

# CALCULUS I/MATH 150

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### EXAM 1/CHAPTERS 1, 2.1

- $\pi$  100 POINTS POSSIBLE
- $\pi$  YOUR WORK MUST SUPPORT YOUR ANSWER FOR FULL CREDIT TO BE AWARDED
- $\pi$  NO GRAPHING CALCULATOR IS PERMITTED
- $\pi$  PROVIDE EXACT ANSWERS (NO DECIMALS PLEASE)



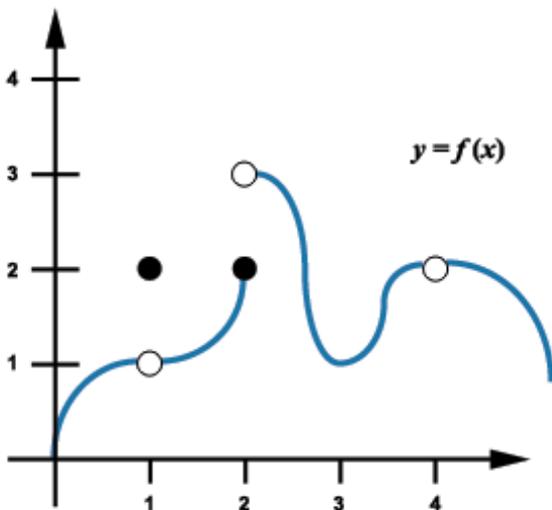
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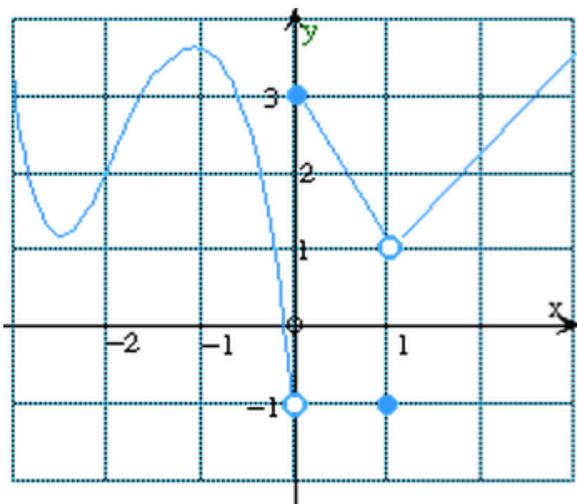
GOOD LUCK ☺

1. (8 POINTS, 2 POINTS EACH) Use the graph of  $y = f(x)$  shown below to find each limit, if it exists. If the limit does not exist, explain why



- a.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) =$  DNE  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x)$
- b.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) =$  1
- c.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) =$  1
- d.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) =$  1

2. (6 POINTS) Consider the function shown below. Is this function continuous at  $x = 0$ ? EXPLAIN using the 3 conditions for continuity at a point!



1.  $f(0) = 3$  ✓
2.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} y$  DNE *Fails*
- 3.

Circle one:

continuous at  $x = 1$  not continuous at  $x = 1$

3. (6 POINTS) Find the limit  $L$ . Then find  $\delta > 0$  such that  $|f(x) - L| < 0.01$  whenever  $0 < |x - c| < \delta$ .

D.S.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 10} (10 - 5x) = 10 - 5(10) = -40$$

$L = -40$

$f(x) = 10 - 5x$

$\epsilon = 0.01$

$c = 10$

$$|f(x) - L| < 0.01$$

$$|10 - 5x - (-40)| < 0.01$$

$$|50 - 5x| < 0.01$$

$$|-5(x - 10)| < 0.01$$

$$|-5||x - 10| < 0.01$$

$$5|x - 10| < 0.01$$

$$|x - 10| < \frac{0.01}{5}$$

$$0 < x - 10 < 0.0019$$

$\delta = 0.0019$

$500 \overline{) 1.000}$   
 $\text{but } \delta = .002$   
 $\text{gives us } f(10.002) = 39.999$

4. (25 POINTS, 5 POINTS EACH) Find the exact **FINITE LIMIT** analytically. If there is no finite limit, write DNE (does not exist). DO NOT USE YOUR CALCULATOR!

$-39.99 - (-40) = 0.01$

a.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} (\sec^3(9x/4)) = \sec^3(\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi} \frac{9x}{4})$

D.S.

$$= (\sec \frac{9\pi}{4})^3$$

$$= (\sqrt{2})^3$$

$= 2\sqrt{2}$

d.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1/3} \frac{3x-1}{27x^3-1} = \frac{0}{0}$  indeterminate more work!

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1/3} \frac{3x-1}{27x^3-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1/3} \frac{\cancel{3x-1}}{(\cancel{3x-1})(9x^2+3x+1)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1/3} \frac{1}{9x^2+3x+1}$$

D.S.

$$= \frac{1}{9(\frac{1}{3})^2 + 3(\frac{1}{3}) + 1}$$

$= \frac{1}{3}$

b.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \left( \frac{x^2 - x - 1}{x - 1} \right)$

D.S.

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

$$= \frac{11}{3}$$

c.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos 3x}{x}$

D.S.

$$= \frac{1 - \cos(3 \cdot 0)}{0}$$

$= \frac{0}{0}$  indeterminate more work!

$$\frac{3}{3} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos 3x}{x} = 3 \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos 3x}{3x}$$

$$= 3(0) \leftarrow \text{special trig. limit}$$

$= 0$

e.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -32} \left( -\sqrt[5]{x} + \sqrt[3]{2x} \right)$

D.S.

$$= -\sqrt[5]{-32} + \sqrt[3]{2(-32)}$$

$$= -(-2) + \sqrt[3]{-64}$$

$$= 2 + (-4)$$

$= -2$

5. (16 POINTS, 8 POINTS EACH) Find the exact **FINITE LIMIT** analytically. If there is no finite limit, write DNE (does not exist). DO NOT USE YOUR CALCULATOR!

a.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2}}{x - 2} \stackrel{\text{D.S.}}{=} \frac{0}{0}$  indeterminate, more work!

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

D.S.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2}}$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \text{ or } \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

b.  $\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+\Delta x} - \frac{1}{x}}{\Delta x} \stackrel{\text{D.S.}}{=} \frac{0}{0}$  indeterminate, more work!

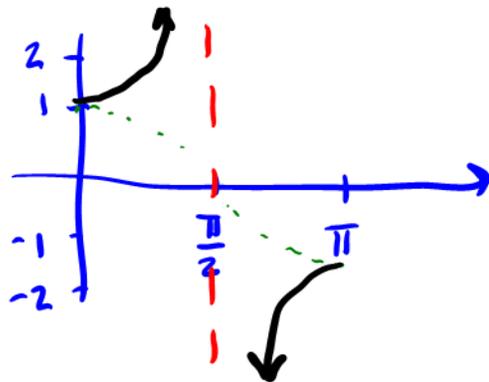
$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+\Delta x} - \frac{1}{x}}{\Delta x} &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x - (x+\Delta x)}{x(x+\Delta x)}}{\Delta x} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{-\Delta x}}{x(x+\Delta x)} \cdot \frac{1}{\cancel{\Delta x}} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{x(x+\Delta x)} \\ &\stackrel{\text{D.S.}}{=} \frac{-1}{x(x+0)} \\ &= \boxed{\frac{-1}{x^2}} \end{aligned}$$

6. (10 POINTS) Use the limit definition to find the derivative of  $f$  with respect to  $x$  of  $f(x) = \sin(x)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x+\Delta x) - \sin(x)}{\Delta x} \\
 &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x \cos \Delta x + \cos x \sin \Delta x - \sin x}{\Delta x} \\
 &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x \sin \Delta x - \sin x (1 - \cos \Delta x)}{\Delta x} \\
 &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x \sin \Delta x}{\Delta x} - \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x (1 - \cos \Delta x)}{\Delta x} \\
 &= \cos x \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \Delta x}{\Delta x} - \sin x \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos \Delta x}{\Delta x} \\
 &= \cos x (1) - \sin x (0) \\
 &= \boxed{\cos x}
 \end{aligned}$$

7. (7 POINTS) Find the limit. It is acceptable to write a result of plus or minus infinity.

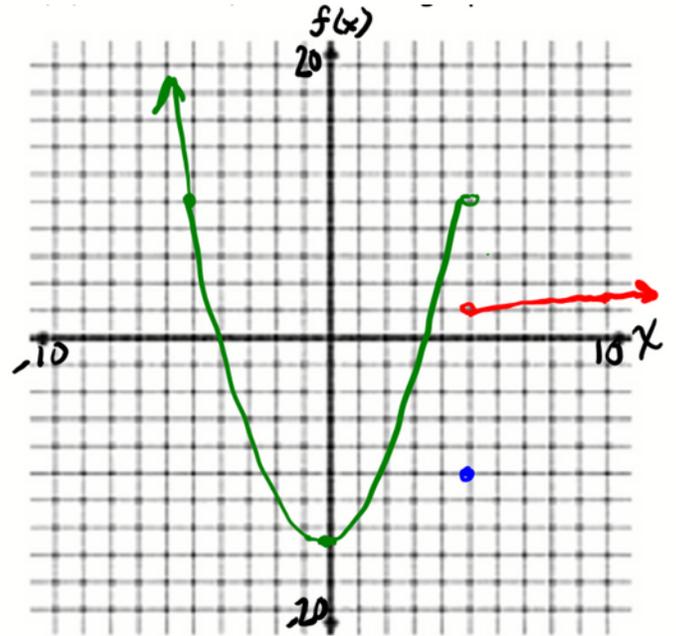
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2^+} \sec x = \boxed{-\infty}$$



8. (10 POINTS) Consider the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 15, & \text{if } x < 5 \\ -10, & \text{if } x = 5 \\ \sqrt{x-1}, & \text{if } x > 5 \end{cases}$$

a) (4 POINTS) Sketch the graph.



b) (3 POINTS) Identify the values of  $c$ , for which  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  exists. Use interval notation.

$$(-\infty, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$$

c) (3 POINTS) On what interval(s) is this function continuous? Use interval notation.

$$(-\infty, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$$

9. (12 POINTS, 3 POINTS EACH). Evaluate the limits below using the following information:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = \infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow c} h(x) = 5$$

a.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \left[ \frac{h(x)}{f(x)} \right] = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} h(x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)}$

$$= \frac{5}{\infty}$$

$$= \boxed{0}$$

c.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \left( -g(x) + [h(x)]^2 \right)$

$$= -\lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) + \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow c} h(x) \right]^2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} + (5)^2$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{49}{2}}$$

b.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} [g(x)f(x)]$

$$= \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) \right] \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) \right]$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) (\infty)$$

$$= \boxed{\infty}$$

d.  $\cos^{-1} \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(x) \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$

$$= \boxed{\frac{\pi}{3}}$$