

# Test 2: BASIC CALCULUS I

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**Directions:** Read *all* problems first before answering any of them. There are 7 pages in this test. This test is intended to be taken in 55-minutes. You may have as much time as you like (within reason!) **You may use a calculator.** You must show all relevant work to support your answers. Use complete English sentences and **CLEARLY** indicate your final answers to be graded from your "scratch work."

**Pledge:** I, \_\_\_\_\_, pledge my honor as a human being and Occidental student, that I have followed all the rules above to the letter and in spirit.

No.	Score	Maximum
1		20
2		20
3		20
4		20
5		20
BONUS		10
<b>Total</b>		<b>100</b>

1. **Differentiation Rules.** 20 points. Evaluate the following derivatives, making sure to clearly specify all the derivative rules you use to find your answer. Do NOT simplify your answers.

RULE 1:  $(f + g)' = f' + g'$

RULE 2:  $(f - g)' = f' - g'$

RULE 3:  $(cf)' = cf'$

RULE 4:  $(fg)' = f'g + fg'$

RULE 5:  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{f'g - fg'}{g^2}$

RULE 6:  $(f(g))' = f'(g)g'$

a. (5 points.)  $\frac{d}{dx}[x^7 - \sqrt{9} + \frac{25}{x^{1/5}} + e^3]$

$$= 7x^6 - 0 + \frac{d}{dx}(25x^{-1/5}) + 0$$

$$= 7x^6 - \frac{1}{5} \cdot 25 \cdot x^{-6/5}$$

RULE 1, RULE 2  
RULE 3

b. (5 points.)  $\frac{d}{dr}[\sin(r) \cos(r) \tan(r)]$

$$= \frac{d}{dr}\left(\sin(r) \cos(r) \frac{\sin(r)}{\cos(r)}\right) = \frac{d}{dr}(\sin^2(r)) = 2 \sin(r) \cos(r)$$

RULE 6  
OR  
RULE 4

c. (5 points.)  $\frac{d}{dy}\left[\frac{4^y + 5}{4y + 5}\right] = \frac{\frac{d}{dy}(4^y + 5)(4y + 5) - (4^y + 5)\frac{d}{dy}(4y + 5)}{(4y + 5)^2}$

RULE 5

$$= \frac{(4^y \ln 4)(4y + 5) - (4^y + 5)4}{(4y + 5)^2}$$

d. (5 points.)  $\frac{d}{ds}[e^{\ln(\sqrt{s} + 1)}] = \frac{d}{ds}(\sqrt{s} + 1) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{s}}$

OR

$$e^{\ln(\sqrt{s} + 1)} \cdot \frac{d}{ds} \ln(\sqrt{s} + 1) = e^{\ln(\sqrt{s} + 1)} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{s} + 1} \cdot \frac{d}{ds}(\sqrt{s} + 1)$$

RULE 6

$$= e^{\ln(\sqrt{s} + 1)} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{s} + 1} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{s}}$$

$$= \sqrt{s} + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{s} + 1} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{s}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{s}}$$

2. TRUE OR FALSE: Chain Rule, Differentials, Differentiability, Continuity, Related Rates. 20 points.

TRUE or FALSE: put your answer in the box (1 point). To receive FULL credit, you must also give a brief, and correct, explanation in support of your answer! Remember if you think a statement is TRUE you must prove it is ALWAYS true. If you think a statement is FALSE one way to prove this is to show there exists a counterexample and use it to prove the statement is FALSE (at least once).

(a) 5 points. TRUE or FALSE? "If  $f(x) = -f(-x)$  for all  $x$ , then  $f'(x) = f'(-x)$  for all  $x$ ."

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$f'(x)$  is EVEN when  $f(x)$  is ODD

$$f(x) = -f(-x)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \frac{d}{dx} -f(-x) = - \frac{d}{dx} f(-x)$$

$$f(x) = -f'(-x) \cdot -1 = - \frac{d}{dx} f(-x) \frac{d(-x)}{dx}$$

$$f'(x) = f'(-x)$$

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(b) 5 points. TRUE or FALSE? "If the length of one side of a square increases by an amount  $dx$ , the area of the square will increase by an amount twice as large,  $2 dx$ ."

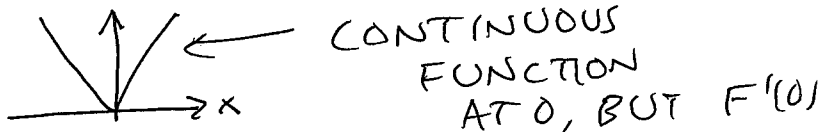
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$$A = x^2, dA = 2x dx$$

$x = 10, A = 100$   
 $x = 11, A = 121$   
 $dx = 1, dA = 21 \neq 2 dx$

(c) 5 points. TRUE or FALSE? "If the entire graph of a function can be drawn without picking up the drawing implement at any point then that function is differentiable everywhere."

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CONTINUITY DOES NOT IMPLY DIFFERENTIABILITY!  
 Differentiability  $\implies$  Continuity

(d) 5 points. TRUE or FALSE? "If at  $t = 3$   $\frac{dy}{dt} = 4$  snarfs per minute and  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -2$  Muggles per minute, then  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2}$  Muggles per snarf at  $t = 3$ ."

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$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$

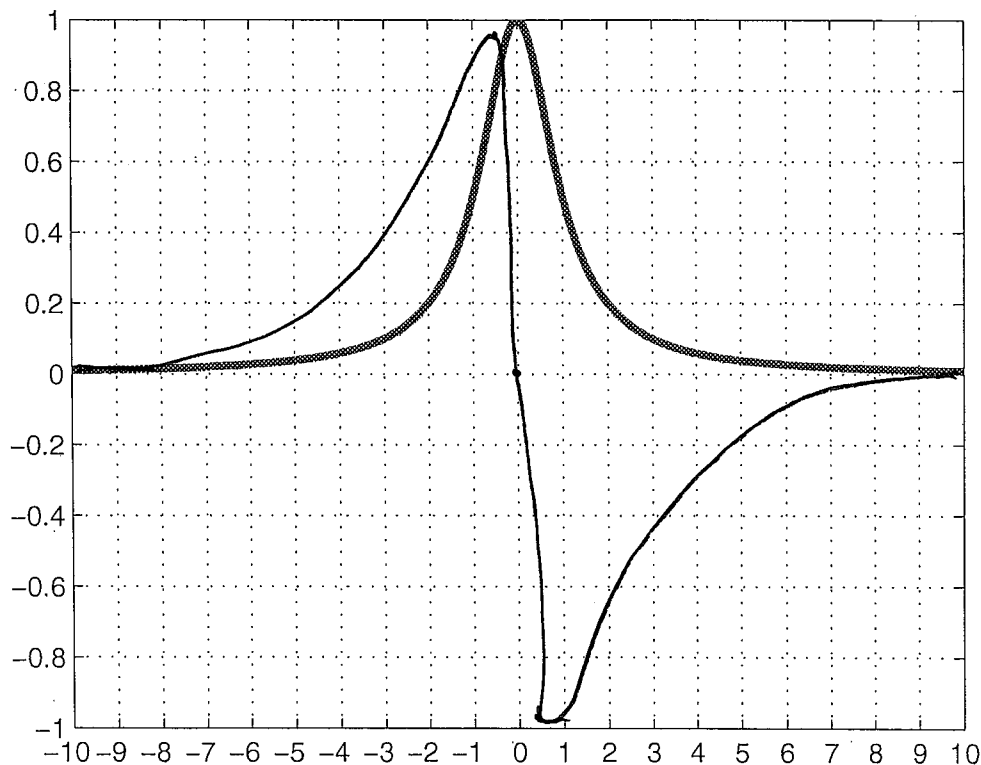
$\frac{dy}{dx}$  must equal  $-2 \frac{\text{snarf}}{\text{Muggle}}$

$$4 \frac{\text{snarfs}}{\text{min}} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\text{Muggles}}{\text{snarf}} \cdot -2 \frac{\text{Muggles}}{\text{min}}$$

NOT  $-\frac{1}{2} \frac{\text{Muggle}}{\text{snarf}}$

3. Visualization of Derivative Function. 20 points. Consider the graph of the following function  $f(x)$ . This problem is about interpreting the derivative function graphically and conceptually.

(a) (10 points.) On the same axes as  $f(x)$  below, sketch a graph of  $f'(x)$ .



(b) (10 points.) Write down a paragraph explaining all of the particular notable features of the graph of  $f'(x)$  you drew, providing the reasons for including these features in your graph. For example, notable features of the given graph  $f(x)$  are that it has a single horizontal asymptote as  $x \rightarrow \infty$  or  $x \rightarrow -\infty$  and possesses a single maximum value at  $x = 0$  and is always positive. You should describe and explain the notable features of your sketch of the graph of  $f'(x)$  similarly.

When  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $f(x) \rightarrow 0$  and when  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $f(x) \rightarrow 0$ ,  
 This means  $f(x)$  approaches a constant so  $f' \rightarrow 0$   
 Somewhere near the peak at  $(0, 1)$   $f'$  stops increasing  
 and decreases to a value of 0 at  $x=0$ , since  $f$  has a  
 peak there.  $f$  switches from increasing at  $0^-$  to  
 decreasing at  $0^+$  very rapidly so  $f'$  switches from  
 large positive through  $(0, 0)$  to large negative.  
 $f'$  has a local max value at  $0^-$  and a local min value at  
 $0^+$ . For  $x > 0$ ,  $f'$  must be negative, since  $f \downarrow$  for  $x > 0$   
 Note  $f$  is an even function so  $f'$  is an odd function

4. Definition of Derivative, Limits. 20 points.

Consider the following limit

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h} = 1.$$

(a) (10 points.) Interpret the above limit as the definition of the derivative of some function  $f(x)$  evaluated at some point  $a$ . Determine  $f(x)$ ,  $a$  and confirm that the value of the limit above is indeed equal to  $f'(a)$  for your choice of  $f(x)$  and  $a$ .

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - e^0}{h - 0} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} = f'(a)$$

$$\text{where } f(x) = e^x \text{ and } a = 0 \quad f(a) = e^0 = 1$$

$$f'(a) = e^x \Big|_{x=0} = e^0 = 1$$

(b) (10 points.) Use the limit definition of the derivative

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

and the value of the limit at the top of the page to prove that  $f'(x) = f(x)$  when  $f(x) = e^x$ . Be careful to clearly state what limit rules you are applying during each step of your proof that  $f'(x) = f(x)$  when  $f(x) = e^x$ .

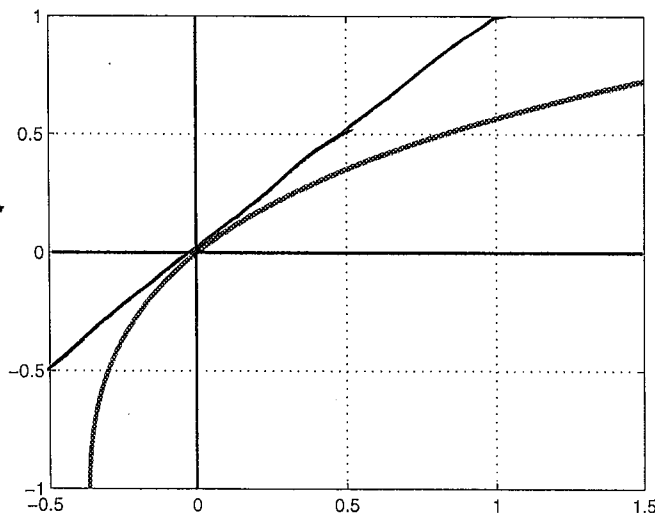
$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x+h} - e^x}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x \cdot e^h - e^x}{h}$$

$$\text{Algebra} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x (e^h - 1)}{h} = e^x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h} = e^x \cdot 1$$

$$f'(x) = e^x = f(x)$$

5. Chain Rule, Tangent Lines, Implicit Differentiation, Logarithmic Differentiation.  
20 points.

Consider the graph of the implicit curve  $x = ye^y$  given below



(a) (10 points.) Show that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y-1}{xy+1}$ .

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = y \frac{d(e^y)}{dy} + \frac{dy}{dy} e^y = ye^y + e^y$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{1}{ye^y + e^y} = \frac{1}{e^y(y+1)} = \frac{1}{e^y} \cdot \frac{1}{y+1} = \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{y+1} \\ &= \frac{y}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{y+1} \end{aligned}$$

(b) (10 points.) Find the equation of the tangent line to the implicitly defined curve  $x = ye^y$  at the point  $(0,0)$ . If the tangent line does not exist at that point, explain why.

$$\text{At } (0,0), \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{0 \cdot e^0 + e^0} = \frac{1}{1}$$

$y = f(x)$   
even though  
 $f$  is unknown

$$y - f(0) = f'(0)(x - 0)$$

$$y - 0 = 1(x - 0)$$

$$y = x \text{ is}$$

the equation of the tangent line  
to  $x = ye^y$  at  $(0,0)$

$$f'(0) = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\substack{x=0 \\ y=0}}$$

$$f(0) = 0$$

**BONUS QUESTION. 10 points.** Although the function  $y = f(x)$  implicitly defined through the equation  $x = ye^y$  can not be found explicitly, you found its derivative in Question 4. For what values of  $y$  will the inverse function  $x = f^{-1}(y)$  exist? For what values of  $x$  is the function  $y = f(x)$  invertible? If possible, find an explicit formula for the inverse of the implicitly defined function  $y = f(x)$  from Question 4? **EXPLAIN YOUR ANSWER.** Regardless of whether you can find  $f^{-1}(y)$  explicitly, can you obtain its derivative explicitly? If so, write down a formula for it.

OR

Use a local linear approximation to the implicitly defined function  $x = ye^y$  near  $(0,0)$  to approximate the solution to the equation  $0.5 = ye^y$ . Draw a picture to indicate whether your approximation is greater than or less than the actual exact answer and discuss how you would improve your estimated value.

$f^{-1}(y)$  will exist for the values of the range that  $f(x)$  is increasing or  $f$  is 1 to 1.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{e^y(y+1)} > 0 \text{ when } y+1 > 0 \text{ or } y > -1$$

$x = ye^y$  Since  $y = -1 \Rightarrow x = -1e^{-1} = -\frac{1}{e}$

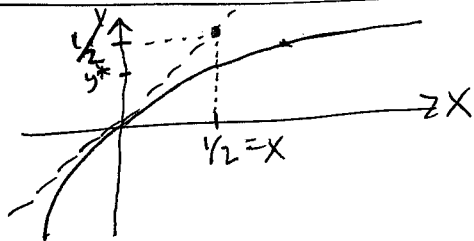
So  $f(x)$  is invertible for  $x > -\frac{1}{e}$

The inverse  $x = f^{-1}(x) = ye^y, y > -1$

$y = f(x)$  is unknown on  $x > -\frac{1}{e}$

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{d(f^{-1}(y))}{dy} = \frac{d(ye^y)}{dy} = ye^y + 1 \cdot e^y = ye^y + e^y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{ye^y + e^y} = \frac{1}{e^y(y+1)}$$



Solve to  $\frac{1}{2} = ye^y$  is some value  $y^*$  on the curve  $x = ye^y$

Use tangent line  $y = x$  to approximate it, so  $y = \frac{1}{2}$  is estimate, which is above

OR

Improve your estimate by finding tangent line at value closer to  $x = \frac{1}{2}$