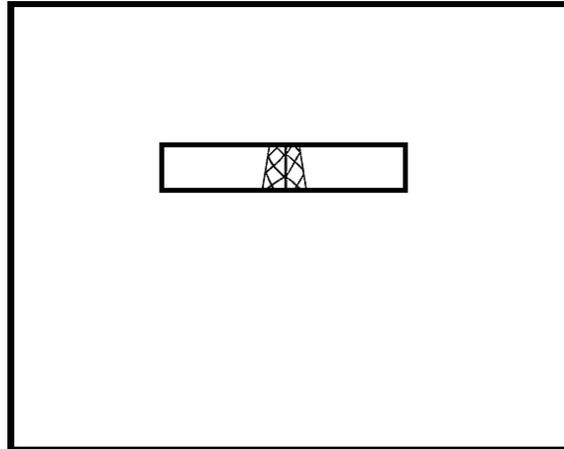


A Turvy for A.P. Calculus Exam  
Puzzle and Answer Key by David Pleacher



Caption for the picture:

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A 1. What is the x-coordinate of the point of inflection on the graph of  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + 5x^2 + 24$ ?

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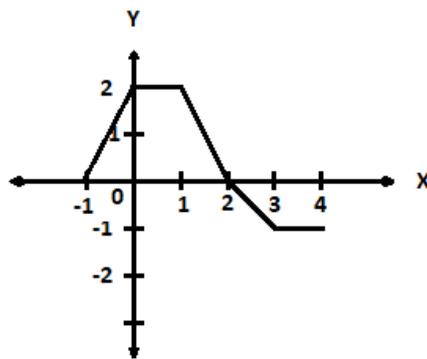
$$y' = x^2 + 10x$$

$$y'' = 2x + 10$$

$$\text{Set } 2x + 10 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = -5$$

Check concavity on either side to make sure they are different.



I 2. The graph of a piecewise-linear function  $f$ , for  $-1 \leq x \leq 4$ , is shown above.

What is the value of  $\int_{-1}^4 f(x) dx$ ?

The area under the curve will be the answer where the part of the graph above the x-axis is positive and the part of the graph below the x-axis will be negative:

$$\int_{-1}^4 f(x) dx = (1 + 2 + 1) + (-.5 + -1) = 2.5$$

F 3.  $\int_1^2 \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \int_1^2 x^{-2} dx = -x^{-1} \Big|_1^2 = -\frac{1}{2} - (-1) = .5$

W 4.  $\int_0^x \sin t dt = -\cos t \Big|_0^x = -\cos x + \cos 0 = 1 - \cos x$

B 5. If  $x^2 + xy = 10$ , then when

$$x = 2, y = 3$$

Differentiating implicitly,  $2x + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$

$$2 \cdot 2 + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 3 = 0 \quad 2 \frac{dy}{dx} = -7 \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -3.5$$

V 6. 
$$\int_1^e \left( \frac{x^2 - 1}{x} \right) dx = \int_1^e \left( x - \frac{1}{x} \right) dx = \left( \frac{x^2}{2} - \ln x \right) \Big|_1^e =$$
$$\left( \frac{e^2}{2} - \ln e \right) - \left( \frac{1^2}{2} - \ln 1 \right) = \frac{e^2}{2} - 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{3}{2}$$

G 7. Let  $f$  and  $g$  be differentiable functions with the following properties:

(i)  $g(x) > 0$  for all  $x$

(ii)  $f(0) = 1$

If  $h(x) = f(x)g(x)$  and  $h'(x) = f(x)g'(x)$ , then  $f(x) =$

$$h(x) = f(x)g(x) \text{ and } h'(x) = f(x)g'(x)$$

Product Rule:  $h'(x) = f(x)g'(x) + f'(x)g(x)$

$$f(x)g'(x) = f(x)g'(x) + f'(x)g(x)$$

$$\therefore f'(x)g(x) = 0$$

Since,  $g(x) > 0$ , then  $f'(x) = 0$ .

Hence,  $f(x)$  must equal a constant and since  $f(0) = 1$

$$\text{that means } f(x) = 1$$

H 8. What is the instantaneous rate of change at  $x = 2$  of the function  $f$  given by

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2}{x - 1} ?$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x-1) \cdot 2x - (x^2 - 2) \cdot 1}{(x-1)^2}$$

$$f'(2) = \frac{4 - 2}{1} = 2$$

E 9. If  $f$  is a linear function and  $0 < a < b$ , then  $\int_a^b f''(x) dx =$

Since  $f$  is linear,  $f'(x)$  is zero.  $\int_a^b f''(x) dx = (f'(x) + k)\Big|_a^b = (0 + k)\Big|_a^b = 0$

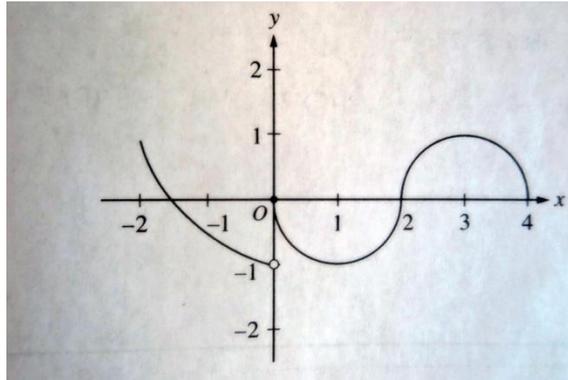
I 10. If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \ln x & \text{for } 0 < x \leq 2 \\ x^2 \ln 2 & \text{for } 2 < x \leq 4, \end{cases}$  then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$  is

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \ln x = \ln 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} x^2 \ln 2 = 4 \ln 2$$

$$\text{Since } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x)$$

Therefore, the limit does not exist.



R 11. The graph of the function  $f$  shown in the figure above has a vertical tangent at the point  $(2, 0)$  and horizontal tangents at the points  $(1, -1)$  and  $(3, 1)$ . For what values of  $x$ ,  $-2 < x < 4$ , is  $f$  not differentiable?

If a function is differentiable, then it must be continuous (converse is not true).

So this function is NOT differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

If a function has a vertical tangent, it is not differentiable, so this function is NOT differentiable at  $x = 2$ .

L 12. A particle moves along the x-axis so that its position at time  $t$  is given by  $x(t) = t^2 - 6t + 5$ . For what value of  $t$  is the velocity of the particle zero?

$$v = x'(t) = 2t - 6$$

$$\text{so } 2t - 6 = 0 \text{ and } t = 3$$

U 13. If  $f(x) = \sin(e^{-x})$ , then

$$f'(x) = \cos(e^{-x}) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(e^{-x}) = \cos(e^{-x}) \cdot (-e^{-x}) = -e^{-x} \cos(e^{-x})$$

Y 14. An equation of the line tangent to the graph of  $y = x + \cos x$  at the point  $(0, 1)$  is

$$y' = 1 - \sin(x)$$

$$\text{At the point } (0, 1), \text{ the slope is } m = y' = 1 - 0 = 1$$

$$\text{So the equation of the tangent is } y - 1 = x$$

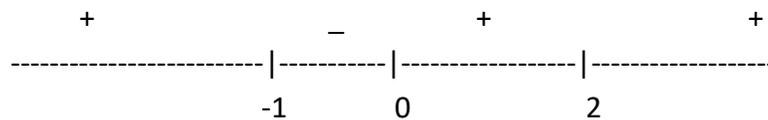
O 15. If  $f''(x) = x(x+1)(x-2)^2$ , then the graph of  $f$  has inflection points when  $x =$

Set equal to zero and check concavity in between the points.

$$\text{Set } f''(x) = x(x+1)(x-2)^2 = 0$$

$x = 0, -1$ , and  $2$ , so these are possible points of inflection.

Substitute values  $-10, -5, 1$ , and  $10$  for  $x$  to check concavity:



Only  $-1$  and  $0$  are points of concavity because the concavity did not change around  $x=2$

D 16. What are all values of  $k$  for which  $\int_{-3}^k x^2 dx = 0$ ?

$$\int_{-3}^k x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3} x^3 \Big|_{-3}^k = \frac{k^3}{3} + 9 = 0$$

$$k^3 = -27, \quad k = -3$$

S 17. The function  $f$  is given by  $f(x) = x^4 + x^2 - 2$ . On what interval is  $f$  increasing?

$$f(x) = x^4 + x^2 - 2$$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 + 2x \quad \text{Setting the first derivative equal to zero gives only } x = 0.$$

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 + 2$$

The second derivative is always positive so the function is always concave up.

Substitute points on either side of  $x = 0$  in the first derivative to see whether the function is increasing or decreasing. For  $x > 0$ , it is increasing.

N 18. The maximum acceleration attained on the interval  $0 \leq t \leq 3$  by the particle whose velocity is given by  $v(t) = t^3 - 3t^2 + 12t + 4$  is

Take the derivative of the velocity to get the acceleration:

$$v(t) = t^3 - 3t^2 + 12t + 4$$

$$a(t) = v'(t) = 3t^2 - 6t + 12$$

Take the derivative of the acceleration to get the jerk and find out where possible relative maximums are:

$$j(t) = 6t - 6$$

$$\text{Set } 6t - 6 = 0, \quad t = 1.$$

So check the values of the acceleration at  $t = 0, 1,$  and  $3$ .

$$t = 0, \quad a = 12$$

$$t = 1, \quad a = 9$$

$$t = 3, \quad a = 21$$

M 19. What is the area of the region between the graphs of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = -x$  from  $X = 0$  to  $x = 2$ ?

$$A = \int_0^2 (x^2 - (-x)) dx = \int_0^2 (x^2 + x) dx = \left( \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \Bigg|_0^2 = \frac{8}{3} + 2 - 0 = \frac{14}{3}$$

J 20. What is the average value of  $y = x^2\sqrt{x^3+1}$  on the interval  $[0, 2]$ ?

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{2-0} \int_0^2 (x^2\sqrt{x^3+1}) dx$$

$$\text{Let } u = x^3 + 1$$

$$\text{Then } du = 3x^2 dx$$

$$\int (x^2\sqrt{x^3+1}) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int (3x^2\sqrt{x^3+1}) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int (\sqrt{u}) du = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{3} u^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \bar{y} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3} (x^3+1)^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_0^2 = \frac{1}{9} (27-1) = \frac{26}{9}$$

C 21. If  $f(x) = \cot 2x$ , then  $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) =$

$$f(x) = \cot 2x$$

$$f'(x) = -\csc^2(2x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(2x) = -2\csc^2(2x)$$

$$f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -2\csc^2\left(2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -2\csc^2\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -2\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^2 = \frac{-8}{3}$$

K 22. Let  $F(x)$  be an antiderivative of  $\frac{(\ln x)^3}{x}$ . If  $F(1) = 0$ , then  $F(9) =$

Use a calculator to solve:

$$F(x) = \int_1^x \frac{(\ln x)^3}{x} dx = 5.8269$$

$$\text{Since } F(1) = 0, \text{ Then } F(9) = 5.8269$$

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Answers: (units have been omitted)

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| A. -5             | J. $\frac{26}{9}$    | S. $(0, \infty)$                 |
| B. -3.5           | K. 5.827             | T. Nonexistent                   |
| C. $\frac{-8}{3}$ | L. 3                 | U. $-e^{-x} \cos(e^{-x})$        |
| D. -3             | M. $\frac{14}{3}$    | V. $\frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{3}{2}$ |
| E. 0              | N. 21                | W. $1 - \cos x$                  |
| F. 0.5            | O. -1 and 0 only     | X. $1 + \cos x$                  |
| G. 1              | P. 0, 1, and 3 only  | Y. $y = x + 1$                   |
| H. 2              | Q. -1, 0, and 2 only | Z. None of the above             |
| I. 2.5            | R. 0 and 2 only      |                                  |