Homework 10, Fall 2022

I have neither given nor received unauthorized assistance on this assignment.

Homework 10 has questions 1 through 5 with a total of 20 points. Please neatly handwrite your solutions, digitize them and submit the digitized copy to Canvas. This work is due *Saturday 12 November at 11:59* PM.

- 1. Prove the product rule for derivatives. Specifically show that if *f* and *g* are differentiable at *a*, then *f g* is differentiable at *a*. To do this use the Carathéodory definition of the derivative. You may freely use the fact that the sum and product of continuous functions is continuous.
- $\boxed{5}$ 2. Show that the function $x \in \mathbf{R} \mapsto x|x|$ is differentiable at zero.
- 3. Let $f, g \in \mathbf{R} \to \mathbf{R}$. Either prove or find a counterexample: If f g is differentiable at zero, either f is differentiable at zero or g is differentiable at zero.
- 5 4. Suppose $f, g \in \mathbf{R} \to \mathbf{R}$ are differentiable at zero and suppose f(0) = 0, g(0) = 0, and $g'(0) \neq 0$. Use the Carathéodory definition of the derivative to prove the L'Hôpital little theorem:

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{f'(0)}{g'(0)}.$$

5. (Bonus) There is at least one factual claim in the text

http://mathonline.wikidot.com/carath-eodorys-differentiation-criterion that is rubbish and at least one grammatical error (I'd say far more than one). What are these errors?