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Math 120 Final Exam December 2007 2.5 hours.

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Problem #	Value	Grade
1	42	
2	16	
3	12	
4	6	
5	6	
6	8	
7	10	
Total	100	

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1. ([42 marks]) **Short-Answer Questions.** Put your answer in the box provided but show your work also. Each question is worth 3 marks. Full marks will be given for correct answers placed in the box, but at most 1 mark will be given for incorrect answers. Unless otherwise stated, it is not necessary to simplify your answers in this question.

(a) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 + x - 6}{x - 2}$.

(b) Evaluate $f'(2)$ if $f(x) = \ln(g(xh(x)))$, $h(2) = 2$, $h'(2) = 3$, $g(4) = 3$, $g'(4) = 5$.

(c) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1 - x - x^2}{2x^2 - 7}$.

(d) Find the values of the constants a and b for which

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \cos(x) & x \leq 0 \\ ax + b & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

is differentiable everywhere.

(e) Find the derivative of $e^{\cos(x^2)}$.

(f) For the curve defined by the equation $\sqrt{xy} = x^2y - 2$, find the slope of the tangent line at the point $(1, 4)$.

(g) If $f(x) = \sin(x^2)$, compute $f^{(6)}(0)$. *Hint:* it may help to use Maclaurin polynomials.

(h) Find the (x, y) coordinates of all points where the graph of the parametric curve

$x = \sin(t^2)$, $y = \cos(t^2)$ has a vertical tangent.

(i) If $f(x) = (\cos x)^{\sin x}$, find $f'(x)$.

(j) Use a linear approximation to estimate $(2.001)^3$. Write your answer in the form

$n/1000$ where n is an integer.

(k) $f(x) = 2x - \sin(x)$ is one-to-one. Find $(f^{-1})'(\pi - 1)$.

- (l) A point is moving on the unit circle $\{ (x, y) \mid x^2 + y^2 = 1 \}$ in the xy -plane. At $(2/\sqrt{5}, 1/\sqrt{5})$, its y -coordinate is increasing at rate 3. What is the rate of change of its x -coordinate?

- (m) Find the function $y(t)$ if $\frac{dy}{dt} + 3y = 0$, $y(1) = 2$.

- (n) For the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \leq 0 \\ \frac{\cos(x)-1}{\sqrt{x}} & x > 0 \end{cases},$$

write in the box the (roman) number of the correct statement from the list:

- i. f is undefined at $x = 0$
- ii. f is neither continuous nor differentiable at $x = 0$
- iii. f is continuous but not differentiable at $x = 0$
- iv. f is differentiable but not continuous at $x = 0$
- v. f is both continuous and differentiable at $x = 0$

Full-Solution Problems. In questions 2-7, justify your answers and **show all your work**.

2. ([16 marks]) Let $f(x) = x\sqrt{3-x}$.

(a) ([2 marks]) Find the domain of $f(x)$.

Answer

(b) ([4 marks]) Determine the x -coordinates of the local maxima and minima (if any) and intervals where $f(x)$ is increasing or decreasing.

(c) ([2 marks]) Determine intervals where $f(x)$ is concave upwards or downwards, and the x coordinates of inflection points (if any). You may use, without verifying it, the formula $f''(x) = (3x - 12)(3 - x)^{-3/2}/4$.

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- (d) ([2 marks]) There is a point at which the tangent line to the curve $y = f(x)$ is vertical. Find this point.

Answer

- (e) ([2 marks]) The graph of $y = f(x)$ has no asymptotes. However, there is a real number a for which $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{f(x)}{|x|^a} = -1$. Find the value of a .

Answer

- (f) ([4 marks]) Sketch the graph $y = f(x)$, showing the features given in items (a) to (d) above and giving the (x, y) coordinates for all points occurring above.

3. ([12 marks]) What is the largest possible area of a window, with perimeter P , in the shape of a rectangle with a semicircle on top (so the diameter of the semicircle equals the width of the rectangle)?

4. ([6 marks]) Find an equation of a line that is tangent to both of the curves $y = x^2$ and $y = x^2 - 2x + 2$ (at different points).

Answer

5. ([6 marks]) Let $f(x) = x|x|$.

(a) *Using the definition of the derivative*, show that $f(x)$ is differentiable at $x = 0$.

(b) Find the second derivative of $f(x)$. Explicitly state, with justification, the point(s) at which $f''(x)$ does not exist, if any.

6. ([8 marks]) Use the definition of limit to prove that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} x^2 = 9$.

7. ([10 marks]) Let $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$.

(a) Find the third-order Taylor polynomial for f around $x = 1$.

(b) Evaluate

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+t) - \cos(t/2) - \sin(t/2)}{t^3}.$$