

AP Calculus ~ Semester I Review

Part 1

All problems are to be worked without a calculator unless otherwise noted.

Limits

Determine the following limits by direct evaluation, factoring and reducing, L'Hopital's Rule or the definition of a derivative.

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

2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 + x - 6}{x + 3} = \frac{9+3-6}{0} = \frac{0}{0}$

3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}}{3x + 2} = \frac{+2x}{+3x} = \frac{2}{3}$

L'Hopitals
 or $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} 3x^2$
 $x \rightarrow 1$

$\frac{(x+3)(x-2)}{(x+3)}$

-3-2

-5

$\frac{2}{3}$

4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^3 - 2}{x - 1} = \frac{-8-2}{-3} = \frac{-10}{-3}$

5. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = \frac{1}{1}$

6. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x} = 0$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin ax}{bx} = \frac{a}{b}$

Special trig limit
 Know this

$\frac{-10}{-3}$ or $\frac{10}{3}$

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0

7. $\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{[(x + \Delta x)^3 + 2(x + \Delta x)] - [x^3 + 2x]}{\Delta x}$

8. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 4x}{x} =$

9. $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - 1}{h}$

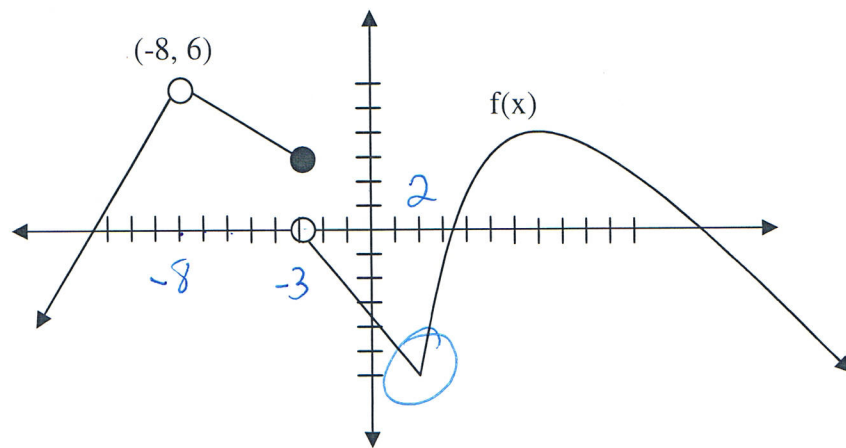
Def of der $f(x) = x^3 + 2x$
 Answer is $f'(x)$

Def of Der $f(x) = \sin x$ at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$
 $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ is answer $f'(x) = \cos x$
 $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{2}$

$3x^2 + 2$

4

0



Answer questions 10-14 from the above graph of $f(x)$.

10. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -8} f(x)$

hole
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11. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} f(x)$

DNE

12. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 3$

13. Name the continuous intervals for $f(x)$.

$(-\infty, -8) \cup (-8, -3) \cup (-3, +\infty)$

14. Name the differentiable intervals for $f(x)$.

$(-\infty, -8) \cup (-8, -3) \cup (-3, 2) \cup (2, +\infty)$

15. Find $f'(2)$ for $f(x) = (x^2 - 2x + 1)(x^3 - 1)$.

Product

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

$f'(2) = (4 - 4 + 1)(12) + (7)(2)$
 $12 + 14$

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Derivatives

16. Find $g'(2)$ for $g(x) = \frac{3 - 2x - x^2}{x^2 - 1}$.

Quotient

$g'(x) = \frac{(x^2 - 1)(-2 - 2x) - (3 - 2x - x^2)(2x)}{(x^2 - 1)^2}$

$g'(2) = \frac{(3)(-6) - (-5)(4)}{9} = \frac{2}{9}$

$\frac{2}{9}$

17. Find $h'(3)$ for $h(x) = (3x - 2x^2)^3$.

Chain

$h'(x) = 3(3x - 2x^2)^2 (3 - 4x)$

$h'(3) = 3(9 - 18)^2 (3 - 12)$

$= 3(81)(-9)$

$= (243)(-9)$

-2187

-2187

18. Find $q'(x)$ for $q(x) = x^2 \sqrt{1 - x^2}$

Product/Chain

$q'(x) = x^2 \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1-x^2}} \cdot (-2x) + \sqrt{1-x^2} (2x)$

Complete the following identities.

19. $\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x$ 20. $\frac{d}{dx} \sec x = \sec x \tan x$ 21. $\frac{d}{dx} \cot x = -\csc^2 x$

22. $\frac{d}{dx} \csc x = -\csc x \cot x$ 23. $\frac{d}{dx} e^u = e^u \frac{du}{dx}$

24. $\frac{d}{dx} \cos^2(x^3) = 2x^2 \cos(x^3) \sin(x^3) \cdot 3x^2$ 25. If $g(x) = \tan e^{-x}$, $g'(x) = -e^{-x} \sec^2(e^{-x})$

$y = (\cos(x^3))^2$
 $y' = 2 \cos(x^3) \cdot -\sin(x^3) \cdot 3x^2$

26. If $f(x) = \tan(3x)$, find $f'(\frac{\pi}{9}) = 12$

$f'(x) = \sec^2(3x) \cdot (3)$
 $f'(\frac{\pi}{9}) = (\sec^2(\frac{\pi}{3}))^2 \cdot (3) = (\frac{1}{\cos^2(\frac{\pi}{3})})^2 \cdot 3 = 4 \cdot 3$

27. If $f(x) = \cos e^{2x}$, find $f'(x) = -2e^{2x} \sin e^{2x}$

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

28. State continuous and differentiable intervals for $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x^2 - 4, & x < 1 \\ 2 - 3x, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$ Cont $(-\infty, +\infty)$ Diff $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, +\infty)$

① $3(1) - 4 = -1$ Cont ✓ ② $6x$ at 1 6
 $2 - 3(1) = -1$ -3 at 1 -3

29. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x+k, & x \leq 2 \\ x^2+1, & x > 2 \end{cases}$, find k so that f is continuous. $k = 3$

① $2+k = 4+1$
 $k = 3$

30. If $f(x) = \begin{cases} ax-2, & x \leq 3 \\ x^2-b, & x > 3 \end{cases}$, find a and b so that $f(x)$ is continuous and differentiable.

① $3a-2 = 9-b$ ② $a = 2(3)$ $3(6)-2 = 9-b$
 $a = 6$ $16-9 = -b$
 $-7 = b$

31. Given that f and g are differentiable functions $(-\infty, \infty)$, $g(x) \neq 0$ for all x 's, and $f(0)=2$, if $h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ and $h'(x) = \frac{-f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$ what can you conclude about f ?

$f(x) = 2$

$h'(x) = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$

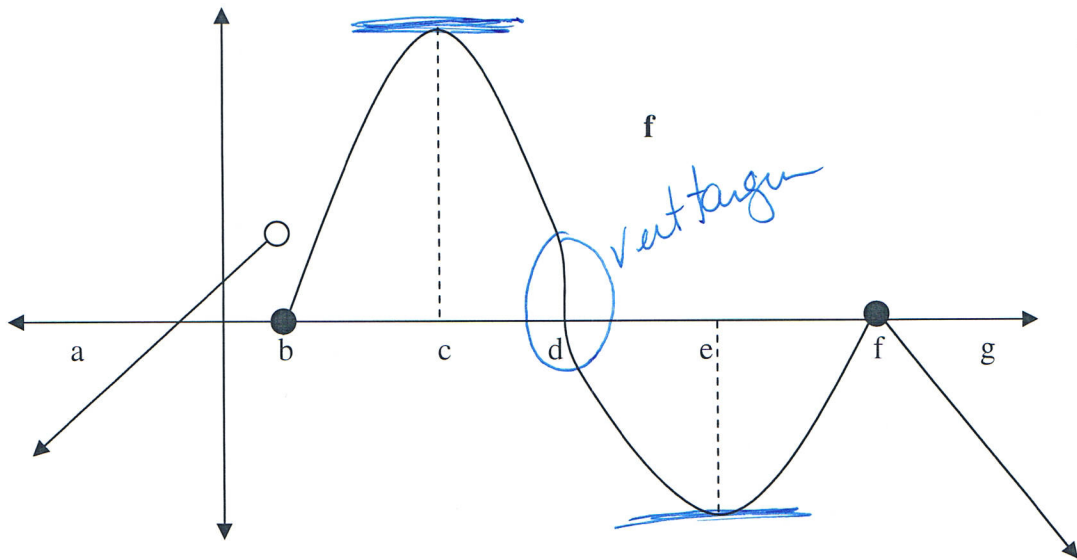
so $g(x)f'(x) = 0$ so either $g(x) = 0$ or $f'(x) = 0$
 \uparrow can't happen \uparrow must be true
 $f(x) = \text{constant}$

32. Find the instantaneous rate of change at $t = 3$ for $h(t) = \frac{t^3 - 3}{t - 2}$.

(A calculator is allowed on this problem.)

$$h'(t) = \frac{(t-2)(3t^2) - (t^3-3)(1)}{(t-2)^2} \quad h'(3) = \frac{(1)(27) - 24(1)}{(1)} = \frac{27-24}{1} = 3$$

33. The graph of f has horizontal tangents at c and e , and a vertical tangent at d as indicated on the graph below.



a) On what intervals $(-\infty, \infty)$ is f continuous?

$$(-\infty, b) \cup (b, +\infty)$$

b) On what intervals (a, g) is f differentiable?

$$(-\infty, b) \cup (b, d) \cup (d, e) \cup (e, +\infty)$$

c) On what intervals is $f'(x) < 0$?

$f(x)$ is decreasing

$$(c, d) \cup (d, e) \cup (f, +\infty)$$

For questions 34-35 use the following data: $f(2) = 3, f'(2) = -1, g(2) = 5, g(1) = 2, g'(2) = 8, g'(1) = 4$.

34. Find $h'(2)$ if $h(x) = f(x)g(x)$.

Product

35. Find $t'(1)$ if $t(x) = f(g(x))$

Chain

$$\begin{aligned} h'(x) &= f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x) \\ h'(2) &= f(2)g'(2) + g(2)f'(2) \\ &= 3(8) + (5)(-1) \\ &= 24 - 5 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} t'(x) &= f'(g(x))g'(x) \\ t'(1) &= f'(g(1))g'(1) \\ &= f'(2)4 \\ &= (-1)4 = -4 \end{aligned}$$

-4



36. Find a local linear approximation for $f(x) = \tan x$ at $x = \pi$ and use it to approximate $f(3)$.

① Point

$$f(\pi) = \tan \pi = 0$$

$$(\pi, 0)$$

② Slope

$$f'(x) = \sec^2(x)$$

$$f'(\pi) = \sec^2(\pi) = \frac{1}{(\cos \pi)^2 + 1} = 1$$

$$f'(\pi) = +1$$

③ Eq of tan line

$$y - 0 = 1(x - \pi)$$

$$f(3) \approx 1(3 - \pi) \approx 3 - \pi$$

37. Find a local linear approximation for $g(x) = \ln(3x)$ at $x = e$ and use it to approximate $g(2)$.

① Point

$$(e, \ln(3e))$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\ln 3 + \ln e$$

$$\ln 3 + 1$$

② Slope

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{3x}$$

$$f'(e) = \frac{1}{e}$$

③ Eq of tan line

$$y - \ln(3e) = \frac{1}{e}(x - e)$$

$$y = \frac{1}{e}(x - e) + \ln(3e)$$

$$g(2) \approx \frac{1}{e}(2 - e) + \ln(3e)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\frac{2}{e} - 1 + \ln 3 + \ln e$$

$$\frac{2}{e} - 1 + \ln 3 + 1$$

$$\boxed{\frac{2}{e} + \ln 3}$$