

1. (12 points) Evaluate the following integrals:

(a) (4 points) $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} dx$.

We shall re-express $\frac{1}{\cos x}$ as $\sec x$, so that

$$\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} dx = \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \sec^2 x dx = \tan x \Big|_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} = \tan \frac{\pi}{3} - \tan \frac{\pi}{6} = \sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

(b) (4 points) $\int \frac{1}{x} \sec^2(\ln x) dx$.

Since we have $\sec^2 \ln x$ in the integrand, it makes sense to use the substitution $u = \ln x$ to simplify this expression to $\sec^2 u$. We are particularly fortunate since then $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$, and a division by x is in fact present in our integral. We may now perform the u -substitution:

$$\int \frac{1}{x} \sec^2(\ln x) dx = \int \sec^2 u du = \tan u + C = \tan \ln x + C$$

(c) (4 points) $\int_0^1 x^3 \sin(x^4 + 2) dx$.

Since we have $\sin(x^4 + 2)$ in the integrand, it makes sense to use the substitution $u = x^4 + 2$ to simplify this expression to $\sin u$. We are particularly fortunate since then $du = 4x^3 dx$, and a multiplication by x^3 is in fact present in our integral. We note also change in the limits; when $x = 0$, $x^4 + 2 = 2$, and when $x = 1$, $x^4 + 2 = 3$. We may now perform the u -substitution:

$$\int_0^1 x^3 \sin(x^4 + 2) dx = \int_2^3 \sin u \frac{du}{4} = \left. \frac{-\cos u}{4} \right|_2^3 = \frac{\cos 2 - \cos 3}{4}$$

2. (12 points) Answer the following questions about the function $f(x) = 3 \sin \sqrt{x}$.

(a) (4 points) What is the domain of $f(x)$?

The sine function is defined at all points; however, the square root only exists when its argument is non-negative. Thus, this function ceases to exist when $x < 0$; its domain is thus the points $x \geq 0$, or in interval notation, $[0, \infty)$.

(b) (4 points) What is the range of $f(x)$?

The square-root of x can take on all non-negative values; its sine can thus take on all values between -1 and 1 inclusive. Multiplying by 3 , we see that the function $f(x)$ ranges from -3 to 3 ; we may thus say that the range of $f(x)$ is $-3 \leq f(x) \leq 3$, or, in interval notation, $[-3, 3]$.

(c) (4 points) Where does the derivative of $f(x)$ exist?

Using the chain rule, $f'(x) = \frac{\cos \sqrt{x}}{2\sqrt{x}}$. This exists only when its denominator is nonzero and the argument of the square root is non-negative. This eliminates the possibilities $x < 0$ and $x = 0$, leaving only the set of possible x -values $x > 0$, or $(0, \infty)$.

3. (12 points) Let $f(x) = e^{-2x^2}$.

(a) (5 points) Where is $f(x)$ increasing? Where is it decreasing?

Using the chain rule, $f'(x) = -4xe^{-2x^2}$. Since e^{-2x^2} is positive everywhere, this expression's sign is determined wholly by the sign of $-4x$, which is positive for $x < 0$ and negative for $x > 0$. Thus, $f(x)$ is increasing for $x < 0$ and decreasing for $x > 0$.

(b) **(7 points)** Determine $f(x)$'s concavity and identify points of inflection.

Using the product rule and chain rule on $f'(x)$, we find that $f''(x) = -4e^{-2x^2} + 16x^2e^{-2x^2} = (16x^2 - 4)e^{-2x^2}$. As above, since e^{-2x^2} is positive everywhere, this expression's sign is determined wholly by the sign of $16x^2 - 4$, which is positive for $x^2 > \frac{1}{4}$ or $|x| > \frac{1}{2}$, and negative for $x^2 < \frac{1}{4}$ or $|x| < \frac{1}{2}$. Thus, $f(x)$ is concave up for $x < -\frac{1}{2}$ or $x > \frac{1}{2}$, and concave down for $-\frac{1}{2} < x < \frac{1}{2}$, and since there are transitions in concavity at these two points, it is evident that $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $x = \frac{1}{2}$ are points of inflection.

4. **(12 points)** We are planning to design a rectangular, fenced garden. The front of the garden should be unfenced; the back needs a picket fence, and the sides should be fenced with chain-link. Chain-link fence costs \$8 per foot; a picket fence costs \$10 per foot. We have \$640 to spend on fencing. What dimensions should we choose for our garden to maximize its area?

Let the garden's width and depth be x and y . Then, we have three fences: two chainlink fences of length y , and a picket fence of length x , so that our cost is $2(8y) + 10x$. Thus, our given situation is that, given $10x + 16y = 640$, what values of x and y maximize xy ?

Since $10x + 16y = 640$, $y = 40 - \frac{5}{8}x$ (alternatively, x may be put in terms of y), so we may express the area of the garden as

$$A(x) = x \left(40 - \frac{5}{8}x \right) = 40x - \frac{5}{8}x^2$$

Note that the domain of this function is $0 \leq x \leq 64$; the boundary cases result since, clearly our width must be positive, and our width can be no more than 64 feet since a 64-foot long picket fence will completely exhaust our \$640 budget. We may reject these domain-edge cases out of hand; each of them results in a zero-area garden. Thus, the maximum must be an extremum of $A(x)$ in the domain. We find $A(x)$'s critical points as such:

$$\begin{aligned} A'(x) &= 40 - \frac{5}{4}x \\ 0 &= 40 - \frac{5}{4}x \\ \frac{5}{4}x &= 40 \\ x &= 32 \end{aligned}$$

Since $x = 32$ is our only critical point, our sole extremum (and thus our optimizing dimension) is $x = 32$; our y -dimension is $y = 40 - \frac{5}{8} \cdot 32 = 20$, so our optimal garden plot is $32' \times 20'$.

5. **(12 points)** A thirteen-foot-long ladder is leaning against a wall. The bottom of the ladder, which is currently five feet away from the wall, is slipping away from the wall at a rate of two feet per hour.

(a) **(6 points)** How quickly is the top of the ladder sliding down the wall?

Let the base of the ladder's distance from the wall in feet be x ; let the top of the ladder's height in feet be y ; let t be time in hours. Since the base of the ladder is slipping away from the wall, x is increasing at 2 feet per hour; that is, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2$. Furthermore, the ladder, the ground, and the wall form a right triangle with the ladder as hypotenuse, so by the Pythagorean Theorem

$$x^2 + y^2 = 13^2$$

Since we want $\frac{dy}{dt}$, we differentiate this expression with respect to t to get:

$$\begin{aligned} 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} &= \frac{d}{dt} 169 \\ 2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} &= 0 \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= -\frac{\frac{dx}{dt} x}{y} \end{aligned}$$

We know that $x = 5$ is given to us, and $y = \sqrt{13^2 - 5^2} = 12$, so $\frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{2 \cdot 5}{12} = -\frac{5}{6}$. Thus the ladder is slipping down the wall (i.e. y is decreasing) at $\frac{5}{6}$ feet per hour.

(b) **(6 points)** *How quickly is the angle between the ladder and the ground changing?*

Here we have the same situation, but must label the angle between the ladder and the ground: we shall call it θ . We know from the labeling of the sides of the triangle that $\cos \theta = \frac{x}{13}$. Thus, differentiating both sides of this equation with respect to t , $(-\sin \theta) \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{\frac{dx}{dt}}{13}$, so

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{-\frac{dx}{dt}}{13 \sin \theta} = \frac{-\frac{dx}{dt}}{13 \frac{y}{13}} = \frac{-2}{12}$$

so the angle between the ladder in the ground is decreasing (note negative sign on $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$) by $\frac{1}{6}$ radian per hour.

6. **(12 points)** *Consider the function $g(x) = \frac{(x^2+6x+9)}{x-2}$.*

(a) **(5 points)** *Identify zeroes, vertical asymptotes, and long-term behavior on both sides of this function. Clearly label which is which.*

The rational expression factors into $\frac{(x+3)^2}{x-2}$, so the only zero of this function is at $x = -3$, while the vertical asymptote occurs when the denominator is zero, at $x = 2$. In the long term, this function's dominant terms in the numerator and denominator are x^2 and x respectively, so $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} f(x) = \pm\infty$.

(b) **(5 points)** *Identify the critical points of this function, and indicate whether each is a local maximum, local minimum, or neither.*

Using the quotient rule,

$$\begin{aligned} g'(x) &= \frac{(x-2) \left(\frac{d}{dx}(x^2+6x+9) \right) - (x^2+6x+9) \left(\frac{d}{dx}(x-2) \right)}{(x-2)^2} \\ &= \frac{(x-2)(2x+6) - (x^2+6x+9)(1)}{(x-2)^2} \\ &= \frac{(2x^2+2x-12) - (x^2+6x+9)}{(x-2)^2} \\ &= \frac{x^2-4x-21}{(x-2)^2} \\ &= \frac{(x-7)(x+3)}{(x-2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

While the zero of the denominator might be considered a critical point, it is not a local extremum, since the function $g(x)$ is in fact discontinuous there. Thus, the only extrema we need worry about are the zeroes of $x^2 - 4x - 21$. These occur at $x = 7$ and $x = -3$. Since $g'(x)$ is a quotient of $x^2 - 4x - 21$ and a known positive number, $g'(x)$ has the same sign as $x^2 - 4x - 21$. Thus it is negative between its zeroes and positive off to the sides; -3 is a transition from positive to negative and is thus a maximum; 7 is the opposite and thus a minimum.

- (c) **(2 points)** Which if any of the critical points identified above are global maxima or global minima? Show work or explain.

None of them are global, because the asymptotes induce arbitrarily large and arbitrarily negative values of $g(x)$; thus, this function has no global maximum or minimum.

7. **(12 points)** An alien spacecraft is heated to $1700^\circ F$ by entry into the atmosphere and crash-lands on an $100^\circ F$ day during the summer. After 20 minutes, the ship's hull has cooled to $1300^\circ F$.

- (a) **(4 points)** Construct a function modeling the temperature of the spacecraft t minutes after impact.

By Newton's Law of Cooling, the model for the temperature is $T(t) = A + Ce^{kt}$ where A is the ambient temperature, which is in this case $100^\circ F$; C and k must be determined from the situation described. We know that $T(0) = 1700$ and that $T(20) = 1300$, so we substitute each of these into the model to determine C and k :

$$\begin{aligned} T(0) &= 100 + Ce^{0k} \\ 1700 &= 100 + C \\ 1600 &= C \end{aligned}$$

And likewise we solve for k :

$$\begin{aligned} T(20) &= 100 + 1600e^{20k} \\ 1300 &= 100 + 1600e^{20k} \\ \frac{3}{4} &= \frac{1200}{1600} = e^{20k} \\ \ln \frac{3}{4} &= 20k \\ \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{3}{4} &= k \end{aligned}$$

So our model is $T(t) = 100 + 1600e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}t}$.

- (b) **(4 points)** The scientific survey team can begin their experiments as soon as the ship has cooled to $500^\circ F$. How long will they need to wait after impact to do so?

We solve for the value of t such that $T(t) = 500$:

$$\begin{aligned} 500 &= 100 + 1600e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}t} \\ 400 &= 1600e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}t} \\ \frac{1}{4} &= e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}t} \\ \ln \frac{1}{4} &= \frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}t \\ \frac{20 \ln \frac{1}{4}}{\ln \frac{3}{4}} &= t \end{aligned}$$

Thus it cools to 500°F in $\frac{20 \ln \frac{1}{4}}{\ln \frac{3}{4}} \approx 96$ minutes.

(c) **(4 points)** *How quickly is the spacecraft cooling 10 minutes after impact?*

This question is asking merely for the value of $T'(10)$, which might be expected to be negative, as it reflects a decrease in temperature. Since $T(t) = 100 + 1600e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}t}$, it is simple to see that $T'(10) = (80 \ln \frac{3}{4})e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{20}10} = 80 \ln \frac{3}{4}e^{\frac{\ln \frac{3}{4}}{2}} \approx -19^\circ\text{F}$ per minute.

8. **(12 points)** *The equation $(x - 1)(x^2 + y^2) = 5x^2$ describes a figure known as the conchoid of de Sluze.*

(a) **(9 points)** *Find a formula on the conchoid for $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of x and y .*

We differentiate both sides with respect to x , and use the product and chain rule as appropriate:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx}((x - 1)(x^2 + y^2)) &= \frac{d}{dx}5x^2 \\ \left(\frac{d}{dx}(x - 1)\right)(x^2 + y^2) + (x - 1)\left(\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 + y^2)\right) &= 10x \\ 1 \cdot (x^2 + y^2) + (x - 1)(2x + 2yy') &= 10x \\ x^2 + y^2 + (x - 1)(2x) + (x - 1)2yy' &= 10x \\ (x - 1)2yy' &= 10x - x^2 - y^2 - (x - 1)(2x) \\ y' &= \frac{12x - 3x^2 - y^2}{2(x - 1)y} \end{aligned}$$

(b) **(3 points)** *Find the equation of the tangent line to the conchoid at $(2, 4)$.*

Using the result above at this point, we find that at $(2, 4)$, the slope of the tangent line is $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{12 \cdot 2 - 3 \cdot 2^2 - 4^2}{2(2-1)4} = \frac{-4}{8} = \frac{-1}{2}$.

The equation of the tangent line is thus, in point-slope form, $(y - 4) = \frac{-1}{2}(x - 2)$.

9. **(12 points)** *Answer the following questions:*

- (a)
- (4 points)**
- Find
- $\frac{d}{dx} \cos(e^{\sec x})$
- .

This is a chain rule problem with a chain several layers deep, so we give each part a name. Let $y = \cos u$, $u = e^v$, and $v = \sec x$, so that the expression asked for in the problem is simply $\frac{dy}{dx}$. Using the chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{dy}{du} \frac{du}{dv} \frac{dv}{dx} \\ &= (-\sin u) e^v (\sec x \tan x) \\ &= (-\sin e^v) e^v (\sec x \tan x) \\ &= (-\sin e^{\sec x}) e^{\sec x} (\sec x \tan x) \end{aligned}$$

- (b)
- (4 points)**
- Given
- $g(r) = \frac{d}{dr} \arcsin(r \ln r)$
- , find
- $g'(r)$
- .

Let $u = r \ln r$, so that $g'(r) = \frac{d}{dr} \arcsin u$, which with the application of the chain rule becomes $\frac{du}{dr} \frac{d}{du} \arcsin u = \frac{du}{dr} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}$. Then, using the product rule, we find that $\frac{du}{dr} = \ln r + \frac{1}{r} = \ln r + 1$, so this expression is

$$(\ln r + 1) \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} = \frac{\ln r + 1}{\sqrt{1-(r \ln r)^2}}$$

- (c)
- (4 points)**
- Find
- $\frac{d}{d\theta} \int 3 \ln |\tan \theta| d\theta$
- .

Let $f(\theta) = 3 \ln |\tan \theta|$, so that this expression is simply $\frac{d}{dx} \int f(\theta) d\theta$. Since an indefinite integral is identical to the general antiderivative, this expression is $\frac{d}{dx} (F(\theta) + C)$, which is simply $f(x)$, so this expression is just $3 \ln |\tan \theta|$.

- 10.
- (12 points)**
- Determine the following limits.

- (a)
- (4 points)**
- Using the difference quotient, find the derivative with respect to
- x
- of
- $f(x) = 2x^2 - 3x + 1$
- . You may not use L'Hôpital's rule for this problem.

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(x+h)^2 - 3(x+h) + 1 - (2x^2 - 3x + 1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x^2 + 4xh + 2h^2 - 3x - 3h + 1 - 2x^2 + 3x - 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4xh + 2h^2 - 3h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 4x + 2h - 3 = 4x - 3 \end{aligned}$$

- (b)
- (4 points)**
- Evaluate
- $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\theta \sin \theta}{\theta^3 - \theta^2}$
- or demonstrate that it cannot be evaluated.

Both the numerator and denominator evaluate to zero, so use of L'Hôpital's rule is justified, yielding $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta + \theta \cos \theta}{3\theta^2 - 2\theta}$, which is still a $\frac{0}{0}$ indeterminate form, so using L'Hôpital's rule again, we get $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos \theta - \theta \sin \theta}{6\theta - 2} = \frac{2}{-2} = -1$.

(c) **(4 points)** Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2}{x \ln x}$ or demonstrate that it cannot be evaluated.

Both the numerator and denominator grow without bound as x grows large, so this is a $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$ indeterminate form. Using L'Hôpital's rule, we get $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x}{\ln x + 1}$, which is still a $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$ form, so once again we use L'Hôpital's rule to get $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\frac{1}{x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 2x$, which grows without bound and thus does not exist.