

PRACTICE EXAM 2 SOLUTIONS

Math 21A
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Exam 2

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4. Read directions to each problem carefully. Show all work for full credit. In most cases, a correct answer with no supporting work will receive little or no credit. What you write down and how you write it are the most important means of your getting a good score on this exam. Neatness and organization are also important.
5. Make sure that you have 8 pages, including the cover page.
6. You will be graded on proper use of derivative notation.
7. You have until 9:40 a.m. sharp to finish the exam.

1.) (5 pts. each) Differentiate each of the following functions. DO NOT SIMPLIFY ANSWERS.

a.) $y = \pi + (5x + 1)^{-4}$

$$y' = -4(5x+1)^{-5} \cdot 5$$

b.) $f(x) = \sec x \cdot \tan 3x$

$$f'(x) = \sec x \cdot \sec^2 3x \cdot 3 + \sec x \tan x \cdot \tan 3x$$

c.) $g(x) = \sin(\cos^3(x^4))$

$$g'(x) = \cos(\cos^3(x^4)) \cdot 3\cos^2(x^4) \cdot -\sin(x^4) \cdot 4x^3$$

d.) $y = x^5 + 8^{-x^2}$

$$y' = 5x^4 + 8^{-x^2} \cdot (-2x) \cdot \ln 8$$

e.) $y = \frac{4 - \ln x}{10 + \log_2(3x + 7)}$

$$y' = \frac{(10 + \log_2(3x + 7)) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{x}\right) - (4 - \ln x) \cdot \frac{1}{3x + 7} \cdot 3 \cdot \frac{1}{\ln 2}}{(10 + \log_2(3x + 7))^2}$$

f.) $y = x^{\ln x}$

$$\ln y = \ln x^{\ln x} = \ln x \cdot \ln x = (\ln x)^2 \xrightarrow{D}$$

$$\frac{1}{y} y' = 2(\ln x) \cdot \frac{1}{x} \rightarrow y' = x^{\ln x} \cdot 2 \frac{\ln x}{x}$$

2.) (7 pts.) Use $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ to differentiate the function $f(x) = \frac{x+7}{3-x}$.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{(x+h)+7}{3-(x+h)} - \frac{x+7}{3-x}}{h}$$

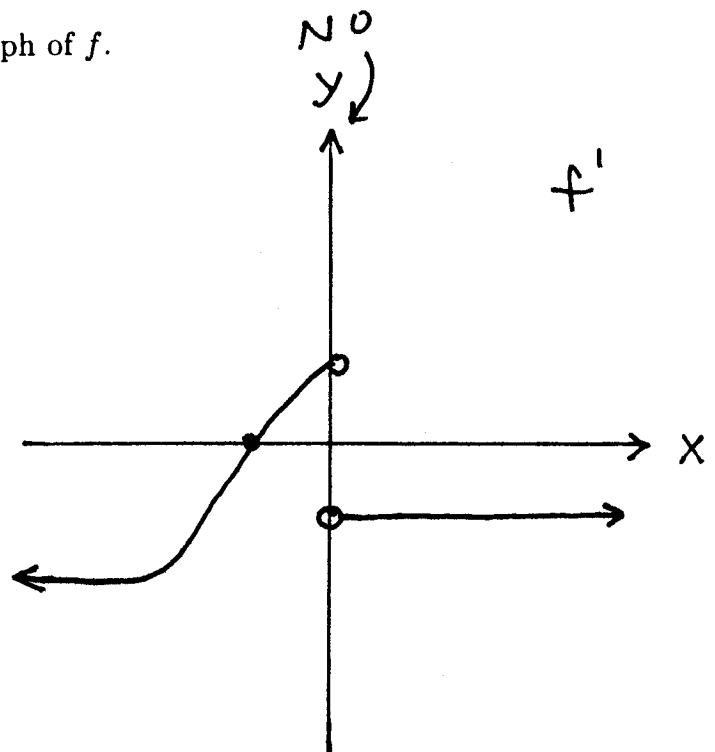
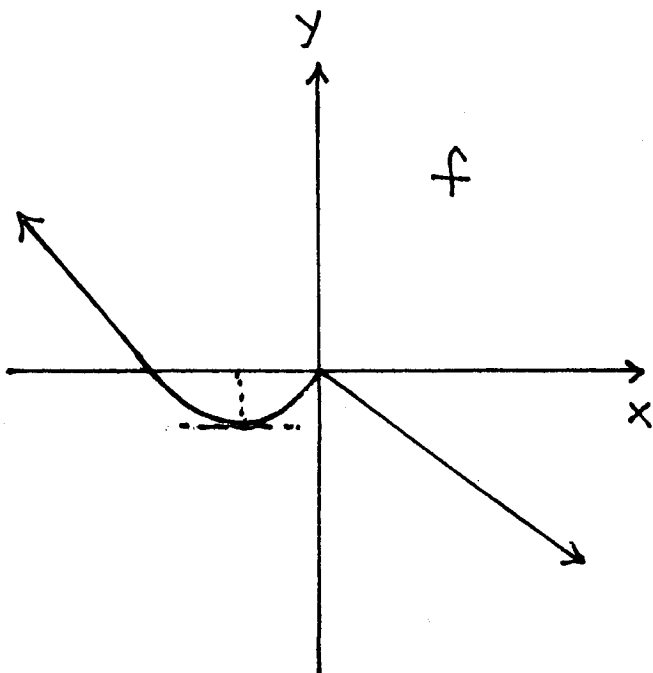
$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h+7)(3-x) - (x+7)(3-x-h)}{(3-x-h)(3-x)} \cdot \frac{1}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x+3h+21-x^2-hx-7x - [3x-x^2-hx+21-7x-7h]}{(3-x-h)(3-x) \cdot h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{3x} + 3h + \cancel{21} - \cancel{x^2} - \cancel{hx} - \cancel{7x} - \cancel{3x} + \cancel{x^2} + \cancel{hx} - \cancel{21} + \cancel{7x} + 7h}{(3-x-h)(3-x) \cdot h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{10h}{(3-x-h)(3-x)h} = \frac{10}{(3-x)^2}$$

3.) (7 pts.) Sketch the graph of f' using the graph of f .



4.) (7 pts.) Assume that y is a function of x . Determine Y' and Y'' for the graph of $xy = y^2 - 1$ at $x=0, y=1$.

$$xY = Y^2 - 1 \xrightarrow{D} xY' + (1)Y = 2YY' \rightarrow$$

$$xY' - 2YY' = -Y \rightarrow Y'(x - 2Y) = -Y \rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{Y' = \frac{-Y}{x - 2Y}} \quad \text{and } x=0, Y=1 \text{ so}$$

$$Y' = \frac{-1}{-2} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right); \quad Y'' = \frac{(x - 2Y)(-Y') - (-Y)(1 - 2Y')}{(x - 2Y)^2}$$

$$\text{and } x=0, Y=1, Y' = \frac{1}{2} \text{ so}$$

$$Y'' = \frac{(-2)(-\frac{1}{2}) + (1)(0)}{(-2)^2} = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$$

5.) (5 pts. each) Let $f(x) = x^2 e^x$.

a.) Solve $f'(x) = 0$ for x and set up a sign chart for f' .

$$f'(x) = x^2 e^x + 2x e^x = x e^x (x + 2) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & + & 0 & - & 0 & + & \\ & & | & & | & & \\ \hline & & x = -2 & & x = 0 & & f' \end{array}$$

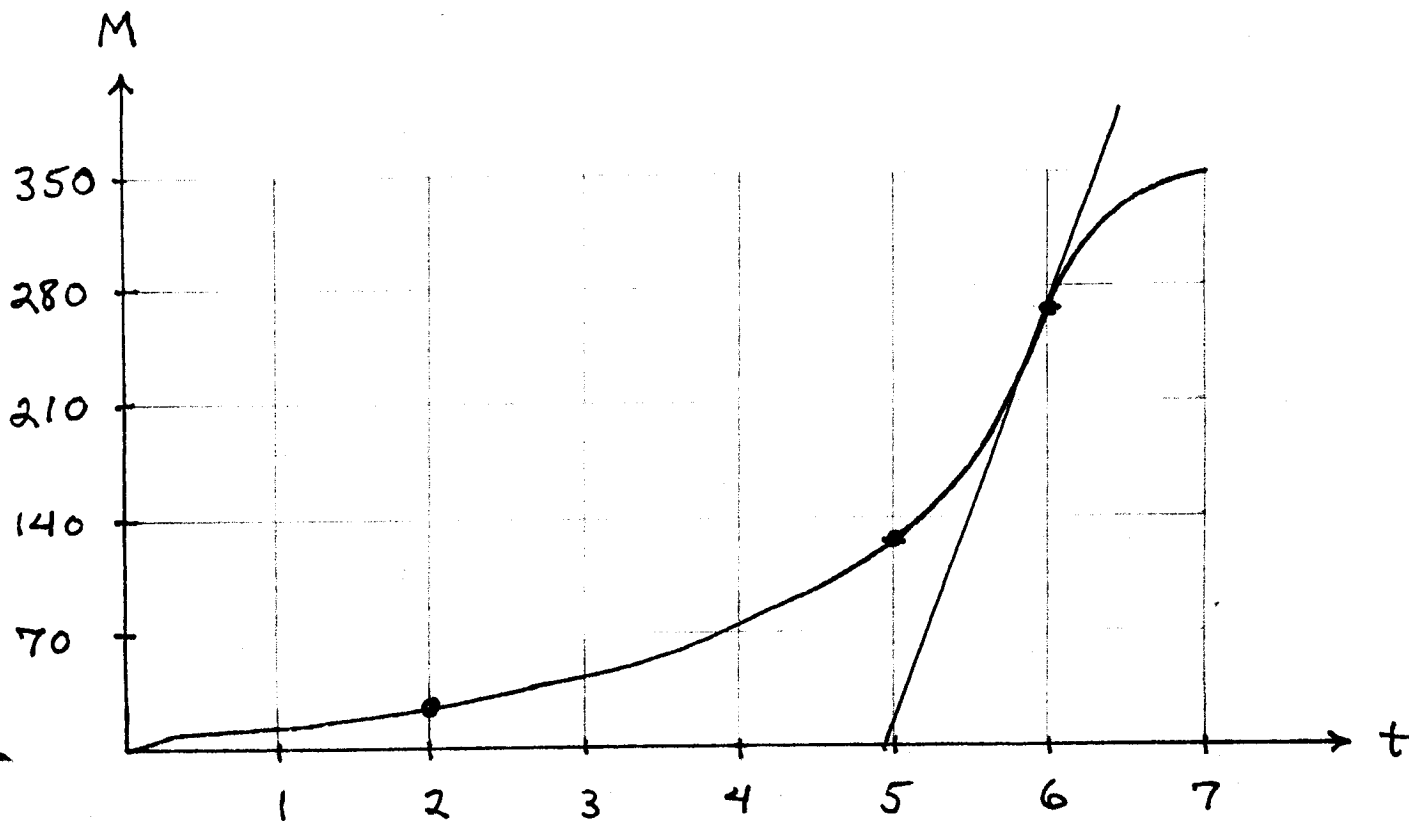
b.) Solve $f''(x) = 0$ for x and set up a sign chart for f'' .

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= (1)e^x(x+2) + x e^x(x+2) + x e^x(1) \\ &= e^x(x+2 + x^2 + 2x + x) = e^x(x^2 + 4x + 2) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow x &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 8}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm 2\sqrt{2}}{2} = -2 \pm \sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & + & 0 & - & 0 & + & \\ & & | & & | & & \\ \hline & & x = -2 - \sqrt{2} & & x = -2 + \sqrt{2} & & f'' \\ & & \approx -3.4 & & \approx -0.6 & & \end{array}$$

6.) Assume that the given graph represents the total amount of money $M(t)$ in dollars (\$) that you have spent at the UC Davis bookstore after t days.



a.) (3 pts.) How much money did you spend in the first 5 days? $\$125$

b.) (3 pts.) How much money did you spend after the 2nd day and through the entire 6th day? $\$260 - \$30 = \$230$

c.) (3 pts.) What was your average rate of spending (\$ per day) for the first 7 days?

$$AVE = \frac{350 - 0}{7 - 0} = \$50 / \text{day}$$

d.) (3 pts.) What was your instantaneous rate of spending (\$ per day) when $t = 6$ days?

$$\text{Slope at } t = 6 : \frac{260}{1} = \$260 / \text{day}$$

7.) (6 pts.) Consider the given diagram. Write α as a function of x .

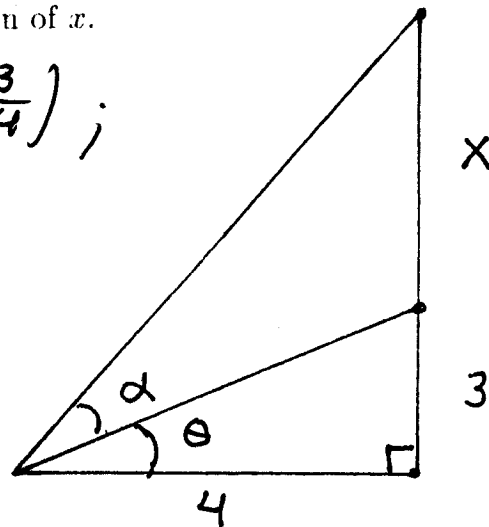
$$\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4} \rightarrow \theta = \arctan\left(\frac{3}{4}\right);$$

$$\tan(\alpha + \theta) = \frac{x+3}{4} \rightarrow$$

$$\alpha + \theta = \arctan\left(\frac{x+3}{4}\right) \rightarrow$$

$$\alpha = \arctan\left(\frac{x+3}{4}\right) - \theta \rightarrow$$

$$\alpha = \arctan\left(\frac{x+3}{4}\right) - \arctan\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$



8.) (6 pts.) Let $f(x) = x + 5 \arctan(1/x)$. Solve $f'(x) = 0$ for x .

$$f'(x) = 1 + 5 \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^2} \cdot \frac{-1}{x^2}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{-5}{x^2 + 1} = \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2 + 1} - \frac{5}{x^2 + 1}$$

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

$$(x-2)(x+2) = 0 \rightarrow x = 2, x = -2$$

9.) (7 pts.) Differentiate the following function and SIMPLIFY your answer as much as possible: $f(x) = (x-3)\sqrt{6x-x^2} + 9\arcsin\left(\frac{x-3}{3}\right)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= (x-3) \cdot \frac{1}{2}(6x-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (6-2x) + (1) \cdot \sqrt{6x-x^2} + 9 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\left(\frac{x-3}{3}\right)^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \\
 &= \frac{(x-3)(3-x)}{\sqrt{6x-x^2}} + \frac{6x-x^2}{\sqrt{6x-x^2}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{\frac{9}{9} - \frac{x^2-6x+9}{9}}} \\
 &= \frac{3x-x^2-9+3x+6x-x^2}{\sqrt{6x-x^2}} + \frac{3}{\frac{\sqrt{6x-x^2}}{3}} \\
 &= \frac{12x-2x^2-9}{\sqrt{6x-x^2}} + \frac{9}{\sqrt{6x-x^2}} = \frac{2(6x-x^2)}{\sqrt{6x-x^2}} \\
 &= 2\sqrt{6x-x^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

10.) (8 pts.) Consider the function $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$, where a, b , and c are unknown constants. Assume that the graph of f has a maximum value at $x = -1$ and $y = 2$ and assume $|a| = 3$. Solve for constants a, b , and c .

$$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c \quad (\text{parabola})$$

$$\frac{D}{\rightarrow} f'(x) = 2ax + b$$

$$\text{and } f'(-1) = 2a(-1) + b = 0$$

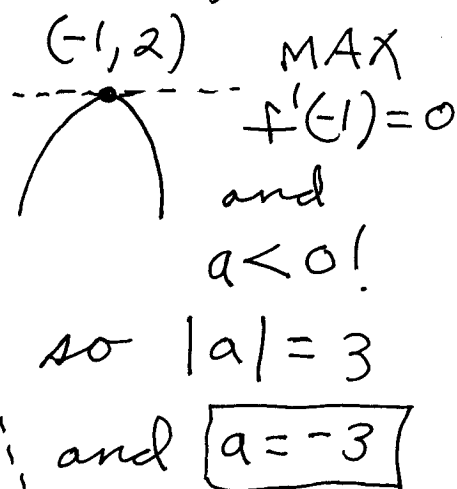
$$\rightarrow \boxed{b = 2a} ; \text{ and}$$

$$f(-1) = a(-1)^2 + b(-1) + c = 2$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{a - b + c = 2} ; \text{ then}$$

$$b = 2(-3) \rightarrow \boxed{b = -6} \quad \text{and}$$

$$(-3) - (-6) + c = 2 \rightarrow \boxed{c = -1}$$



The following EXTRA CREDIT PROBLEM is worth 10 points. This problem is OPTIONAL.

1.) A beetle crawls along a thin rod on the x -axis from $x = 0$ in. to $x = 16$ in. at the rate of 3 in./min. The temperature of the rod at point x is $40 + 12\sqrt{x}$ degrees Fahrenheit ($^{\circ}$ F). At what rate ($^{\circ}$ F per min.) is the temperature of the rod under the beetle changing when the beetle is at $x = 9$ in. ?

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 3 \text{ in./min}$$

$$T = 40 + 12\sqrt{x} \quad \xrightarrow{D}$$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = 12 \cdot \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{6}{\sqrt{x}} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \text{and } x = 9 \text{ in.} \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{6}{3} \cdot 3 = 6 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{F/min.}$$