

Differentiate and simplify where appropriate:

1. (5pts)  $\frac{d}{dx} \ln(3x^2 - 5x + 2) = \frac{1}{3x^2 - 5x + 2} \cdot (6x - 5) = \frac{6x - 5}{3x^2 - 5x + 2}$

2. (6pts)  $\frac{d}{dx} (x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 4x^{\frac{1}{2}})e^x = \left(\frac{3}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right)e^x + (x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 4x^{\frac{1}{2}})e^x$   
 $= e^x \left(\frac{3}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 4x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right) = e^x \left(x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{5}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right)$

3. (6pts)  $\frac{d}{du} \frac{\ln u}{u^2} = \frac{\frac{1}{u} \cdot u^2 - \ln u \cdot 2u}{u^4} = \frac{u - 2u \ln u}{u^4} = \frac{1 - 2 \ln u}{u^3}$

4. (7pts)  $\frac{d}{dx} \arctan \sqrt{x^2 - 1} = \frac{1}{1 + (\sqrt{x^2 - 1})^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x^2 - 1}} \cdot 2x = \frac{1}{1 + x^2 - 1} \cdot \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}}$   
 $= \frac{x}{x^2 \sqrt{x^2 - 1}} = \frac{1}{x \sqrt{x^2 - 1}}$

5. (7pts)  $\frac{d}{d\theta} \log_4 \frac{1 - \sec \theta}{1 + \sec \theta} = \frac{d}{d\theta} (\log_4(1 - \sec \theta) - \log_4(1 + \sec \theta))$

$$= \frac{1}{(1 - \sec \theta) \ln 4} (-\sec \theta \tan \theta) - \frac{1}{(1 + \sec \theta) \ln 4} \sec \theta \tan \theta = \frac{-\sec \theta \tan \theta}{\ln 4} \left( \frac{1}{1 - \sec \theta} + \frac{1}{1 + \sec \theta} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{\sec \theta \tan \theta}{\ln 4} \frac{1 + \sec \theta + 1 - \sec \theta}{(1 - \sec \theta)(1 + \sec \theta)} = \frac{-2 \sec \theta \tan \theta}{(1 - \sec^2 \theta) \ln 4} = \frac{-2 \sec \theta \tan \theta}{\ln 4 \tan^2 \theta} = -\frac{2 \sec \theta}{\ln 4 \tan \theta} = -\frac{2}{\ln 4 \sin \theta}$$

6. (10pts) Use logarithmic differentiation to find the derivative of  $y = (x^2 - 1)^{x^2}$ .

$$y = (x^2 - 1)^{x^2}$$

$$y' = y \left( 2x \ln(x^2 - 1) + \frac{2x^3}{x^2 - 1} \right)$$

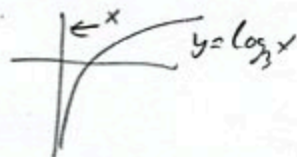
$$= -\frac{2}{\ln 4} \csc \theta$$

$$\ln y = x^2 \ln(x^2 - 1) \quad \left| \frac{d}{dx} \right.$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \cdot y' = 2x \ln(x^2 - 1) + x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{x^2 - 1} \cdot 2x \quad y' = 2(x^2 - 1)^{x^2} \left( x \ln(x^2 - 1) + \frac{x^3}{x^2 - 1} \right)$$

Find the limits algebraically. Graphs of basic functions will help, as will L'Hospital's rule, where appropriate.

7. (2pts)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \log_3 x = -\infty$



8. (7pts)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \arccos\left(\frac{x+4}{x^2-3x+12}\right) = \arccos\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x+4}{x^2-3x+12}\right)$

$$= \arccos\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x\left(1 + \frac{4}{x}\right)}{x^2\left(1 - \frac{3}{x} + \frac{12}{x^2}\right)}\right) = \arccos\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{1 + \frac{4}{x}}{1 - \frac{3}{x} + \frac{12}{x^2}}\right)$$

$$= \arccos\left(0 \cdot \frac{1+0}{1-0+0}\right) = \arccos(0) = \arccos 0 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

9. (6pts)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(-\sin x)}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

10. (9pts)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{1.1^x} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{3}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{1.1^x \cdot \ln 1.1} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{1.1^x \cdot \ln 1.1 \cdot \ln 1.1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{4(\ln 1.1)^2 \cdot \sqrt{x} \cdot 1.1^x}$

$$= \frac{3}{4(\ln 1.1)^2 \cdot \infty \cdot \infty} = \frac{3}{\infty} = 0$$

11. (8pts)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1-2x)^{\frac{1}{\sin x}} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \ln y} = e^{-2} = \frac{1}{e^2}$

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

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

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1-2x)}{\sin x} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{1-2x} \cdot (-2)}{\cos x} = \frac{-2}{1-0} = -2$$

12. (10pts) Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ .

a) Write the linearization of  $f(x)$  at  $a = 16$ .

b) Use the linearization to estimate  $\sqrt{17}$  and compare to the calculator value of 4.123106.

$$a) f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f(16) = 4$$

$$f'(16) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{16}} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$L(17) = \frac{17}{8} + 2 = \frac{33}{8} = 4\frac{1}{8} = 4.125$$

within  $2 \times 10^{-3}$  of calculator value

$$b) L(x) = f(16) + f'(16)(x - 16)$$

$$= 4 + \frac{1}{8}(x - 16)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8}x + 2$$

13. (10pts) A cube is measured to have side length of 5 centimeters, with maximum error 2 millimeters. Use differentials to estimate the maximum possible error, the relative error and the percentage error when computing the volume of the cube.

$$V = x^3 \quad 2 \text{ mm} = 0.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$dV = 3x^2 dx$$

$$dV = 3 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 0.2 = 75 \cdot 0.2 = 15 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\frac{dV}{V} = \frac{15}{5^3} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{5^3} = \frac{3 \cdot 4}{25 \cdot 4} = \frac{12}{100} = 12\%$$

14. (7pts) The table of values of  $f(x)$  and  $f'(x)$  is given at right. Use the theorem on derivatives of inverses to find  $(f^{-1})'(1)$ .

$x$	1	2	3	4
$f(x)$	4	1	0	-1
$f'(x)$	-2	-3	-4	-1

$$(f^{-1})'(1) = \frac{1}{f'(f^{-1}(1))} = \frac{1}{f'(2)} = \frac{1}{-3} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$f(x) = 1$$

$$x = 2$$

from table

**Bonus.** (10pts) The function  $f(x) = x^2 + 4x - 7$  is one-to-one on the domain  $(-\infty, -2]$ .

a) Use either the quadratic formula or completion of squares to find  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

b) Use the theorem on derivatives on inverses to find  $(f^{-1})'(x)$  and compare it with the derivative that you get from the formula you find in a).

$$a) \quad y = x^2 + 4x - 7$$

$$x^2 + 4x - 7 - y = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot (-7-y)}}{2 \cdot 1}$$

$$= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 + 4(y+7)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4(4+y+7)}}{2} = \frac{-4 \pm 2\sqrt{11+y}}{2} = -2 \pm \sqrt{y+11}$$

$$b) \quad f^{-1}(x) = -2 - \sqrt{x+11}$$

$$(f^{-1})'(x) = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+11}} \quad \text{from a)}$$

$$(f^{-1})'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(f^{-1}(x))} \quad [f(x) = x^2 + 4x - 7]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2(-2 - \sqrt{x+11}) + 4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-4 - 2\sqrt{x+11} + 4} = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+11}}$$

<sup>0</sup>Total points: 100

Since  $x \leq -2$  we take the  $-$  solution

$$f^{-1}(y) = -2 - \sqrt{y+11}$$