

1. (9 marks) Find the following limits. You may use L'Hospital's Rule if you wish.

$$(a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{1}{x-3} - \frac{6}{x^2-9} \quad (b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3e^{2x} + 4}{2e^{2x} + 5}$$

$$(c) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\arctan x}{x}$$

2. (9 marks) Find the derivative of each of the following functions

$$(a) f(x) = \sqrt{4x+3} \quad (b) f(x) = \frac{4x}{x^2+5} \quad (c) f(x) = (\ln x)^6$$

3. (9 marks) Find the derivative of each of the following functions

$$(a) f(x) = \ln(e^x + 1) \quad (b) f(x) = 5^x \quad (c) f(x) = \sin x \cos x$$

4. (10 marks) Find the equation of the line tangent to the curve

$$\sqrt{2x+7y} + \sqrt{6xy} = 11$$

at the point  $(x, y) = (2, 3)$ .

5. (i) (4 marks) Find all the critical points of the function  $f(x) = \cos x + x \sin x$  in the interval  $-\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{5\pi}{2}$ .

(ii) (3 marks) Classify each such point as a local minimum, a local maximum or some other kind of critical point.

(iii) (3 marks) Find the absolute maximum and absolute minimum values of the function  $x \mapsto f(x)$  on the interval  $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{5\pi}{2}$ .

6. (i) (4 marks) Find the first derivative and second derivative of the function

$$f(x) = (2x^2 - 9x + 11)e^x.$$

(ii) (3 marks) Determine where the function is increasing and decreasing.

(iii) (3 marks) Determine where the function is concave up and concave down.

7. (10 marks) Find the point on the line  $2x + y = 3$  nearest to the point  $(5, 8)$ . (*Hint* : In minimizing a distance, it may be easier to minimize the square of the distance.)
8. (10 marks) A piece of wire 1 metre long is bent into the shape of the perimeter of a sector of a circle (so that the wire occupies two radii and an arc of the circle). Find the angle  $\theta$  at the apex of the sector that maximizes the area of the sector. (*Hint* : The area of a sector is given by the formula  $\frac{1}{2}r^2\theta$  where the radius is  $r$  metres and  $\theta$  is the angle at the apex, i.e. between the two radii.)

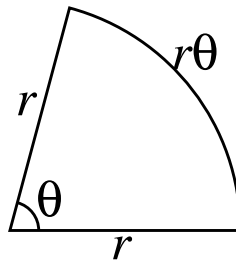


Figure for question 8.

9. A function  $f$  is defined on the whole real line by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } -\pi < x < 0, \\ \sin x & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- (i) (2 marks) Is  $f$  continuous at  $x = -\pi$ ? If not, what kind of discontinuity does  $f$  have at  $-\pi$ ?
- (ii) (2 marks) Is  $f$  continuous at  $x = 0$ ? If not, what kind of discontinuity does  $f$  have at  $0$ ?
- (iii) (4 marks) Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$ .
- (iv) (2 marks) Is  $f$  differentiable at  $x = 0$ ?

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FACULTY OF SCIENCE

FINAL EXAMINATION

MATHEMATICS 189-139A

Calculus I

Examiner: Professor S. W. Drury  
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Date: Friday, 8 December 2000  
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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer all questions.  
This is a closed book examination.  
Calculators are not permitted.

Questions 1 thru 3 are worth 9 points each, questions 4 thru 9 are worth 10 points each.  
The exam will be marked out of 87 points and then scaled to a percentage.

This exam comprises the cover and 2 pages of questions.