

Practice Mid 1, Sec13

Q1[Sec1.4, Average rate of change/Average velocity, see also Q9] Let $f(x) = \cos x + 2$. Compute the average rate of change of $f(x)$ on the interval $[0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$

Average rate of change of $f(x)$ over $[a, b]$
 $= \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$

Q2[Sec1.5/1.6, Limit and Limit Laws] Evaluate the following limits

(a) Direct plug in-type

Suppose $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = 2, \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} g(x) = 3$. Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{xf(x) + 2}{f(x) - \sqrt{g(x)}}$

Direct Plug in 4
 and use linear properties of limit.

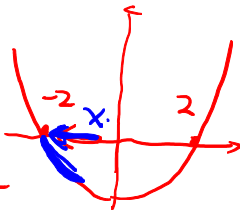
(b) $\frac{1}{0}$ -type/One-sided limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x - 3}{x^2(x + 5)}$$

plug in 0, we have $\frac{0-3}{0.5} \sim \frac{1}{0}$ -type.
 figure out the sign

★★(c) Cancellation-type

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



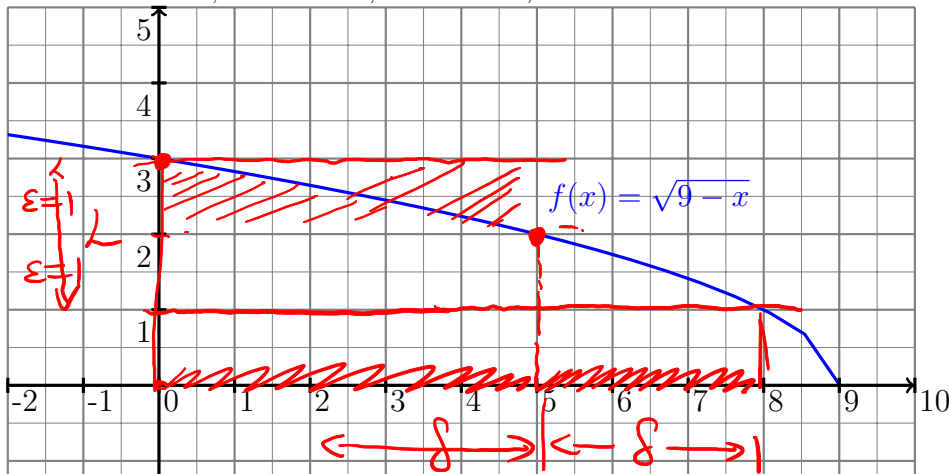
when $x \rightarrow -2^+, x > -2$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4 < 0 \text{ or } 4 - x^2 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |x^2 - 4| = 4 - x^2 = (2+x)(2-x)$$

★★ Q3[Sec1.7, Limit Definition] For $f(x) = \sqrt{9-x}; L = 2, a = 5, \epsilon = 1$, use the graph of $f(x)$ to find the largest value of δ of $|x - a| < \delta$ in the formal definition of a limit which ensures that $|f(x) - L| < \epsilon$.

Options: A. $\delta = 5$; B. $\delta = 2$; C. $\delta = 3$; D. $\delta = 4$.



Q4[Sec1.8, Domain of continuity] Use interval notation to indicate where $f(x)$ is continuous.

(a)

$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 3x + 1}{x - 3}$. Choose from below *The x for which the denominator is not zero.*

- A. $(-\infty, +\infty)$; B. $(-\infty, 3) \cup (3, +\infty)$; C. $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, +\infty)$; D. $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, 3) \cup (3, +\infty)$.

(b)

$f(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$. Choose from below *The x for which below root is positive.*

- A. $(-\infty, +\infty)$; B. $(-\infty, -1)$; C. $[-1, +\infty)$; D. $(1, +\infty)$.

(c)

$f(x) = \frac{(x^2 - 3x + 1)\sqrt{x+1}}{x - 3}$. Use (a,b) to indicate the intervals of continuous for (c)

Q5[Sec1.8, Piecewise function] For what value of k will $f(x)$ be continuous for all values of x ?

$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 3k}{x - 3}, & x \leq 2 \\ 8x - k, & x > 2 \end{cases}$ *Plug $x=2$ into the first and second formulas, then set them equal.*

- A $k = 2$;
 B $k = 3$;
 C $k = 4$;
 D $k = 5$.

Q6[Sec1.8, Intermediate Value Theorem (IVT)] Suppose function $h(x)$ is continuous on $[0, 4]$. Suppose $h(0) = 2, h(1) = 0, h(2) = -3, h(3) = 2, h(4) = 5$. For what value of N , there must be a $c \in (3, 4)$ such that $h(c) = N$?

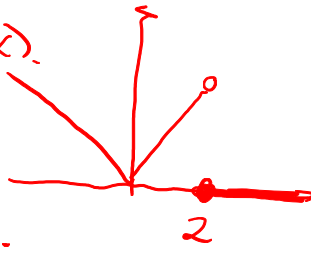
- A $N = 0.5$
 B $N = 0$
 C $N = -2$
 D $N = 2.5$

Draw the picture of $h(x)$ and find the intermediate value N in $(3, 4)$

Q6[Sec2.1/2.2, derivative at given point] Select all true statements about the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x|, & x < 2 \\ 0, & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$

- I $f(x)$ is differentiable at $x = 0$
 II $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = 2$
 III $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ exists

Draw the picture of $f(x)$. Find the jumping points and sharp-turning points.



Q7[Sec2.1/2.2, definition of derivative] Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+1}$

(a)[**Derivative as a limit**] Use the definition of the derivative to find $f'(x)$. (Your calculation must include computing a limit.)

Definition of derivative.

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

(b)[**Evaluating the derivative function at given point**] Find $f'(2)$

Plug 2 into $f'(x)$ you find in (a)

(c)[**Point-slope formula for the tangent line**] Use part (b) to find an equation of a tangent line of $f(x)$ at $x = 2$.

Point-slope formula for tangent line at $x=a$

$$y = f'(a) \cdot (x-a) + f(a)$$

★ Q7*[Sec2.1/2.2, definition of derivative] Use the definition of the derivative to find $g'(1)$ for $g(x) = 2\sqrt{x}$.

To simplify $\frac{2\sqrt{x+h} - 2\sqrt{x}}{h}$

use the conjugation trick:

$$\sqrt{A} - \sqrt{B} = \frac{(\sqrt{A} - \sqrt{B})(\sqrt{A} + \sqrt{B})}{\sqrt{A} + \sqrt{B}}$$

$$= \frac{A - B}{\sqrt{A} + \sqrt{B}}$$

Q8 [Sec 2.3/2.4/2.5, Differentiation Formulas/Laws] Find the derivatives of the following functions. Do not need to simplify.

(a) [Linear Rule + Power functions]

$$T(x) = 2\sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\sqrt{x} = x^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad \frac{1}{x^a} = x^{-a}$$

$$(x^n)' = n \cdot x^{n-1}$$

(b) [Product Rule + Power functions]

$$g(t) = \left(\frac{1}{t^5} - 2t\right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{t}} + \pi\right)$$

product rule $\underbrace{\hspace{2cm}}_f \cdot \underbrace{\hspace{2cm}}_g$.

(c) [Trig functions + Chain Rule]

$$y = \sin(x^2)$$

Outer: \sin

Inner: x^2

(c*) [Trig functions + Chain Rule]

$$y = \sin^2(x) = [\sin x]^2$$

Outer: \square^2

Inner: $\sin x$.

★ (d) [Quotient Rule + Trig functions + Chain Rule]

$$f(t) = \frac{3t}{\tan(t^2 - 1)}$$

quotient rule.

then apply chain rule to

$$[\tan(t^2 - 1)]'$$

★★ (e) [Trig functions + Double Chain Rule]

$$f(x) = -2 \sec(\cos(x^2 + x))$$

outer:
1st chain: $-2 \sec$

inner:
 $\cos(x^2 + x)$

2nd chain \rightarrow outer: \cos
inner: $x^2 + x$.

Q9[Sec2.7, Rates of Change/Functions of motion] A particle moves according to the law of motion $s(t) = t^3 - 5t^2 + 6t$, where t is measured in seconds and s in feet

(a)[1.4, Average velocity] Find the average velocity over the interval $[0, 2]$.

$$v_{ave} = \frac{s(t_2) - s(t_1)}{t_2 - t_1}$$

(b)[Velocity and position] Find the velocity at time t .

$$v(t) = s'(t)$$

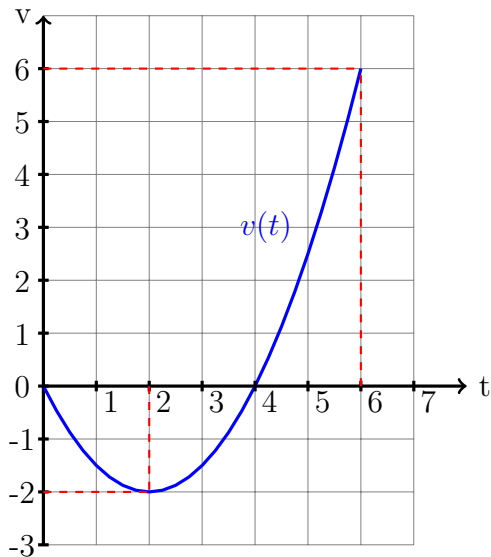
(c)[Acceleration and velocity] What is the acceleration after 6 seconds?

$$a(t) = v'(t). \text{ Plug in 6 to get } a(6)$$

★ (d)[Velocity and speed] What is the speed of the particle when the acceleration is zero?

$$\text{speed} = |v(t)|$$

Q10[Sec2.7, Graph of the velocity] The accompanying figure shows the velocity $v(t)$ of a particle moving on a horizontal coordinate line, for t in the closed interval $[0, 6]$.



(a) When does the particle move forward?

$$\text{move forward: } v > 0$$

★ (b) When does the particle slow down?

$$\text{slow down: speed drops: } |v| \text{ is decreasing.}$$

★ (c) When is the particle's acceleration positive?

$$a(t) = v'(t) > 0 \Leftrightarrow v(t) \text{ is increasing}$$

(d) When does the particle move at its greatest speed in $[0, 6]$?

$$\text{highest (or lowest) point in the graph}$$

Q11 [Sec2.6, Implicit differentiation] Consider the curve $y^2 + 2xy + x^3 = x$

(a) Find the slope of the tangent line of the curve at the point $(1, -2)$.

(b) Find the equation of the tangent line of the curve at the point $(1, -2)$.

(a). Take derivative (w.r.t x) both sides of the equation.

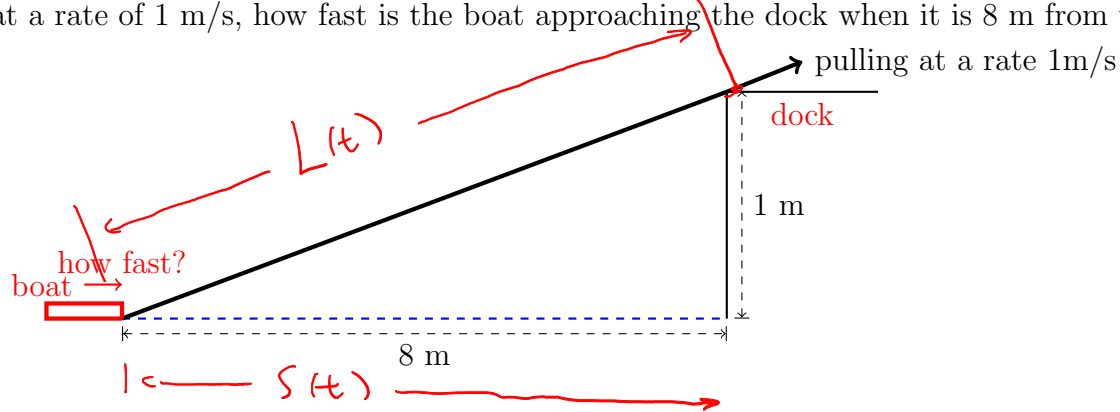
Consider $y = y(x)$ as an implicit function.

Plug in $x=1, y=-2$. and solve for y' (as a number)

slope = y' at $x=1$.

(b) Point-slope formula for $(1, -2)$

★★ Q12, Sec2.8, Related Rates A boat is pulled into a dock by a rope attached to the bow of the boat and passing through a pulley on the dock that is 1 m higher than the bow of the boat. If the rope is pulled in at a rate of 1 m/s, how fast is the boat approaching the dock when it is 8 m from the dock?



Target functions: $S(t)$. / want to find $S'(t)$ when $S=8$
 $L(t)$. / we know $L'(t) = 1$

$$S=8 \Rightarrow L = \sqrt{64+1} = \sqrt{65}$$

Relation between S and L (from the graph)

$$S^2 + 1^2 = L^2$$

$$S(t)^2 + 1 = L^2(t)$$

Take derivative w.r.t t .

Plug in $S=8, L=\sqrt{65}, L'=1$ to solve for $S'(t)$