

## Math 105, Calculus I, Spring 2015

### Test 2

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**IMPORTANT:** Show all the steps of your solution for each question.

**Question 1.** [4 marks] (a) Find the derivative of the function  $f(x) = (\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}) \tan^{-1}(2x)$ .

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} (\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}) \tan^{-1}(2x) + \sqrt{4x^2 + 1} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(2x) \quad (\text{Product Rule})$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}) = 8x \cdot \frac{1}{2} (4x^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 4x (4x^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \quad (\text{Chain Rule})$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\tan^{-1}(2x)) = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{1 + (2x)^2} = \frac{2}{1 + 4x^2}. \quad (\text{Chain Rule})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so, } f'(x) &= \frac{4x}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}} \tan^{-1}(2x) + \sqrt{4x^2 + 1} \cdot \frac{2}{1 + 4x^2} \\ &= \frac{4x}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}} \tan^{-1}(2x) + \frac{2}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 1}} \end{aligned}$$

(b) Let  $g(x) = \ln(e^x + e^{-x})$ . Find  $g'(x)$  and  $g''(x)$ .

$$g'(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} \quad (\text{Chain Rule})$$

$$g''(x) = \frac{(e^x + e^{-x})(e^x - e^{-x}) - (e^x - e^{-x})(e^x + e^{-x})}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2}; \quad (\text{Quotient Rule})$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x} + e^{-2x} + 2 - (e^{2x} + e^{-2x} - 2)}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2} = \frac{4}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2}$$

**Question 2.** [4 marks] (a) Use implicit differentiation to find an equation of the tangent line to the curve:  $x^2 + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 10$  at the point  $(1, 2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 10 &\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [x^2 + y^2 + 2y + 1] = \frac{d}{dx} [10] \\ \Rightarrow 2x + 2y'y + 2y' &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2x + y'(2y+2) &= 0 \Rightarrow y'(2y+2) = -2x \Rightarrow y' = \frac{-2x}{2y+2} \end{aligned}$$

At the point  $(1, 2)$ ;  $x=1$  and  $y=2$

$$\text{Then } y' = \frac{-2}{4+2} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

The tangent line at  $(1, 2)$  has Equation

$$y - 2 = -\frac{1}{3}(x-1) \Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}$$

(b) At which points is the tangent line to the curve  $x^2 + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 10$  horizontal?

The tangent is Horizontal if  $y'=0$ . Let's first find  $y'$  by implicit differentiation. From the previous question

$$\frac{d}{dx} [x^2 + y^2 + 2y + 1] \quad y' = \frac{-2x}{2y+2}$$

$$\text{Then, } y' = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0.$$

$$\text{if } x = 0, \text{ then: } 0 + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 10 \Rightarrow y^2 + 2y - 9 = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } y &= \frac{-2 + \sqrt{40}}{2} & \text{or } y &= \frac{-2 - \sqrt{40}}{2} \\ &\approx 2.16 && \approx -4.16 \end{aligned}$$

so the tangent is horizontal at:  $(0, \frac{-2+\sqrt{40}}{2})$  and  $(0, \frac{-2-\sqrt{40}}{2})$

**Question 3. [ 4 marks]**

- (a) Find the critical points of the function  $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + 1$ .

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \Leftrightarrow 3x^2 - 12x + 9 = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 3$$

The critical point are  $(1, 5)$  and  $(3, 1)$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{here } f(1) = 1^3 - 6 \times 1^2 + 9 \times 1 + 1 = 5 \\ f(3) = 3^3 - 6 \times 3^2 + 9 \times 3 + 1 = 1 \end{array} \right)$$

- (b) Find the absolute maximum of the function  $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + 1$  in the closed interval  $[0, 4]$ .

$$f(1) = 5$$

$$f(3) = 1$$

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f(4) = 4^3 - 6 \times 4^2 + 9 \times 4 + 1 = 64 - 96 + 36 + 1 = 5$$

Then  
 $f(1) = f(4) = 5$  is an absolute maximum  
 in the closed interval  $[0, 4]$

**Question 4.** [3 marks] Find the linear approximation of the function  $f(x) = (x+1)^{\frac{4}{3}}$  at  $a = 0$ , then use it to approximate the number  $(1.1)^{\frac{4}{3}}$ .

$$f'(x) = \frac{4}{3}(x+1)^{\frac{4}{3}-1} = \frac{4}{3}(x+1)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\text{At } a=0; \quad L(x) = f'(0)(x-0) + f(0)$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}x + 1,$$

$$\begin{aligned} L(f(0)) &= f(1.1)^{\frac{4}{3}} = f(0.1) \\ &\approx L(0.1) \\ &\approx \frac{4}{3} \cdot 0.1 + 1 \\ &\approx 1.133 \end{aligned}$$