

Math 151 Fall 2009 Exam III Solutions-Form A

1. C: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - \arcsin(2x)}{x + \arctan x} = \frac{0}{0}$. Thus by L'Hospital's rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - \arcsin(2x)}{x + \arctan x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}}{1 + \frac{1}{1+x^2}} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

2. A: $f(x) = x \ln x + 2x$. Thus $f'(x) = \ln x + x \frac{1}{x} + 2 = \ln x + 3$. Thus $f'(x) = 0$ if $\ln x + 3 = 0$, hence $\ln x = -3$. Solving for x yields $x = e^{-3} = \frac{1}{e^3}$.

3. C: $f'(x) = 3 \cos x - 5 \sin x$. Take the antiderivative of $f'(x)$ to get $f(x)$. $f(x) = 3 \sin x + 5 \cos x + C$. We are given $f(0) = 6$, thus $6 = 3 \sin(0) + 5 \cos(0) + C$, hence $C = 1$. $f(x) = 3 \sin x + 5 \cos x + 1$ and therefore $f(\pi) = 3 \sin(\pi) + 5 \cos(\pi) + 1 = -4$.

4. E: $\arctan\left(\tan \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \arctan(-\sqrt{3}) = -\frac{\pi}{3}$

5. E: $f(x)$ is concave down where $f'(x)$ is decreasing. This occurs on (b, d) .

6. C: $y = x^{\sin x}$, thus $\ln y = \ln x^{\sin x} = \sin x \ln x$. Differentiate implicitly with respect to x :

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos x \ln x + \frac{\sin x}{x},$$

$$\text{hence } \frac{dy}{dx} = y \left(\cos x \ln x + \frac{\sin x}{x} \right), \text{ therefore}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^{\sin x} \left(\cos x \ln x + \frac{\sin x}{x} \right)$$

7. C: $\sum_{i=1}^4 a_i = 1$ and $\sum_{i=1}^4 b_i = -2$, find $\sum_{i=1}^4 (a_i + 2b_i + 2)$.

$$\sum_{i=1}^4 (a_i + 2b_i + 2) = \sum_{i=1}^4 a_i + 2 \sum_{i=1}^4 b_i + \sum_{i=1}^4 2$$

$$= 1 + 2(-2) + 8 = 5.$$

8. C: To find the absolute maximum for

$f(x) = x^3 - 12x + 1$ on the interval $[1, 3]$, we will first find the critical numbers of $f(x)$ for $0 \leq x \leq 3$. $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12 = 3(x^2 - 4)$. Thus the only critical number for $f(x)$ on the interval $[1, 3]$ is $x = 2$. Now, $f(1) = -10$, $f(3) = -8$ and $f(2) = -15$. Hence the absolute maximum is -8 .

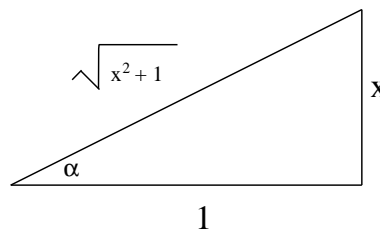
9. B: $f(x) = 2 \ln(\arctan x)$, thus $f'(x) = \frac{2}{1+x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\arctan x}$, hence $f'(1) = \frac{1}{\pi} = \frac{4}{\pi}$.

10. C: To find where $f(x) = xe^{3x}$ is decreasing, we will solve $f'(x) < 0$. Now by the product rule,

$f'(x) = e^{3x} + 3xe^{3x} = e^{3x}(1+3x)$. The only critical number for $f(x)$ is $x = -\frac{1}{3}$. Now $f'(x) < 0$ for $x < -\frac{1}{3}$ and $f'(x) > 0$ for $x > -\frac{1}{3}$. Hence $f(x)$ is decreasing on the interval $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{3})$.

11. C: To find the inflection points for $f(x) = x^4 - 6x^2$, we will determine where $f(x)$ changes concavity by looking at the sign of $f''(x)$. $f'(x) = 4x^3 - 6x^2$ and hence $f''(x) = 12x^2 - 12$. Now $f''(x) = 0$ when $x = \pm 1$. $f''(x) < 0$ for $-1 < x < 1$ and $f''(x) > 0$ for $x < -1$ and $x > 1$. Thus $f(x)$ goes from concave up to concave down at $x = -1$ and $f(x)$ goes from concave down to concave up at $x = 1$. Thus both $x = 1$ and $x = -1$ yield inflection points for $f(x)$.

12. A: Let $\alpha = \arctan x$. Then $\tan \alpha = x$. By viewing the triangle, we see that $\cos(\alpha) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$.



13. To solve for x : $\log_4(x^2 - 16) - \log_4(1 - 2x) = 1$, we will use logarithim properties:

$\log_4(x^2 - 16) - \log_4(1 - 2x) = 1$ is equivalent to

$$\log_4 \frac{x^2 - 16}{1 - 2x} = 1. \text{ Thus } \frac{x^2 - 16}{1 - 2x} = 4. \text{ Cross multiply:}$$

$x^2 - 16 = 4(1 - 2x)$ thus $x^2 + 8x - 20 = 0$. Factoring gives $(x + 10)(x - 2) = 0$, hence $x = -10$ or $x = 2$. Now $x = 2$ is not in the domain of $f(x)$ since we cannot take the logarithm of a negative number. Thus the only solution is $x = -10$.

14. Note $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (e^{2x} + x)^{1/x}$ is of the form ∞^0 which is an indeterminate power. Let $y = (e^{2x} + x)^{1/x}$. Then $\ln y = \ln(e^{2x} + x)^{1/x} = \frac{\ln(e^{2x} + x)}{x}$.

Now, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(e^{2x} + x)}{x}$ is of the form $\frac{0}{0}$, so we can apply L'Hospital's rule.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(e^{2x} + x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2e^{2x} + 1}{e^{2x} + x} = 3. \text{ Thus}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (e^{2x} + x)^{1/x} = e^3$$

15. Using the formula $y(t) = (y_0 - T)e^{kt} + T$ where $y(t)$ is the temperature of the object at time t , $y_0 = 375$ and $T = 75$, we obtain $y(t) = 300e^{kt} + 75$. Now we are given that $y(20) = 200$, thus

$$200 = 300e^{k(20)} + 75 \Rightarrow 125 = 300e^{k(20)} \Rightarrow$$

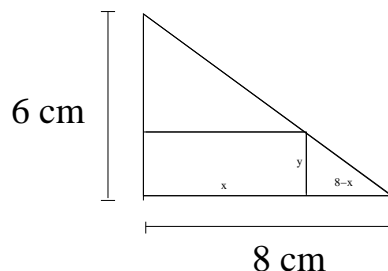
$$\frac{5}{12} = e^{20k}, \text{ thus } k = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{5}{12}. \text{ Substitute}$$

$$k = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{5}{12} \text{ into } y(t) = 300e^{kt} + 75, \text{ we find}$$

$$y(t) = 300e^{(1/20) \ln(5/12)t} + 75 \Rightarrow$$

$$y(t) = 300 \left(\frac{5}{12} \right)^{t/20} + 75.$$

16. Let x and y be as the figure shows.



We want to maximize the the area of the rectangle $A = xy$. Now by similar triangles, $\frac{y}{8-x} = \frac{6}{8}$.

Thus $y = \frac{3}{4}(8-x)$. Substitute this in for y gives us $A = x \frac{3}{4}(8-x) = 6x - \frac{3}{4}x^2$. $A' = 6 - \frac{3}{2}x$. Solving $A' = 0$ yields $x = 4$. Now to determine whether this maximizes area we will apply the second derivative test: $A'' = -\frac{3}{2} < 0$, meaning A is concave down thus $x = 4$ does indeed produce a maximum. Therefore the maximum area is $A = 6(4) - \frac{3}{4}(4)^2 = 12$ square centimeters.

17. First partition the interval $[-1, 7]$ into 4 subintervals of equal width. $\Delta x = \frac{7 - (-1)}{4} = 2$. Thus the partition is $\{-1, 1, 3, 5, 7\}$. Since we are using right endpoints, $x_1 = 1$, $x_2 = 3$, $x_3 = 5$ and $x_4 = 7$.

$$\sum_{i=1}^4 f(x_i) \Delta x = (f(1) + f(3) + f(5) + f(7)) (2)$$

$$= (3 + 11 + 27 + 51) (2) = 184$$