

Solutions to Math 184 Midterm 2 (Nov. 15, 2018)

(Version I)

(a) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 4(\cos^3 x)(-\sin x) - (\sin(x^4)) 4x^3.$

Answer: $-4(\cos^3 x)\sin x - 4x^3 \sin(x^4)$

(b) $f'(x) = \frac{1}{\ln(2x)} \cdot \frac{1}{2x} \cdot 2$

Answer: $\frac{1}{\ln(2x)} \cdot \frac{1}{2x} \cdot 2 = \frac{1}{x \ln(2x)}$

(c) $f'(x) = \frac{3}{8}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}$

$f' = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{3}{8}x^2 - \frac{1}{2} = 0 \Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$

Answer: $\pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} (= \pm \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}})$

(d) $f(x) = \frac{2x(x^2 - x - 6)}{x^2(x+3)} = \frac{2(x-3)(x+2)}{x(x+3)}$

Answer 1: $x=0, x=-3$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = -\infty \Rightarrow x=0$ is a VA,

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} f(x) = -\infty \Rightarrow x=-3$ is a VA.

Answer 2: $y=2$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{2 - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{6}{x^2}}{1 + \frac{3}{x}} = 2 \Rightarrow y=2$ is a HA.

(e) $f' = \frac{2}{3}x^{-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{2}{3 \cdot \sqrt[3]{x}} \Rightarrow x=0$ is the unique critical point.

$f(0) = 0, f(-8) = (-8)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 2^2 = 4,$

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

Answer: $A=4, B=0.$

2. Let V be the volume of the sand pile,
let r be the radius of the sand pile, and
let h be the height of the sand pile.

Then $r=4h$. Hence, we get

$$V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{3} \pi (4h)^2 h = \frac{16}{3} \pi h^3$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{16}{3} \pi \cdot 3h^2 \cdot \frac{dh}{dt} = 16\pi h^2 \frac{dh}{dt}$$

At the instant that $h=8$, we get

$$24 = \frac{dV}{dt} = 16\pi \cdot 8^2 \frac{dh}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{24}{16\pi(8^2)} \left(\frac{\text{ft}}{\text{min}} \right)$$

$$\text{Q. (a) [5]} \quad \frac{d}{dx} (3(x^2+y^2)^2) = \frac{d}{dx} (25(x^2-y^2))$$

$$3 \cdot 2(x^2+y^2)(2x+2yy') = 25(2x-2yy')$$

$$6x(x^2+y^2) + 6(x^2+y^2)yy' = 25x - 25yy'$$

$$(6x^2+6y^2+25)yy' = (25-6x^2-6y^2)x$$

$$y' = \frac{(25-6x^2-6y^2)x}{(6x^2+6y^2+25)y}$$

At $x=2$, we have $y=1$. Hence, the slope of the tangent line is given by $y'(2) = \frac{(25-24-6) \cdot 2}{(24+6+25) \cdot 1} = -\frac{2}{11}$.

$$\text{(b) [4]} \quad \ln f(x) = \ln(\sin x)^{\cos(3x)} = \cos(3x) \ln(\sin x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\ln f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} (\cos(3x) \cdot \ln(\sin x))$$

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = -\sin(3x) \cdot 3 \cdot \ln(\sin x) + \cos(3x) \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x} \cdot \cos x$$

$$f'(x) = f(x) \left[-3(\sin(3x)) \ln(\sin x) + \frac{(\cos(3x)) \cos x}{\sin x} \right]$$

$$\left(= (\sin x)^{\cos(3x)} \left[-3(\sin(3x)) \ln(\sin x) + \frac{(\cos(3x)) \cos x}{\sin x} \right] \right)$$

4. (a) $\frac{dq}{dp} = 10e^{1-p}(-1) - \frac{5}{(p+1)^2} = -10e^{1-p} - \frac{5}{(p+1)^2}$

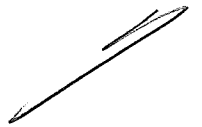
$$E(p) = \frac{p}{q} \frac{dq}{dp} = \frac{p}{q} \left(-10e^{1-p} - \frac{5}{(p+1)^2} \right)$$

$$\left(= \frac{p}{\left(10e^{1-p} + \frac{5}{p+1} \right)} \cdot \left(-10e^{1-p} - \frac{5}{(p+1)^2} \right) \right)$$

(b) If $p=1$, then $q = 10 + \frac{5}{2}$ and

(3) $E(1) = \frac{1}{10 + \frac{5}{2}} \left(-10 - \frac{5}{4} \right) > -1$

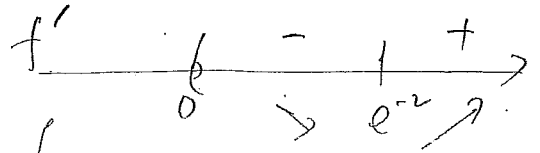
So revenue increases.



$$5. (a) [4] \quad f'(x) = \left((\ln x) \sqrt{x} \right)' = \frac{1}{x} \sqrt{x} + (\ln x) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$= \frac{2 + \ln x}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 2 + \ln x = 0 \Rightarrow x = e^{-2}$ is a critical point.

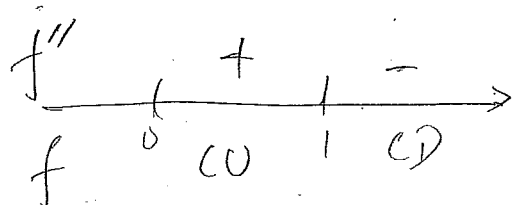


Hence, $f(x) \uparrow$ on (e^{-2}, ∞) , and
 $f(x) \downarrow$ on $(0, e^{-2})$.

$$(b) [3] \quad f'' = \left(\frac{2 + \ln x}{2\sqrt{x}} \right)' = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2 + \ln x}{\sqrt{x}} \right)' = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{x} \sqrt{x} - (2 + \ln x) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}}{x}$$

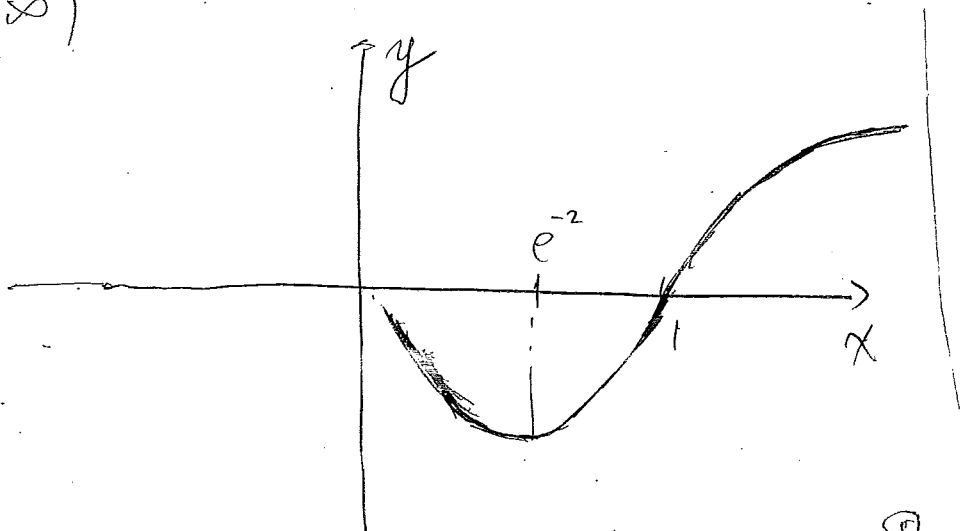
$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2 - (2 + \ln x)}{2 \cdot x \sqrt{x}} = - \frac{\ln x}{4x\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f'' = 0 \Rightarrow \ln x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 1$$



f is CU on $(0, 1)$, and
 f is CW on $(1, \infty)$

(c) [3]



6.

$$F(t) = 6000 e^{rt}$$

$$7260 = F(2) = 6000 e^{2r} \Rightarrow e^{2r} = \frac{7260}{6000} = \frac{726}{600}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{726}{600}\right)$$

$$E(t) = (7260 - 4260) e^{t\left(\frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{726}{600}\right)\right)}$$

$$E(1) = 3000 e^{\frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{726}{600}\right)} \quad \left(= 3000 \sqrt{\frac{726}{600}} \right)$$