

3/5/2021: First hourly

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Problem 1) TF questions (20 points) No justifications are needed.

- 1) T F The function $f(x) = \log(\exp(x))$ has a root at $x = 0$.

Solution:

Yes, $\log \exp(x) = x$.

- 2) T F The “today” function $f(x) = x^3 - x^5 + x^{2021}$ has a real root.

Solution:

Yes, by the intermediate value theorem.

- 3) T F $\cot(\pi/4) = 1$.

Solution:

You know that.

- 4) T F $f(x) = |2 + \sin(x)|$ is differentiable everywhere.

Solution:

The absolute value does not matter.

- 5) T F The chain rule assures that $\frac{d}{dx} \sin(\sin(x)) = \cos(\cos(x)) \cos(x)$.

Solution:

This is not the correct application.

- 6) T F $f(x) = 1 + \frac{\sin(x)^2}{x}$ with assumption $f(0) = 1$ is continuous.

Solution:

It is a combination of continuous functions $1 + \operatorname{sinc}(x) \sin(x)$.

- 7) T F A differentiable function satisfying $f(0) = 1, f(1) = 0$ must have $f'(x)$ be negative somewhere in $[0, 1]$.

Solution:

Otherwise, we only would go up or stay on the same height.

- 8) T F $\sec(x)$ is the inverse function of $\cos(x)$.

Solution:

It is $1/\cos(x)$.

- 9) T F If $f(x)$ is differentiable at 0, and $f(0) = 0$, then $f(f(x))$ is differentiable at 0.

Solution:

Differentiate to get $2f'(x)f'(f(x))$ which is $2f'(0)f'(0)$.

- 10) T F $f(x) = x^5/(1 + x^5)$ defines an indeterminate form at $x = 0$.

Solution:

It is of form 0/1 and so not an indeterminate form.

- 11) T F $f(x) = (\sin(\pi/2 + h) - \sin(\pi/2))/h < 0$ for all positive h smaller than $\pi/2$.

Solution:

Yes, even if in the limit we get zero

- 12) T F The function $f(x) = x^7$ has a critical point at $x = 0$.

Solution:

Yes, even so it is neither a max nor min.

- 13) T F If f has an inflection point at 0, then $g(x) = 1 - f(x)$ has an inflection point at 0.

Solution:

Yes, also $-f''(0)$ changes sign.

- 14) T F $f(x) = \cot(x^2)$ has a vertical asymptote at $x = 0$.

Solution:

Yes

- 15) T F $f(x) = \sin(x)$ takes the value $\pi/2$ at some point x .

Solution:

Sin is between -1 and 1

- 16) T F If $f(x) = x(x - 1)$, then $Df(x) = f(x + 1) - f(x) = 2x$.

Solution:

Yes, one check this formally $(x + 1)^2 - x^2 = 2x + 1$.

- 17) T F The function $f(x) = \sin(x) \sin(1/x)$ with the understanding $f(0) = 0$ is continuous everywhere.

Solution:

It is a basic oscillatory discontinuity.

18) T F $\frac{d}{dx} \arctan(x^2) = 2x/(1 + x^2).$

Solution:

An important one.

19) T F $\frac{d}{dx} \log(7 - x) = -1/(7 - x).$

Solution:

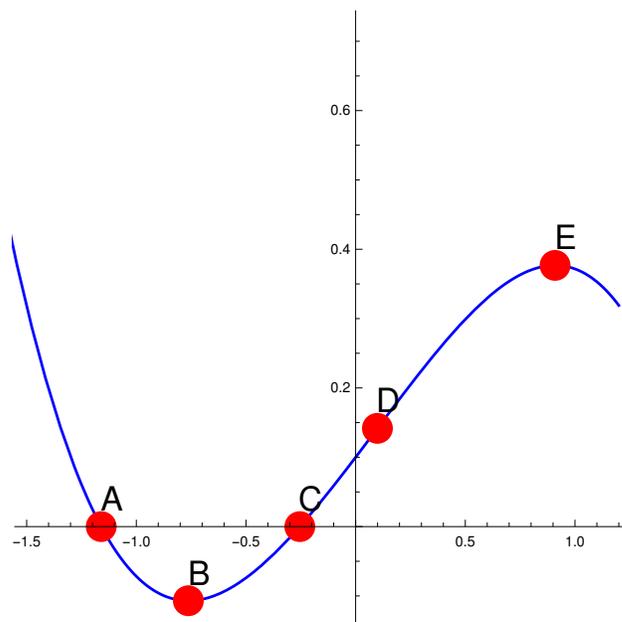
Wrong sign.

20) T F The derivative of g/f is $(fg' - f'g)/f^2.$

Solution:

Yes, even so we have changed the letters

Problem 2) Choice problem (10 points) No justifications are needed.



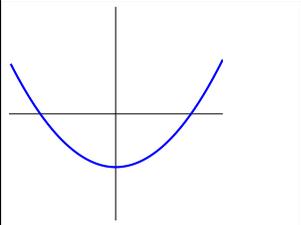
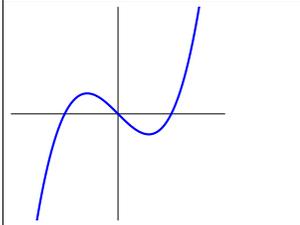
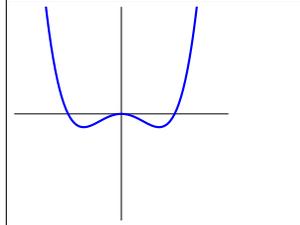
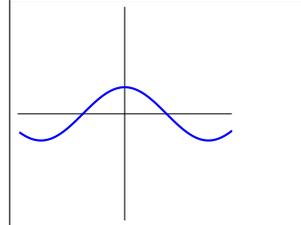
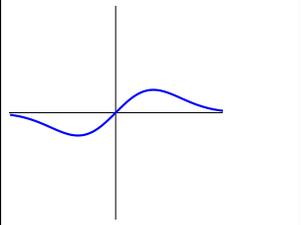
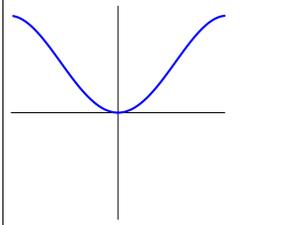
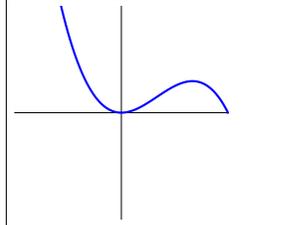
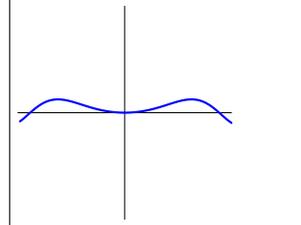
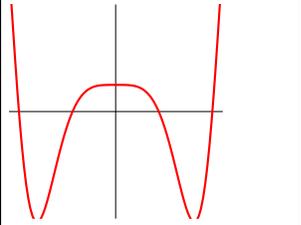
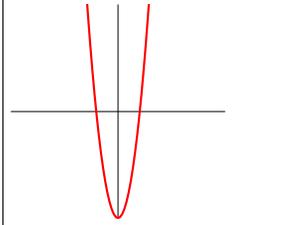
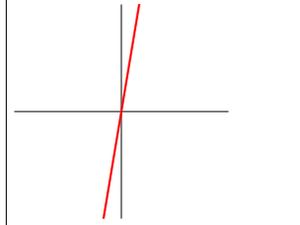
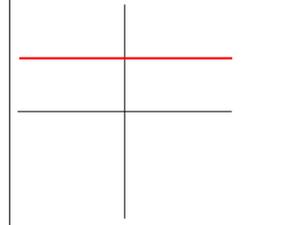
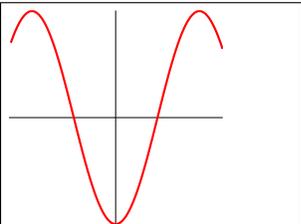
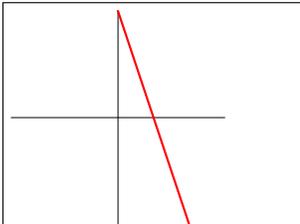
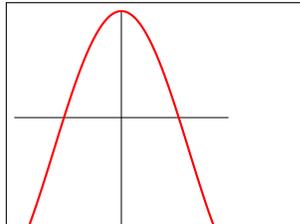
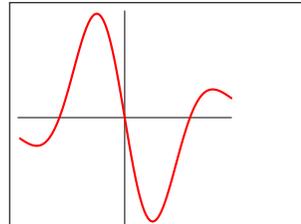
- a) (2 points) List the points A-E which are roots of f .
- b) (2 points) List the points A-E that are critical points of f .
- c) (2 points) List the points A-E that are critical points of f' .
- d) (2 points) List the critical points A-E that are local maxima.
- e) (2 points) List the points A-E of f that are global minima on the given interval.

Solution:

a) AC, b) BE, c) D, d) E, e) B

Problem 3) Matching problem (10 points) No justifications are needed.

Match the functions f a) to h) with the second derivatives functions 1) to 8).

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Solution:

4, 3, 2, 5, and 8, 7, 6, 1

Problem 4) Continuity (10 points)

Which of the following functions are continuous on $[-1, 1]$? As always, we extend continuity to functions for which a continuation is possible to initially not defined points, like $f(x) = (x^2 - 1)/(x - 1)$, which was considered continuous because with $f(1) = 2$, it becomes a continuous function. Make the decision “continuous” or “not continuous” in each of the cases a)-e) and point out any possible x values, which need special attention.

a) (2 points) $f(x) = \cos(\sin(5/x^2))$.

b) (2 points) $f(x) = x^2 \sin(5/x^2)$.

c) (2 points) $f(x) = \frac{\sin^2(x)}{x^2}$

d) (2 points) $f(x) = ||3x| - 4x|$

e) (2 points) $f(x) = 3x/|4x|$

Solution:

- a) not continuous (oscillation)
- b) continuous. We have $|f(x)| \leq |x|^2 \rightarrow 0$ for $x \rightarrow 0$.
- c) continuous, fundamental theorem of trig
- d) continuous, piecewise linear
- e) not continuous (jump)

Problem 5) Derivatives (10 points)

Do the required computations for the following functions. In each case, indicate which differentiation rule you use.

- a) (2 points) For $f(x) = \sin(x)e^x$, write down $T(x) = x - f(x)/f'(x)$.
- b) (2 points) For $f(x) = \log(\sin(x))$, write down $f''(x)$.
- c) (2 points) For $f(x) = e^{(e^{\sin(x)})}$, write down $f'(x)$.
- d) (2 points) For $f(x) = x^x$, write down $f'(x)$.
- e) (2 points) Demonstrate how one can obtain the derivative of $\arcsin(x)$ with the help of the chain rule.

Solution:

a) $x - \sin(x)/(\cos(x) + \sin(x))$.

b) $-\sec^2(x)$

c) $e^{e^{\sin(x)}} e^{\sin(x)} \cos(x)$

d) $x^x(1 + \log(x))$.

Problem 6) Limits (10 points)

Find the limits $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ for the following functions. As always give details and indicate what method you are using.

a) (2 points) $f(x) = \frac{1 - \exp(4x)}{1 - \exp(3x)}$.

b) (2 points) $f(x) = \frac{1 - x^2}{\cos(3x)}$.

c) (2 points) $f(x) = \frac{3x}{\log(1+4x)}$.

d) (2 points) $f(x) = \frac{\log(x^3)}{\log(x^2)}$.

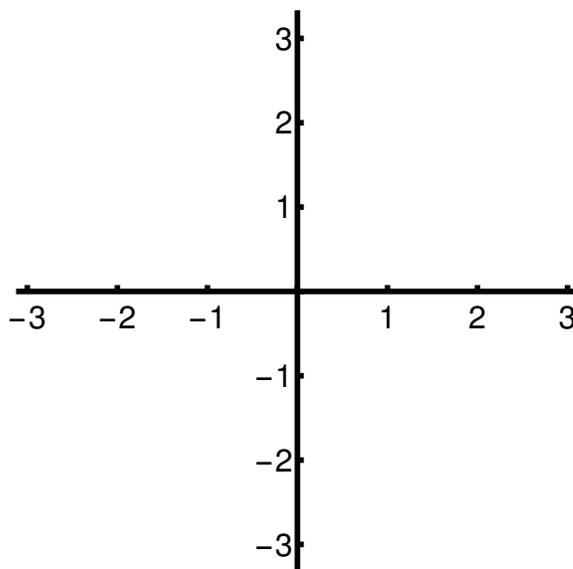
e) (2 points) $f(x) = x(\log(7x))^2$.

Solution:

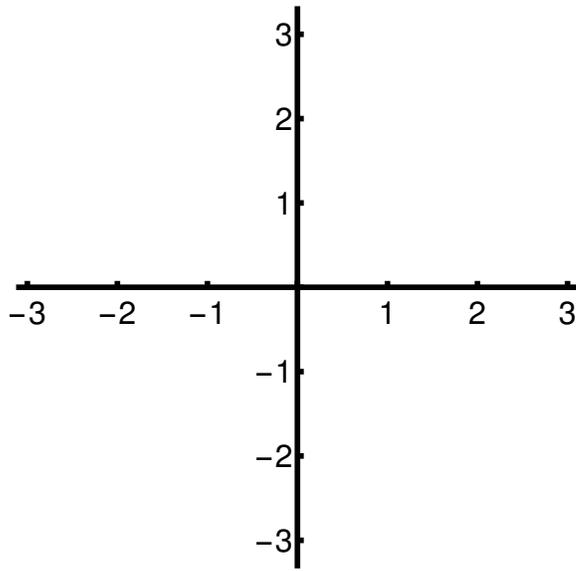
- a) $4/3$ Hospital
- b) 1 just plug in the number $x = 0$
- c) $3/4$ Hospital
- d) $3/2$ Hospital and cancel
- e) 0. This needs twice Hospital. First for $\log(7x)^2/(1/x)$ then again for $x \log(7x)$.

Problem 7) Functions (10 points)

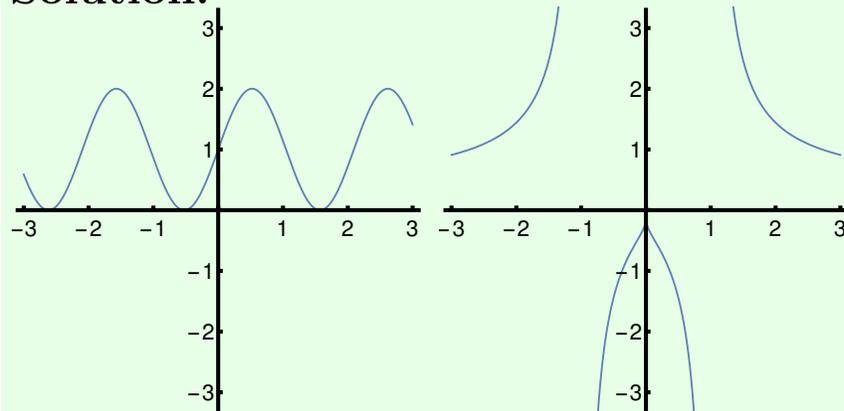
- a) (5 points) Draw the graph of the function $f(x) = 1 + \sin(3x)$ on $[\pi, \pi]$. Mark the roots, the maxima, minima and inflection points. On paper, please copy the template below exactly!



- b) (5 points) Draw the graph of $f(x) = 1/\log|x|$ on $[-3, 3]$. Make sure to indicate what the values at $x = -1, x = 0, x = 1$ are, and draw any possible asymptotes.



Solution:



Problem 8) Extrema (10 points)

a) (3 points) Find all the critical points of the function

$$f(x) = x^5 - 5x + 7.$$

b) (3 points) Classify the critical points using the second derivative test.

c) (2 points) Find the global maximum and global minimum on $[-2, 2]$.

d) (1 point) Which mathematician proved that a global maximum and a global minimum exists for a continuous function on $[-2, 2]$?

e) (1 point) What is the name of that theorem on global maxima or minima?

Solution:

a) We have $f'(x) = 5x^4 - 5$ which is zero at $x = 1$ or $x = -1$.

b) The second derivative is $20x^3$. So $x = 1$ is a minimum and $x = -1$ is a maximum.

c) The global minimum is $x = 2$ and the maximum is $x = -2$.

d) Bolzano.

e) Extremal value theorem.

Problem 9) Algebra (10 points, 2 points each)

Simplify the following expressions. For example, $3^x 3^y$ can be written fewer letters as 3^{x+y} or $\sin^2(x)/\sin(x)$ can be simplified as $\sin(x)$. As usual $\log(x) = \ln(x)$ is the **natural log**. Writing $\ln(x)$ instead of $\log(x)$ does not count as a simplification! In the second column, fill in the derivative $f'(x)$ of the expression $f(x)$

	Expression	Simplified expression	Derivative
a)	$\arccos(\cos(x^2))$		
b)	$3^{(4x/\log(3))}$		
c)	$\log(x^3)/(\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x))$		
d)	$\cos(3x) \tan(3x)$		
e)	$\frac{(2x)^3}{(3x)^4}$		

Solution:

a) simplified as x^2 , the derivative is $2x$.

b) simplified as e^{4x} the derivative is $4e^{4x}$.

c) simplified is $3 \log(x)$, the derivative is $3/x$.

d) simplified as $\sin(3x)$ the derivative is $3 \cos(3x)$.

e) simplified as $(8/81)1/x$, the derivative is $-(8/81)/x^2$.