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1. (15 points) Decide which of the following statements are true or false. (No justification is needed).

F Bounded sequences are convergent.

T If  $(s_n)$  is a unbounded increasing sequence then  $\lim s_n = +\infty$ .

T A sequence  $(s_n)$  is called Cauchy sequence if

for each  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists a number  $N$  such that  $m, n > N$  implies  $|s_n - s_m| < \epsilon$ .

F There are Cauchy sequences which are not convergent.

F A convergent sequence can have a subsequence with a different limit.

T Every sequence has a monotonic subsequence.

F There are bounded sequences which has no convergent subsequences.

T A function  $f$  is continuous at  $x_0$  if and only if for each  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that if  $|x - x_0| < \delta$  then  $|f(x) - f(x_0)| < \epsilon$ .

F The function  $f(x)$  defined below is continuous at  $x = 1$ .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{when } 0 \leq x < 1, \\ 2 & \text{when } x = 1. \end{cases}$$

T  $\max(f, g)$  is a continuous function whenever  $f$  and  $g$  are continuous functions.

T If  $f$  is a continuous function on  $[a, b]$  and  $f(a) = 1$  and  $f(b) = 3150$  with  $a < b$  then there exists  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $f(c) = 2019$ .

T  $f(x) = x^2$  is a uniformly continuous function on  $[0, 3]$ .

F If  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = 3$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = 5$  then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{3f(x) + g^2(x)}{g(x)} = 5$ .

F The function  $f(x)$  defined below is not integrable on  $[0, 1]$ .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{when } 0 \leq x < 1, \\ 2 & \text{when } x = 1. \end{cases}$$

T Every continuous function is integrable.

2. Define  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^4 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}) & \text{when } x \neq 0, \\ 0 & \text{when } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

(a) (6 points) Show that  $f(x)$  is continuous at every point  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Solution:** We first observe that when  $x \neq 0$  then  $\sin(x)$  and  $1/x^2$  are continuous and therefore, by composition  $\sin(1/x^2)$  is continuous. Moreover,  $x^4$  is continuous. Therefore,  $x^4 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2})$  is continuous when  $x \neq 0$ . When  $x = 0$  and if  $(x_n)$  is any sequence with  $x_n \rightarrow 0$  (assuming  $(x_n)$  is not the zero sequence in which case  $f(x_n) = 0$ ) then observe that

$$|f(x_n)| = |x_n^4 \sin(\frac{1}{x_n^2})| \leq |x_n^4| \rightarrow 0 = f(0).$$

Hence we see that  $f(x_n) \rightarrow f(0) = 0$  whenever  $x_n \rightarrow 0$ . By definition  $f$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  as well. We conclude that  $f$  is continuous.

(b) (6 points) Show that  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$  and compute  $f'(x)$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Solution:** At  $x = 0$ ,

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^4 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}) - 0}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^3 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}).$$

Since

$$|x^3 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2})| \leq |x^3| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } x \rightarrow 0$$

we see that

$$f'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = 0.$$

When  $x \neq 0$ , then  $\sin(x)$  and  $1/x^2$  are differentiable and therefore, by composition  $\sin(1/x^2)$  is differentiable. Moreover,  $x^4$  is differentiable. Therefore,  $x^4 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2})$  is differentiable when  $x \neq 0$  and

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}) - 2x \cos(\frac{1}{x^2}) \quad \text{when } x \neq 0.$$

- (c) (4 points) Show that  $f'(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

**Solution:** From part (b) we got that

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 4x^3 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}) - 2x \cos(\frac{1}{x^2}) & \text{when } x \neq 0, \\ 0 & \text{when } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

Once again if  $(x_n)$  is a sequence with  $x_n \rightarrow 0$ , assuming  $(x_n)$  is not the zero sequence (as in this case  $f'(x_n) = 0$  clearly), we have

$$|4x_n^3 \sin(\frac{1}{x_n^2}) - 2x_n \cos(\frac{1}{x_n^2})| \leq 4|x_n^3| + 2|x_n| \rightarrow 0.$$

Therefore, we have that  $f'(x_n) \rightarrow 0$  whenever  $x_n \rightarrow 0$ . This shows that  $f'$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

- (d) (4 points) Show that  $f'(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

**Solution:** If it was differentiable,

$$f''(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x) - f'(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4x^3 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}) - 2x \cos(\frac{1}{x^2})}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 4x^2 \sin(\frac{1}{x^2}) - 2 \cos(\frac{1}{x^2}).$$

Observe that  $\cos(\frac{1}{x^2})$  does not have a limit as  $x \rightarrow 0$ . Therefore, the limit

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x) - f'(0)}{x - 0}$$

does not exist and  $f'$  is not differentiable at 0.

3. (a) (4 points) Carefully state the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus I.

**Solution:** Fundamental Theorem of Calculus I: let  $f$  be a continuous function on  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ . If  $f'$  is integrable on  $[a, b]$  then

$$\int_a^b f' = f(b) - f(a).$$

- (b) (4 points) Carefully state the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus II.

**Solution:** Fundamental Theorem of Calculus II: Let  $f$  be an integrable function on  $[a, b]$ . For  $x \in [a, b]$ , let

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t)dt.$$

1. Then  $F$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$ .
2. If  $f$  is continuous at  $x_0 \in (a, b)$  then  $F$  is differentiable at  $x_0$  and

$$F'(x_0) = f(x_0).$$

4. Let

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t & \text{when } t < 0, \\ t^2 + 1 & \text{when } 0 \leq t \leq 2, \\ 0 & \text{when } t > 2. \end{cases}$$

(a) (6 points) Determine the function  $F(x) = \int_0^x f(t)dt$ .

**Solution:** For  $x < 0$  we have

$$F(x) = \int_0^x f(t)dt = \int_0^x tdt = \frac{t^2}{2} \Big|_0^x = \frac{x^2}{2}.$$

For  $0 \leq x \leq 2$  we have

$$F(x) = \int_0^x f(t)dt = \int_0^x (t^2 + 1)dt = \left(\frac{t^3}{3} + t\right) \Big|_0^x = \frac{x^3}{3} + x.$$

For  $x > 2$ , we get

$$F(x) = \int_0^x f(t)dt = \int_0^2 f(t)dt + \int_2^x f(t)dt = \int_0^2 (t^2 + 1)dt + \int_2^x 0dt = \left(\frac{t^3}{3} + t\right) \Big|_0^2 = \frac{8}{3} + 2.$$

Hence

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{2} & \text{when } x < 0, \\ \frac{x^3}{3} + x & \text{when } 0 \leq x \leq 2, \\ \frac{8}{3} + 2 & \text{when } x > 2. \end{cases}$$

(b) (3 points) Find points at which  $F$  is continuous. *Justify your answer.*

**Solution:** From the Fundamental theorem of Calculus II, we know that if  $f$  is integrable then  $F$  is continuous. Therefore,  $F$  is continuous everywhere.

(c) (6 points) Find points at which  $F$  is differentiable and find  $F'$  at those points. *Justify your answer*

**Solution:** From the Fundamental theorem of Calculus II, we know that if  $f$  is continuous at a point  $x_0$  then  $F$  is differentiable at  $x_0$ . Since  $f$  is continuous everywhere except  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$ . Hence  $F$  is differentiable at every points except  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$ .

At  $x = 0$ ,

$$1 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{F(x) - F(0)}{x - 0} \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{F(x) - F(0)}{x - 0} = 0.$$

At  $x = 2$ ,

$$0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{F(x) - F(0)}{x - 0} \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{F(x) - F(0)}{x - 0} = 5.$$

Hence  $F$  is differentiable everywhere except at  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$ . Moreover,

$$F'(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{when } x < 0, \\ x^2 + 1 & \text{when } 0 < x < 2, \\ 0 & \text{when } x > 2. \end{cases}$$

5. Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$  be a function satisfying

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \leq |x - y|^{1+\epsilon} \quad \text{for all } x, y \in \mathbb{R}$$

for some  $\epsilon > 0$ .

(a) (8 points) Show that  $f$  is a differentiable function at every point  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Solution:** Let  $y \in \mathbb{R}$  be fixed. Observe that for every  $y$  (with  $y \neq x$ ) we have

$$\frac{|f(x) - f(y)|}{|x - y|} \leq |x - y|^\epsilon.$$

Now given  $\eta > 0$ , let  $\delta = \eta^{1/\epsilon}$ . If  $|x - y| < \delta$  then

$$\left| \frac{f(x) - f(y)}{|x - y| - 0} \right| \leq |x - y|^\epsilon < \delta^\epsilon = \eta.$$

As  $\eta$  is arbitrary, this shows that

$$f'(y) = \lim_{x \rightarrow y} \frac{f(x) - f(y)}{x - y} = 0$$

at every  $y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(b) (2 points) Show that  $f$  is a constant function.

**Solution:** We observe that  $f'(y) = 0$ .



6. Let  $f : [0, 3] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{when } 0 < x < 3, \\ 3 & \text{when } x = 0, \\ 1 & \text{when } x = 3. \end{cases}$$

(a) (5 points) Compute the lower Riemann sum  $L(f)$ .

**Solution:** Let  $P$  be any partitioning  $P = \{x_0 = a < x_1 < \dots < x_n = b\}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} L(f, P) &= \sum_{k=1}^n \inf_{[x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x_k - x_{k-1}) = 2(x_1 - x_0) + \sum_{k=2}^{n-1} 2(x_k - x_{k-1}) + 1(x_n - x_{n-1}) \\ &= 2 \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k - x_{k-1}) - (x_n - x_{n-1}) = 2 * 3 - (x_n - x_{n-1}). \end{aligned}$$

Then we obtain that

$$L(f) = \sup_P L(f, P) = \sup_P (6 - (x_n - x_{n-1})) = 6.$$

(b) (5 points) Compute the upper Riemann sum  $U(f)$ .

**Solution:** Similarly,

$$\begin{aligned} U(f, P) &= \sum_{k=1}^n \sup_{[x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x_k - x_{k-1}) = 3(x_1 - x_0) + \sum_{k=2}^{n-1} 2(x_k - x_{k-1}) + 3(x_n - x_{n-1}) \\ &= (x_1 - x_0) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^n (x_k - x_{k-1}) = (x_1 - x_0) + 6 \end{aligned}$$

Then we obtain

$$U(f) = \inf_P U(f, P) = \inf_P (x_1 - x_0 + 6) = 6.$$

(c) (2 points) Use Parts (a) and (b) to conclude that  $f$  is integrable and find  $\int_0^3 f$ .

**Solution:** Since  $L(f) = U(f) = 6$  we see that  $f$  is integrable and  $\int_0^3 f = 6$ .

7. Find the following limits if they exist.

(a) (5 points) (Hint: you may want to use L'Hospital's rule).

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (e^x + x)^{1/x}.$$

**Solution:**

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (e^x + x)^{1/x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{\ln(e^x + x)^{1/x}} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{\ln(e^x + x)}{x} \right)}.$$

Now we have  $(\frac{\infty}{\infty})$  indeterminate form and by L'Hospital's rule we get

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (e^x + x)^{1/x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{e^x + 1}{e^x + x} \right)}.$$

Now we again have  $(\frac{\infty}{\infty})$  indeterminate form and by L'Hospital's rule once again we get

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (e^x + x)^{1/x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \right)}.$$

Applying one more time we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (e^x + x)^{1/x} = e.$$

(b) (5 points) (Hint: you may want to use the L'Hospital's rule and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus II).

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \int_0^{x^2} e^{\sqrt{t}} dt.$$

**Solution:** Observe that when  $x = 0$  we have  $(\frac{\infty}{\infty})$  indeterminate form. Therefore we can use the L'Hospital's rule. To take the derivative of numerator we let

$$F(x^2) = \int_0^{x^2} e^{\sqrt{t}} dt$$

Since  $e^{\sqrt{t}}$  is a continuous function we see that  $F$  is differentiable and

$$\frac{d}{dx} F(x^2) = e^{\sqrt{x^2}} 2x = 2xe^x$$

Hence

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \int_0^{x^2} e^{\sqrt{t}} dt = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xe^x}{2x} = 1.$$

8. Let  $f$  be a continuous function on  $[a, b]$  such that  $f$  is a twice differentiable function on  $(a, b)$  (that is,  $f$  is differentiable and  $f'$  is also differentiable). Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  be three distinct points in  $(a, b)$  such that  $f(x_1) = f(x_2) = f(x_3) = 0$ . (For simplicity you can assume  $x_1 < x_2 < x_3$ ).

(a) (5 points) Show that there exists  $y_0 \in (a, b)$  such that  $f'(y_0) = 0$ .

**Solution:** Since  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on  $(a, b)$  we can apply the Mean Value theorem to get

$$f'(y_0) = \frac{f(x_1) - f(x_2)}{x_1 - x_2} = 0$$

for some  $y_0 \in (x_1, x_2)$ . Hence  $f'(y_0) = 0$  for some  $y_0 \in (x_1, x_2)$ .

Similarly, by the Mean Value theorem we get  $y_1 \in (x_2, x_3)$  such that

$$f'(y_1) = \frac{f(x_2) - f(x_3)}{x_2 - x_3} = 0$$

Hence  $f'(y_1) = 0$  for some  $y_1 \in (x_2, x_3)$ .

(b) (5 points) Show that there exists  $z_0 \in (a, b)$  such that  $f''(z_0) = 0$ .

**Solution:** Since  $f'$  is also continuous on  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on  $(a, b)$  and using part (a) and applying the Mean Value theorem for  $f'$  for points  $y_0$  and  $y_1$  we get

$$f''(z_0) = \frac{f'(y_0) - f'(y_1)}{y_0 - y_1} = 0.$$

for some  $z_0 \in (a, b)$ . Hence we have  $f''(z_0) = 0$  for some  $z_0 \in (a, b)$ .

9. (5 points (bonus)) Let  $f$  be a continuous function on  $[a, b]$ . If  $\int_a^b f^2(x)dx = 0$  then  $f(x) = 0$  for every  $x \in [a, b]$ .

**Solution:**

10. (5 points (bonus)) Let  $f$  be a continuous function on  $[a, b]$ . If  $\int_a^b f(x)g(x)dx = 0$  for every continuous function  $g(x)$  on  $[a, b]$  then  $f(x) = 0$  for every  $x \in [a, b]$ .

**Solution:**