THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG
Department of Mathematics
MATH1510 Calculus for Engineers (Fall 2021)
Homework 2
Deadline: October 16 at 23:00

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General Guidelines for Homework Submission.

- Please submit your answer to Gradescope through the centralized course MATH1510A-I in Blackboard.
- In Gradescope, for each question, please indicate exactly which page(s) its answer locates. **Answers of incorrectly matched questions will not be graded**.
- **Late submission will NOT be graded and result in zero score.** Any answers showing evidence of plagiarism will also score zero; stronger disciplinary action may also be taken.
- Points will only be awarded for answers with sufficient justifications.
- All questions in **Part A** along with some selected questions in **Part B** will be graded. Question(s) labeled with * are more challenging.

Part A:

1. Let $f(x) = \sin(2x + \pi)$. Use definition (first principle) to find $f'(x)$ for any $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

2. Let $\mathcal{C}$ be the curve defined by the equation $xy = \ln x + y^3$. Given that $A = (1, 0)$ is a point on $\mathcal{C}$,

   (a) Find $\dfrac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of x and y.

   (b) Find $\left.\dfrac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right|_A$.

Part B:

3. Determine the point(s) of discontinuity of the function:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 3x - 1, & \text{if } x \leq 0, \\ \dfrac{\sin x}{x}, & \text{if } 0 < x \leq \pi, \\ \cos x + 1, & \text{if } \pi < x. \end{cases}$$

4. Find the derivative of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + \cos x & \text{if } x < 0; \\ 1 & \text{if } x = 0; \\ 2x \sin x + 1 & \text{if } x > 0. \end{cases}$$

(Hint: You need to check the differentiability at 0.)

5. Find $\dfrac{dy}{dx}$ by logarithmic differentiation if

   (a) $y = \dfrac{(x^2+5)^4}{(e^{-x}+2)\sqrt{x^4+1}}$;

   (b) $y = x^{x+1}$, for $x > 0$.

6. * Let a and b be real numbers with $a < b$. Show that the function

$$F(x) = (x - a)(x - b)^2 + x$$

takes on the value $\dfrac{a+b}{2}$ for some value of x.

7. * Let u, v be functions of x. The first order derivative of uv can be obtained by the product rule:

$$(uv)' = u'v + uv'.$$

The general formula for n-th order derivative of uv was derived by the German mathematician Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz:

$$(uv)^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} u^{(k)} v^{(n-k)},$$

where $\binom{n}{k} = C_k^n = \dfrac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$, the symbol $u^{(k)} = \dfrac{d^k u}{dx^k}$ means the k-th order derivative of u and $u^{(0)} = u$.

By Leibniz's formula, compute $f^{(100)}(x)$ if

$$f(x) = (2x^3 + 5x^2 - x + 3)\cos x.$$