

MATHEMATICS 1LS3 TEST 2

Day Class

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THIS TEST HAS 8 PAGES AND 7 QUESTIONS. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THAT YOUR COPY OF THE PAPER IS COMPLETE.

Total number of points is 40. Marks are indicated next to the problem number. Any non-graphing calculator is allowed.

USE PEN TO WRITE YOUR TEST. IF YOU USE A PENCIL YOUR TEST WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR REMARKING (IF NEEDED).

You must show work to receive full credit.

Problem	Points	Mark
1	4	
2	6	
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4	7	
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6	6	
7	5	
TOTAL	40	

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1. Multiple choice questions: circle ONE answer. No justification is needed.

(a)[2] If $f(x) = Ax \ln(B+x)$, then $f'(0)$ is equal to

- (A) A (B) B (C) AB (D) $B \ln B$
(E) $AB \ln B$ (F) $AB \ln A$ (G) $A \ln B$ (H) $B \ln A$

$$f'(x) = A \left(\ln(B+x) + x \cdot \frac{1}{B+x} \right)$$

$$f'(0) = A \cdot \ln B$$

(b)[2] If $f(x) = \arctan\left(\frac{x}{3} + 1\right)$, then $f'(1)$ is equal to

- (A) $9/75$ (B) $9/15$ (C) $1/75$ (D) $1/25$
(E) $1/15$ (F) $3/25$ (G) $9/5$ (H) $3/17$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{3} + 1\right)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{3}$$

$$f'(1) = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{\frac{25}{9}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{3}{25}$$

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2. Identify each statement as true or false, or yes or no (circle your choice). You do not need to justify your answer.

(a)[2] Let $m(t)$ represent the mass of melting snow in kilograms, where t is time in days. The units of $m'(t)$ are kilograms.

TRUE

FALSE

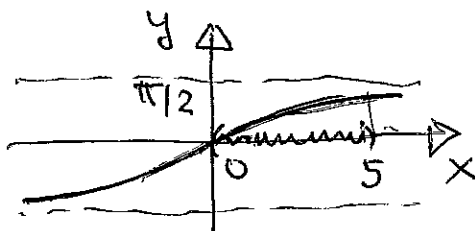
kg/day because $m'(t)$ is the rate of change of $m(t)$

(b)[2] Knowing that $g''(x) = (x-5) \arctan x$, we conclude that the function $g(x)$ is concave up on $(0, 5)$.

TRUE

FALSE

negative \oplus on $(0, 5)$
(from graph)



(c)[2] The function $g(x) = x \sin(\pi x)$ has a horizontal tangent at $x = 1$.

TRUE

FALSE

$$g'(x) = \sin(\pi x) + x \cdot \cos(\pi x) \cdot \pi$$

$$g'(1) = \sin \pi + \cos \pi \cdot \pi = -\pi \neq 0$$

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Questions 3-7: You must show work to receive full credit.

3. (a)[3] Find $f'(1)$, if $f(x) = 3^{\ln x} + \sqrt{1 + \ln x} + 3^5$.

$$f'(x) = 3^{\ln x} \cdot \ln 3 \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2} (1 + \ln x)^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} + 0$$

$$f'(1) = 3^0 \cdot \ln 3 \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1^{-1/2} \cdot 1 = \ln 3 + \frac{1}{2} \\ \approx 1.5986$$

(b)[3] Find $y'(x)$, if $\cos(x^2 y) = \sin y + \tan x$.

$$-\sin(x^2 y) \cdot (2xy + x^2 y') = \cos y \cdot y' + \sec^2 x$$

$$y' (-x^2 \sin(x^2 y) - \cos y) = \sec^2 x + \sin(x^2 y) \cdot 2xy$$

$$y' = \frac{\sec^2 x + 2xy \sin(x^2 y)}{-x^2 \sin(x^2 y) - \cos y}$$

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4. (a)[3] In the article *Migration behaviour of grizzly bears in Northern British Columbia: contribution to a modelling approach*. G. Brown et al, Bear Science 4 (June 2012), we find the formula

$$P(t) = \arctan(1.7t) + 4.7$$

where t represents time.

Next, we read "initially, $P(t) \approx 1.7t + 4.7$, which gives a linear relationship." Explain why this statement is correct. [Hint: Think in terms of the linear approximation at $t = 0$.]

$$P(0) = \arctan(0) + 4.7 = 4.7$$

$$P'(0) = \frac{1}{1 + (1.7t)^2} \cdot 1.7 \Big|_{t=0} = 1.7$$

$$\text{linear approx.} = P(0) + P'(0)(t-0) = 4.7 + 1.7t$$

near $t=0$, $P(t) \approx 4.7 + 1.7t$

(b)[4] A simple model of diffusion states that the concentration of a substance diffusing in air is given by

$$c(x) = e^{-ax^2+b}$$

where a and b are constants and x is the distance from the source. This formula is sometimes simplified using a quadratic approximation near $x = 0$. Find that approximation.

$$Q(x) = T_2(x) = \underline{c(0) + c'(0)x + \frac{1}{2}c''(0)x^2}$$

$$c(x) = e^{-ax^2+b} \rightarrow c(0) = e^b$$

$$c'(x) = e^{-ax^2+b} (-2ax) \rightarrow c'(0) = 0$$

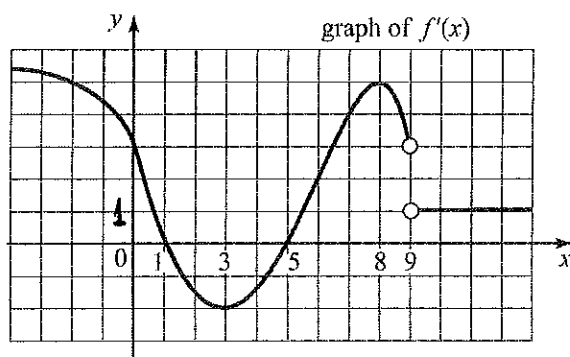
$$c''(x) = e^{-ax^2+b} (-2ax)(-2ax) + e^{-ax^2+b} (-2a)$$

$$\rightarrow c''(0) = -2ae^b$$

$$\text{thus } \underline{T_2(x) = e^b - ae^b x^2}$$

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5. Drawn below is the derivative of a function $f(x)$.



(a)[2] State all intervals where $f(x)$ is increasing. Justify your answer.

$$f(x) \text{ increasing} \leftrightarrow f'(x) > 0$$

$$(-\infty, 1), (5, 9), (9, \infty)$$

(b)[2] Find all intervals where $f(x)$ is concave down. Justify your answer.

$$f(x) \text{ is concave down} \leftrightarrow f'(x) \text{ is decreasing}$$

$$(-\infty, 3), (8, 9)$$

(c)[2] Describe in words the graph of $f(x)$ on the interval $(9, \infty)$.

$$f'(x) = 1 \text{ (constant function)}$$

so $f(x)$ is a line of slope 1

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6. The quadratic model for the percent S of cancer cells surviving radiation treatment states that

$$S(d) = e^{-d^2-0.2}$$

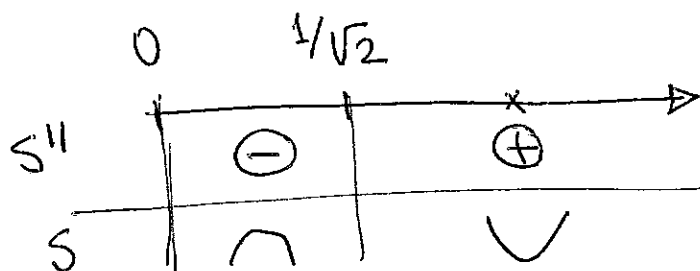
where $d \geq 0$ is the dose (in Gray) per treatment of radiation.

(a)[1] Show that S is a decreasing function of d when $d \geq 0$.

$$S'(d) = \underbrace{e^{-d^2-0.2}}_{\oplus} \underbrace{(-2d)}_{\ominus} < 0 \rightarrow S \text{ is decreasing}$$

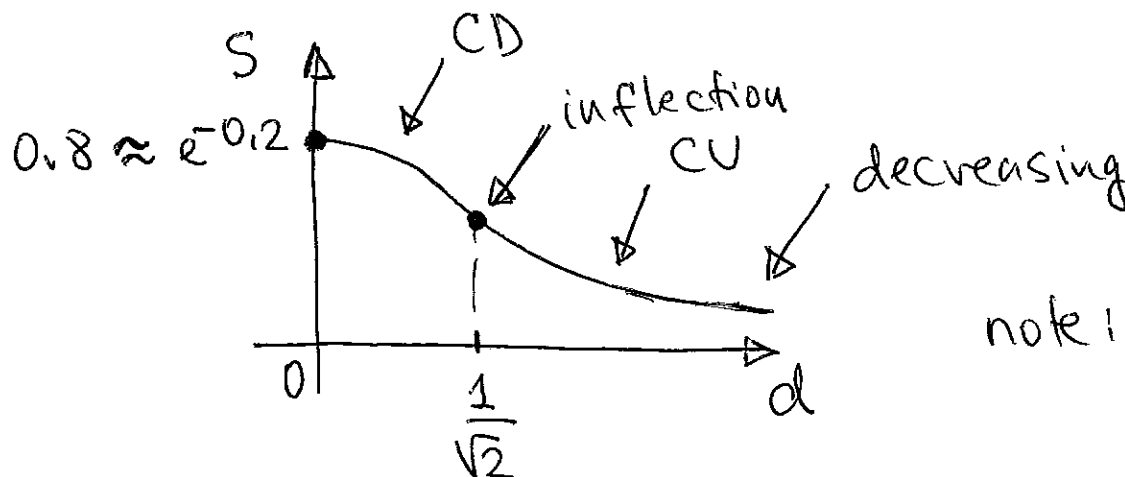
(b)[2] Find (if any) inflection points of $S(d)$. for $d \geq 0$

$$\begin{aligned} S''(d) &= e^{-d^2-0.2}(-2d)(-2d) + e^{-d^2-0.2}(-2) \\ &= 4d^2 e^{-d^2-0.2} - 2e^{-d^2-0.2} \\ &= 2e^{-d^2-0.2}(2d^2-1) = 0 \rightarrow d^2 = \frac{1}{2} \\ d &= \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$



$d = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ is an inflection point

(c)[3] Based on information in (a) and (b), make a sketch of the function $S(d)$ for $d \geq 0$. Label intercepts, if any.



note: $S(d) > 0$

7. The following excerpt is taken from *The laminar cortex model: a new continuum cortex model incorporating laminar architecture*. J. Du, V. Vegh, and D.C. Reutens. PLoS Computational Biology. 8.10 (Oct. 2012).

the average of membrane potentials of neurons in the element, that is

$$V = \frac{N_e V_e + N_i V_i}{N_e + N_i}$$

where N_e, N_i are the numbers of excitatory and inhibitory neurons and V_e and V_i are the (average) membrane potentials of excitatory and inhibitory neuron populations respectively.

You know that the numbers N_e and N_i are positive, and the membrane potentials V_e and V_i are negative.

(a)[3] Assume that V is a function of N_e . Find the derivative of V and simplify.

$$V' = \frac{V_e(N_e + N_i) - (N_e V_e + N_i V_i) \cdot 1}{(N_e + N_i)^2}$$

$$V' = \frac{V_e N_i - N_i V_i}{(N_e + N_i)^2} = \frac{N_i(V_e - V_i)}{(N_e + N_i)^2}$$

(b)[2] Assume that $V_e > V_i$. What does your answer in (a) say about the dependence of V on N_e ? Justify your answer.

$$V' = \frac{N_i(V_e - V_i)}{(N_e + N_i)^2}$$

$$* N_i > 0$$

$$* (N_e + N_i)^2 > 0$$

$$* V_e - V_i > 0 \text{ by assumption}$$

So $V' > 0 \rightarrow V$ is an increasing function of N_e

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