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## Solutions to Examination in MAT111 - Calculus 1

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### Question 1

Express the complex number  $\left(\frac{2}{1-i}\right)^3$  in the form  $a + ib$ , where  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ .

### Solution

Let  $z = \frac{2}{1-i}$ . Then

$$z = \frac{2}{1-i} * \frac{1+i}{1+i} = \frac{2+2i}{1-i^2} = \frac{2+2i}{2} = 1+i$$

Find the modulus and the Principal Argument of  $z$ :

$$|z| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \text{Arg}(z) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Write  $z$  in polar form:  $z = \sqrt{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{2}{1-i}\right)^3 = z^3 = (\sqrt{2})^3 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^3 = 2\sqrt{2} \left( \cos \frac{3\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)$$

Notice the use of de Moivre's theorem in the last equality. Use the addition formulas for sine and cosine to get:

$$\cos \frac{3\pi}{4} = \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}},$$

$$\sin \frac{3\pi}{4} = \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{2}{1-i}\right)^3 = 2\sqrt{2} \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}i} \right) = -2 + 2i.$$

### Question 2

Evaluate the limit  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (x + \sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 1})$ .

## Solution

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (x + \sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 1}) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 1})(x - \sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 1})}{x - \sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 1}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x^2 - (x^2 - 4x + 1)}{x - |x|\sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{4x - 1}{x + x\sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{4 - \frac{1}{x}}{1 + \sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{4 - 0}{1 + \sqrt{1 - 0 + 0}} \\ &= 2\end{aligned}$$

## Question 3

Decide whether or not the real function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\ln(\cos 2x)}{2x^2}, & x \neq 0, \\ -1, & x = 0, \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

## Solution

$$f(0) = -1.$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(\cos 2x)}{2x^2} = \frac{0}{0}$$

The limit is indeterminate so use l'Hopital rule

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \tan 2x}{4x} = \frac{0}{0}.$$

The limit is indeterminate so we use l'Hopital rule again

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4 \sec^2 2x}{4} = -1$$

Hence, the function is continuous since

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0).$$

## Question 4

- (a) Compute the Taylor polynomial of order 3,  $P_3(x)$ , about  $x = 0$  for the function

$$f(x) = x \cos x, \quad \text{for } x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- (b) Show that the real function  $g(x) = 4 \sin x + x \cos x$  is strictly increasing on the interval  $[0, \pi/4]$ .
- (c) If  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{4}$ , find constants  $G$  and  $H$  such that

$$P_3(x) + Gx^4 < f(x) < P_3(x) + Hx^4.$$

**Hint:** You may find (b) useful

## Solution

- (a) The Taylor polynomial of order 3,  $P_3(x)$ , for the given function  $f(x) = x \cos x$  about  $x = 0$  is

$$P_3(x) = f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)}{2}x^2 + \frac{f'''(0)}{6}x^3.$$

Next is to compute the derivatives and substitute into the above expression

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) = x \cos x &\Rightarrow f(0) = 0, \\ f'(x) = \cos x - x \sin x &\Rightarrow f'(0) = 1, \\ f''(x) = -2 \sin x - x \cos x &\Rightarrow f''(0) = 0, \\ f'''(x) = -3 \cos x + x \sin x &\Rightarrow f'''(0) = -3. \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P_3(x) = x - \frac{1}{2}x^3.$$

- (b) To show that  $g(x) = 4 \sin x + x \cos x$  is strictly increasing on  $[0, \pi/4]$ , use the first derivative test to check that

$$g'(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in [0, \pi/4].$$

$$g'(x) = 5 \cos x - x \sin x > 0 \quad \forall x \in [0, \pi/4]$$

Hence, the function is strictly increasing on  $[0, \pi/4]$ .

- (c) The error of approximation is

$$E_3(x) = \frac{f^{(4)}(c)}{4!}x^4, \quad 0 < c < x < \pi/4.$$

$$f^{(4)}(c) = 4 \sin c + x \cos c \quad \Rightarrow \quad E_3(x) = \frac{4 \sin c + x \cos c}{24}x^4$$

By (b)  $f^{(4)}(c) = g(c)$  is strictly increasing on  $[0, \pi/4]$  which implies that  $E_3(x)$  is strictly increasing for  $0 < x < \pi/4$ . Consequently,

$$\frac{4 \sin 0 + 0}{24} x^4 < \frac{4 \sin c + c \cos c}{24} x^4 < \frac{4 \sin(\pi/4) + (\pi/4) \cos(\pi/4)}{24} x^4$$

$$0 < E_3(x) < \frac{1}{24} \left( \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}} \right) x^4$$

$$P_3(x) < E_3(x) + P_3(x) < \left( \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\pi}{96\sqrt{2}} \right) x^4 + P_3(x)$$

$$P_3(x) < f(x) < \left( \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\pi}{96\sqrt{2}} \right) x^4 + P_3(x)$$

$$\therefore G = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad H = \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\pi}{96\sqrt{2}}$$

## Question 5

Without solving for  $y(x)$ , find the value of  $y''(0)$  in the initial value problem

$$(x + 2)y' + y = 1, \quad x > 0, \quad y(0) = 2.$$

## Solution

$$\begin{aligned} (x + 2)y' + y = 1 &\Rightarrow (x + 2)y'' + y' + y' = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow y'' = -\frac{2y'}{x + 2} \end{aligned}$$

Now find the initial value for  $y'(0)$

$$\begin{aligned} y(0) = 2 &\Rightarrow (0 + 2)y'(0) + 2 = 1 \Rightarrow y'(0) = -\frac{1}{2} \\ \therefore y''(0) &= -\frac{2y'(0)}{0 + 2} = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

## Question 6

The graphs of two functions  $y = f(x)$  are shown in the Figure 1 below. For each of them, sketch a qualitatively accurate graphs of the first derivative  $f'(x)$  and the second derivative  $f''(x)$  from the graphs of  $f(x)$ .

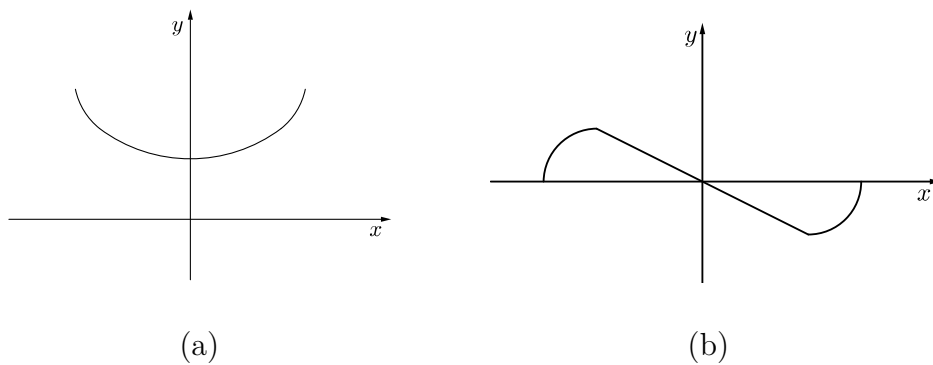


Figure 1: The graph of  $y = f(x)$ .

## Solution

(a)

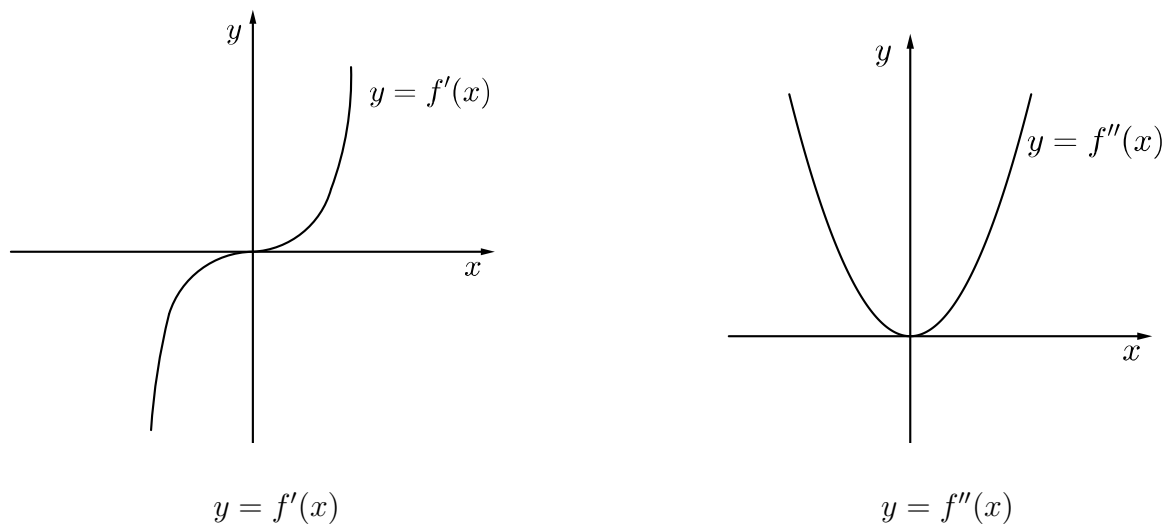


Figure 2: Question 6(a).

(b)

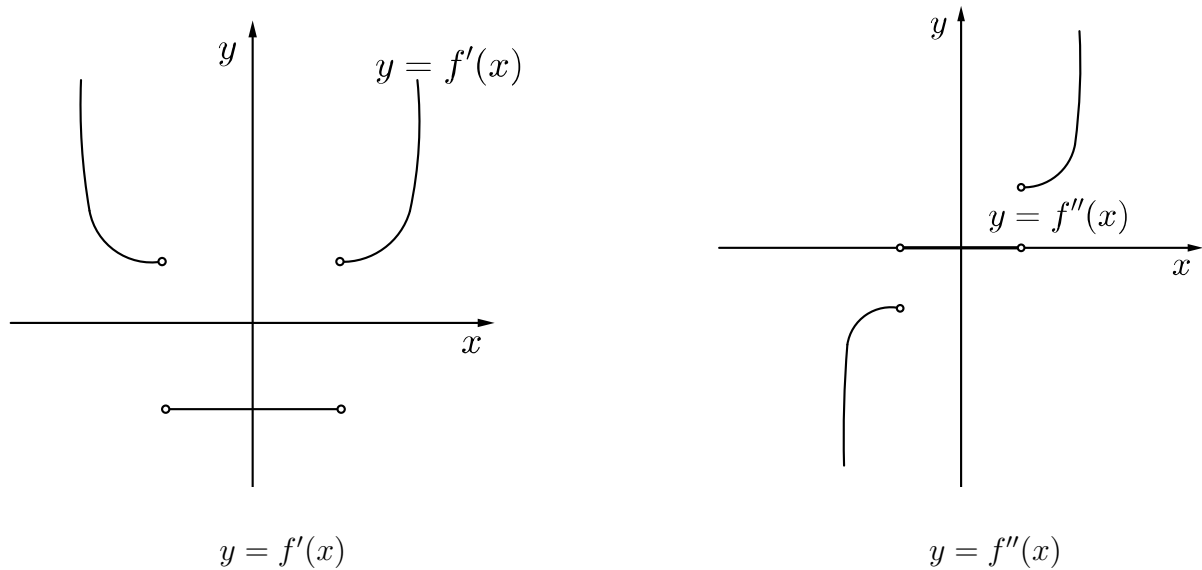


Figure 3: Question 6(b).

## Question 7

Compute the following indefinite integrals

(a)  $\int x^3 \sin(x^2) dx$

(b)  $\int \sqrt{4-x^2} dx$

## Solution

(a) Use substitution by letting  $u = x^2$ . Then

$$u = x^2 \Rightarrow du = 2x dx$$

$$\therefore \int x^3 \sin(x^2) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int u \sin u du.$$

Proceed by integration by parts

$$f = u \Rightarrow df = du$$

$$dg = \sin u \Rightarrow g = -\cos u$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{1}{2} \int u \sin u du &= -\frac{1}{2} u \cos u + \frac{1}{2} \int \cos u du \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} u \cos u + \frac{1}{2} \sin u + C. \end{aligned}$$

Substitute  $u = x^2$  back into the result of the last integral to get

$$\int x^3 \sin(x^2) dx = -\frac{1}{2} x^2 \cos(x^2) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(x^2) + C.$$

(b) Use trigonometric substitution:

$$\begin{aligned}u = 2 \sin u &\Rightarrow dx = 2 \cos u du \\ \Rightarrow \int \sqrt{4 - x^2} dx &= 2 \int \sqrt{4 - \sin^2 u} \cos u du \\ &= 4 \int \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 u} \cos u du \\ &= 4 \int \sqrt{\cos^2 u} \cos u du \\ &= 4 \int \cos^2 u du \\ &= 2 \int (1 + \cos 2u) du \\ &= 2u + \sin 2u + C \\ &= 2u + 2 \sin u \cos u + C\end{aligned}$$

$$x = 2 \sin u \Rightarrow u = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{2} \right).$$

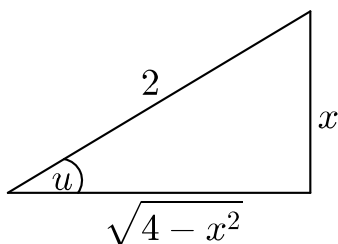


Figure 4:  $\sin u = \frac{x}{2}$ .

From Figure 4, we have

$$\sin u = \frac{x}{2}, \quad \cos u = \frac{\sqrt{4 - x^2}}{2}.$$

$$\therefore \int \sqrt{4 - x^2} dx = 2 \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{2} \right) + \frac{x\sqrt{4 - x^2}}{2} + C$$

## Question 8

The (real) function  $f$  defined on some interval has the property that all normals to the graph of the function pass through the point  $(2, 1)$ . (The normal is the line which is perpendicular to the tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at a point).

(a) Show that  $y = f(x)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$y' = \frac{2 - x}{y - 1}.$$

**Hint:** Use the given information to calculate the slope of the graph of the function at an arbitrary point  $(x, y)$ .

- (b) Find all solutions to the differential equation in (a). Leave your answer in implicit form. (You may solve this problem without having solved (a)).
- (c) What kind of curves are described by the implicit solutions in (b)? (Specify the values of the integration constant which give such curves.)

## Solution

- (a) The equation of the normal through the point  $(2, 1)$  is

$$y - 1 = -\frac{1}{y'}(x - 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{2 - x}{y - 1}$$

- (b) This is a separable equation so

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 - x}{y - 1} \Rightarrow (y - 1)dy = (2 - x)dx.$$

$$\Rightarrow \int (y - 1) dy = \int (2 - x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y^2}{2} - y = 2x - \frac{x^2}{2} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 - 4x + y^2 - 2y = C$$

$$\Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = C + 5$$

- (c)

$$C > -5 \rightarrow \text{a circle centred at } (2, 1)$$

$$C = -5 \rightarrow \text{a single point}$$

$$C < -5 \rightarrow \text{null set}$$

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