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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**.

There is a total of 4 **DOUBLE-SIDED** pages to this exam including the cover page.

Solutions to
Test 2A

Exam Score

| Problem | Score | Out of: |
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| 1 | | 10 |
| 2 | | 10 |
| 3 | | 20 |
| 4 | | 20 |
| 5 | | 25 |
| 6 | | 10 |
| 7 | | 10 |
| Total | | 105 |

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1. [10] For the True/False questions below, clearly circle your answer.

T or **F** If f is continuous at a , then f is differentiable at a .

T or **F** $\frac{d}{dx} \ln \pi = \frac{1}{\pi}$.

T or F If $f(x) = x^4$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{f(x) - f(2)}{x - 2} = 32$.

T or F If f is differentiable, and $f'' > 0$ on (a, b) , then f is concave upwards on (a, b) .

T or **F** If f and g are differentiable, then $\frac{d}{dx}[f(x)g(x)] = \frac{d}{dx}f(x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}g(x)$.

2. [10] Use the limit definition of derivative to find the derivative of $f(x) = x^2 + x$.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 + (x+h) - (x^2 + x)}{h} =$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x^2} + 2xh + h^2 + \cancel{x+h} - \cancel{x^2} - \cancel{x}}{h} =$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2 + h}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x + h + 1)$$

$$= 2x + 1$$

So:

$$\boxed{f'(x) = 2x + 1}$$

3. [20] Find the indicated derivatives.

(a) [5 pts] $f(x) = x^3 e^{x^2}$. Find $f'(1)$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 e^{x^2} + x^3 \cdot e^{x^2} \cdot 2x$$

$$f'(1) = 3e + 2e = 5e$$

(b) [5 pts] $g(y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{y^2}} + \cos 2\pi y + \ln y^2$, find $\frac{dg}{dy}$

$$g(y) = y^{-\frac{2}{3}} + \cos 2\pi y + 2 \ln y$$

$$g'(y) = -\frac{2}{3} y^{-\frac{5}{3}} - 2\pi \sin 2\pi y + \frac{2}{y}$$

(c) [5 pts] $h(t) = \tan(t) \arcsin(t^2)$. Find $h'(t)$

$$h'(t) = \sec^2(t) \arcsin(t^2) + \tan(t) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(t^2)^2}} \cdot 2t$$

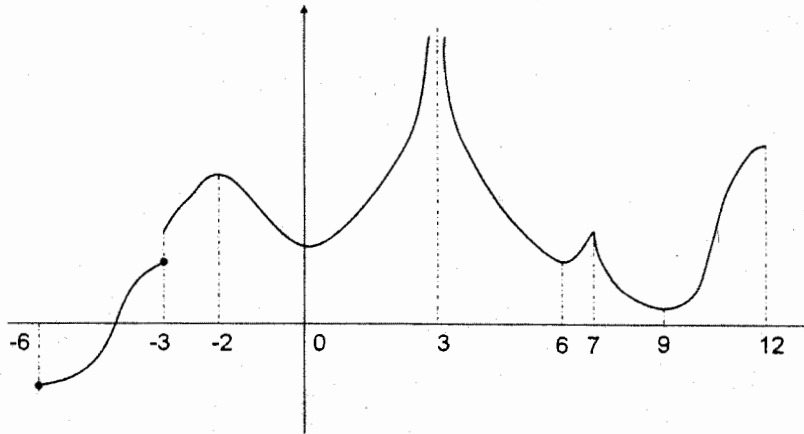
$$h'(t) = \sec^2(t) \arcsin(t^2) + \frac{2t \tan(t)}{\sqrt{1-t^4}}$$

(d) [5 pts] $r(s) = \frac{s^3}{1-s^2}$. Find $\frac{dr}{ds}$

$$\frac{dr}{ds} = \frac{3s^2(1-s^2) - s^3 \cdot (-2s)}{(1-s^2)^2} = \frac{3s^2 - 3s^4 + 2s^4}{(1-s^2)^2} =$$

$$= \frac{3s^2 - s^4}{(1-s^2)^2}$$

4. [20] The graph of the function $f : [-6, 12) \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ is shown below.



(a) [5 pts] State with reasons the points at which f is not differentiable.

- 3 (f is not even continuous at this point)
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 7 (f' does not exist. $f'_e(7) \neq f'_r(7)$)

(b) [5 pts] State with reasons the intervals where $f' > 0$.

- $(-6, -3)$
 $(-3, -2)$
 $(0, 3)$
 $(6, 7)$
 $(9, 12)$
- because f is increasing on these intervals.

(c) [5 pts] State with reasons the intervals where $f' < 0$.

- $(-2, 0)$
 $(3, 6)$
 $(7, 9)$
- because f is decreasing on these intervals.

(d) [5 pts] State with reasons the points where $f' = 0$.

- 2
 0
 6
 9
- because the tangent line is horizontal at these points.

5. [25] Let us consider the function $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x - 6$.

(a) [10 pts] On what interval is f increasing?

For a differentiable function, f is increasing if and only if $f'(x) > 0$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x - 9 = 3(x^2 + 2x - 3) = 3(x+3)(x-1)$$

$$f'(x) > 0 \Leftrightarrow 3(x+3)(x-1) > 0$$

So $f'(x) > 0$ for

$$x \in (-\infty, -3) \cup (1, +\infty)$$

| x | $-\infty$ | -3 | 1 | $+\infty$ |
|------------|-----------|-----|-----|-----------|
| (x+3) | --- | 0 | +++ | ++++ |
| (x-1) | ----- | --- | 0 | ++++ |
| (x+3)(x-1) | +++ | 0 | --- | ++++ |

(b) [10 pts] On what interval is f concave upward?

For a diff'ble fcn, f is concave upward if and only if $f''(x) > 0$

$$f''(x) = (3x^2 + 6x - 9)' = 6x + 6 = 6(x+1)$$

$$f''(x) > 0 \Leftrightarrow 6(x+1) > 0 \Leftrightarrow x > -1$$

So f is concave upwards ($f''(x) > 0$) for $x > -1$ or $x \in (-1, +\infty)$

(c) [5 Extra Bonus pts] Show that f has a solution in the interval $(-1, 0)$.

f is a continuous fcn on the interval $[-1, 0]$ (Why? Because is a polynomial)

$$f(-1) = (-1)^3 + 3(-1)^2 - 9(-1) - 6 = -1 + 3 + 9 - 6 = 5$$

$$f(0) = -6$$

$f(-1)f(0) < 0 \Rightarrow$ According to the Intermediate Value Theorem the result follows.

6. [10] Use implicit differentiation to find an equation of the tangent line to the ellipse $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 3$ at the point $(1, 1)$.

Eq of tangent line: $y - 1 = m(x - 1)$ $m = ?$

$$2x + y + x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} (x + 2y) = -(2x + y) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x + y}{x + 2y}$$

@ (1,1) $m = \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2 \cdot 1 + 1}{1 + 2 \cdot 1} = -\frac{3}{3} = -1$

So: eq of tang line is $y - 1 = (-1)(x - 1)$ or
 $y = -x + 2$

7. [10] Use logarithmic differentiation to find the derivative of the function $y = x^{\cos x}$.

$$y = x^{\cos x}$$

$$\ln y = \ln x^{\cos x} = \cos x \cdot \ln x \quad \left| \frac{d}{dx} \right.$$

$$\frac{y'}{y} = -\sin x \cdot \ln x + \cos x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$y' = x^{\cos x} \left(-\sin x \cdot \ln x + \frac{\cos x}{x} \right)$$