

# Calculus I (Math 231) Final Exam

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**Problem 1.** Evaluate the following limits:

$$5 \quad (a) \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x^2 - 4x}{x^2 - 3x - 4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{x(x-4)}{(x+1)(x-4)} = \frac{4}{4+1} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$5 \quad (b) \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{8x}{\sin 2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 4 \cdot \frac{2x}{\sin 2x} = 4$$

$$5 \quad (c) \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-5x^3 + 1}{17x^3 + 7x - 11} = -\frac{5}{17}$$

**Problem 2.** Compute the first derivative for each of these functions:

$$5 \quad (a) \quad f(x) = \frac{e^{3x}}{x^2 + 5} \quad f' = \frac{(x^2 + 5)(3e^{3x}) - (e^{3x})(2x)}{(x^2 + 5)^2}$$

$$5 \quad (b) \quad g(x) = \ln(6x) \sqrt{x^3 + 7x} \quad g' = (\ln(6x)) \left( \frac{1}{2} (x^3 + 7x)^{-1/2} (3x^2 + 7) \right) + (x^3 + 7x)^{1/2} \left( \frac{6}{6x} \right)$$

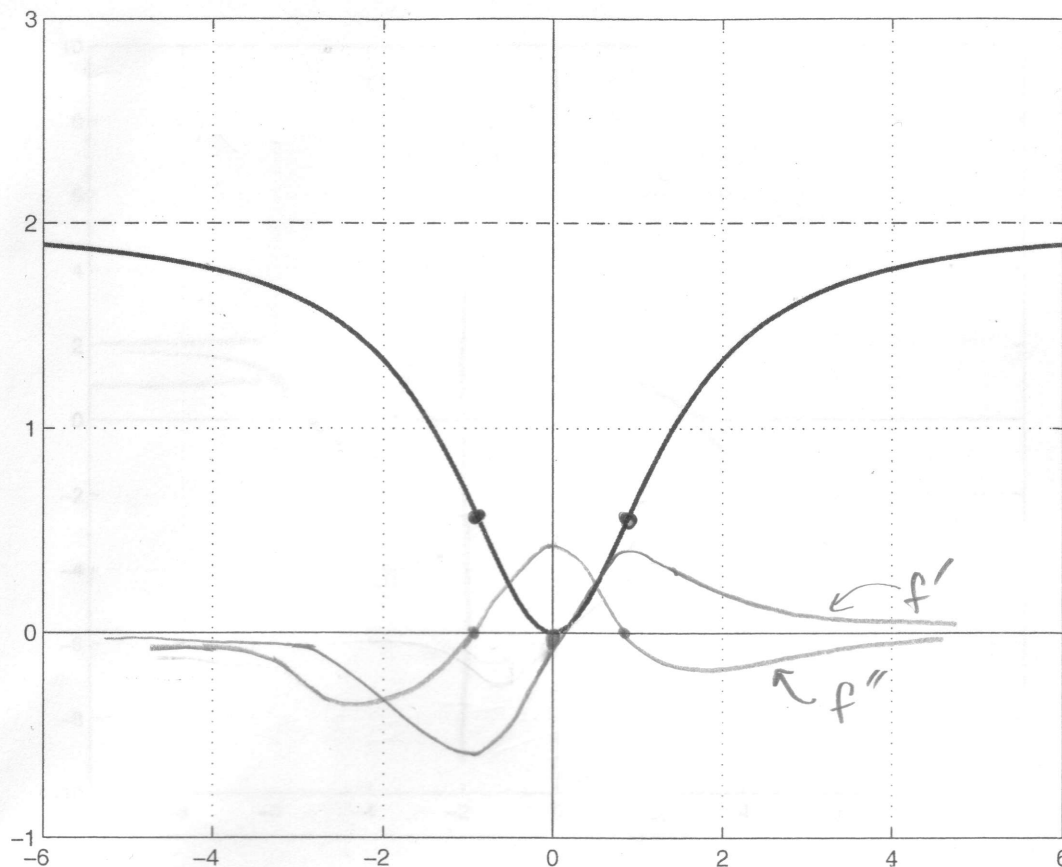
**Problem 3.** Evaluate

$$5 \quad (a) \quad \int \left( \frac{7}{x^4} + 3\sqrt{x} + e^{2x} \right) dx = -\frac{7}{3} x^{-3} + 2x^{3/2} + \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} + C$$

$$5 \quad (b) \quad \int_1^3 \left( 6x^2 + \frac{4}{x} + 5 \right) dx = \left[ 2x^3 + 4\ln x + 5x \right]_1^3 = (2 \cdot 3^3 + 4\ln 3 + 15) - (2 + 4 \cdot 0 + 5) = 62 + 4\ln 3 \approx 66.394$$

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Problem 4. Let  $f(x)$  be the function defined by the following graph,



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(a)  $f'(x) < 0$  for which  $x$ ?

$x < 0$

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$f'(x) > 0$  for which  $x$ ?

$x > 0$

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(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 2$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 2$ .

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(c) Sketch a graph of  $f'(x)$  on the figure.

(d) Label the approximate locations of all points of inflection of  $f(x)$ .

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(e) Sketch a graph of  $f''(x)$  on the figure.

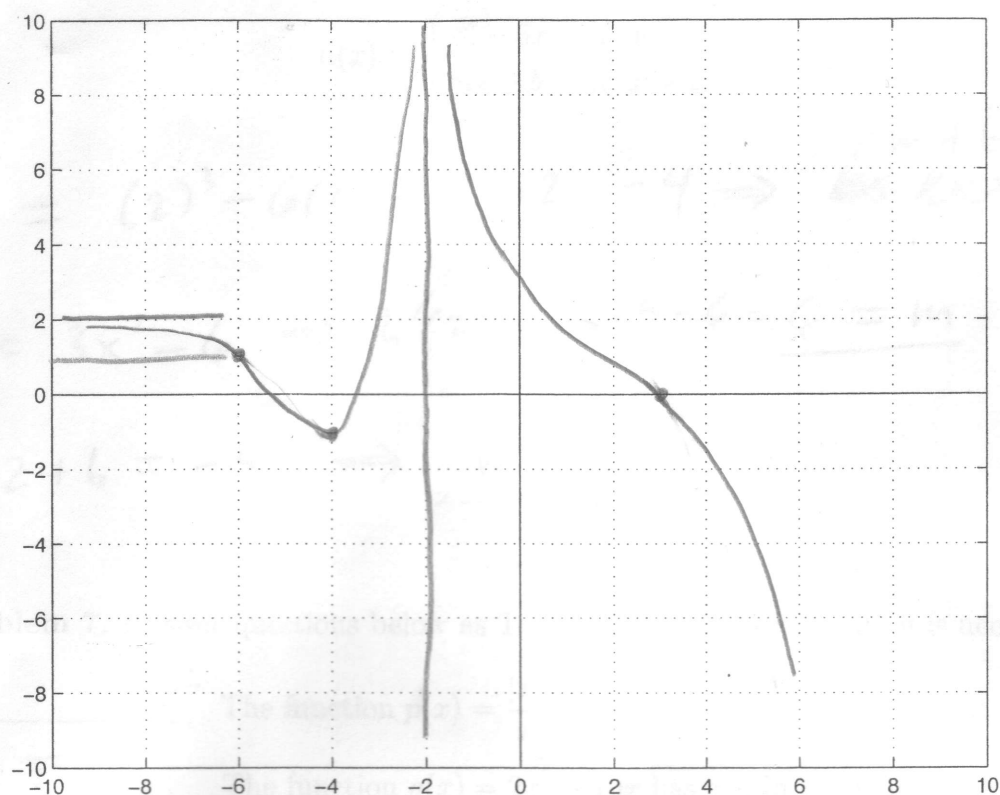
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BONUS:  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f'(x) = 0$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f'(x) = 0$ .

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**Problem 5.** Sketch the graph of a differentiable function  $f(x)$  with all of the properties below.



- The domain of  $f$  is  $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-2, \infty)$ .
- $f(-6) = 1$ ,  $f(-4) = -1$ , and  $f(3) = 0$ .
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) = \infty$ .
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 2$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$ .
- $f'(x) > 0$  for  $-4 < x < -2$ .
- $f'(x) < 0$  for  $x < -4$  and for  $x > -2$ .
- $f''(x) > 0$  for  $-6 < x < -2$  and for  $-2 < x < 3$ .
- $f''(x) < 0$  for  $x < -6$  and for  $x > 3$ .

Label all horizontal and vertical asymptotes, local extrema, and inflection points.

10 Problem 6. Find the values of the constants  $m$  and  $b$  such that the following function is differentiable everywhere:

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 - 6x & \text{if } x \leq 2 \\ mx + b & \text{if } x > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$h(2) = (2)^3 - 6(2) = 8 - 12 = -4 \Rightarrow 2m + b = -4$$

$$h'(x) = 3x^2 - 6 \Rightarrow h'(2) = 3 \cdot 4 - 6 = 6 = m$$

$$6 \cdot 2 + b = -4 \Rightarrow \underline{b = -16}$$

20 Problem 7. Answer questions below as True or False. (No explanation is needed.)

(a) F The function  $p(x) = \frac{|x|}{x}$  has a removable discontinuity at  $x = 0$ .

(b) T The function  $q(x) = 2x^5 - 10x$  has a zero in the interval  $(1, 2)$ .

(c) T The function  $r(x) = x^{1/3}$  has a vertical tangent line at the origin.

(d) F If  $s'(2) = 0$  then  $x = 2$  is a local max or min of  $s(x)$ .

(e) F A rational function can have at most two vertical asymptotes.

(f) F  $\int_0^5 f(x) dx = -\int_{-5}^0 f(x) dx$  for all integrable  $f(x)$ .

(g) T  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \int_0^x t^{\sqrt{2}} dt \right) = x^{\sqrt{2}}$ .

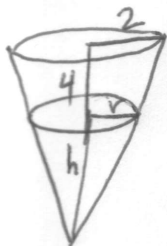
(h) T  $\int_0^{2\pi} |\sin x| dx = 2 \int_0^{\pi} \sin x dx$ .

(i) T  $\int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 x dx = \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \sin^2 x dx$ .

(j) T  $\int_{-4}^4 (x^5 + 7x)^{13} dx = 0$ .

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**Problem 8.** A paper cup in the shape of a circular cone has radius  $r = 2$  cm and height  $h = 4$  cm. Water is poured into the cup at a rate of  $2 \text{ cm}^3/\text{sec}$ . Find the rate at which the water level is rising when the water is 3 cm deep. (Hint:  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$ )



$$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h, \quad \frac{h}{4} = \frac{r}{2} \Rightarrow h = 2r \quad h = 3 \Rightarrow r = \frac{3}{2}$$

OR  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2(2r) = \frac{2}{3}\pi r^3$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = 2 \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$V = \frac{\pi h^3}{12}$$

$$V' = \frac{\pi}{4} h^2 \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \cdot 9 \cdot \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{8}{9\pi}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 2\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = 2\pi \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{1}{\pi \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{4}{9\pi}$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{8}{9\pi}$$

**Problem 9.** An open box with a total surface area of  $300 \text{ in}^2$  and with a square base is to be made from sheet metal. Find the dimensions of the box that will maximize its volume.



$$x^2 + 4xy = 300$$

$$V = x^2 y = x^2 \left( \frac{300 - x^2}{4x} \right) = 75x - \frac{x^3}{4}$$

$$V' = 75 - \frac{3}{4}x^2 \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} 0$$

$$x^2 = \frac{4}{3}(75) = 100$$

$$x = 10, \quad y = 5 \quad (V = 500)$$

**Problem 10.** Consider the curve described by the relation  $x^4 + y^4 = 32$ . Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve at the point  $(-2, 2)$ .

$$x^4 + y^4 = 32$$

$$4x^3 + 4y^3 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$-8 + 8y' = 0 \Rightarrow y' = 1$$

$$y - 2 = 1(x + 2)$$

$$y = x + 4$$