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Math 151 Exam #3

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[2 points] Put your name on the test above, put a check mark next to your discussion section in the following chart, and read and sign the honor pledge below:

Section 07, Satvik, 8 - 8:50 (MP008)		Section 09, Sandun, 9 - 9:50 (MP010)	
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Question	Possible points	Score
0	2	
1	16	
2	16	
3	16	
4	24	
5	12	
6	24	
TOTAL	100	

Instructions:

- Read each problem carefully.
- Write legibly.
- Show all your work on these sheets.
- We will **not accept** answers without justification, unless otherwise noted.
- This exam has 6 pages, and 6 questions. Please make sure that all pages are included.
- There are 110 possible points available on this exam. It will be graded out of 100 points.
- You may not use books, notes or calculators.
- You have 50 minutes to complete this exam.

Good luck!

Question 1. [16 points total] Evaluate the following limits, using whatever techniques are most appropriate. Show all of your work.

$$(a) [8 \text{ points}] \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{2}{\tan x} \right) = \infty - \infty$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left(\frac{\tan x}{x \tan x} - \frac{2x}{x \tan x} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\tan x - 2x}{x \tan x} = \frac{0 - 0}{0} = \frac{0}{0}$$

$$\stackrel{LH}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sec^2 x - 2}{x \sec^2 x + \tan x} = \frac{1 - 2}{0 + 0} = \frac{-1}{0^+} = \boxed{-\infty}$$

$$(b) [8 \text{ points}] \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (2t)^{1/t} = \infty^{\frac{1}{\infty}} = \infty^0$$

$$L = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (2t)^{1/t}$$

$$\ln L = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \ln(2t)^{1/t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{t} \ln(2t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(2t)}{t} = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$\stackrel{LH}{=} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{2}{2t}}{1} = \frac{2}{\infty} = 0$$

$$\ln L = 0$$

$$e^{\ln L} = e^0 = 1$$

$$\boxed{L = 1}$$

Question 2. [16 points] Donkey Kong throws a flaming barrel off of the roof of a construction site, with an initial velocity of 6 m/s upward. 3 seconds later, the barrel hits the ground and causes a fiery explosion. Assuming that acceleration due to gravity is -10 m/s^2 , what was the initial height from which Donkey Kong threw the barrel?

$$a(t) = -10$$

$$v(t) = -10t + c$$

$$v(0) = 6 = -10(0) + c \quad c = 6$$

$$v(t) = -10t + 6$$

$$h(t) = -5t^2 + 6t + d$$

$$h(3) = 0 = -5(3)^2 + 6(3) + d$$

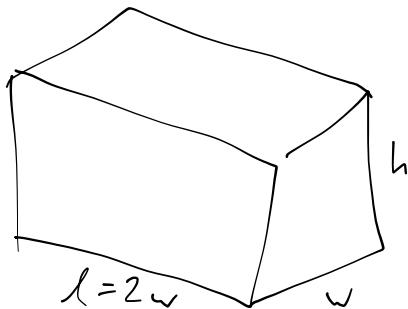
$$0 = -45 + 18 + d$$

$$27 = d$$

$$h(t) = -5t^2 + 6t + 27$$

$$\text{initial height} = h(0) = \boxed{27 \text{ meters}}$$

Question 3. [16 points] Princess Peach wants to assemble a closed rectangular box with length exactly twice its width, and whose surface area is 600 in^2 . What should the dimensions of the box be to maximize its volume? Include an argument that the critical point you find gives a maximum.



$$A = 2lw + 2wh + 2lh$$

$$= 4w^2 + 2wh + 4wh$$

$$= 4w^2 + 6wh = 600$$

$$6wh = 600 - 4w^2$$

$$h = \frac{600}{6w} - \frac{4w^2}{6w} = \frac{100}{w} - \frac{2}{3}w$$

$$V = lwh = (2w)w\left(\frac{100}{w} - \frac{2}{3}w\right) = 200w - \frac{4}{3}w^3$$

$$V' = 200 - 4w^2 = 0$$

$$4w^2 = 200$$

$$w^2 = 50$$

$$w = \sqrt{50}$$

$$V'' = -8w < 0 \text{ so } w = \sqrt{50} \text{ is a max}$$

Optimal dimensions are $w = \sqrt{50} \text{ in}$, $l = 2\sqrt{50} \text{ in}$,

$$h = \frac{100}{\sqrt{50}} - \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{50} \text{ in}$$

Question 4. [24 points total] Let $f(x) = \frac{x^3 + 1}{x}$. Note that $f'(x) = \frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^2}$, and $f''(x) = \frac{2x^3 + 2}{x^3}$. f has domain $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$, an x -intercept at $(-1, 0)$, no y -intercept, is neither an even nor an odd function, and has a vertical asymptote at $x = 0$.

- (a) **[8 points]** Find all intervals of increase and decrease of f . Find all critical points of f (x - and y -values) and classify each as a local maximum, local minimum, or neither.

$$f'(x) = 0$$

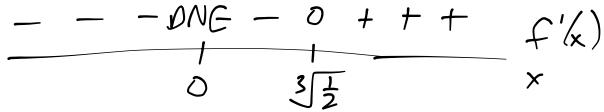
$$\frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^2} = 0$$

$$2x^3 - 1 = 0$$

$$x^3 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f\left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}}\right) = \frac{\frac{1}{2} + 1}{\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$$

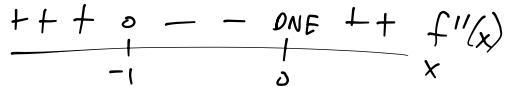


f is decreasing on $(-\infty, 0)$ and $(0, \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}})$
and increasing on $(\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}}, \infty)$

and has a local minimum at $\left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}}, \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{4}}\right)$.

- (b) **[8 points]** Find all intervals of concavity for f and identify any inflection points (again, x - and y -values).

$$f''(x) = \frac{2x^3 + 2}{x^3} = 0$$



$$2x^3 + 2 = 0$$

$$2x^3 = -2$$

$$x^3 = -1$$

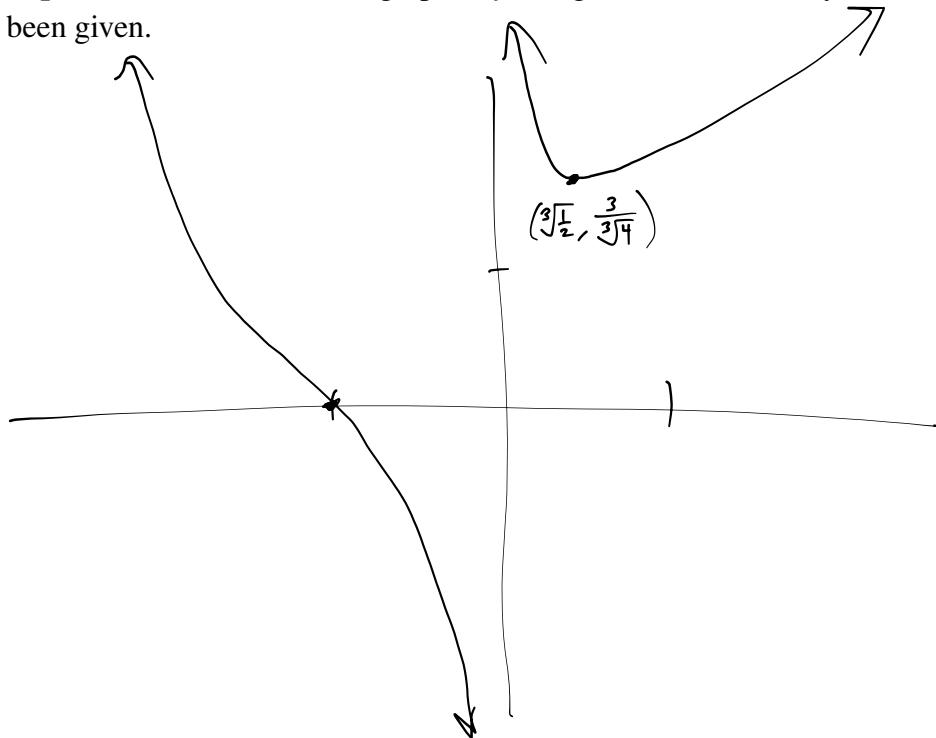
$$x = -1$$

$$f(-1) = \frac{-1 + 1}{-1} = 0$$

f is concave up on $(-\infty, -1)$ and $(0, \infty)$
and is concave down on $(-1, 0)$.

f has an inflection point at $(-1, 0)$.

- (c) [8 points] Sketch and label a graph of f using all of the features you have identified and been given.



Question 5. [12 points] Write $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\left(-3 + \frac{7i}{n} \right)^2 - 5 \left(-3 + \frac{7i}{n} \right) + 6 \right) \frac{7}{n}$ as a definite integral.

$$\Delta x = \frac{7}{n}$$

$$x_i = a + i \Delta x = -3 + \frac{7i}{n} \quad a = -3$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{7}{n}$$

$$\frac{b-(-3)}{n} = \frac{7}{n}$$

$$b+3 = 7 \quad b = 4$$

$$\boxed{\int_{-3}^4 (x^2 - 5x + 6) dx}$$

Question 6. [24 points total] For each of the following, **circle the letter of the correct answer.**

- (a) **[8 points]** Approximate a solution of the equation $x^3 - 2x - 2 = 0$ by using Newton's Method. With an initial guess of $x_1 = 1$, find the next two guesses, x_2 and x_3 .

$$f(x) = x^3 - 2$$

- (a) $x_2 = -2, x_3 = -13/5$ (b) $x_2 = 4/3, x_3 = 259/93$ (c) $x_2 = 3, x_3 = -21/25$

- (d) $x_2 = 4, x_3 = 9/5$ (e) $x_2 = 4, x_3 = 65/23$

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = 1 - \frac{f(1)}{f'(1)} = 1 - \frac{-3}{1} = 4$$

$$x_3 = x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)} = 4 - \frac{f(4)}{f'(4)} = 4 - \frac{54}{46} = \frac{92}{23} - \frac{27}{23} = \frac{65}{23}$$

- (b) **[8 points]** Find the approximation R_4 for $\int_{-3}^5 (x^2 - 2) dx$. $\Delta x = \frac{5 - (-3)}{4} = 2$

- (a) 12 (b) 24 (c) 56 (d) 70



$$\begin{aligned} R_4 &= \Delta x (f(-1) + f(1) + f(3) + f(5)) \\ &= 2(-1 + -1 + 7 + 23) = 2(28) = 56 \end{aligned}$$

- (c) **[8 points]** Suppose that $\int_{-1}^6 g(x) dx = 4$, $\int_{-1}^2 g(x) dx = 6$, and $\int_5^6 g(x) dx = -5$. Find

$$\int_5^2 g(x) dx = -\int_2^5 g(x) dx$$

- (a) -11 (b) -3 (c) 0 (d) 3 (e) 11

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^2 g(x) dx + \int_2^5 g(x) dx + \int_5^6 g(x) dx &= \int_{-1}^6 g(x) dx \\ 6 + \int_2^5 g(x) dx + -5 &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_2^5 g(x) dx = 3$$

$$\int_5^6 g(x) dx = -5$$