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Use of books, notes or calculators is **NOT** permitted.

Please show all your work! Answers without appropriate supporting work may not receive full credit.

Clearly indicate your answers to each problem by underlining them or placing a box around your answers!

Trigonometric functions at the values $0, \pi/6, \pi/4, \pi/3, \pi/2$, etc must be evaluated!

T/F Questions are graded with **NO PARTIAL CREDIT**.

Solutions to
Practice Test 1

Exam Score

Problem	Score	Out of:
1		15
2		20
3		15
4		15
5		20
6		8
7		7
Total		100

1. [15] For the True/False questions below, clearly circle your answer.

T or **F** If f and g are functions, then $f \circ g = g \circ f$.

T or F If p is a polynomial then $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} p(x) = p(a)$.

T or **F** $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2+6x-7}{x^2+5x-6} = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 1}(x^2+6x-7)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 1}(x^2+5x-6)}$.

T or F A function can have two different horizontal asymptotes.

T or **F** If $f(1) = -3$ and $f(2) = 2$, then there exists a number c in $(1, 2)$ such that $f(c) = 0$.

2. [20] Compute the limits:

(a) [5 pts]

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^2 + 3x + 2}{x + 2} = \frac{(-1)^2 + 3(-1) + 2}{-1 + 2} = \frac{0}{1} = \boxed{0}$$

(b) [5 pts]

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{x-1}{x^2(x+2)} = \frac{-2-1}{4(+0)} = \frac{-3}{+0} = \boxed{-\infty}$$

(c) [5 pts]

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{t^2+4}-2}{t^2} &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{t^2+4}-4}{\cancel{t^2}(\sqrt{t^2+4}+2)} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2+4}+2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}+2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{4}} \end{aligned}$$

(d) [5 pts]

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2 - x + 5}{x^3 + x - 1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 \left(3 - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{5}{x^2} \right)}{x^3 \left(1 + \frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{x^3} \right)} = \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3 - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{5}{x^2}}{x \left(1 + \frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{x^3} \right)} = \frac{3 - 0 + 0}{\infty (1 + 0 - 0)} = \frac{3}{\infty} = \boxed{0} \end{aligned}$$

3. [15] Given the function $f(x) = \ln(x+3)$.

(a) [5 pts] State the domain and the range of f .

$$D(f) = \{x / x+3 > 0\} = \{x / x > -3\} = \underline{(-3, +\infty)}$$

$$\text{Range}(f) = \underline{\mathbb{R}}$$

(b) [5 pts] Find f^{-1} , i.e. the inverse function of f .

$$y = \ln(x+3)$$

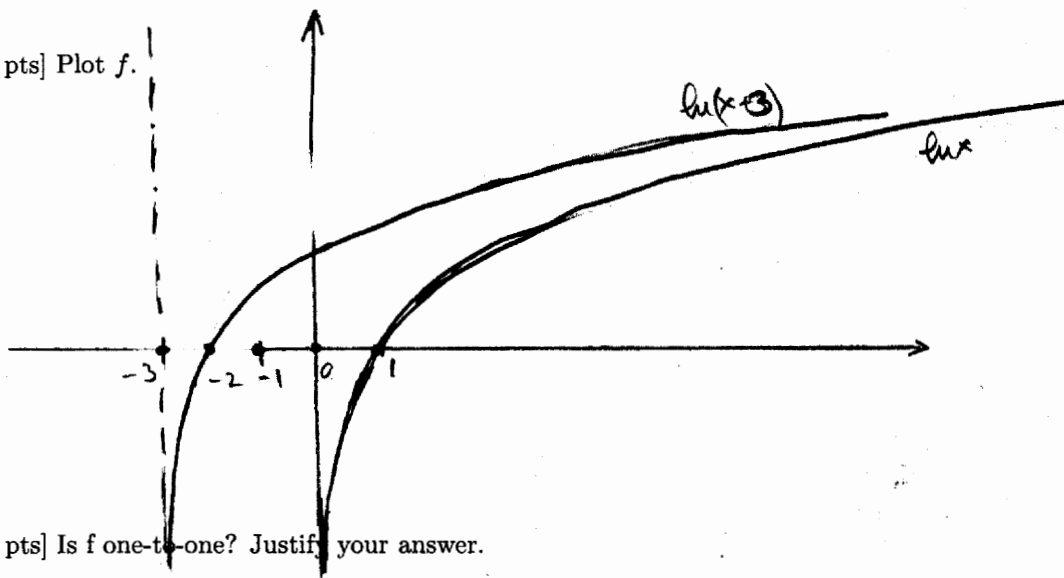
$$e^y = x+3$$

$$x = e^y - 3$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = e^x - 3$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = e^x - 3$$

(c) [2 pts] Plot f .



(d) [3 pts] Is f one-to-one? Justify your answer.

Yes, f is one to one. \Rightarrow Any horizontal line crosses the graph of $\ln(x+3)$ in one point \Rightarrow According to HLT $\rightarrow f$ is one to one.

4. [15] Let us consider the parametric curve given by

$$x(\theta) = 4 \cos(\theta) \quad y(\theta) = 3 \sin(\theta) \quad \theta \in [0, 2\pi].$$

- (a) [5 pts] Eliminate the parameter to find the Cartesian equation of the curve.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{x}{4} = \cos \theta \\ \frac{y}{3} = \sin \theta \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{x}{4} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{3} \right)^2 = \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\boxed{\frac{x^2}{4^2} + \frac{y^2}{3^2} = 1}$$

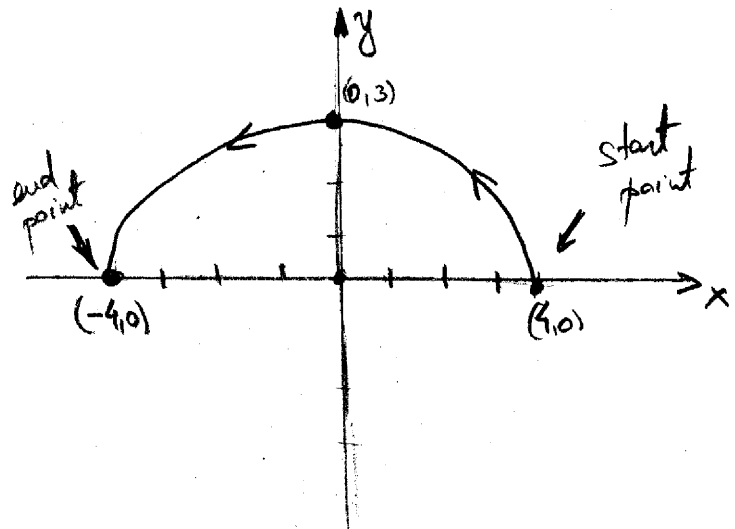
↳ Cartesian eq

- (b) [5 pts] Identify the curve.

ellipse

- (c) [5 pts] Graph the curve for $\theta \in [0, \pi]$. Identify the starting and the ending points and draw an arrow on the curve to show the direction of increasing θ .

θ	x	y
0	4	0
$\frac{\pi}{2}$	0	3
π	-4	0



5. [20] Use the give graph to answer the folloing questions

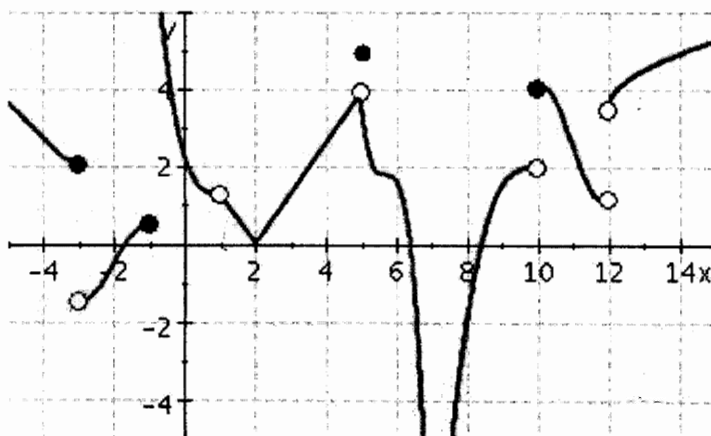


Figure 1: The graph of the function f

(a) [8 pts] State all x values where f is discontinuous.

$x = -3$ (Why? $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} f(x)$ DNE since $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow -3^-} f(x)$)
 $x = -1$ ($\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x)$ DNE)
 $x = 1$ (f is NOT defined at 1)
 $x = 5$ ($\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x) \neq f(5)$)
 $x = 7$ ($\lim_{x \rightarrow 7} f(x)$ DNE)
 $x = 10$ ($\lim_{x \rightarrow 10} f(x)$ DNE)
 $x = 12$ (f is not defined)

(b) [7 pts] For each of the values stated in part a) determine whether f is continuous from the left, from the right or neither.

$x = -3$	f continuous from L	$x = 1$	neither
$x = -1$	f continuous from L	$x = 5$	neither
$x = 10$	f continuous from R	$x = 7$	neither
		$x = 12$	neither

(c) [5 pts] List all values of x where the limit does not exist (∞ , $-\infty$ or undefined).

$x = -3$ DNE
 $x = -1$ DNE
 $x = 7$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$
 $x = 10$ DNE
 $x = 12$ DNE

6. [8] Find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of $y = \sqrt{x}$ at the point $(1, 1)$.

eq of tang line $y - 1 = m(x - 1)$

$m =$ the slope

$$m = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\cancel{x-1}}{(x-1)(\sqrt{x}+1)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{y - 1 = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1)}$$

7. [7] Use the Squeeze theorem to compute

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{x^4 + x^2} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{x}\right)$$

$$-1 \leq \cos \frac{\pi}{x} \leq 1 \quad \left| \sqrt{x^4 + x^2} \right.$$

$$-\sqrt{x^4 + x^2} \leq \sqrt{x^4 + x^2} \cos \frac{\pi}{x} \leq \sqrt{x^4 + x^2}$$

$$\underbrace{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} -\sqrt{x^4 + x^2}}_{=0} \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{x^4 + x^2} \cos \frac{\pi}{x} \leq \underbrace{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{x^4 + x^2}}_{=0}$$

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By the Squeeze Theorem \Rightarrow

$$\boxed{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{x^4 + x^2} \cos \frac{\pi}{x} = 0}$$