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Analytic Geometry and Calculus I
Exam 1
Summer 2009

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1. Sketch the graph of the following function and determine whether it is continuous or not.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x+1 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x^2 + 1 & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 4-x & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Solution: The function $f(x)$ has three polynomial parts which are divided by domain points $x=0$ and $x=1$. Each polynomial part is continuous. So, we need to check whether the function is continuous at those two points.

At $x=0$:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (2x+1) = 1 \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (x^2 + 1) = 1$$

So, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$ implies $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 0$

At $x=1$:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (4-x) = 3 \text{ and } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} (x^2 + 1) = 2$$

So, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x)$ implies $f(x)$ is not continuous at $x = 1$

2. Check whether the following function is one-to-one or not. If yes, find the inverse function of it.

$$f(x) = x^3 + 1$$

Solution: This function is vertical shifting of graph of function $y=x^3$, which is one-to-one, so is one-to-one. Then,

$$y = x^3 + 1 \Rightarrow x = \sqrt[3]{y-1} \Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-1}$$

3. Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve $y=2x^3+x^2-3$ at the point $x=1$.

Solution:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 + 2x \text{ so } m = \left[\frac{dy}{dx} \right]_{x=1} = 8.$$

The equation to the line having slope 8 and a point $(1,0)$ is,

$$y - 0 = 8(x - 1) \text{ i.e. } 8x - y = 8$$

4. Find the limits of:

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3}$$

$$b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\sqrt{x^3} - 2x}{x - 4}$$

$$c) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x^2 - 9x + 7}{3x^2 - 5x + 2}$$

Solution:

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{(x+3)(x-3)}{x-3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (x+3) = 6$$

$$b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\sqrt{x^3} - 2x}{x - 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x\sqrt{x} - 2x}{x - 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x(\sqrt{x} - 2)}{(\sqrt{x} + 2)(\sqrt{x} - 2)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x} + 2} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$c) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x^2 - 9x + 7}{3x^2 - 5x + 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4 - 9/x + 7/x^2}{3 - 5/x + 2/x^2} = \frac{4}{3}$$

5. Find the derivatives of each of function.

$$a) f(x) = x^3 + 2x^{(3/2)} + 4$$

$$b) y = x^3 e^x + \ln x$$

$$c) y = \frac{x^3}{3x^2 + 2}$$

$$d) y = x^3 \sin(2x - 1) + e^{3x} \ln(x) \quad e) y = \sin(\ln(3x^2 + 2))$$

Solution:

$$a) f'(x) = 3x^2 + 2(3/2)x^{(3/2)-1} = 3x^2 + 3\sqrt{x} = 3(x^2 + \sqrt{x})$$

$$b) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d(x^3 e^x + \ln x)}{dx} = \frac{d(x^3 e^x)}{dx} + \frac{d(\ln x)}{dx} = (3x^2 e^x + x^3 e^x) + \frac{1}{x} = 3x^2 e^x + x^3 e^x + \frac{1}{x}$$

$$c) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d\left(\frac{x^3}{3x^2 + 2}\right)}{dx} = \frac{(3x^2 + 2)(3x^2) - (x^3)(6x)}{(3x^2 + 2)^2} = \frac{3x^2(x^2 + 2)}{(3x^2 + 2)^2}$$

$$d) \frac{dy}{dx} = (3x^2 \sin(2x - 1) + x^3 \cos(2x - 1)(2)) + (3e^{3x} \ln(x) + e^{3x} / x)$$

$$= 3x^2 \sin(2x - 1) + 2x^3 \sin(2x - 1) + 3e^{3x} \ln(x) + e^{3x} / x$$

$$e) \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(\ln(3x^2 + 2)) \left(\frac{1}{3x^2 + 2} \right) (6x) = \left(\frac{6x}{3x^2 + 2} \right) \cos(\ln(3x^2 + 2))$$

6) Find dy/dx of implicit function $y^2 + xy + x^2 = 3$.

Solution:

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} + \left(y + x \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + 2x = 0 \Rightarrow (2y + x) \frac{dy}{dx} = -(2x + y) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-(2x + y)}{2y + x} = -\frac{2x + y}{2y + x}$$

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1. Find the f' , f'' of the following functions:

a) $f(x) = x^3 + xe^x + 4$

b) $f(x) = x^3 \sin(x^2)$

Solution:

a) $f'(x) = 3x^2 + (e^x + xe^x) = 3x^2 + e^x + xe^x$ and

$$f''(x) = 6x + e^x + (e^x + xe^x) = 6x + 2e^x + xe^x$$

b) $f'(x) = 3x^2 \sin(x^2) + x^3 \cos(x^2)(2x) = 3x^2 \sin(x^2) + 2x^4 \cos(x^2)$

$$f''(x) = 3[2x \sin(x^2) + x^2 \cos(x^2)(2x)] + 2[4x^3 \cos(x^2) + x^4 \sin(x^2)(2x)] \\ = 6x \sin(x^2) + 14x^3 \cos(x^2) + 4x^5 \sin(x^2)$$

2. Find an equation of tangent line to the curve $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 3$ at $(1, 1)$.

Solution:

Differentiation both sides w.r.t x, we get,

$$2x + \left(y + x \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x + y}{x + 2y} \Rightarrow m = \left[\frac{dy}{dx} \right]_{(x,y)=(1,1)} = -\frac{3}{3} = -1.$$

So the tangent line is

$$y - 1 = (-1)(x - 1) \Rightarrow x + y + 2 = 0$$

3. A balloon is being inflating using a pump of capacity 10 cubic inches per second. If the balloon is growing spherically in size, find the rate at which the radius is increasing when the radius is 6 inches?

Solution:

Given that $\frac{dV}{dt} = 10 \text{ in}^3 / \text{s}$ at $r = 6 \text{ in}$.

We know $V = \frac{4\pi r^3}{3}$. So

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 4\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dt} = \left(\frac{1}{4\pi r^2} \right) \left(\frac{dV}{dt} \right) = \frac{1}{144\pi} (10) = \frac{5}{72\pi} \text{ in/s}$$

4. Approximate $\sqrt[4]{15}$ using as:

a) Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve $f(x) = \sqrt[4]{x}$ at $x=16$ and use this to approximate $\sqrt[4]{15}$.

Solution:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4}x^{-(3/4)} \Rightarrow m = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{x=16} = \frac{1}{32} \text{ and at } (16,2). \text{ So the tangent line is}$$

$$y - 2 = \left(\frac{1}{32}\right)(x - 16). \text{ Then } y = 2 + \left(\frac{1}{32}\right)(x - 16). \text{ At } x = 15, \text{ we get}$$

$$f(15) = \sqrt[4]{15} = 2 + \left(\frac{1}{32}\right)(15 - 16) = 2 - \frac{1}{32} = \frac{63}{32} \approx 1.96875 \text{ which is close to the calculator value } 1.96789$$

b) Apply Newton's Method to $f(x) = x^4 - 15$ and compute $x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$ at

$$x_1 = 2.$$

Solution:

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = x_1 - \frac{x_1^4 - 15}{4x_1^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 \big|_{x_1=2} = 2 - \frac{2^4 - 15}{4(2^3)} = 2 - \frac{1}{32} \text{ which is as part a).}$$

5. Find the y' and y'' of the function $y = a^{\sin(x)}$.

Solution:

$$y' = a^{\sin(x)} \ln a \text{ and } y'' = a^{\sin(x)} (\ln a)^2$$

6) The position of a moving particle is given by $x = t^3 - 4t^2 + 3t + 6$ meters, where t is in seconds. Find the velocity and acceleration of the object when $t = 2$ s.

Solution:

$$\text{velocity } v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 3t^2 - 8t + 3 \text{ so } v \big|_{t=2s} = -1 \text{ m/s and}$$

$$v = 0 \Rightarrow t = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64 - 36}}{6} = \frac{8 \pm 2\sqrt{7}}{6} = \frac{1}{3}[4 + \sqrt{7}]s \text{ or } \frac{1}{3}[4 - \sqrt{7}]s$$

$$\text{acceleration } a = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = 6t - 8 \Rightarrow a \big|_{t=2s} = 4 \text{ m/s}^2.$$

7. a) Find the maximum and minimum of $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + 4$ on $[1, 4]$. Also identify the absolute maximum and minimum if exists.

Solution:

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 9. \text{ Setting } 3x^2 - 12x + 9 = 0 \text{ we get } x = 1 \text{ or } 3$$

x	f(x)	Result
1	8	Absolute Maximum
3	4	Absolute minimum
4	8	Absolute Maximum

b) Using the information from part a), draw the graph of the function on part a) and find the point of inflection.

Solution:

$f''(x) = 6x - 12$. Setting $6x - 12 = 0$ we get $x = 2$. So the point of inflection is $x = 2$.

8. Evaluate the following limits:

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x) - 1}{x^2}$

b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{\sin(x)}$

Solution:

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x) - 1}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin(x)}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\cos(x)}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$a) b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{\sin(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} e^{\sin(x) \ln x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin(x) \ln x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin(x) \ln x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln x}{\csc(x)}} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/x}{-\csc x \cot(x)}}$$

$$= e^{-\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan(x)}{x}(\sin x)} = e^{-(1)(0)} = 1$$

9. Find the anti-derivative (integral) of

a) $3x^2 + 2$ b) $\frac{x+1}{x^2 + 2x + 3}$

Solution:

a) $F(x) = x^3 + 2x + c$

b) Consider $\ln(x^2 + 2x + 3)$. Then $\frac{d[\ln(x^2 + 2x + 3)]}{dx} = \frac{2x + 2}{x^2 + 2x + 3} = \frac{2(x + 1)}{x^2 + 2x + 3}$. That is

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 2x + 3) \right] = \frac{(x + 1)}{x^2 + 2x + 3} \Rightarrow F(x) = \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 2x + 3) + C$$