

1. (20 points) Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  or  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

(a) (p156 #35)  $f(x) = x\sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{x^2\sqrt{x}} = x^{3/2} - x^{-5/2}$      $f'(x) = \frac{3}{2}x^{1/2} + \frac{5}{2}x^{-7/2}$

(b) (p183 #19)  $\frac{d}{dx}(2x-5)^4(8x^2-5)^{-3} = 4(2x-5)^3(2)(8x^2-5)^{-3} + (2x-5)^4(-3)(8x^2-5)^{-2}(16x)$

(c) (p183 #42)  $y = \sqrt{\cos(\sin^2 x)} = (\cos((\sin x)^2))^{1/2}$      $y' = \frac{1}{2}(\cos((\sin x)^2))^{-1/2}(-\sin((\sin x)^2)(2 \sin x \cos x))$

(d) (p190 #51)  $x^2y^2 + xy = 2$     *Simplify your answer.*    Differentiate both sides with respect to  $x$ .

$$(2x)y^2 + x^2(2yy') + y + xy' = 0 \quad (2x^2y + x)y' = -2xy^2 - y$$

$$y' = \frac{-2xy^2 - y}{2x^2y + x} = \frac{(-y)(2xy + 1)}{(x)(2xy + 1)} = -\frac{y}{x}$$

2. (5 points; p197 #17) Find the second derivative  $f''(x)$  for  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x}} = (1-x)^{-1/2}$ .

$$f'(x) = (-\frac{1}{2})(1-x)^{-3/2}(-1) = \frac{1}{2}(1-x)^{-3/2} \quad f''(x) = (\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{3}{2})(1-x)^{-5/2}(-1) = \frac{3}{4}(1-x)^{-5/2}$$

3. (6 points; p172) Write out the steps that show that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x - 1}{x} = 0$ .    See the text.

4. (6 points; p239 #14) For the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{x+2}$ , find all solutions of the equation  $f'(x) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$  in the interval  $[a, b]$ , where  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 4$ .

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x+2) - x}{(x+2)^2} = \frac{2}{(x+2)^2} \quad \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = \frac{\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3}}{4 - 1} = \frac{1}{3} \div 3 = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{9}$$

We need to solve the equation  $\frac{2}{(x+2)^2} = \frac{1}{9}$ .     $18 = (x+2)^2$      $x+2 = \pm 3\sqrt{2}$

5. (6 points; p211 #25) For  $y = \cos x$ , find the differential  $dy$  and evaluate  $dy$  for  $x = \pi/6$  and  $dx = 0.05$ .

$$dy = -\sin x \, dx \quad dy = -\sin(\pi/6)(.05) = -.5(.05) = -.025$$

6. (7 points; p211 #34) Find the linearization  $L(x)$  of  $f(x) = x^6$  at  $a = 2$  and use it to approximate  $(1.97)^6$ .

$$L(x) = f(2) + f'(2)(x-2) = 64 + 192(x-2) \quad \text{since } 2^6 = (2^3)(2^3) = 64 \text{ and } 6(2^5) = 6(32) = 192.$$

$$(1.97)^6 \approx 64 + 192(1.97 - 2) = 64 + (192)(-.03) = 64 - 5.76 = 58.24$$

7. (7 points; p187 Ex2) Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve  $x^3 + y^3 = 6xy$  at the point  $(3, 3)$ .

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8. (18 pts) For  $f(x) = -x^3 - 3x^2 + 4$ , graph the function after finding

- (a) the intervals on which  $f$  is increasing or decreasing;

$$f'(x) = -3x^2 - 6x = (-3x)(x + 2) \quad f'(x) = 0 \text{ for } x = -2 \text{ and for } x = 0$$

By looking at the factors,  $f'(x)$  is negative for  $x < -2$ , positive for  $-2 < x < 0$ , and negative for  $0 < x$ .

Conclusion:  $f(x)$  is decreasing on  $(-\infty, -2)$  and  $(0, \infty)$  and increasing on  $(-2, 0)$ .

- (b) the local maximum and minimum values of  $f$ ;      Local min at  $(-2, 0)$  and local max at  $(0, 4)$

- (c) the intervals of concavity and the inflection points.       $f''(x) = -6x - 6 = -6(x + 1)$

The graph is concave up on  $(-\infty, -1)$  and concave down on  $(-1, \infty)$ , so  $(-1, 2)$  is a point of inflection.

Now graph the function, including the points  $(-3, 4)$ ,  $(-2, 0)$ ,  $(-1, 2)$ ,  $(0, 4)$ ,  $(1, 0)$ .

9. (13 points; p248 #32) For the function  $f(x) = (x^2 - 1)^3$ , find

- (a) the intervals on which  $f$  is increasing or decreasing;

$$f'(x) = 3(x^2 - 1)^2(2x) = 6x(x^2 - 1)^2 \quad (x^2 - 1)^2 \geq 0 \text{ so } f'(x) \text{ is negative for } x < 0, \text{ positive for } x > 0$$

Conclusion:  $f(x)$  is decreasing on  $(-\infty, 0)$  and increasing on  $(0, \infty)$ .

- (b) the local maximum and minimum values of  $f$ ;

Setting  $f'(x) = 0$ , we have  $(6x)(x^2 - 1)^2 = 0$ , so either  $x = 0$  or  $x^2 = 1$ , and the solutions are  $x = -1, 0, 1$ .

Using the answer from part (a), we can see that although  $(-1, 0)$ ,  $(0, -1)$ , and  $(1, 0)$  are critical points, the point  $(0, -1)$  is a local minimum, and the other two points are neither local max nor local min.

- (c) the intervals of concavity and the inflection points.

$$f''(x) = 6(x^2 - 1)^2 + 6x(2)(x^2 - 1)(2x) = 6(x^2 - 1)[(x^2 - 1) + 4x^2] = 6(x^2 - 1)(5x^2 - 1)$$

Setting  $f''(x) = 0$  we get  $x^2 - 1 = 0$  or  $5x^2 - 1 = 0$ , so  $x = \pm 1$  or  $x = \pm 1/\sqrt{5}$ .

Looking at signs of the factors of  $f''(x)$ , or testing  $f''(x)$  at points in these intervals, you can show that  $f''(x)$  is positive for  $-\infty < x < -1$ , for  $-1/\sqrt{5} < x < 1/\sqrt{5}$ , and for  $1 < x < \infty$ . You can show that  $f''(x)$  is negative for  $-1 < x < -1/\sqrt{5}$  and for  $1/\sqrt{5} < x < 1$ .

Conclusion:  $f(x)$  is concave up on the intervals  $(-\infty, -1)$ ,  $(-1/\sqrt{5}, 1/\sqrt{5})$ , and  $(1, \infty)$ , and concave down on the intervals  $(-1, -1/\sqrt{5})$  and  $(1/\sqrt{5}, 1)$ .

10. (12 points; p199 Ex 1) Air is being pumped into a spherical balloon so that its volume increases at a rate of 100  $\text{cm}^3/\text{sec}$ . How fast is the radius of the balloon increasing when the diameter is 50 cm? *Hint:* The volume of a sphere is  $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$ .

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