrow f(x)$  is concave upwards in  $(3.5, \infty)$ , it is concave downwards in  $(-\infty, 3.5)$ , and the critical  $x$ -value is  $x = \frac{7}{2} \rightarrow$  point of inflection is  $\left(\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{109}{2}\right)$ .
- (c) The graph  $y = f(x)$  is therefore:



Bonus (5) If  $f(x)$  is such that  $f(0) = 0$ ,  $f(2) = 4$  and  $f'(x) < 2$  for all  $x \in [0, 2] \rightarrow$  it satisfies the MVT  $\rightarrow$  there must exist  $x \in (0, 2) : f'(x) = \frac{f(2) - f(0)}{2} = 2 \geq 2 \rightarrow$  therefore such a function does not exist.