

# MATH 141

## MIDTERM EXAM I

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Circle your Instructor's Name along with the Lecture Time:

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- No calculators are allowed on this exam.
- Please show all your work. You may not receive full credit for a correct answer if there is no work shown.
- Please put your final answer in the space provided.

QUESTION	VALUE	SCORE
1	10	
2	20	
3	30	
4	40	
5	50	
6	60	
7	70	
8	80	
TOTAL	550	

1. (10pts)

(a) Find the slope of the line through the points  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(5, 6)$ .

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Write the equation of this line.

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Find the equation of the line parallel to the above line passing through the point  $(-2, 0)$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Find the equation of the line perpendicular to the above line passing through the point  $(1, 0)$ .

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

2. (20pts)

(a) Suppose you know that  $\tan(\theta) = 5$ . What is  $\cot(\theta)$ ?

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) What is  $\sec(\theta)$  knowing that  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ ?

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) What is  $\cos(\theta)$  with  $\theta$  as above?

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(d) What is  $\sin(\theta)$ ?

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

3. (30pts) State the domain of the following functions:

(a)  $\sqrt{1 - x^2}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b)  $\arctan\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

4. (40) Solve for  $x$  in each of the following:

(a)  $\ln(x) + \ln(x^3) - \ln(2x) = 3$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b)  $e^{2x} - 2e^x + 1 = 0$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(c)  $\ln(2^x) = \ln(5)$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

5. (50pts) Evaluate the following limits (note: some of them may be  $+\infty$ ,  $-\infty$ , or may not even exist):

(a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} (x - 3)^{10}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1 - 2x^2}{x^2 + x - 2}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{x^2 - 2x - 3}{x^2 - x - 2}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \sqrt{\frac{x - 2}{x - 5}}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

6. (60pts) Let  $f$  be a function defined as follows:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{1 + \sin(x)} & \text{if } x < 0 \\ -2 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ \frac{2}{3 - \cos(x)} & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

(a) Evaluate the limit  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$ .

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Evaluate the limit  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x)$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) State if the limit  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$  exists. If it does exist, evaluate it.

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

7. (70pts) Evaluate the following limits at  $\infty$ :

(a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x + 1}{8x - \sin(x)}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{4x + 2}{8x - 4}}$

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_

8. (80) Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ . Find the tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at the point  $(1, 1)$ .

ANSWER: \_\_\_\_\_