Suggested problems for MATH 31.1 LT2 Review

1. Find the derivative:

(a) Find
$$\frac{dy}{dx}$$
 if $x^2y^2 - \cos y = \sin xy$.

(b) Find
$$\frac{dy}{dx}$$
 if $x^2e^{y^2} = \tan(2^{x-y})$

2. Show that
$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\tan^{-1} \left(x - \sqrt{1 + x^2} \right) \right) = \frac{1}{2x^2 + 2}$$

3. Find
$$\frac{d^8}{dx^8} (\ln{(2x-1)})$$
.

4. Find the derivative of the given functions.

(a)
$$y = (\cos^{-1}(\sin x^2))^2$$
 (e) $f(x) = \ln(\ln(\ln(2x - 1)))$

(b)
$$f(x) = x^2 \sec^{-1} \left(e^{x^3} \right)$$
 (f) $y = (\ln x)^{\ln x}$

(c)
$$g(x) = \frac{\log_2(\sin^2 x)}{\log_2(\cos^2 x)}$$
 (g) $y = \sqrt[3]{x}e^{x-2x^2}\sqrt{3x-2}$ (use log diff)

(d)
$$y = \ln \left(3^{2x} + 4^{x^2}\right)$$
 (h) $y = \left(\sin^{-1} x\right)^{\sin x}$

5. Let a and b be any nonzero constants. Show that if
$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$
 then $y^3 \cdot \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ is a constant.

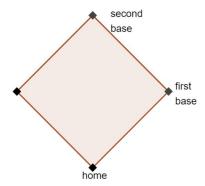
6. Find equations of the tangent lines to the graph of

$$2(x^{2} + y^{2})^{2} = 25(x^{2} - y^{2})$$

at the points where the x-coordinate is 3.

- 7. Use differentials to estimate $\sqrt[4]{(9998)^3}$.
- 8. Use linear approximation to estimate $\frac{200}{100.1} + \sqrt{100.1}$.
- 9. A window has the shape of a square surmounted by a semicircle. The base of the window is measured as having width 60 cm with a possible error in measurement of 0.1 cm. Use differentials to estimate the maximum error possible in computing the area of the window.
- 10. A spherical tank with radius 2 m. has a coat of paint that is 0.03 cm thick. Use differentials to estimate the amount of the paint.
- 11. A cone has base radius r and height h.
 - (a) Find the rate of change of the volume with respect to the height if the radius is constant.

- (b) Find the rate of change of the volume with respect to the radius if the height is constant.
- 12. The volume of a cube is increasing at a rate of 5 cm³/min. How fast is the surface area increasing when the length of an edge is 10 cm?
- 13. Two ants X and Y are at opposite corners A and C, respectively, of square ABCD whose edges measure 12 cm each. X and Y start moving along edges AB and CD, at rates 1 cm/sec and 1/2 cm/sec, respectively. Find the rate at which the distance between them is changing 2 seconds later.
- 14. A balloon is rising at a constant speed of 2 m/s. A boy is cycling along a straight road at a speed of 5 m/s. When he passes under the balloon, it is 15 m above him. How fast is the distance between the boy and the balloon increasing 3 s later?
- 15. The angle of elevation of the sun is decreasing at a rate of 0.25 rad/h. How fast is the shadow cast by a 400-m-tall building increasing when the angle of elevation of the sun is $\pi/6$?
- 16. Two cars are running on two parallel roads in opposite directions at 10 m/sec and 15 m/sec, respectively. If the roads are 75 m apart, how fast is the distance between them increasing four seconds after they pass each other?
- 17. A baseball diamond is a square with side 26 m. A batter hits the ball and runs toward the first base with speed of 8 m/s. At what rate is his distance from the second base decreasing when he is halfway to the first base?



18. Two ants E and T are inside a rectangular box with dimensions 120 cm \times 160 cm \times 100 cm. Refer to the figure below. Ant E starts at corner A and walks along the edge AB at the rate of 20 cm/sec, while Ant T starts at corner C and walks along the edge CD at the rate of 15 cm/sec. Find the rate at which the two ants are getting closer to each other when Ant E is halfway between A and B.

