

## 18.01 Practice Questions for Exam - II

1.  $f(x) = 3x^5 - 5x^3 + 1$

$$f(x) \rightarrow \infty$$

$$f(-x) \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$f'(x) = 15x^4 - 15x^2 = 0$$

$$15x^2(x^2 - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0, 1, -1$$

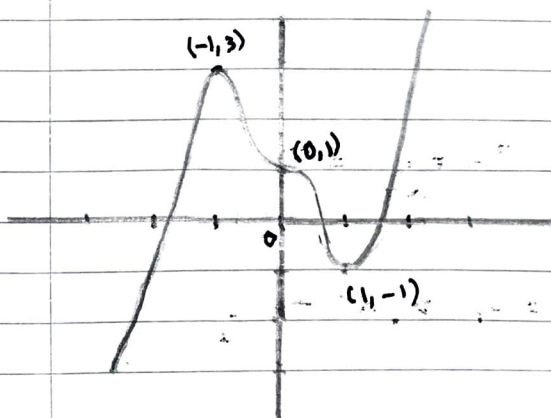
Critical Points:  $(0, 1)$ ;  $(1, -1)$ ;  $(-1, 3)$

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$$f''(x) = 60x^3 - 30x = 0$$

$$30x(2x^2 - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0, \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Inflection Points:  $(0, 1)$ ;  $(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -0.237)$ ;  $(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 2.237)$



$$f(1) = -1 ; f(2) = 57$$

$$f(-1) = 3 ; f(-2) = -55$$

Approx. location of zeroes:  
 $[-2, -1]$ ;  $[1, 2]$

$$2. \quad f(x) = 4x^2 - \frac{1}{x}$$

discontinuities

$$f(0^+) = 4(0^+)^2 - \frac{1}{0^+} \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$f(0^-) = 4(0^-)^2 - \frac{1}{0^-} \rightarrow +\infty$$

asymptotes

ends

$$f(+\infty) \Rightarrow \infty$$

$$f(-\infty) \rightarrow \infty$$

zeros

$$f(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 4x^2 = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow 4x^3 = 1$$

$$x = 1/4^{1/3}$$

critical points

$$f'(x) = 8x - \frac{d}{dx} x^{-1} = 8x + \frac{1}{x^2} = 0$$

$$8x = -\frac{1}{x^2} \Rightarrow 8x^3 = -1 \Rightarrow \boxed{x = -1/2}$$

Critical Point :  $(-\frac{1}{2}, 2)$

$$f''(x) = \frac{d}{dx} (8x + x^{-2}) = 8 - \frac{2}{x^3}$$

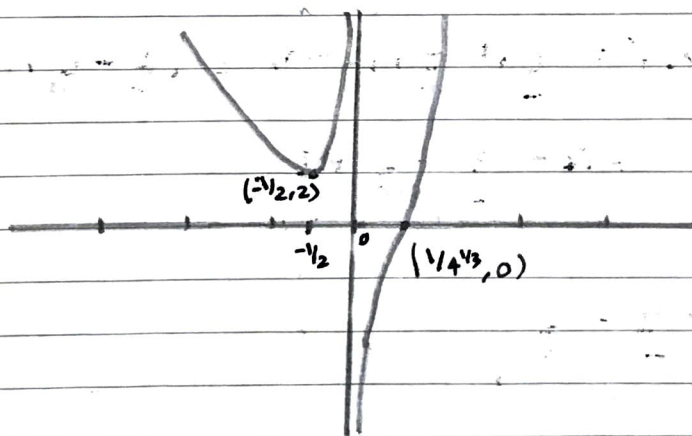
$$f''(\frac{1}{2}) = 8 + 16 = 24 \Rightarrow \text{local minimum}$$

inflection points

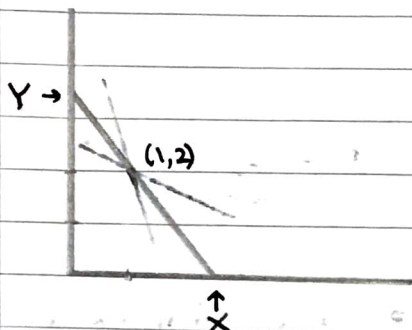
$$f''(x) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{2}{x^3} = 8 \Rightarrow x^3 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4}}$$

Inflection Point:  $(\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4}}, 0)$



3.



eqn of line :

$$\frac{y-2}{x-1} = m$$

intercepts:

$$\frac{0-2}{x-1} = m \Rightarrow x = 1 - 2/m$$

$$\frac{y-2}{0-1} = m \Rightarrow y = 2 - m$$

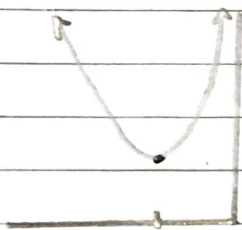
$$A = \frac{1}{2} x y = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{2}{m}\right) (2 - m) = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{m}\right) (2 - m)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{m}{2} - \frac{2}{m} + 1$$

$$A = 2 - \frac{m}{2} - \frac{2}{m}$$

$$A' = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{m^2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{2}{m^2} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow m = \pm 2$$

$$m = -2$$



ends

$$A(0^+) \rightarrow \infty$$

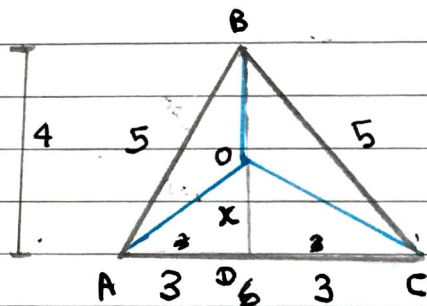
$$A(-\infty) \rightarrow \infty$$

So critical point is a minimum.

$$A(-2) = 2 + \frac{2}{2} + \frac{2}{2} = 4$$

Line:  $y - 2 = -2(x - 1)$

4. By symmetry, we can say that the center of the Y must lie along BD.



$$BD = \sqrt{5^2 - 3^2} = 4 //$$

$$\text{length of wire} = L = (4 - x) + 2\sqrt{x^2 + 9}$$

$$L' = -1 + \frac{2}{2\sqrt{x^2 + 9}} \cdot 2x = -1 + \frac{2x}{(x^2 + 9)^{1/2}}$$

$$L' = 0 \Rightarrow 2x = \sqrt{x^2 + 9}$$

$$4x^2 = x^2 + 9 \Rightarrow 3x^2 = 9 \Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{3}$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}$$

$$L(\sqrt{3}) = 4 + 3\sqrt{3} \approx 9.20$$

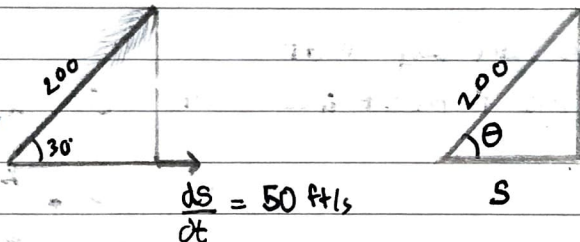
At the extremes,

$$L(0) = 3 + 3 + 4 = 10 > 9.20$$

$$L(4) = 5 + 5 + 0 = 10 > 9.20$$

Thus  $4 + 3\sqrt{3}$  is the minimum length of wire needed

5.



$$\cos \theta = \frac{s}{200} \Rightarrow s = 200 \cos \theta$$

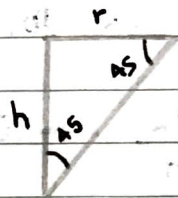
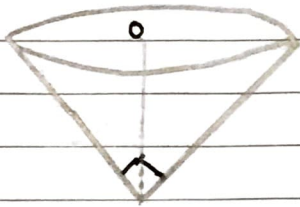
$$\frac{ds}{dt} = -200 \sin \theta \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

$$\text{At } \theta = \pi/6, \quad ds/dt = 50$$

$$50 = -200 \times \frac{1}{2} \frac{d\theta}{dt} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ rad/sec}}$$



6.a)



$$\underline{\underline{r = h}}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = 3 \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{3} \pi h^3 \quad [r = h]$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{1}{3} \pi 3 h^2 \frac{dh}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{1}{\pi h^2} \frac{dv}{dt}$$

At  $h = 2 \text{ cm}$ ,

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \times 3 = \underline{\underline{\frac{3}{4\pi} \text{ m/s}}}$$

b) Assume the rate of evaporation is proportional to the surface area on top, i.e.

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = c \pi r^2 = c \pi h^2 \quad (c < 0) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{3} \pi h^3$$

differentiating on both sides.

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = \pi h^2 \frac{dh}{dt} \rightarrow (2)$$

Equating (1) and (2)

$$\pi h^2 \frac{dh}{dt} = c \pi h^2 \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{dh}{dt} = c = [\text{constant}]}$$

7.  $f(x) = \frac{e^{-2x}}{1+2\sin x}$

$$\frac{e^{-2x}}{1+2\sin x} \approx \frac{1-2x}{1+2x} = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{x = -2} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{linear} \\ \text{approximation} \end{array}$$

To find  $f(0.1)$ , use quadratic approximation

$$f(x) = e^{2x} (1+2\sin x)^{-1}$$

$$\approx e^{2x} (1+2x)^{-1} = \left(1+2x+\frac{4x^2}{2}\right) \left(1-2x+\frac{(-1)(-2)}{2} 4x^2\right)$$

$$\approx \left(1+2x+2x^2\right) \left(1-2x+4x^2\right) \approx 1-2x+4x^2+2x-4x^2+2x^2$$

$$f(x) \approx 1+2x^2 = 1 + \frac{2}{100} = \underline{\underline{1.02}}$$



8. Mean-Value Theorem

$$\rightarrow \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = f'(c) \quad , \text{ for some } c, a < c < b$$

$$\rightarrow f(b) = f(a) + f'(c)(b-a)$$

a)  $f'(x) > 0$ ,  $f$  is differentiable.

Consider an interval  $(a, b)$  where  $a < b$ , then there exists some 'c' such that

$$f(b) = f(a) + \underline{f'(c)(b-a)} \quad , \quad a < c < b$$

$\therefore f'(c) > 0$  (given), thus  $f(b) = f(a) + [\text{+ve quantity}]$

$$f(b) > f(a) \quad , \quad a < b \Rightarrow f(a) < f(b)$$

The function  $f(x)$  is increasing.

b)  $e^x > 1+x \quad (x > 0)$

$$\text{Let } f(x) = e^x - (1+x)$$

$$f(0) = e^0 - 1 = 0$$

$$f'(x) = e^x - 1 > 0 \quad (x > 0)$$

Hence the function is increasing,

$$f(x) > f(0) \\ e^x - (1+x) > 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{e^x > 1+x}$$

9. a)  $\int \frac{dx}{(3x+2)^2}$

guess:  $\frac{1}{3x+2} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (3x+2)^{-1} = \frac{-3}{(3x+2)^2}$

$$\int \frac{dx}{(3x+2)^2} = \frac{-1}{3} (3x+2)^{-1} + C //$$

b)  $\int \sin 2x \sin x \, dx$

$$\sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cos x$$

$$2 \int \sin^2 x \cos x \, dx$$

$$u = \sin x, \quad du = \cos x \, dx$$

$$2 \int u^2 \, du = \frac{2}{3} u^3 + C = \frac{2}{3} \sin^3 x + C //$$

c)  $\int \frac{\ln^2 x}{x} dx$

$$u = \ln x, \quad du = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\int u^2 du = \frac{1}{3} u^3 + C = \frac{\ln^3 x}{3} + C //$$

1a.  $\frac{dy}{dx} = xy^2 + x, \quad y(0) = 1$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x(y^2 + 1) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{y^2 + 1} = x dx \Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{y^2 + 1} = \int x dx$$

$$\tan^{-1} y = \frac{x^2}{2} + C$$

$$y(0) = 1$$

$$\tan^{-1} 1 = C \Rightarrow C = \pi/4$$

$$\boxed{y = \tan\left(\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)}$$

11. a)  $\frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - T_e)$

b)  $\frac{dT}{(T - T_e)} = k dt \Rightarrow \int \frac{dT}{(T - T_e)} = k \int dt$

$$\ln|T - T_e| = kt + C$$

$$T - T_e = Ae^{kt} \quad (A = e^C)$$

$$T = T_e + Ae^{kt}$$

$T(0) = 20$  Find time when  $T = 60$

$$T_e = 100$$

$$T(5) = 30$$

$$20 = 100 + Ae^0 \Rightarrow A = -80$$

$$30 = 100 - 80e^{5k}$$

$$e^{5k} = \frac{7}{8} \Rightarrow 5k = \ln(7/8) \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{5} \ln(7/8)$$

Find  $t$ .

$$60 = 100 - 80e^{kt} \Rightarrow e^{kt} = 1/2$$

$$kt = \ln(1/2) \Rightarrow t = \frac{5 \ln(1/2)}{\ln(7/8)} \approx \underline{\underline{26 \text{ mins}}}$$