

University of Ottawa
MAT1330C Midterm Exam

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Solutions

DGD 1

DGD 2

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Take your time to read the entire paper before you begin to write, and read each question carefully. Remember that certain questions are worth more points than others. Make a note of the questions that you feel confident you can do, and then do those first: you do not have to proceed through the paper in the order given.

- You have 80 minutes to complete this exam.
- This is a closed book exam, and no notes of any kind are allowed. The use of cell phones, pagers or any text storage or communication device **is not permitted**.
- Only the Faculty approved calculators (TI-30X, TI-34X, Casio FX-260X and Casio FX-300X) are allowed.
- Questions 3 and 6 are short answer questions. All other questions require complete legible solutions. You need to convince me that you know why your answer is correct.
- Where it is possible to check your work, do so.
- Please do not detach the pages.
- Good luck!

Student number: _____, Total marks: _____ out of 30

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6
Marks						

Question 1. [2 points] The function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2-x-2}{2x^2-3x-2}, & x \neq 2, \text{ and } x \neq -0.5 \\ k, & x = 2, \end{cases}$$

is continuous for $k =$

f is continuous at $x=2$ if $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = f(2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2-x-2}{2x^2-3x-2} = \frac{0}{0} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{(x-2)(2x+1)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x+1}{2x+1} = \frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$f(2) = k$$

so we need $k = \frac{3}{5}$.

Note that f is not continuous for $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ because it is not defined at this value.

Question 2. [3 points] When a disease appears in a population, health authorities record the number of infected people. One function that describes this quantity is $y(t) = 5t^4e^{-t/3}$, where $t \geq 0$ is the time in days and $y(t)$ is the number (in units of thousands of people) of infected people.

The infection peaks on day

12

At the peak of the infection, there are

1899000

people affected.

$$y'(t) = 20t^3e^{-t/3} - \frac{5}{3}t^4e^{-t/3} = 5t^3e^{-t/3}\left(4 - \frac{t}{3}\right)$$

$$\rightarrow y'(t) = 0 \Leftrightarrow 4 - \frac{t}{3} = 0 \Leftrightarrow t = 12$$

$$y(12) = 5 \cdot (12)^4 \cdot e^{-12/3} = 5(20736) \cdot e^{-4} \approx 1899$$

Note that $y'(t) > 0$ if $0 < t < 12$ } \rightarrow global max at $t = 12$
 $y'(t) < 0$ if $t > 12$.

Question 3. [2 points] Suppose that f is a function defined for all real numbers. Suppose also that f has continuous first and second derivatives for all real numbers. For each of the cases below, indicate whether the statement is true.

The function f necessarily has a global minimum if...

A) ...there exists a c such that $f'(c) = 0$ and f is concave up everywhere. true/false

B) ...there exists a c such that $f'(c) = 0$ and f' changes sign. true/false

C) ...there exists a c such that $f'(c) = 0$ and $f''(c) > 0$. true/false

D) ... $f''(x) > 0$ for all x . true/false

Question 4. [9 points] Find the derivative $y'(x)$ of the function $y(x)$. Do not simplify your answer.

(a) $y(x) = \frac{\ln(x^2) + e^{x^3}}{\sqrt{x}}$

$y'(x) =$

$$y'(x) = \frac{\left(\frac{2x}{x^2} + 3x^2 e^{x^3}\right)\sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}(\ln(x^2) + e^{x^3})}{x}$$

(b) $y(x) = x^{\sin(x)}$

$y'(x) =$

$$y(x) = e^{\ln x \sin x} = e^{\sin x \cdot \ln x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y'(x) = \left(\cos x \ln x + \frac{\sin x}{x}\right) \cdot x^{\sin x}$$

(c) $x^2 y^3 = e^{x+3y}$

$y'(x) =$

$$2xy^3 + 3x^2 y^2 \cdot y' = (1 + 3y') e^{x+3y}$$

$$(3x^2 y^2 - 3e^{x+3y}) y' = e^{x+3y} - 2xy^3$$

$$\Rightarrow y'(x) = \frac{e^{x+3y} - 2xy^3}{3x^2 y^2 - 3e^{x+3y}}$$

Question 5. [8 points] Find the limits, using the rules from class. A table of values/the use of your calculator will not give you any points.

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

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+4x} - \sqrt{1+x^2}}{x} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1+4x} + \sqrt{1+x^2}}{\sqrt{1+4x} + \sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{4}{1+1} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\ln(5x^2 + 3) - 2\ln(x-1)) = \boxed{\ln 5}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \ln \left(\frac{5x^2 + 3}{(x-1)^2} \right)$$

$$= \ln \left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x^2 + 3}{x^2 - 2x + 1} \right)$$

$$= \ln \left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2(5 + 3/x^2)}{x^2(1 - 2/x + 1/x^2)} \right)$$

$$= \ln(5)$$

$$(c) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sqrt{6x}}{\sin(\sqrt{x})} = \boxed{\frac{6}{\sqrt{6}}} \quad \left(\frac{0}{0}\right)$$

$$\stackrel{HR}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\frac{1}{2}(6x)^{-1/2} \cdot (6)}{\cos(\sqrt{x}) \cdot \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{x})^{-1/2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \cdot 6}{\cos(\sqrt{x})}$$

$$= \frac{6}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$(d) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{1 - \cos(x)} = \boxed{2} \quad \left(\frac{0}{0}\right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x}{\sin(x)} \quad \left(\frac{0}{0}\right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2}{\cos(x)} = 2$$

Question 6. [6 points] Assume that a function f as well as its first and second derivatives are continuous for all $x \in (-\infty, \infty)$. Assume that the function has the following properties:

- $f'(x) > 0$ if $|x| < 1$ and $f'(x) < 0$ if $|x| > 1$.
- $f''(x) < 0$ if $x < -2$ or $x > 0$ and $f''(x) > 0$ if $-2 < x < 0$
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = 0$
- $f(0) = 0$

Answer the following questions:

[You may want to make a table to summarize the properties of the function.]

- (i) The graph of $f(x)$ ^{is} increasing for $-1 < x < 1$
- (ii) The graph of $f(x)$ ^{is} concave up for $-2 < x < 0$
- (iii) The graph of $f(x)$ attains a global maximum at $x = 1$
- (iv) The graph of $f(x)$ attains a global minimum at *nowhere*
- (v) Sketch the graph of $f(x)$.

