

Practice test 3

The actual exam will consist of 6 multiple choice questions and 6 regular problems.
You will have 50 minutes to complete the exam.

Multiple choice questions: circle the correct answer

- Find the derivative of $\sqrt{2x}$.
A. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{x}}$ B. $\frac{2}{\sqrt{2x}}$ C. $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$ D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2x}}$ E. $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2x}}$
- Evaluate the limit: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(3x)}{5x}$
A. 0 B. 0.6 C. $\frac{1}{5}$ D. $\frac{5}{3}$ E. Does not exist
- Simplify the expression: $\frac{8x^3\sqrt{x}}{(3x^2)^2 + 7x^4}$
A. $\frac{8\sqrt{x}}{10x^2}$ B. $\frac{\sqrt{x}}{2}$ C. $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$ D. $\frac{4}{5\sqrt{x}}$ E. $4\sqrt{x}$
- The position of an object at time t is given by $s(t) = 4\sin(t) + 2\cos(t)$. Find the velocity of this object at $t = \frac{\pi}{3}$.
A. $1 + \sqrt{3}$ B. $1 + 2\sqrt{3}$ C. $1 - 2\sqrt{3}$ D. $2 + \sqrt{3}$ E. $2 - \sqrt{3}$
- Find the equation of the line tangent to the curve $y = x^2 + 4x + 4$ at $(1, 9)$.
A. $y = 9x$ B. $y = 6x - 15$ C. $y = 6x + 3$ D. $y = 2x + 1$
E. None of the above
- If $f(3) = 2$, $f'(3) = 4$, $g(3) = 5$, and $g'(3) = 6$, then the derivative of $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ at $x = 3$ is $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)'(3) =$
A. 0.32 B. $\frac{2}{3}$ C. $-\frac{8}{25}$ D. 0 E. Undefined
- If $f(x) = 4^{3x}$, find $f'(x)$.
A. 4^{3x} B. $3 \cdot 4^{3x}$ C. 12^{3x} D. $\ln(4)4^{3x}$ E. $3\ln(4)4^{3x}$

Regular problems: show all your work

8. Differentiate the following functions:

(a) $f(x) = 7x - 3$

(b) $p(s) = s^5 - 2s^4 + 3s^3 - 4s^2 + 5s - 6$

(c) $f(t) = \frac{3t^2 - 5t + 1}{\sqrt{t}}$

(d) $g(x) = x^2 - \frac{x^3}{\sqrt[4]{x}} + \frac{3}{x}$

(e) $q(y) = \frac{y^2 + y + 1}{y + 1}$

(f) $y = 3 \sin(x^5) + \frac{\pi}{2}$

(g) $f(x) = \cos(4)(x^3 - 3x)$

(h) $g(x) = \frac{x^3 - 5}{\cos(-x)}$

(i) $h(x) = \tan(x) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[4]{x^3}} + \frac{2}{x} \right)$

(j) $f(t) = 5e^x - 8 \cdot 3^x + 9x^2$

9. Find the points where the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = x^5 - 80x$ is horizontal.

10. Find an equation of the tangent line to $y = \sqrt{2x + 3}$ at $(3, 3)$.

11. Evaluate the limits:

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(6x)}{\sin(7x)}$

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x}{\tan(4x)}$

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \tan(5x) \csc(x)$

12. Solve for $\frac{dy}{dx}$: $5x \left(8y \frac{dy}{dx} + x^2 \right) = 7 \frac{dy}{dx} - 3xy^3$.

13. Consider the curve given by $x^3y^3 - 3xy^3 + 4y = 6$.

(a) Use implicit differentiation to find $y'(x)$.

(b) Check that the point $(2, 1)$ lies on this curve.

(c) What is the slope of the tangent line to this curve at $(2, 1)$?

14. A snowball is melting (so it is decreasing). Find the rate of decrease of its volume with respect to the radius when the radius is 3 cm. (Recall that the volume of a ball is $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$.)