

MATH 151, FALL 2021
COMMON EXAM II - VERSION **A**

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PART I: Multiple Choice. 3 points each

Suppose f and g are differentiable functions which satisfy the following condition. Use the following table for Questions 1 and 2.

x	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$	$g(x)$	$g'(x)$
-1	-1	3	5	0
1	1	2	-1	2

1. Find $h'(1)$ for $h(x) = x^2 f(g(x))$.

- (a) 1
- (b) 4
- (c) 6
- (d) 8
- (e) 12

2. Find $H'(1)$ for $H(x) = \frac{f(g(x))}{x^2}$.

- (a) 0
- (b) 2
- (c) 4
- (d) 6
- (e) 8

3. Which of the statements is true about $f(x)$?

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x + 4, & x < 0 \\ x^3 + x + 5, & 0 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 10x - 5, & 2 < x \end{cases}$$

- (a) f is continuous but not differentiable at both $x = 0$ and $x = 2$.
- (b) f is continuous but not differentiable at $x = 0$; f is differentiable at $x = 2$.
- (c) f is differentiable at both $x = 0$ and $x = 2$.
- (d) f is not continuous at $x = 0$ or $x = 2$.
- (e) f is differentiable at $x = 0$; f is continuous but not differentiable at $x = 2$.

4. Find $f''(x)$ for $f(x) = e^{1/x}$.

(a) $\left(\frac{2}{x^3} - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)e^{1/x}$

(b) $\left(\frac{2}{x^3} - \frac{1}{x^3}\right)e^{1/x}$

(c) $\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)e^{1/x}$

(d) $\left(\frac{2}{x^3} + \frac{1}{x^4}\right)e^{1/x}$

(e) $\left(-\frac{2}{x^5}\right)e^{1/x}$

5. Find the derivative of the function $f(x) = \arcsin(3^{6x})$

(a) $\frac{6 \cdot 3^{6x}}{\sqrt{1 - 3^{12x}}}$

(b) $-\frac{6 \cdot 3^{6x}}{\sqrt{1 - 3^{12x}}}$

(c) $\frac{6 \ln 3 \cdot 3^{6x}}{\sqrt{1 - 3^{12x}}}$

(d) $-\frac{6 \ln 3 \cdot 3^{6x}}{\sqrt{1 - 3^{12x}}}$

(e) $\frac{6 \ln 3 \cdot 3^{6x}}{1 + 3^{12x}}$

6. The radius of a circle is measured to be 1 meter with a possible error of 0.03m. Use differentials or linear approximation to estimate the maximum possible error in the area of the circle.

(a) 0.03π

(b) 0.06π

(c) 0.09π

(d) 0.12π

(e) 0.05π

7. Find the 2021th derivative of $f(x) = 2xe^{-x}$.

- (a) $e^{-x}(-x + 2021)$
- (b) $e^{-x}(x - 2021)$
- (c) $2e^{-x}(-x + 2021)$
- (d) $2e^{-x}(x - 2021)$
- (e) $2^{2021}e^{-x}(-x + 2021)$

8. Let $g(x) = f(x^2 + 1)$. Given the table of values below for f and f' , find the equation of the tangent line to $g(x)$ at $x = 1$.

x	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$
1	3	4
2	5	6
3	1	2

- (a) $y - 3 = 4(x - 1)$
- (b) $y - 3 = 6(x - 1)$
- (c) $y - 5 = 6(x - 1)$
- (d) $y - 5 = 12(x - 1)$
- (e) $y - 5 = -2(x - 1)$

9. Find all the value(s) of x on the interval $[0, 2\pi]$ for which the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = \sin^2 x - \cos x$ is horizontal.

- (a) $0, \pi, 2\pi$
- (b) $0, \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{5\pi}{6}, \pi, 2\pi$
- (c) $0, \frac{\pi}{3}, \pi, \frac{5\pi}{3}, 2\pi$
- (d) $0, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \pi, \frac{4\pi}{3}, 2\pi$
- (e) $0, \pi, \frac{7\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}, 2\pi$

10. A ball is thrown vertically upward with a velocity of 40 feet per second and the height, s , of the ball at time t seconds is given by $s(t) = 40t - 8t^2$. What is the velocity of the ball when it is 48 feet above the ground on its way up?

- (a) 8 ft/sec
- (b) 12 ft/sec
- (c) 24 ft/sec
- (d) 32 ft/sec
- (e) 54 ft/sec

11. Find the slope of the tangent line to the curve $y^3 - xy = 2x + 4$ at the point $(1, 2)$.

- (a) $\frac{1}{3}$
- (b) $\frac{4}{11}$
- (c) 8
- (d) $\frac{22}{11}$
- (e) $\frac{5}{3}$

12. Find $f'(x)$ for $f(x) = \ln\left(\frac{\sqrt{x^4 - 3}}{\sec^2 x}\right)$

- (a) $\frac{1}{8x^3} - \frac{2}{\sec x \tan x}$
- (b) $\frac{1}{8x^3} - \frac{1}{2 \sec x \tan x}$
- (c) $\frac{2x^3}{x^4 - 3} - \frac{2 \tan x}{\sec x}$
- (d) $\frac{2x^3}{x^4 - 3} - 2 \tan x$
- (e) $\frac{2x^3}{x^4 - 3} - \tan x$

13. Let $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sin(2t), \cos t \rangle$. For which of the following points does the curve have a vertical tangent line?

- (a) $P = (0, 1)$
- (b) $P = \left(1, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$
- (c) $P = \left(1, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$
- (d) $P = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 1\right)$
- (e) $P = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

14. Which of the following vectors is tangent to the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \sqrt{t^2 + 1}, t \rangle$ when $t = \sqrt{3}$?

- (a) $\left\langle \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, 1 \right\rangle$
- (b) $\left\langle \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}, 1 \right\rangle$
- (c) $\left\langle \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right\rangle$
- (d) $\left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 1 \right\rangle$
- (e) $\left\langle \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, 1 \right\rangle$

15. The position function of an object moving along a straight line is given by $s(t) = t^4 - 2t^2 + 1$, where position is measured in feet and time in seconds. Find the total distance traveled by the object during the first two seconds.

- (a) 8
- (b) 9
- (c) 10
- (d) 11
- (e) 12

16. Find the slope of the tangent line at the point $(2, 0)$ for the following parametric curve

$$x(t) = t^4 + 1, \quad y(t) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right)$$

- (a) $-\frac{\pi}{8}$
- (b) $-\frac{1}{4}$
- (c) $-\frac{8}{\pi}$
- (d) 0
- (e) $-\frac{\pi}{4}$

17. A cubic block of ice (which remains in the shape of a cube) is melting so that its volume is decreasing at a rate of $4 \text{ cm}^3/\text{min}$. How fast is the length of a side changing (in cm/min) when the sides are 10 cm ?

- (a) $\frac{4}{300}$
- (b) $\frac{1}{1200}$
- (c) 0
- (d) $-\frac{1}{1200}$
- (e) $-\frac{4}{300}$

18. A sample of a radioactive substance decayed to $\frac{1}{5}$ of its original amount after 9 years. What is the half-life of the substance? The half-life is the amount of time needed to decay to half of its original amount.

- (a) $\frac{9 \ln \frac{1}{2}}{\ln 5}$ years
- (b) $\frac{9 \ln 5}{\ln \frac{1}{2}}$ years
- (c) $-\frac{9 \ln 5}{\ln \frac{1}{2}}$
- (d) $-\frac{9 \ln 2}{\ln 5}$ years
- (e) $\frac{9 \ln 2}{\ln 5}$ years

19. Use a linear approximation (or differentials) at $x = 8$ to approximate the value of $\sqrt[3]{8.1}$.

(a) $\frac{61}{30}$

(b) $\frac{121}{60}$

(c) $\frac{241}{120}$

(d) $\frac{481}{240}$

(e) $\frac{961}{480}$

20. Find the derivative of $f(x) = \log_{10}(x^4 + 4^x)$.

(a) $\frac{4x^3 + 4^x}{(x^4 + 4^x) \ln 10}$

(b) $\frac{4x^3}{(x^4 + 4^x) \ln 10}$

(c) $\frac{4x^3 + 4^x \ln 4}{(x^4 + 4^x) \ln 10}$

(d) $\frac{4x^3 + 4^x \ln 4}{x^4 + 4^x}$

(e) $\frac{4x^3 + 4^x}{x^4 + 4^x}$

PART II WORK OUT

Directions: Present your solutions in the space provided. *Show all your work* neatly and concisely and *Box your final answer*. You will be graded not merely on the final answer, but also on the quality and correctness of the work leading up to it.

21. (12 points) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for the following functions. **Do not simplify after taking the derivative.**

(a) $y = \tan^3(\cos(2x))$

(b) $y = \frac{e^{3x} \tan x}{x^4 + \pi^4}$

22. (7 points) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$. Your answer must be a function in x only.

$$y = (\cos(3x))^{2\sqrt{x}}$$

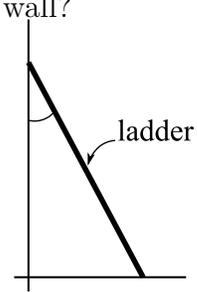
23. (8 points) There are two lines tangent to the parabola $y = 2x^2$ that pass through the point $(1, -16)$.

(a) Find the x -coordinates where these tangent lines touch the parabola.

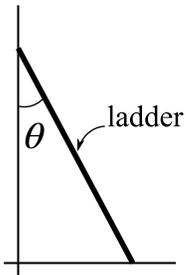
(b) Find equations of the two tangent lines.

24. (13 points) A ladder 10 feet long is leaning against a vertical wall. The base of the ladder is pulled away from the wall at a rate of 3 ft/s.

(a) How fast is the top of the ladder sliding down the wall when the base is 6 feet from the wall?



(b) Find the rate at which the angle θ between the ladder and the wall is changing when the base of the ladder is 6 feet from the wall.



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Question	Points Awarded	Points
1-20		60
21		10
22		15
23		7
24		8
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