

5 Q1: Solve for  $x$  :

$$9^x + 4 \cdot 3^x = 12$$

Solution:

$$(3^x)^2 + 4 \cdot 3^x - 12 = 0$$

$$\text{let } a = 3^x$$

$$a^2 + 4a - 12 = 0$$

$$(a-2)(a+6) = 0$$

$$a = 2 \text{ or } \underline{a = -6} \times$$

$$a = 3^x > 0$$

$$3^x = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{x = \log_3 2}$$

5 Q2: Find the inverse  $f^{-1}$  of the formula  $f(x) = \log_3(9 + 3^x)$   
Determine the domain and the range of  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

Solution:

$$y = \log_3(9 + 3^x)$$

$$3^y = 9 + 3^x$$

$$3^x = 3^y - 9$$

$$x = \log_3(3^y - 9)$$

$$\text{so } \underline{f^{-1}(x) = \log_3(3^x - 9)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{domain: } & \underline{(-\infty, +\infty)} \\ \text{range: } & \underline{(2, +\infty)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1} & \\ \text{domain: } & \underline{(2, +\infty)} \\ \text{range: } & \underline{(-\infty, +\infty)} \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \log_3 (3^x - 9)$$

$$3^x - 9 > 0 \Rightarrow 3^x > 9 = 3^2 \Rightarrow x > 2$$

$$y = \log_3 (9 + 3^x)$$

$$9 + 3^x > 0 \Rightarrow x \in \mathbb{R}$$

6 Q3: Find all a) horizontal and b) vertical asymptotes of the graph of

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

Solution:

1) H.A:  $y = 2$ ,  $y = -2$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{x^2-2x-3}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{2 + \frac{3}{x}}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{3}{x^2}}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{1}} = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{x^2-2x-3}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2 + \frac{3}{x}}{\frac{\sqrt{x^2-2x-3}}{-\sqrt{x^2}}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2 + \frac{3}{x}}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{3}{x^2}}} =$$

$$x \rightarrow +\infty \quad x > 0 \quad x = \sqrt{x^2} \quad = \frac{2}{-1} = -2$$

$$x \rightarrow -\infty \quad x < 0 \quad x = -\sqrt{x^2}$$

2). V.A:

$$\sqrt{x^2 - 2x - 3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-3)(x+1) = 0$$

$$\underline{x=3. \quad x=-1}$$

5 Q4: Find the limit, If the limit does not exist, explain why.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{|x^2 - 4|}$$

Solution:

1).  $x \rightarrow -2^+$  :  $x > -2$   $x^2 < 4$   $x^2 - 4 < 0$ .

$$|x^2 - 4| = 4 - x^2 = -(x^2 - 4)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{|x^2 - 4|} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{-(x^2 - 4)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} \frac{(x-3)(x+2)}{-(x-2)(x+2)}$$

$$= \frac{(-2-3)}{-(-2-2)} = \underline{\underline{\frac{-5}{4}}}$$

2).  $x \rightarrow -2^-$  :  $x < -2$   $x^2 > 4$   $x^2 - 4 > 0$ .

$$|x^2 - 4| = (x^2 - 4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{|x^2 - 4|} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{(x-3)(x+2)}{(x^2-4)} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{(x-3)\cancel{(x+2)}}{(x-2)\cancel{(x+2)}} \\ &= \frac{-2-3}{(-2-2)} = \frac{-5}{-4} = \underline{\underline{\frac{5}{4}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) \quad \underline{\underline{\text{DNE}}}$$

4 Q5: Find the limit. If the limit does not exist, explain why.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{x^2+4} - x)$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} &(\sqrt{x^2+4} - x) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x^2+4} + x}{\sqrt{x^2+4} + x} \\ &= \frac{x^2+4 - x^2}{\sqrt{x^2+4} + x} \\ &= \frac{4}{\sqrt{x^2+4} + x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{x^2+4} - x) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{\sqrt{x^2+4} + x} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{4}{x}}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{4}{x^2}} + 1}$$

$$= \frac{0}{1+1} = \underline{0}$$

6 Q6. Find the second derivative of the function

$$f(x) = \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 + \cos x}$$

and  $f''(0) = ?$

Solution:

$$f(x) = \frac{-(1 + \cos x) + 2}{1 + \cos x} = -1 + \frac{2}{1 + \cos x}$$

$$f'(x) = \left[ -1 + \frac{2}{1 + \cos x} \right]'$$

$$= 2 \left[ (1 + \cos x)^{-1} \right]'$$

$$= 2 \cdot (-1) \cdot (1 + \cos x)^{-2} \cdot (-\sin x)$$

$$= (-2) \cdot (1 + \cos x)^{-2} \cdot (-\sin x)$$

$$= 2 \sin x (1 + \cos x)^{-2} = \frac{2 \sin x}{(1 + \cos x)^2}$$

$$\underline{f''(x)} = 2 \left[ \sin x (1 + \cos x)^{-2} \right]' \quad \text{by product rule}$$

$$= 2 \left\{ (\sin x)' (1 + \cos x)^{-2} + \sin x \left[ (1 + \cos x)^{-2} \right]' \right\}$$

$$= 2 \left[ \cos x (1 + \cos x)^{-2} + \sin x (-2) \cdot (1 + \cos x)^{-3} \cdot \underbrace{(1 + \cos x)}_{-\sin x} \right]$$

$$= 2 \left[ \cos x (1 + \cos x)^{-2} + 2 (\sin x)^2 (1 + \cos x)^{-3} \right]$$

$$f''(0) = 2 \cdot 1 \cdot (1+1)^{-2} = \frac{2}{2^2} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$\sin 0 = 0 \quad \cos 0 = 1$$

6 Q7: Find the derivative of the following functions.

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

b).  $f(x) = \sin(x^2 \sin^2 x + x^2 - \cos^2 x)$

Solution:

a).  $f'(x) = \frac{(x^2 e^{-x})' (1 + e^x) - x^2 e^{-x} (1 + e^x)'}{(1 + e^x)^2}$  Quotient rule

$$= \frac{(2x e^{-x} - x^2 e^{-x})(1 + e^x) - x^2 \boxed{e^{-x} e^x}}{(1 + e^x)^2}$$

$e^0 = 1$

$$= \frac{(2x - x^2)(1 + e^{-x}) - x^2}{(1 + e^x)^2}$$

b).

$$\underline{f'(x) = \cos(x^2 \sin^2 x + x^2 - \cos^2 x) \cdot (x^2 \sin^2 x + x^2 - \cos^2 x)'}$$

$$= \cos(x^2 \sin^2 x + x^2 - \cos^2 x) \cdot (2x \sin^2 x + 2x^2 \sin x \cos x + 2x + 2 \cos x \sin x)$$

$$= \underline{\cos(x^2 \sin^2 x + x^2 - \cos^2 x) [2x \sin^2 x + (2x^2 + 2) \sin x \cos x + 2x]}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(x^2 \sin^2 x)' &= (x^2)' \sin^2 x + x^2 (\sin^2 x)'  
&= 2x \sin^2 x + x^2 \cdot 2 \sin x (\cos x)\end{aligned}$$

6 Q8: Calculate  $f'(x)$  using definition

$$f(x) = \sqrt{1+2x}$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{f'(x)} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+2(x+h)} - \sqrt{1+2x}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+2(x+h)} - \sqrt{1+2x}}{h} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1+2(x+h)} + \sqrt{1+2x}}{\sqrt{1+2(x+h)} + \sqrt{1+2x}} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h}{h \cdot (\sqrt{1+2(x+h)} + \sqrt{1+2x})} \\ &= \frac{2}{2(\sqrt{1+2x})} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+2x}}}}\end{aligned}$$

7 Q9:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} ax+1 & \text{if } x \leq 1 \\ x^2+3 & \text{if } x > 1. \end{cases}$$

a. find the value of  $a$  that makes  $f(x)$  continuous everywhere.

b. Is the function  $f(x)$  also differentiable everywhere?

explain why yes or why not.

Solution:

a).  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere.

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=1$ .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = f(1) \quad f(1) = a+1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (x^2 + 3) = a+1$$

$$1^2 + 3 = a+1$$

$$\Rightarrow a=3$$

$$2). \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x+1 & \text{if } x \leq 1. \\ x^2+3 & \text{if } x > 1. \end{cases}$$

$f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=1$ .

$$f'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \quad \text{limit does not exist.}$$

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$$h \rightarrow 0^+, \quad h > 0, \quad 1+h > 1. \quad f(1+h) = (1+h)^2 + 3$$

$$h \rightarrow 0^-, \quad h < 0, \quad 1+h < 1. \quad f(1+h) = 3(1+h) + 1$$

$$f(1) = 4.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{(1+h)^2 + 3 - 4}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} (h+2) = \underline{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{3(1+h) + 1 - 4}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{3h}{h} = \underline{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \neq \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \quad \text{DNE}$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$  is not differentiable at  $x=1$ .