

APPM 1350 - Spring 2008 - Final Exam
Solutions

1a. The right-hand and left-hand derivatives must be the same:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

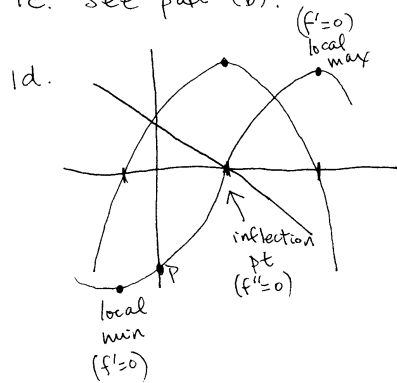
1b. f is continuous everywhere except $x=1$.

g is continuous everywhere.

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = f(x+1) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$f \circ g$ is continuous everywhere except $x=0$.

1c. See part (b).



2a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{3 - \frac{2}{x}}{4 + \frac{\sqrt{x}}{x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{3 + \frac{2}{20}}{4 + \frac{\sqrt{20}}{20}} = \frac{3+0}{4+0} = \boxed{\frac{3}{4}}$

2b. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3^x - 1}{2^x - 1} = \frac{0}{0}$. Use L'Hôpital's Rule:
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3^x (\ln 3)}{2^x (\ln 2)} = \boxed{\frac{\ln 3}{\ln 2}}$

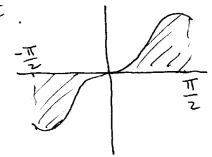
2c. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - 2x}{x^2 - \sin x} = \frac{0}{0}$. Use L'Hôpital's Rule:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x - 2}{2x - \cos x} = \frac{0 - 2}{0 - 1} = \boxed{2}$$

3a. Solution 1: Since $\sin^5(t) = -\sin^5(-t)$, $\sin^5(t)$ is an odd function, symmetric about $(0,0)$.

$$\int_{-\pi/2}^0 \sin^5(t) dt = -\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^5(t) dt$$

Therefore $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin^5(t) dt = \boxed{0}$



Solution 2: Since $\sin^2 t + \cos^2 t = 1$,

$$\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin^5(t) dt = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (\sin^2 t)^2 (\sin t) dt$$

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (1 - \cos^2 t)^2 (\sin t) dt = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} (1 - 2\cos^2 t + \cos^4 t) (\sin t) dt$$

$$= \int (\sin t) dt - \int 2\cos^2 t (\sin t) dt + \int \cos^4 t (\sin t) dt$$

$$= \left[-\cos t + \frac{2\cos^3 t}{3} - \frac{\cos^5 t}{5} \right]_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} = 0 - 0 = \boxed{0}$$

3b. $\int \frac{\cos \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx = 2 \int \cos u du = 2 \sin u + C$
 let $u = \sqrt{x}$
 $du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx$
 $= \boxed{2 \sin \sqrt{x} + C}$

3c. $\int_0^{2 \ln 2} (e^{x/2} - e^{-x/2}) dx = \int_0^{2 \ln 2} e^{x/2} dx - \int_0^{2 \ln 2} e^{-x/2} dx$
 let $u = x/2$ let $v = -x/2$
 $du = \frac{1}{2} dx$ $dv = -\frac{1}{2} dx$
 $= 2 \int e^u du + 2 \int e^v dv = 2e^u + 2e^v = 2e^{x/2} + 2e^{-x/2} \Big|_0^{2 \ln 2}$
 $= 2 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} - (2 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 1) = \boxed{11}$

4a. Logarithmic differentiation:

$$y = \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right)^x$$

$$\ln y = \ln \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right)^x = x \ln \left(\frac{x+1}{x}\right)$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = x \left(\frac{x}{x+1}\right) \left(\frac{-1}{x^2}\right) + \ln \left(\frac{x+1}{x}\right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right)^x \left[\frac{-1}{x+1} + \ln \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right) \right]$$

4b. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right)^x = "1^\infty"$ We use L'Hôpital's Rule for indeterminate powers.

$$\text{let } L = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \ln \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right)^x$$

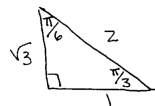
$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x \ln \left(\frac{x+1}{x}\right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln \left(\frac{x+1}{x}\right)}{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{x}{x+1}\right) \left(\frac{-1}{x^2}\right)}{\frac{-1}{x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{x}+1\right)^x = e^L = e^1 = \boxed{e}$$

5a. $f(-\sqrt{3}) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$



30-60-90 triangle

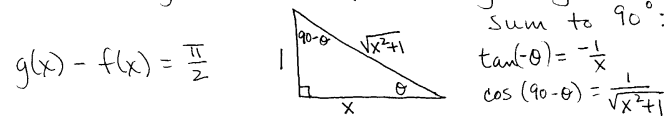
Since $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$

and the range of $\tan^{-1} x$ is $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$,

$$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \boxed{\frac{-\pi}{6}}$$

$$g(\sqrt{3}) = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3+1}} = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{3}} \quad (\text{see diagram})$$

5b. $-f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are complementary angles that sum to 90° :



$$g(x) - f(x) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

5c. $L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a)$, $a=1$

$$f(x) = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^2} \left(\frac{-1}{x^2}\right) = \frac{-1}{x^2+1}$$

$$f(1) = \tan^{-1} 1 = \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad f'(1) = \frac{-1}{1+1} = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$L(x) = f(1) + f'(1)(x-1)$$

$$\boxed{L(x) = \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}(x-1)}$$

6. Law of exponential change: $y = y_0 e^{kt}$

After 1 year, 90% of y_0 is left:

$$.9 y_0 = y_0 e^{-k(1)}$$

$$.9 = e^{-k}$$

$$\ln .9 = -k$$

$$\boxed{k = -\ln .9 \approx .10536}$$

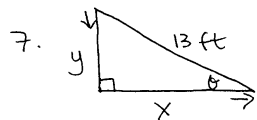
Find t when oil level is 20% of y_0 .

$$.2 y_0 = y_0 e^{(\ln .9)t}$$

$$.2 = (.9)^t$$

$$\ln .2 = \ln .9^t = t \ln .9$$

$$\boxed{t = \frac{\ln .2}{\ln .9} \approx 15.28 \text{ years}}$$



When $x=12$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 5 \text{ ft/sec}$

$x^2 + y^2 = 13^2$ when $x=12 \text{ ft}$, $y = \sqrt{13^2 - 12^2} = 5 \text{ ft}$.

a. Find $\frac{dy}{dt}$ when $x=12 \text{ ft}$ and $y=5 \text{ ft}$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 169$$

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

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

$$(12)(5) + (5) \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{-12(5)}{5} = \boxed{-12 \text{ ft/sec}}$$

b. Find $\frac{dA}{dt}$ where $A = \frac{1}{2}xy$

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$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \left[x \frac{dy}{dt} + y \frac{dx}{dt} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left((12)(-12) + (5)(5) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (-144 + 25) = \boxed{-\frac{119}{2} \text{ ft}^2/\text{sec}}$$

c. We can use any of the basic trig functions to find $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$.

$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{13}$$

$$-\sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{13} \frac{dx}{dt}$$

When $x=12$, $\sin \theta = \frac{5}{13}$.

$$-\left(\frac{5}{13}\right) \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{13}(5)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -1 \text{ radian/sec}}$$

8. We wish to maximize v when $r=1$.

$$v = x^2 \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = x^2(x) \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right) + 2x \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$= -x + 2x \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

We set $\frac{dv}{dx} = 0$.

$$-x + 2x \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$$

$$2x \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = x$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$-\ln x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\ln x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = e^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$$

Since $x = \frac{r}{h} = \frac{1}{h}$,

$$\boxed{h = \sqrt{e}}$$

We check that $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$ is a max point by examining the second derivative.

$$\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} = -1 + 2x(x) \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right) + 2 \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$= -3 + 2 \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

When $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$, $\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} = -3 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -2$.

Therefore the function is concave down and $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$ is indeed a max point.