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Math 221 Section 10336

Exam 1

Monday 21, 2012

Follow the instructions for each question and show enough of your work so that I can follow your thought process. If I can't read your work or answer, you will receive little or no credit! There are 10 problems all of them each worth 5 points for a total of 50 points. There is also a bonus problem at the end worth 3 points.

For problems 1 and 2 find the limit if it exists.

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{x^2 + 2x - 8}{x + 4} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} \frac{(x+4)(x-2)}{x+4} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -4} (x-2) \\ &= -4-2 = -6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5x^3 + 3x^2 - 2}{4x^3 - x^2 + 2x - 1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5 + \frac{3}{x} - \frac{2}{x^3}}{4 - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{2}{x^2} - \frac{1}{x^3}} \\ &= \frac{5}{4} \end{aligned}$$

3. Compute the derivative of $f(x) = \sqrt{x+3}$ using the definition of the derivative (4-step process). All other methods will have zero value.

$$f(x+\Delta x) = \sqrt{x+\Delta x+3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+\Delta x) - f(x) &= \sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} - \sqrt{x+3} \\ &= \frac{(\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} - \sqrt{x+3})(\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} + \sqrt{x+3})}{(\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} + \sqrt{x+3})} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{x+\Delta x+3 - x-3}{\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} + \sqrt{x+3}} = \frac{\Delta x}{\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} + \sqrt{x+3}}$$

$$\frac{f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x} = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta x (\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} + \sqrt{x+3})} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+\Delta x+3} + \sqrt{x+3}}$$

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

For problems 4 - 7 differentiate each function.

4. $f(x) = x^6 + 3x^3 - \pi x^2 + 10x - e$

$$f'(x) = 6x^5 + 9x^2 - 2\pi x + 10$$

5. $y = 2x\sqrt{x^2 + 1}$

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= (2x)' \sqrt{x^2 + 1} + 2x \left[(x^2 + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]' \\ &= 2\sqrt{x^2 + 1} + 2x \left(\frac{1}{2} (x^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} (x^2 + 1)' \right) \\ &= 2\sqrt{x^2 + 1} + x (x^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} 2x = 2\sqrt{x^2 + 1} + \frac{2x^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$6. g(t) = \frac{3t-1}{5t^2+1}$$

$$g'(t) = \frac{(3t-1)'(5t^2+1) - (3t-1)(5t^2+1)'}{(5t^2+1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{3(5t^2+1) - (3t-1)(10t)}{(5t^2+1)^2} = \frac{15t^2+3 - 30t^2+10t}{(5t^2+1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-15t^2+10t+3}{(5t^2+1)^2}$$

$$7. h(x) = \left(x + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^{2012} = (x + x^{-2})^{2012}$$

$$h'(x) = 2012(x + x^{-2})^{2011} (x + x^{-2})'$$

$$= 2012(x + x^{-2})^{2011} (1 - 2x^{-3})$$

$$= 2012 \left(x + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^{2011} \left(1 - \frac{2}{x^3}\right)$$

8. Use implicit differentiation to compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$ of $y^5 + x^2y^3 = 1 + x^4y$.

$$\frac{d}{dx}(y^5 + x^2y^3) = \frac{d}{dx}(1 + x^4y)$$

$$5y^4 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy^3 + 3x^2y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^3y + x^4 \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$5y^4 \frac{dy}{dx} + 3x^2y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - x^4 \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^3y - 2xy^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(5y^4 + 3x^2y^2 - x^4) = 4x^3y - 2xy^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x^3y - 2xy^3}{5y^4 + 3x^2y^2 - x^4}$$

9. Compute the equation of the tangent line to the curve $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$ at $x = 1$.

$$f(x) = x + x^{-1} \quad f(1) = 1 + \frac{1}{1} = 2 \quad \text{pt } (1, 2)$$

$$f'(x) = 1 - x^{-2} \quad m = f'(1) = 1 - \frac{1}{1^2} = 0$$

$$y - 2 = 0(x - 1) \Rightarrow y = 2$$

10. Do a complete curve sketching analysis of the curve $f(x) = x^3 + 6x^2 + 9x + 1$. In other words find all critical numbers, critical points, inflection points, intervals on which $f(x)$ is increasing/decreasing, intervals of concave up/concave down, and all relative maximum and minimum and finally sketch the curve.

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 12x + 9$$

$$= 3(x^2 + 4x + 3) = 3(x+3)(x+1)$$

$$f''(x) = 6x + 12$$

$$= 6(x+2)$$

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$3(x+3)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = -3, -1$$

$$f' \text{ DNE}$$

$$\text{None}$$

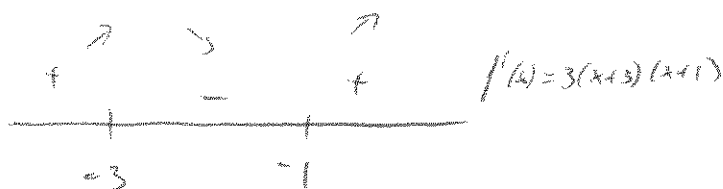
$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$6(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = -2$$

$$f(-3) = 1, f(-1) = -3$$

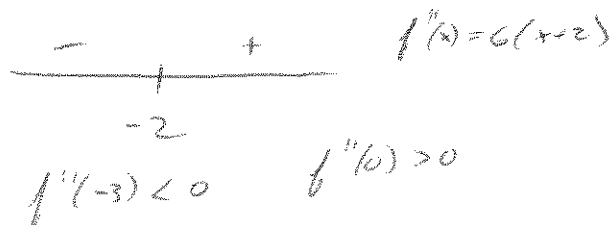
$$f(-2) = -1$$



$$f'(-4) > 0$$

$$f'(-2) < 0$$

$$f'(0) > 0$$



$$f''(-3) < 0$$

$$f''(0) > 0$$

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$$x = -3, -1$$

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$$(-3, 1), (-1, -3)$$

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$$(-2, -1) \checkmark$$

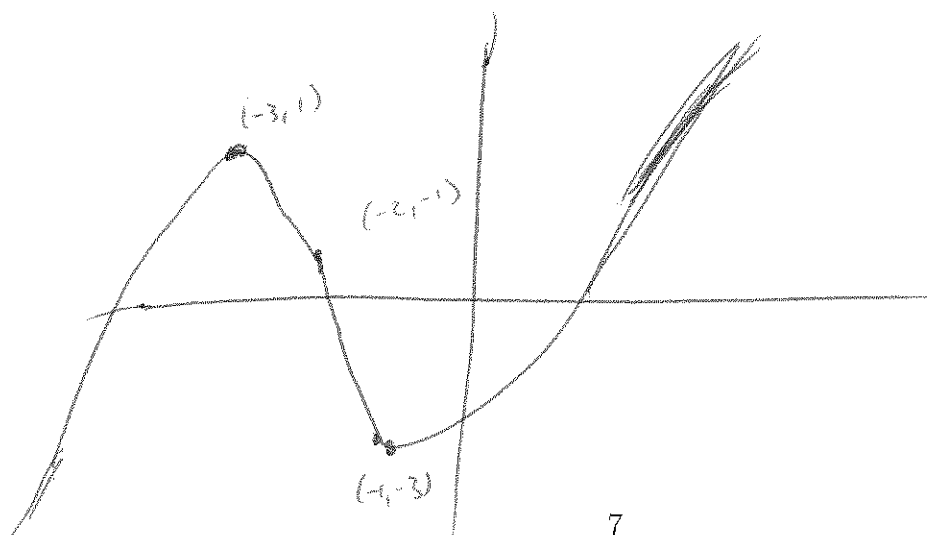
$$f' : (-\infty, -3) \cup (-1, \infty)$$

$$f' : (-3, -1)$$

$$f'' : (-2, \infty)$$

$$f'' : (-\infty, -2)$$

local max at $(-3, 1)$
local min at $(-1, -3)$



11. (BONUS) Compute $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n}$ for $y = x^n$.

$$\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = n!$$