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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 2B

Exam Score

Problem	Score	Out of:
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 differentiable at a , then f is continuous at a .

T or F $\frac{d}{dx}e^2 = 2e$.

T or F If $f(x) = x^3$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} = 3$.

T or F If f is differentiable, and $f' < 0$ on (a, b) , then f is increasing on (a, b) .

T or F If f and g are differentiable, then $[f(g(x))]' = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$.

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: $f'(x) = 2x - 1$

3. [20] Find the indicated derivatives.

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

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

$$f'(1) = 2e^0 + e^0 \cdot 2 = 4$$

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

$$g(y) = y^{-\frac{1}{3}} - \sin \pi y + \frac{1}{2} \ln y$$

$$g'(y) = -\frac{1}{3} y^{-\frac{4}{3}} - \pi \cos \pi y + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{y}$$

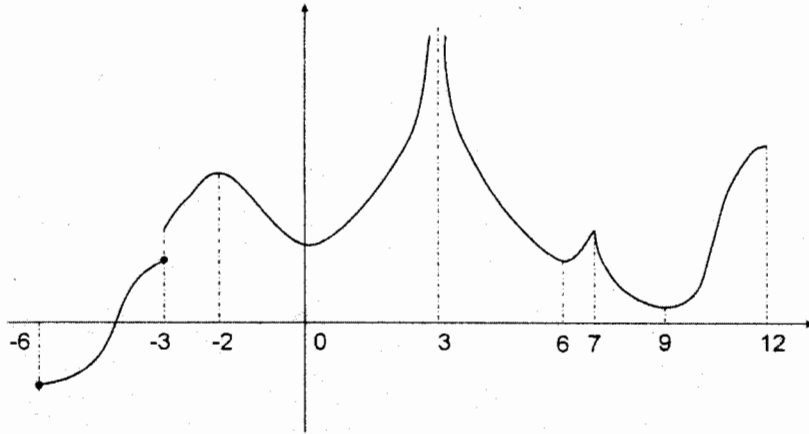
(c) [5 pts] $h(t) = \frac{t^2-1}{t+2}$. Find $h'(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} h'(t) &= \frac{2t \cdot (t+2) - (t^2-1) \cdot 1}{(t+2)^2} = \frac{2t^2 + 4t - t^2 + 1}{(t+2)^2} = \\ &= \frac{t^2 + 4t + 1}{(t+2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} r'(s) &= 2s \arctan(s) + \cancel{(1+s^2)} \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{1+s^2}} \\ &= 2s \arctan(s) + 1 \end{aligned}$$

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 ($f'(7)$ does not exist. $f'_l(7) \neq f'_r(7)$)

- (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 $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 24x - 6$.

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

A diff function is increasing on an interval if and only if $f'(x) > 0$ on that interval.

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x - 24 = 3(x^2 + 2x - 8) = 3(x+4)(x-2)$$

$$f'(x) > 0 \Leftrightarrow 3(x+4)(x-2) > 0$$

So $f'(x) > 0$ for

$$x \in (-\infty, -4) \cup (2, +\infty)$$

x	$-\infty$	-4	2	$+\infty$
$x+4$	---	0	+++	+++
$x-2$	---	---	-0	+++
$(x+4)(x-2)$	+++	0	---	+++

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

A diff fcn $f(x)$ is concave downward on an interval if and only if $f''(x) < 0$ on that interval.

$$f''(x) = (3x^2 + 6x - 24)' = 6x + 6 = 6(x+1)$$

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

So f is concave downwards on $(-\infty, -1)$ or for $x < -1$

(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 it is a polynomial)

$$f(-1) = -1 + 3 + 24 - 6 = 20$$

$$f(0) = -6$$

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

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

Eq of tangent line is $y - 2 = m(x - 1)$

$$2x + 2y + 2x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2x - 2y - 1}{2x - 2y}$$

At $(1, 2)$ $m = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2 \cdot 1 - 2 \cdot 2 - 1}{2 \cdot 1 - 2 \cdot 2} = \frac{-7}{-2} = \frac{7}{2}$

So eq of
tangent line is

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} y - 2 &= \frac{7}{2}(x - 1) \quad \text{or} \\ y &= \frac{7}{2}x - \frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}}$$

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

$$y = (\cos x)^x$$

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

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

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= (\cos x)^x \left[\ln(\cos x) - x \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right] = \\ &= (\cos x)^x \left[\ln(\cos x) - x \tan x \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{y' = (\cos x)^x \left[\ln(\cos x) - x \tan x \right]}$$