

MATH 1271 Spring 2012, Midterm #2
Handout date: Thursday 29 March 2012

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WHAT RECITATION SECTION ARE YOU IN?

Closed book, closed notes, no calculators/PDAs; no reference materials of any kind. Turn off all handheld devices, including cell phones.

Show work; a correct answer, by itself, may be insufficient for credit. Arithmetic need not be simplified, unless the problem requests it.

I understand the above, and I understand that cheating has severe consequences, from a failing grade to expulsion.

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I. Multiple choice

$$-(x^2 - 4x + 3) = -(x-1)(x-3)$$

A. (5 pts) (no partial credit) Suppose $f''(x) = -x^2 + 4x - 3$. At most one of the following statements is true. If one is, circle it. Otherwise, circle "NONE OF THE ABOVE".

- (a) f is concave up on $(-\infty, 1]$, down on $[1, 3]$ and up on $[3, \infty)$.
(b) f is concave down on $(-\infty, 1]$, up on $[1, 3]$ and down on $[3, \infty)$.
(c) f is concave up on $(-\infty, -3]$, down on $[-3, -1]$ and up on $[-1, \infty)$.
(d) f is concave down on $(-\infty, -3]$, up on $[-3, -1]$ and down on $[-1, \infty)$.
(e) NONE OF THE ABOVE

$$f'' \quad \begin{array}{ccccccc} & \text{neg} & 0 & \text{pos} & 0 & \text{neg} & \\ & & | & & | & & \\ & & 1 & & 3 & & \end{array}$$

B. (5 pts) (no partial credit) Find the logarithmic derivative of $x^2 + 7x - 8$ w.r.t. x .

- (a) $\frac{x^2 + 7x - 8}{2x + 7}$
(b) $(\ln(x^2)) + 7(\ln x) - (\ln 8)$
(c) $\ln(2x + 7)$
(d) $\frac{2x + 7}{x^2 + 7x - 8}$
(e) NONE OF THE ABOVE
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C. (5 pts) (no partial credit) Find an equation of the tangent line to $4x^2y - 2y^3 = 2$ at the point $(1, 1)$.

- (a) $y - 1 = x - 1$
(b) $y - 1 = 2(x - 1)$
(c) $y - 1 = 3(x - 1)$
(d) $y - 1 = 4(x - 1)$
(e) NONE OF THE ABOVE

$$8xy + 4x^2y' - 6y^2y' = 0$$

$$y' = \frac{-8xy}{4x^2 - 6y^2}$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{-8}{4-6} = \frac{-8}{-2} = 4$$

D. (5 pts) (no partial credit) Find the logarithmic derivative of $(2 + x^4)^{\cos x}$ w.r.t. x .

(a) $(\cos x)(\ln(2 + x^4)) + (-\sin x)(4x^3/(2 + x^4))$

(b) $(-\sin x)(4x^3/(2 + x^4))$

(c) $(-\sin x)(\ln(2 + x^4)) + (\cos x)(4x^3/(2 + x^4))$

(d) $(\cos x)(\ln(2 + x^4))$

(e) NONE OF THE ABOVE

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[(\cos x) (\ln(2+x^4)) \right]$$

E. (5 pts) (no partial credit) Find the derivative of $(2 + x^4)^{\cos x}$ w.r.t. x .

(a) $[(2 + x^4)^{\cos x}][(\cos x)(\ln(2 + x^4)) + (-\sin x)(4x^3/(2 + x^4))]$

(b) $[(2 + x^4)^{\cos x}][(-\sin x)(4x^3/(2 + x^4))]$

(c) $[(2 + x^4)^{\cos x}][(-\sin x)(\ln(2 + x^4)) + (\cos x)(4x^3/(2 + x^4))]$

(d) $[(2 + x^4)^{\cos x}][(\cos x)(\ln(2 + x^4))]$

(e) NONE OF THE ABOVE

F. (5 pts) (no partial credit) Compute $[d/dx][\sin(\cos(e^x + 3))]$.

(a) $\cos(\cos(e^x + 3))$

(b) $[\cos(\cos(e^x + 3))][\cos(e^x + 3)][e^x + 3]$

(c) $[\cos(\cos(e^x + 3))][-\sin(e^x + 3)][e^x + 3]$

(d) 0

(e) NONE OF THE ABOVE

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\cos(\cos(e^x+3)) \right] \left[-\sin(e^x+3) \right] \left[e^x \right]$$

II. True or false (no partial credit):

a. (5 pts) If $f'(7) = 0$ and $f''(7) > 0$, then f has a local maximum at 7.

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b. (5 pts) Assume that $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x)] = 0$ and that $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [g(x)] = 0$. Assume also that $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$ does not exist. Then $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ does not exist.

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c. (5 pts) Every local extremum occurs at a critical number.

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d. (5 pts) If f is concave up on an interval I , then $f'' > 0$ on I .

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e. (5 pts) If two functions have the same derivative, then they are equal.

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I. A,B,C

I. D,E,F

II. a,b,c,d,e

III. 1ab.

III. 2.

III. 3,4.

III. 5.

III. Computations. Show work. Unless otherwise specified, answers must be exactly correct, but can be left in any form easily calculated on a standard calculator.

1. a. (5 pts) Compute $\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{2x^3 - 8}{6 + (\arctan(2x))} \right]$.

$$\frac{\begin{matrix} \parallel \\ [6 + (\arctan(2x))] [6x^2] - [2x^3 - 8] \left[\frac{1}{1 + (2x)^2} \right] \end{matrix} [2]}{[6 + \arctan(2x)]^2}$$

b. (5 pts) Compute $\frac{d}{dx} [(4 - \sin x)^x]$.

$$\begin{matrix} \parallel \\ [(4 - \sin x)^x] \left[\frac{d}{dx} [x \ln(4 - \sin x)] \right] \end{matrix}$$

$$[(4 - \sin x)^x] \left[\ln(4 - \sin x) + x \left(\frac{-\cos x}{4 - \sin x} \right) \right]$$

2. (10 pts) Using implicit differentiation, find $y' = dy/dx$, assuming that $(x - y^2)^5 = x$.

$$5(x - y^2)^4(1 - 2yy') = 1$$

$$[5(x - y^2)^4] - [10y(x - y^2)^4]y' = 1$$

$$y' = \frac{1 - 5(x - y^2)^4}{-10y(x - y^2)^4}$$

3. (5 pts) Let $f(x) = 4x + 4x^5$. Then f is a one-to-one function. Let $g := f^{-1}$. Then $f(1) = 8$, so $g(8) = 1$. Compute $g'(8)$.

$$g'(8) = \frac{1}{f'(1)} = \frac{1}{[4 + 20x^4]_{x \rightarrow 1}} = \frac{1}{24}$$

4. (10 pts) Find the maximal intervals of concavity for $f(x) = -3x^5 + 20x^4 + 4x - 8$. For each interval, state clearly whether f is concave up or concave down on that interval.

$$f'(x) = -15x^4 + 80x^3 + 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= -60x^3 + 240x^2 \\ &= -60x^2(x - 4) \end{aligned}$$

$$f'' \quad \begin{array}{cccccc} \text{pos} & & 0^2 & & \text{pos} & & 0 & & \text{neg} \\ \hline & & | & & & & | & & \\ & & 0 & & & & 4 & & \end{array}$$

f is concave up on $(-\infty, 4]$

f is concave down on $[4, \infty)$

5. (10 pts) Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{\ln x}{\cos(\pi x/2)} \right]$.

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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1/x}{[-\sin(\pi x/2)] [\pi/2]}$$

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$\frac{1}{1}$

$$\frac{[-\sin(\pi/2)] [\pi/2]}{}$$

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1

$$\frac{[-1] [\pi/2]}{}$$

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$$-\frac{2}{\pi}$$