

# Math Camp Exercises - Day 3

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1. Use the definition of derivative (with limits) to find the derivative of  $y$  with respect to  $x$  for the following:

- (a)  $y = 10$
- (b)  $y = x^2 + 2x - 1$
- (c)  $y = 2x^3 + 5x^2 - 6$
- (d)  $y = 2x^4 - 3x^2$
- (e)  $y = -5x^4 + 3x^2 + x - 10000$

2. Differentiate the following (it is not necessary to simplify everything!):

- (a)  $f(x) = x^{-3}$
- (b)  $f(x) = ax^4 + 10c$ , where  $a$  and  $c$  are constants.
- (c)  $f(x) = x^{\frac{2}{3}}$
- (d)  $f(x) = (x - x^2)(2x^3 + 5x^2 - 7)$
- (e)  $f(x) = (x + 1)^5$
- (f)  $f(x) = \frac{-2x^2 + x^3}{x^2 - x}$
- (g)  $f(x) = 3e^{5x^5 - x^2}$
- (h)  $f(x) = x^2 e^x \ln(x) + 3x^5$
- (i)  $f(x) = c^{x^3 - 1}$

3. Find the extrema of the following equation:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x^2 + 4x, x \in [-1, 6]$$