

MATH1004E - Test 3: 13:35–14:25, Nov 19

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Total: 30 points. Closed book! Calculators are allowed!

1. (8 points, 2 points each) Multiple choices, no partial marks.

(i) $e^{\ln a + \ln b} =$

- (a) $a + \ln b$ (b) $\ln a + b$ (c) $a + b$ (d) ab (e) $a - b$

Solution: (d).

(ii) Let $f(x) = \ln(x^2 + 1)$, then $f'(1) =$

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 1/2 (e) Does not exist.

Solution: (b). $f'(x) = \frac{2x}{x^2+1}$.

(iii) $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^t - t - 1}{t^2} =$

- (a) 1 (b) 0.5 (c) 2 (d) 1.5 (e) does not exist.

Solution: (b). $\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^t - t - 1}{t^2} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^t - 1}{2t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^t}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$.

(iv) The vertical and horizontal asymptotes of $y = \frac{x + 3x^2 - 1}{x^2 - x}$ are:

- (a) $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0$ (b) $x = 0, y = 1$ (c) $x = 1, y = 3$ (d) $x = 1, y = 0$
 (e) $x = 0, x = 1, y = 3$

Solution: (e)

2. (4 points) Given $y = x^{2x+1}$. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

Solution: By logarithmic differentiation,

$$\ln y = (2x + 1) \ln x,$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln y = \frac{d}{dx} ((2x + 1) \ln x), \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{y'}{y} = 2 \ln x + (2x + 1) \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) = 2 \ln x + \frac{2x + 1}{x}, \Rightarrow$$

$$y' = y \left(2 \ln x + \frac{2x + 1}{x} \right) \quad \text{or} \quad y' = x^{2x+1} \left(2 \ln x + \frac{2x + 1}{x} \right).$$

3. (4 points) Let $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 1}$. Find the intervals of increase and decrease.

Solution: $f'(x) = \frac{4x}{(x^2+1)^2}$.

$f'(x) = 0$ implies that $x = 0$. Thus only one critical point is $x = 0$.

$f'(x) > 0$ when $x > 0$, which is the interval of increase;

$f'(x) < 0$ when $x < 0$, which is the interval of decrease;

4. (5 points) Let $f(x) = xe^{2x}$. Study the concavity and find points of inflection.

Solution: By the product rule, $f'(x) = (1 + 2x)e^{2x}$. $f''(x) = 4(1 + x)e^{2x}$.

$f''(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -1$.

when $x < -1$, $f''(x) < 0$, $f(x)$ is concave down;

when $x > -1$, $f''(x) > 0$, $f(x)$ is concave up.

Point of inflection is at $x = -1$, or $(-1, -e^{-2})$.

5. (5 points) Find the function $f(x)$ such that $f'(x) = \frac{3x^7 + x^3}{x^5}$ and $f(1) = 2$.

Solution:

$$f(x) = \int f'(x) dx = \int \frac{3x^7 + x^3}{x^5} dx = \int (3x^2 + x^{-2}) dx = x^3 - \frac{1}{x} + C.$$

$$f(1) = 2 \Rightarrow C = 2, \Rightarrow$$

$$f(x) = x^3 - \frac{1}{x} + 2.$$

6. (4 points) Let $g(x) = \int_0^x \sin(t^2 + 1) dt$. Find $g'(2)$ and $g''(2)$.

Solution: By the fundamental theorem of calculus,

$$g'(x) = \sin(x^2 + 1), \quad g'(2) = \sin 5.$$

$$g''(x) = 2x \cos(x^2 + 1), \quad g''(2) = 4 \cos 5.$$