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1. Let \( f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x + \sin 3x}{\tan 4x} & x > 0 \\ \frac{(x - a)^2}{4} & x \leq 0 \end{cases} \), where \( a \) is a constant, to be determined.

(a) [6 MARKS] Determine each of \( \lim_{x \to 0^-} f(x) \), \( \lim_{x \to 0^+} f(x) \) or explain why either or both do not exist.

(b) [3 MARKS] Use the information of part (a) to determine all values, if any, for the constant \( a \), which will make \( f \) continuous at \( x = 0 \).
2. [8 MARKS] Let \( m(x) = x^x - (x^2)^{-3} \). Determine the value of \( m'(1) \).
3. [8 MARKS] If $y$ is defined implicitly as a function of $x$ by $2x^2 - 3xy + 5y^2 = 10$, determine the value of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ when $(x, y) = (1, -1)$. 
4. For the function \( h(x) = \arctan \frac{2 + x}{1 - 2x} \),

(a) [1 MARK] State the (largest possible) domain.

(b) [5 MARKS] Determine \( \frac{dh}{dx} \) for all points \( x \) where the derivative exists.

(c) [2 MARKS] Give an example of a function different from \( h \) which has exactly the same domain and exactly the same derivative as \( h \).
5. The function \( u \) is defined by \( u(x) = \frac{x}{1 + x^2} \), for \(-\infty < x < \infty\).

(a) [3 MARKS] Determine the intervals where the function \( u \) is increasing, and those where it is decreasing.

(b) [3 MARKS] Find all critical points. In each case determine whether the point is a maximum or minimum point, or neither.

(c) [3 MARKS] Determine the intervals where the graph of \( u \) is concave upwards, and those where it is concave downwards.

(d) [3 MARKS] Determine all inflection points of the graph.

(e) [2 MARKS] Determine all horizontal or vertical asymptotes of the graph.

(f) [4 MARKS] Sketch the graph.

You may assume that \( u'(x) = -\frac{(x - 1)(x + 1)}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \), and that \( u''(x) = \frac{2x(x^2 - 3)}{(x^2 + 1)^3} \).

(For each of parts (a) through (e) you are expected to show all your work and your results, clearly marked by the question number, e.g., 5(c); it is not sufficient to provide information only on your graph.)
6. [8 MARKS] Use the Intermediate Value Theorem and/or the Mean Value Theorem and/or properties of $G'(x)$ to show that the function $G(x) = x^2 - e^{\frac{1}{x}}$ assumes the value 0 for exactly one real number $x$ such that $0 < x < 2$. Show all your work. [Hint: You may assume that $e^{\frac{1}{2}} < 2$.]
7. [8 MARKS] Triangle $OBC$, in the first quadrant, has vertex $O$ at the origin, vertex $B$ on the $x$-axis, and vertex $C$ on the $y$-axis. If the vertices are constrained so that the line joining $B$ and $C$ passes through the point $(2, 3)$, determine the minimum area for triangle $OBC$. Show all your work.
8. Showing all your work, evaluate the following limits, if they exist:

(a) [8 MARKS] \[ \lim_{x \to \infty} (\sqrt{x^2 + x} - \sqrt{x^2 - x}). \]

(b) [8 MARKS] \[ \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x - \sin x}{x^3}. \]
9. [8 MARKS] Showing all your work, determine all lines with slope 3 which are normal to the curve \(64y + x^3 = 0\), (i.e. which are perpendicular to the tangent at each point where they meet the curve).
10. [9 MARKS] Showing all your work, determine the (global) maxima and minima of the function \( R(x) = 3x^4 + 4x^3 - 6x^2 - 12x \) on the closed interval \(-2 \leq x \leq 2\). [Hint: \( x^3 + x^2 - x - 1 = (x^2 - 1)(x + 1) \).]
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