

Calculus II - Exam 1 - Spring 2011

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Directions: Complete all problems. Justify all answers/solutions. Calculators, texts or notes are not permitted. The value of each problem is indicated in brackets.

1. [10 points] **Reducing the cases of an infectious disease** We might model the way a disease dies out when properly treated by assuming that the rate dy/dt at which the number of infected people changes with respect to time t (in years) is proportional to the number of people with the disease y . The number of people cured is proportional to the number that have the disease. Suppose that in the course of any given year the number of cases of a disease is reduced by 10%. If there are 50,000 cases today, how many years will it take to reduce the number to 1,000? (As you don't have a calculator, I don't expect you to calculate this value as a decimal.)

2. [8 points] Suppose we wish to calculate the following limit,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos(x)}{x^2 + x}.$$

Below is an incorrect calculation, claiming that the limit is $1/2$. Identify the error in my calculation AND fix it.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos(x)}{x^2 + x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)}{2x + 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x)}{2} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

3. [2 points] **True or false?** We can always divide by e^x .

4. [5 points for each] Calculate each of the following:

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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} x^{1/x}$$

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$$G'(x) \text{ where } G(x) = \int_{72}^{\ln(x)} t \, dt$$

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$$y' \text{ where } y = e^x \sqrt{x} + \log_3(x)$$

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$$\int_0^1 (x^5 + 5^x) dx$$

5. [5 points] **State** the definition of the natural logarithm as an integral.
6. [5 points] Why does the natural logarithm function have an inverse function?
7. [5 points] Find an equation of the tangent to the curve at the given point. $y = x \ln(x)$, (e, e) .

8. [10 points] Use Theorem 7 of Section 7.1 of Stewart's text, the one we've talked so much about, to find the derivative of $y = \cos^{-1}x$. Justify, in words, the validity of each step.