

Mixed Practice #2 for Quiz 2

AP Calculus

Name: Answers

This 50-ish point quiz will cover: 1) Derivatives using all shortcuts with exponential and trig functions; 2) Proofs/derivations of trig derivatives; 3) Equations of tangent and normal lines; 4) Continuity and differentiability of functions; and 5) Extrema and inflection points of functions

Work on these problems as well as former home works, daily checks, and textbook problems.

1) Is the function $f(x) = 5x^3 - 7x^{-1}$ differentiable on the open interval $(-10, 10)$? Explain.

$f(x) = 5x^3 - \frac{7}{x}$ is not continuous at $x=0$ so it's not differentiable

2) Let f be the function defined by: $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x+1, & \text{for } x \leq 2 \\ \frac{1}{2}x^2 + k, & \text{for } x > 2 \end{cases}$

- a) For what value of k will f be continuous at $x = 2$? Justify your answer. $k=3$
 b) Using the value of k found in part (a), determine whether f is differentiable at $x = 2$. Justify your answer. Yes. Slopes (ie derivs) are equal at $x=2$
 c) Let $k = 4$. Determine whether f is differentiable at $x = 2$. Justify your answer.

a) $2x+1 = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + k$ at $x=2$
 $5 = 2 + k$
 $3 = k$

b) $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x+1 \\ \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 3 \end{cases}$
 $f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2 \\ x \end{cases}$ at $x=2$ equal

c) $f(x)$ is NOT diff. if $k=4$ since it would not be continuous

3) Suppose the following piece-wise linear/quadratic/linear function is continuous. Determine the values of A and B

at $x=2$:

$2A + 8 = \frac{5}{12}(4) - 4(2) + \frac{31}{3}$

$2A = -4$

$A = -2$

$f(x) = \begin{cases} -2x+8 \\ Ax+8, & x < 2 \\ \frac{5}{12}x^2 - 4x + \frac{31}{3} & 2 \leq x \leq 8 \\ -11+Bx & x > 8 \\ -11+2B \end{cases}$

at $x=8$:

$\frac{5}{12}(64) - 4(8) + \frac{31}{3} = -11 + 8B$

$16 = 8B$

$2 = B$

Is the function above differentiable? Show the work that leads to your conclusion

$f'(x) = \begin{cases} -6 & x < 2 \\ \frac{10}{12}x - 4 & 2 \leq x \leq 8 \\ 2 & x > 8 \end{cases}$

at $x=2$: $-\frac{6}{12}(2) - 4 = -2.3$

Slopes are NOT the same

4) Take the derivative of each function (attempt to clean it up when applicable)

$$(2x^3-1)^{1/3}$$

a. $f(x) = 3x(7x^2-2)^4$

$$f'(x) = 3(7x^2-2)^4 + 3x \cdot 4(7x^2-2)^3(14x)$$

$$f'(x) = 3(7x^2-2)^3(7x^2-2 + 56x^2)$$

$$f'(x) = 3(7x^2-2)^3(63x^2-2)$$

factor
to
simplify

b. $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{2x^3-1}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{3}(2x^3-1)^{-2/3}(6x^2)$$

$$f'(x) = 2x^2(2x^3-1)^{-2/3}$$

c. $y = \frac{3x-1}{\sqrt{x}}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3\sqrt{x} - (3x-1) \cdot \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}}{x}$$

$$= \frac{3x - \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}}{x^{3/2}} = \frac{3x+1}{2x^{3/2}}$$

e. $f(x) = \ln(x^2+1)$

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

$$f'(x) = \frac{2x}{x^2+1}$$

g. $f(x) = \sqrt{\ln(\sin x) + \ln(\cos x)}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}(\ln(\sin x) + \ln(\cos x))^{-1/2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \cos x + \frac{1}{\cos x} \cdot -\sin x\right)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}(\ln(\sin x) + \ln(\cos x))^{-1/2}(\cot x - \tan x)$$

h. $f(x) = \tan(\sin^3 x)$

$$f'(x) = \sec^2(\sin^3 x) \cdot 3\sin^2 x \cdot \cos x$$

$$f'(x) = 3\sec^2(\sin^3 x) \sin^2 x \cdot \cos x$$

5) Which expression below is the derivative of $f(x) = 2\csc^3(4-x)$?

a. $-6\csc^2(4-x)\cot(4-x)$

b. $-3\csc(4-x)\cot^2(4-x)$

c. $6\csc^3(4-x)\cot(4-x)$

d. $-6\csc(4-x)\cot(4-x)$

e. $24\csc^2(4-x)\cot^2(4-x)$

$$f'(x) = 2 \cdot 3(\csc(4-x))^2 \cdot -\csc(4-x) \cdot \cot(4-x) \cdot (-1)$$

$$f'(x) = 6\csc^2(4-x)\csc(4-x)\cot(4-x)$$

$$= 6\csc^3(4-x)\cot(4-x)$$

6) Given $f(x) = \sin(2x)\cos(x)$, then $f'(\frac{\pi}{6}) = \dots$

a) $\frac{\sqrt{3}-3}{4}$

b) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

c) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

d) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$

e) 0

$$f'(x) = \cos(2x) \cdot 2 \cdot \cos(x) + \sin(2x) \cdot (-\sin(x))$$

$$f'(\frac{\pi}{6}) = 2 \cos(\frac{\pi}{3}) \cos(\frac{\pi}{6}) + -\sin(\frac{\pi}{3}) \sin(\frac{\pi}{6})$$

$$= 2(\frac{1}{2})(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}) - (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

7) Supply the "proof" that shows how the derivative of $f(x) = \sec(x)$ is $f'(x) = \sec(x)\tan(x)$.

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sec = \sec(x) \cdot \tan(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{\cos x} \right)$$

$$\frac{0 - 1(-\sin x)}{(\cos x)^2}$$

$$\frac{\sin x}{(\cos x)^2}$$

$$\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos x}$$

$$\tan x \cdot \sec x = \tan x \cdot \sec x$$

QED

8) Be sure to know how to derive the derivatives of tangent and cosecant as well!

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{\cos x \cdot \cos x - \sin x \cdot (-\sin x)}{(\cos x)^2}$$

$$\frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$\frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$\sec^2 x = \sec^2 x$$



9) Determine the equation of the line that would be normal (perpendicular) to the function

$$y = \sec(x) \text{ at } x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

point: $y = \sec(\frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{1}{\cos(\frac{\pi}{4})} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}$
 $(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}})$

Slope:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \tan(x) \sec(x)$$

$$\text{at } x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \tan(\frac{\pi}{4}) \cdot \frac{1}{\cos(\frac{\pi}{4})}$$

$$= 1 \cdot \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}$$

so slope of $\perp$ line is $-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$$y - \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

10) Find the absolute extrema of the function $f(x)$ on the closed interval $[-2, 3]$

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{4}x^4 + x^3 - 6$$

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

$$0 = x^2(-x+3)$$

$$x = 0, x = +3$$

x	$f(x)$
-2	$-\frac{1}{4}(-2)^4 + (-2)^3 - 6 = -18$
0	$-\frac{1}{4}(0)^4 + (0)^3 - 6 = -6$
3	$-\frac{1}{4}(3)^4 + (3)^3 - 6 = 0.75$

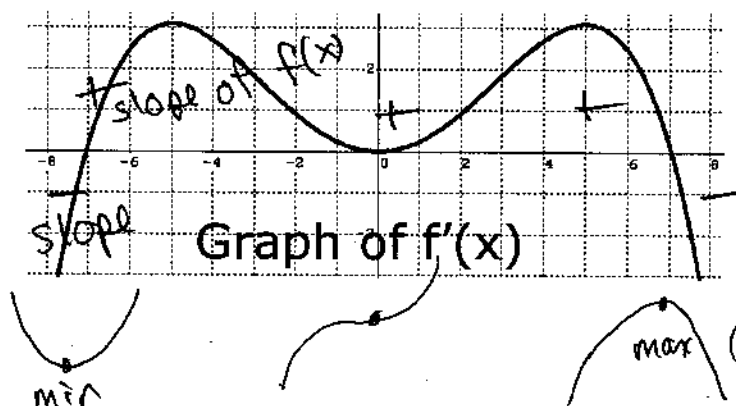
$(3, 0.75)$ is absolute max and $(-2, -18)$ is absolute min

11) Use the graph of $f'(x)$ shown to determine at which x-values the original function $f(x)$ has...

Critical point(s) at $x = -7, 0, 7$

Relative maximum(s) at $x = 7$

Relative minimum(s) at $x = -7$



12) Given the graph of $f''(x)$ below, how many inflection points does the original have?

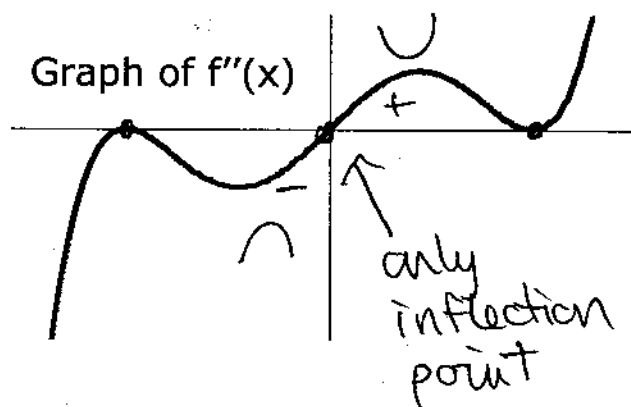
(a) $f(x)$ has no inflection points

(b) $f(x)$ has 1 inflection point

(c) $f(x)$ has 2 inflection points

(d) $f(x)$ has 3 inflection points

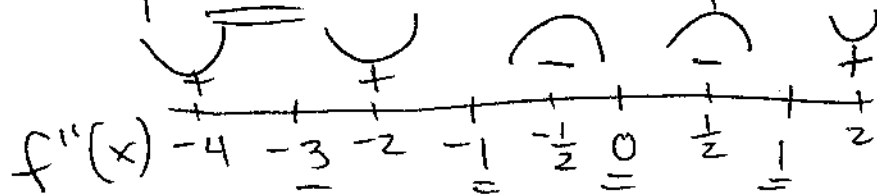
(e) $f(x)$ has 4 inflection points



13) Given the **second** derivative of a function, $f''(x) = x^2(x^2 - 1)(x + 3)^2$

determine the x-values of inflection points for the **original** function.

potential inflection points at $x = 0, \pm 1, -3$



Inflection points
at $x = -1, x = 1$