

## Solutions for 151 Televised Final Review

1) Find

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^x$$

This is an indeterminate form because it is of the form  $0^1$ . We let  $y = x^x$ , so  $\ln y = x \ln x$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln x}{1/x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1/x}{-1/x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} -x = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} e^{\ln y} = e^0 = 1$$

We can apply L'Hopital's rule because the limit was of the form infinity over infinity.

2) Find  $f'(x)$  where

$$f(x) = (\cos x)^x$$

We let  $y = (\cos x)^x$ . Then  $\ln y = x(\ln(\cos x))$ . We take the derivative of both sides to find:

$$\frac{1}{y} y' = x \frac{1}{\cos x} (-\sin x) + \ln(\cos x)$$

Multiplying both sides by  $y = (\cos x)^x$ , we have

$$y' = (\cos x)^x (-x \tan x + \ln(\cos x))$$

3) Approximate  $(8.1)^{1/3}$  using linearization.

We let  $f(x) = x^{1/3}$ . We note that 8.1 is near 8, so we let  $a = 8$ . Then  $f(a) = 8^{1/3} = 2$ , and  $f'(x) = (1/3)x^{-2/3}$ , so  $f'(a) = 1/12$ . Then

$$(8.1)^{1/3} \approx f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) = 2 + \frac{1}{12}(8.1 - 8) = 2 + \frac{1}{12}(0.1)$$

4) Find  $L_4$  and  $R_4$  for  $f(x) = x^2$  on the interval  $[1, 3]$ .

We have  $\Delta x = (3 - 1)/4 = 1/2$ . Then

$$L_4 = \frac{1}{2} [f(1) + f(3/2) + f(2) + f(5/2)] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 + \frac{9}{4} + 4 + \frac{25}{4} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 5 + \frac{17}{2} \right] = \frac{27}{4}$$

$$R_4 = \frac{1}{2} [f(3/2) + f(2) + f(5/2) + f(3)] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{9}{4} + 4 + \frac{25}{4} + 9 \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 13 + \frac{17}{2} \right] = \frac{43}{4}$$

5) Two circles have the same center. The inner circle has radius  $r$  which is increasing at  $3 \text{ in/s}$ . The outer circle has radius  $R$  which is increasing at  $2 \text{ in/s}$ . Suppose that  $A$  is the area of the region between the circles. When  $r = 7 \text{ in}$  and  $R = 10 \text{ in}$ , what is  $A$ ? How fast is  $A$  changing? Is  $A$  increasing or decreasing?

The area of the outer circle is  $\pi R^2$  and the area of the inner circle is  $\pi r^2$ . Then  $A = \pi R^2 - \pi r^2 = \pi(R^2 - r^2)$ . Then when  $r = 7$  and  $R = 10$ ,  $A =$

$\pi(10^2 - 7^2) = 51\pi$ . To find how fast  $A$  is changing, we take the derivative with respect to time.

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \pi \left( 2R \frac{dR}{dt} - 2r \frac{dr}{dt} \right) = \pi(2 \cdot 10 \cdot 2 - 2 \cdot 7 \cdot 3) = \pi(-2) \text{ in}^2/s$$

Since  $dA/dt$  is negative,  $A$  is decreasing.

6) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y^3 = 3xy + y^2 + 4x^3$ .

$$3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 3x \frac{dy}{dx} + 3y + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 12x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(3y^2 - 3x - 2y) = 3y + 12x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3y + 12x^2}{3y^2 - 3x - 2y}$$

7) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y = (\ln(x^2) + 2x^3)^{1/3}$ .

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

8) Calculate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - x}{e^x - 1}$$

This is of the form  $0/0$ , so we can apply L'Hopital.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - x}{e^x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x - 1}{e^x} = \frac{\cos 0 - 1}{e^0} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$$

9) Calculate the following limits:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3}, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3}, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3} = \frac{9 + 15 + 6}{9 + 6 - 3} = \frac{30}{12} = \frac{5}{2}$$

The second limit is of the form  $0/0$  so we can apply L'Hopital.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -3} \frac{2x + 5}{2x + 2} = \frac{-1}{-4} = \frac{1}{4}$$

The third limit is of the form infinity over infinity. We can apply L'Hopital or we can use algebra. Algebraically,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + 5/x + 6/x^2}{1 + 2/x - 3/x^2} = 1$$

Using L'Hopital,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x + 5}{2x + 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

10) Let  $f(x) = \cos(3x) + 3x^2 - 6x + 1$ . Explain why there must be a root of  $f(x) = 0$  in  $[-1, 1]$ .

First, we note that the function  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $[-1, 1]$ . Also,  $f(-1) = \cos(-3) + 3 + 6 + 1 = 10 + \cos(-3) \geq 9 > 0$  because  $-1 \leq \cos x \leq 1$  for all  $x$ . Also,  $f(1) = \cos(3) + 3 - 6 + 1 = -2 + \cos(3) \leq -1 < 0$ . Then, by the intermediate value theorem, there is  $c$  in the interval  $[-1, 1]$  such that  $f(c) = 0$ .

11) Suppose that the function  $f$  is continuous on  $[1, 3]$  and differentiable on  $(1, 3)$ . If  $f(1) = 9$  and  $f'(x) \geq 2$  for  $1 \leq x \leq 3$ , how small can  $f(3)$  possibly be?

Since the function is continuous and differentiable, we can apply the mean value theorem. By the MVT, there is  $c$  in  $(1, 3)$  such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(3) - f(1)}{3 - 1} = \frac{f(3) - 9}{2}$$

. We also have  $f'(c) \geq 2$  by assumption, so  $(f(3) - 9)/2 \geq 2$ , so  $f(3) - 9 \geq 4$  and  $f(3) \geq 13$ .

12) Find the value of  $c$  that makes the function continuous.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - c & \text{for } x < 5 \\ 4x + 2c & \text{for } x \geq 5 \end{cases}$$

For the function to be continuous, we need

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = f(5) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} f(x)$$

We have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} 4x + 2c = 20 + 2c$$

$$f(5) = 20 + 2c$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} x^2 - c = 25 - c$$

Therefore, we have  $25 - c = 20 + 2c$  so  $3c = 5$  and  $c = 5/3$ .

13) Describe the set  $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : |4x - 3| > 2 \text{ and } |x - 2| \leq 1\}$  in terms of intervals.

The inequality  $|4x - 3| > 2$  tells us that either  $4x - 3 > 2$  or  $4x - 3 < -2$ , so either  $x > 5/4$  or  $x < 1/4$ .

The inequality  $|x - 2| \leq 1$  tells us that  $-1 \leq x - 2 \leq 1$ , so  $1 \leq x \leq 3$ .

If  $x < 1/4$  for the first inequality, the second inequality is not satisfied. Therefore, we need  $x > 5/4$ . Then we already have  $x \geq 1$  and the only extra condition is  $x \leq 3$ . Therefore,  $S = (5/4, 3]$ .

14) Complete the square for  $4x^2 - 6x + 1$  to solve  $4x^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$ .

We first factor out 4.

$$4x^2 - 6x + 1 = 4 \left( x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{1}{4} \right) = 4 \left[ \left( x - \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{4} \right] = 4 \left[ \left( x - \frac{3}{4} \right)^2 - \frac{5}{16} \right]$$

Setting this to zero, we have  $(x - (3/4))^2 = 5/16$ , so  $x - 3/4 = \pm\sqrt{5}/4$ , so  $x = 3/4 \pm \sqrt{5}/4$ .

15) Find the horizontal and vertical asymptotes of

$$\frac{2x}{\sqrt{3x^2 - 1}}$$

To find the vertical asymptotes, we set the denominator equal to zero, so we have vertical asymptotes,  $x = \sqrt{1/3}$  and  $x = -\sqrt{1/3}$ .

To find the horizontal asymptotes, we take the limits.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x}{\sqrt{3x^2 - 1}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x}{|x|\sqrt{3 - \frac{1}{x^2}}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x}{-x\sqrt{3 - \frac{1}{x^2}}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3 - \frac{1}{x^2}}} = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{\sqrt{3x^2 - 1}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{|x|\sqrt{3 - 1/x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{x\sqrt{3 - 1/x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\sqrt{3 - 1/x^2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

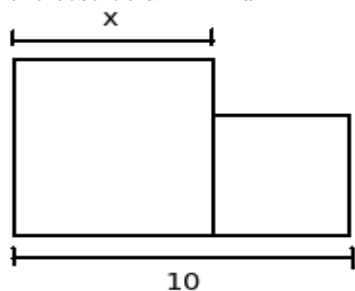
Therefore, the horizontal asymptotes are  $y = -2/\sqrt{3}$  and  $y = 2/\sqrt{3}$ .

16) Find the equation of the tangent line to the function  $f(x) = x^3 + 5x + 2$  at  $a = 3$ .

$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 5$ . The slope of the tangent line is  $f'(a) = 27 + 5 = 32$ . The tangent line also goes through the point  $(a, f(a))$  and  $f(a) = 27 + 15 + 2 = 44$ , so the equation of the tangent line is

$$y - 44 = 32(x - 3)$$

17) Two squares are placed so their sides are touching as shown. The sum of the lengths of one side of each square is  $10ft$ . Suppose the length of the left square is  $x$  feet. The left square is painted with paint costing \$6 per square foot. The right square is painted with paint costing \$4 per square foot. For which  $x$  will the cost be a minimum?



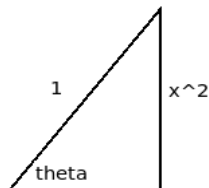
The side of the right square is  $10 - x$ , so the cost is

$$C(x) = 6x^2 + 4(10 - x)^2$$

To find the minimum, we take the derivative.  $C'(x) = 12x + 8(10 - x)(-1) = 20x - 80 = 0$ , so  $x = 4$  is a critical point. Looking at the derivative, we see that  $C(x)$  is decreasing to the left of 4 and increasing to the right, so  $x = 4$  gives the minimum.

18) Simplify  $\cos(\sin^{-1}(x^2))$ .

There are two ways to approach this problem. Geometrically, we let  $\theta = \sin^{-1}(x^2)$ , so  $\sin(\theta) = x^2$  and we draw a triangle.



The remaining side has length  $\sqrt{1^2 - (x^2)^2} = \sqrt{1 - x^4}$ . Therefore,

$$\cos(\sin^{-1}(x^2)) = \cos(\theta) = \sqrt{1 - x^4}$$

Alternatively, we can use trig identities.

$$\cos(\sin^{-1}(x^2)) = \sqrt{1 - \sin^2(\sin^{-1}(x^2))} = \sqrt{1 - (x^2)^2} = \sqrt{1 - x^4}$$

19) Solve  $\ln(x^2 + 10) - \ln(x^2 + 1) = 3 \ln 2$

We use properties of logarithms:  $\ln(x^2 + 10) - \ln(x^2 + 1) = \ln((x^2 + 10)/(x^2 + 1))$  and  $3 \ln 2 = \ln(2^3) = \ln 8$ . Then

$$\ln \frac{x^2 + 10}{x^2 + 1} = \ln 8 \Rightarrow \frac{x^2 + 10}{x^2 + 1} = 8 \Rightarrow x^2 + 10 = 8x^2 + 8 \Rightarrow 7x^2 - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{2/7}$$

20) Use the limit definition of the derivative to calculate the derivative of  $f(t) = t^{-2}$  at  $a = 1$ .

$$f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{(1+h)^2} - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2h - h^2}{h(1+h)^2} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 - h}{(1+h)^2} = -2$$

21) Find all functions  $f(x)$  such that  $f''(x) = x^2(x^3 + 2x + 1)$ .

We have  $f''(x) = x^5 + 2x^3 + x^2$  so

$$f'(x) = \frac{x^6}{6} + \frac{x^4}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + c$$

$$f(x) = \frac{x^7}{42} + \frac{x^5}{10} + \frac{x^4}{12} + cx + d$$

Note: you can use any letters you wish for the constants.

22) Differentiate  $\tan^{-1}(\ln x)$ ,  $\ln(\sin^{-1}(x^2))$ ,  $(x^2+3)/(2x^2+1)$  and  $\sin^3(e^{2x} + \ln x)$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(\ln x) = \frac{1}{1 + (\ln x)^2} \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln(\sin^{-1}(x^2)) = \frac{1}{\sin^{-1}(x^2)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^4}} (2x)$$

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

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

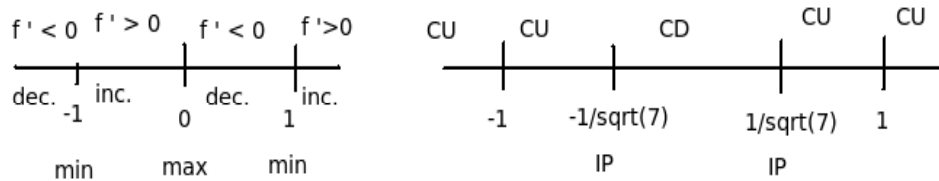
23) Let  $f(x) = (1 - x^2)^4$ . Find the intervals where  $f(x)$  is increasing, decreasing, concave up, and concave down. Give any inflection points and local extremas.

$$f'(x) = 4(1 - x^2)^3(-2x) = -8x(1 - x^2)^3$$

so the critical points are  $-1, 0, 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= -8x \cdot 3(1 - x^2)^2(-2x) + (1 - x^2)^3(-8) = 8(1 - x^2)^2(6x^2 - 1 + x^2) \\ &= 8(1 - x^2)^2(7x^2 - 1) \end{aligned}$$

so the second derivative is zero at  $-1, -\sqrt{1/7}, \sqrt{1/7}, 1$ .



24) Find the maximum and minimum values of  $f(x) = (\cos x)(\sin x)$  on the interval  $[0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ .

$$f'(x) = (\cos x)(\cos x) + (\sin x)(-\sin x) = \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x - \sin^2 x = 1 - 2\sin^2 x$$

Setting  $f'(x) = 0$ , we have  $\sin x = \pm 1/\sqrt{2}$ . In the interval,  $[0, \pi/2]$ , this means  $x = \pi/4$ . We now check the values of  $f(x)$  at the endpoints and the critical point.  $f(0) = 0$ ,  $f(\pi/4) = 1/2$  and  $f(\pi/2) = 0$ , so the maximum is  $1/2$  attained when  $x = \pi/4$  and the minimum is  $0$  attained at both  $x = 0$  and  $x = \pi/2$ .

25) Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+1}$ . Give the intervals on which  $f$  is increasing, decreasing, concave up, concave down. Give any asymptotes, inflection points and local extremas. Use this information to sketch the graph of  $f(x)$ .

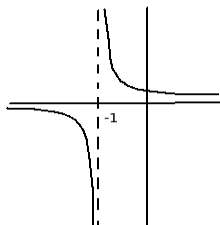
We write  $f(x) = (x+1)^{-1}$ , so  $f'(x) = -(x+1)^{-2}$  and  $f''(x) = 2(x+1)^{-3}$ . We have a vertical asymptote at  $x = -1$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = \infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = -\infty$$

We also have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 0.$$

Therefore, there is a horizontal asymptote at  $y = 0$ . The derivative is never zero but it is undefined at  $-1$ . The derivative is negative on both sides of  $-1$ , so there are no local extremum. The second derivative is positive when  $x > -1$  and is negative when  $x < -1$ . Therefore, the function is concave up for  $x > -1$  and concave down for  $x < -1$ , so there is an inflection point at  $x = -1$ . Here is a general sketch of the graph.



26) Use two iterations of Newton's method to approximate  $\sqrt{5}$ .

We note that  $\sqrt{5}$  is a zero of  $f(x) = x^2 - 5$ . A good initial guess is  $x_0 = 2$ , since  $\sqrt{4} = 2$ . Then  $f(x_0) = 2^2 - 5 = -1$ . We have  $f'(x) = 2x$ , so  $f'(x_0) = 4$ . Then

$$x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} = 2 - \frac{-1}{4} = \frac{9}{4}.$$

For the second iteration, we have  $f(x_1) = (9/4)^2 - 5 = 81/16 - 80/16 = 1/16$  and  $f'(x_1) = 9/2$ , so

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{1/16}{9/2} = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{1}{8 \cdot 9} = \frac{9 \cdot 18}{72} - \frac{1}{72} = \frac{162 - 1}{72} = \frac{161}{72}$$

Therefore,  $\sqrt{5} \approx 161/72$ .

27) Suppose  $f(x)$  is a differentiable function with  $f(9) = 3$ ,  $f'(9) = 6$  and  $f''(9) = -2$ . If  $F(x) = f(x^2)$ , compute  $F(3)$ ,  $F'(3)$  and  $F''(3)$ .

$F(3) = f(3^2) = f(9) = 3$ . We have  $F'(x) = f'(x^2)(2x)$ , so  $F'(3) = f'(9)(6) = 36$ . Then  $F''(x) = f'(x^2)(2) + (2x)f''(x^2)(2x)$ , so  $F''(3) = 2f'(9) + 36f''(9) = 12 - 72 = -60$ .

28) Find constants  $a, b$  such that the function  $f(x)$ , defined below, is differentiable.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} ax + 1 & \text{if } x < 1 \\ x^2 + b & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

To be differentiable, the function must be continuous, so we need  $a(1) + 1 = a + 1 = 1^2 + b = b + 1$ , so  $a = b$ . The derivative of the first equation is  $a$  and

the derivative of the second equation is  $2x$ . We need these derivatives to match at  $x = 1$ , so we need  $a = 2$ , so  $b = 2$ .

29) Evaluate the integrals:  $\int (9t - 4)^{11} dt$ ,  $\int_1^2 \frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} dt$ .

For the first integral, we let  $u = 9t - 4$  so  $du = 9dt$  and  $dt = (1/9)du$

$$\int (9t - 4)^{11} dt = \frac{1}{9} \int u^{11} du = \frac{u^{12}}{108} + c = \frac{(9t - 4)^{12}}{108} + c$$

For the second integral, we let  $u = t^2 + 1$  so  $du = 2t dt$  and  $4t dt = 2du$ . Also, when  $t = 1$ ,  $u = 2$  and when  $t = 2$ ,  $u = 5$ , so

$$\int_1^2 \frac{4t}{t^2 + 1} dt = 2 \int_2^5 \frac{du}{u} = 2 \ln u \Big|_2^5 = 2(\ln 5 - \ln 2) = 2 \ln(5/2)$$

30) Calculate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^x e^{t^2}}{x}$$

This limit is of the form  $0/0$  so we can apply L'Hopital. We note that by the fundamental theorem of calculus,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x e^{t^2} = e^{x^2}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\int_0^x e^{t^2}}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x^2}}{1} = e^0 = 1$$

31) Assume that  $f(t)$  is a function such that  $\int_1^4 f(t) dt = -2$ ,  $\int_0^5 f(t) dt = 3$  and  $\int_4^5 f(t) dt = -1$ . Find  $\int_0^1 f(t) dt$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 f(t) dt &= \int_0^5 f(t) dt - \int_1^5 f(t) dt = \int_0^5 f(t) dt - \left[ \int_1^4 f(t) dt + \int_4^5 f(t) dt \right] \\ &= 3 - (-2 - 1) = 6 \end{aligned}$$