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## Math 221- Fall 2012 - Test 2

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Name Key

**Instructions.** You are expected to use a graphing calculator or a software to complete some problems. You can use our class notes or alternatively a maximum of 4 size-letter sheets of notes. Sketch any graph that you use or tables of input/output, approximating up to the fourth decimal place. Each problem is worth 10 points.  
**SHOW YOUR WORK NEATLY, PLEASE.**

1. Compute the first derivatives of the following functions. Show your work, applying the correct derivation rule, and give a simplified expression. Each part is worth 10 points.

$$(a) y = \ln\left(\frac{(1+3x)^4}{\sqrt{2x+2}}\right)$$

$$y = \ln(1+3x)^4 - \ln(2x+2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 4 \ln(1+3x) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(2x+2)$$

$$y' = 4 \frac{d}{dx} [\ln(1+3x)] - \frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dx} [\ln(2x+2)] = 4 \frac{3}{1+3x} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{2x+2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} [\ln u] &= \frac{u'}{u} & u &= 1+3x \\ & u' = 3 & u' &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$y' = \frac{12}{1+3x} - \frac{1}{2x+2} = \frac{12(2x+2) - (1+3x)}{(1+3x)(2x+2)} = \frac{24x+24 - 1 - 3x}{(1+3x)(2x+2)}$$

$$y' = \frac{21x+23}{(1+3x)(2x+2)}$$

$$(b) y = \arccos(3x-4) = \cos^{-1}(3x-4)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\cos^{-1} u] = \frac{-u'}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= 3x-4 \\ u' &= 3 \end{aligned} \rightarrow y' = \frac{-(3)}{\sqrt{1-(3x-4)^2}}$$

$$y' = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{1-(9x^2-24x+16)}} = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{-9x^2+24x-15}}$$

2. Compute the second order derivative of  $y = e^{2x} - \sin x$ .

$$y' = \frac{d}{dx}[x^1] \quad ; \quad \frac{d}{dx}[e^u] = u' e^u, \quad u = 2x, \quad u' = 2$$

$$y' = \frac{d}{dx}[e^{2x}] - \frac{d}{dx}[\sin x] = 2e^{2x} - \cos x$$

$$y'' = 2 \frac{d}{dx}[e^{2x}] - \frac{d}{dx}[\cos x] = 2(2e^{2x}) - (-\sin x)$$

$$y'' = 4e^{2x} + \sin x$$

3. Using implicit differentiation, write the equation of the tangent line to graph of  $x^3 - y^3 + 3y = -25$  at the point  $(-3, -2)$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx}[x^3 - y^3 + 3y] = \frac{d}{dx}[-25] \rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}[x^3] - \frac{d}{dx}[y^3] + 3 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

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$$\rightarrow 3x^2 - 3y^2 y' + 3y' = 0 \rightarrow 3(-y^2 + 1)y' = -3x^2 \rightarrow$$

$$\rightarrow y' = \frac{-3x^2}{3(1-y^2)} = \frac{x^2}{y^2 - 1} \quad (\rightarrow y') \Big|_{\begin{array}{l} x=-3 \\ y=-2 \end{array}} = \frac{(-3)^2}{(-2)^2 - 1} = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

$$\text{EQ. TAN. LINE: } L(x) = b + y' \Big|_{\begin{array}{l} x=a \\ y=b \end{array}} (x-a)$$

$$L(x) = -2 + 3(x - (-3))$$

$$= -2 + 3x + 9$$

$$= 3x + 7$$

4. Consider the function  $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 3$ . Compute  $f'(1)$  in the following ways:

- (a) with the *definition by limit*;
- (b) by differentiation rules;
- (c) with your calculator.

$$(a) f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} ; a=1, f(a)=f(1)=1,$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(a+h) &= f(1+h) = (1+h)^2 - 3(1+h) + 3 = 1+2h+h^2 - 3-3h+3 \\ &= h^2 - h + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 - h + 1 - 1}{h} ; \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(h-1)}{h} \stackrel{\text{DIRECT SUBS}}{\rightarrow} 0-1 = -1$$

$$(b) f'(x) = 2x - 3 \rightarrow f'(1) = 2(1) - 3 = -1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$(c) 2^{\text{ND}} + \text{TAN} + 6, \text{ ENTER } 1, \frac{dy}{dx} = -4 \quad \checkmark$$

5. A population of 360 bacteria is introduced into a culture. The number of bacteria is modeled by

$$P(t) = 180 \left( 2 - \frac{3t^3}{60 + 2t^3} \right),$$

where  $t$  is measured in hours. What is the limiting size (or *carrying capacity*) of this population?

"LIMITING SIZE" =  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} P(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} 180 \left( 2 - \frac{3t^3}{60 + 2t^3} \right)$

NOT NEEDED

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} = 180 \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left( 2 - \frac{3t^3}{60 + 2t^3} \right) \\ = 180 \left( 2 - \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3t^3}{60 + 2t^3} \right) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3t^3}{60 + 2t^3} = 3 \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t^3}{t^3 \left( \frac{60}{t^3} + 2 \right)} = \frac{3}{60 \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{t^3}} + 2 = 0$$

SAME DEGREE       $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{QUOTIENT OF LEADING COEFFICIENTS} = \frac{3}{60(0)+2} = \frac{3}{0+2} = \frac{3}{2} \end{array} \right\}$

$$\rightarrow \text{LIMITING SIZE} = 180 \left( 2 - \frac{3}{2} \right) = 90 \text{ BACTERIA.}$$

6. Find (if any) the vertical and the horizontal asymptotes of the function  $f(x) = \frac{3 \ln x}{1 - \ln x}$ .

V.A.) DOMAIN:  $\ln x \rightarrow x > 0$  ] → TWO CANDIDATES FOR V.A.  
 $1 - \ln x \neq 0 \rightarrow x \neq e$  ↗  $x=0, x=e$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $1 - \ln x = 0 \rightarrow \ln x = 1 \rightarrow x = e \approx 2.78$

I) WE CAN'T TAKE  $x \leq 0$ :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) \stackrel{\text{DIR.}}{\equiv} \frac{-\infty}{\infty} \rightarrow \text{SIMPLIFY}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{3 \ln x}{1 - \ln x} &\stackrel{\text{DIR.}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cancel{\ln x}(3)}{\cancel{\ln x}\left(\frac{1}{\ln x} - 1\right)} = \frac{3}{\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{\ln x}\right) - 1} \\ &\approx \frac{3}{\frac{1}{-\infty} - 1} \approx \frac{3}{0 - 1} = -3 \rightarrow x=0 \text{ NOT V.A.} \end{aligned}$$

II)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow e^-} \frac{3 \ln x}{1 - \ln x} \stackrel{\text{DIR.}}{\equiv} \frac{3(1)}{0} \approx \infty \rightarrow x=e \text{ IS A V.A.}$

H.A.) BECAUSE  $x > 0$  WE CAN'T CONSIDER " $x \rightarrow +\infty$ ".

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) \stackrel{\text{DIR.}}{\equiv} \frac{\infty}{-\infty} \rightarrow \text{SIMPLIFY}, \text{ AS IN PART I:}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) &= \frac{3}{\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\ln x}\right) - 1} \approx \frac{3}{\frac{1}{\infty} - 1} \approx \frac{3}{0 - 1} \\ &= 3 \rightarrow y=3 \text{ IS A H.A.} \end{aligned}$$