[10] 1. Evaluate the following limits:

(a) 
$$\lim_{x \to -2} \frac{x^2 + 2x}{x^2 + 6x + 8}$$
  
(b) 
$$\lim_{x \to -2^-} \frac{x + 1}{4 - x^2}$$
  
(c) 
$$\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{2x^2 + 1}}{3x - 5}$$
  
(d) 
$$\lim_{x \to 4} \frac{\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{4}}{2 - \sqrt{x}}$$
  
(e) 
$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x - \sin(2x)}{x}$$

[4] 2. Find the values of a and b that make f continuous everywhere.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x+1}{x^2+x} & \text{if } x < -1\\ ax+b & \text{if } -1 \le x < 2\\ x^2-2 & \text{if } x \ge 2 \end{cases}$$

[3] 3. Sketch the graph of a function f such that all the following conditions are satisfied:

• 
$$f(-5) = 0$$
,  $f(-\frac{1}{2}) = 0$  and  $f(3)$  is undefined;

[4] 4. Find the derivative of  $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$ , using the limit definition of the derivative. Verify your answer using the derivative rules.

[1] 5. Evaluate 
$$\lim_{h \to 0} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - 1}{h}$$
. (Hint : Interpret this as a derivative.)

[3] 6. Find (both coordinates of) each point on the parabola defined by  $y = 2x^2 + 1$  at which the tangent line passes through the point (1, -5).



- [4] 7. Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve  $x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2 = 13$  at the point (-1, 2).
- [15] 8. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for each of the following. Do not simplify your answers.

(a) 
$$y = \cos^2(x) \sec(x^2) + \log_3 x + \pi^e$$
  
(b)  $y = \frac{\tan^2(e^x - 3)}{\ln(3x^2 + 5)}$   
(c)  $y = (\ln(\cos(e^{3x+7})))^6$   
(d)  $y = (\cot x)^{\sin x}$   
(e)  $y = \sqrt[4]{\frac{x^5 \sin^2 x}{(x-5)^6}}$  (Use logarithmic differentiation.)

- [3] 9. Prove that the equation  $x^3 + 33x 8 = 0$  has exactly one root. Use the intermediate value theorem and Rolle's theorem in your proof.
- [5] 10. Given the function  $f(x) = \frac{2}{x^2} \frac{9}{x^4}$ 
  - (a) state the equations of all horizontal and vertical asymptotes of f
  - (b) find the intervals on which f is increasing or decreasing
  - (c) find all local maximum or minimum values of f
- [9] 11. Given

$$f(x) = x(x-5)^{2/3}$$
  $f'(x) = \frac{5(x-3)}{3(x-5)^{1/3}}$   $f''(x) = \frac{10(x-6)}{9(x-5)^{4/3}}$ 

with  $3(2^{2/3}) \approx 5$ , find:

- (a) the domain of f,
- (b) x- and y- intercepts,
- (c) vertical and horizontal asymptotes, if any,
- (d) intervals on which f is increasing or decreasing,
- (e) local extrema,
- (f) intervals on which f is concave upward or downward,
- (g) inflection point(s).

Sketch the graph of f. Label all intercepts, asymptotes, extrema and inflection point(s).

[4] 12. Find the absolute maximum and minimum of  $f(t) = 4t^3 - 5t^2 - 8t + 3$  on [-1, 1].

[6] 13. Factory A is 6 kilometres north of factory B, while power plant C is 4 kilometres east of the midpoint M of AB. Power is to be delivered to these two factories via a cable that will run from C to some point P (as in the diagram), where it will split into two branches going to A and B. How far away from the midpoint M should the branch point P be located in order to minimize the total length of the cable between A, B and C?



- [3] 14. A particle moves in a straight line and has acceleration given by  $a(t) = 6t + 4 \text{ cm/s}^2$ . Its initial velocity is v(0) = -6 cm/s. and its initial displacement is s(0) = 9 cm. Find its position function s(t).
- [4] 15. Compute  $\int_0^2 (2x^3 1)dx$  as a limit of Riemann sums. Note that  $\sum_{i=1}^n i^3 = \left[\frac{n(n+1)}{2}\right]^2$ .
- [12] 16. Evaluate each of the following integrals.

(a) 
$$\int \left(e^x + x^3 + 3^x + e^3\right) dx$$
  
(b) 
$$\int \frac{(2x + \sqrt{x})^2}{x^3} dx$$
  
(c) 
$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sec \theta \tan \theta \csc \theta d\theta$$
  
(d) 
$$\int_{-3}^{2} |2x - 1| dx$$

[3] 17. Evaluate the following limit by expressing it as a definite integral.

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left( \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{n}} + \sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{n}} + \sqrt[3]{\frac{3}{n}} + \dots + \sqrt[3]{\frac{n}{n}} \right)$$

[3] 18. Use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to find the second derivative (g''(x)) of  $g(x) = \int_{\ln(x)}^{x} te^{t} dt$ .

- [4] 19. True or False? Justify your answers!
  - (a) If  $f(x) = \frac{x^3 4x}{x 2}$ , then f has a vertical asymptote at x = 2.
  - (b) If f is continuous at x = a then it must be differentiable at x = a.
  - (c) If  $\int f(x)dx = x^2 \ln x + C$ , then  $f(x) = x + 2x \ln x$ . (d)  $\int_{\pi}^{\pi} \sqrt{\tan x} \, dx = 0$

1. a. The numerator and denominator each vanish as  $x \to -2$ , and factorising by inspection gives  $x^2 + 2x = x(x + 2)$  and  $x^2 + 6x + 8 = (x + 4)(x + 2)$ , so

$$\lim_{x \to -2} \frac{x^2 + 2x}{x^2 + 6x + 8} = \lim_{x \to -2} \frac{x}{x + 4} = -1$$

b. If  $x \to -2$  and x < -2, then  $x + 1 \to -1$ ,  $4 - x^2 \to 0$  and  $4 - x^2 < 0$ , so  $\lim_{\substack{x \to -2 \\ x < -2}} \frac{x + 1}{4 - x^2} = \infty$ . c. Extracting dominant powers gives  $\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{2x^2 + 1}}{3x - 5} = \lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{-\sqrt{2 + x^{-2}}}{3 - 5x^{-1}} = -\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{2}$ . d. If x > 0, then

$$\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{4 - x}{4x} = \frac{(2 - \sqrt{x})(2 + \sqrt{x})}{4x}, \text{ and so } \lim_{x \to 4} \frac{1/x - 1/4}{2 - \sqrt{x}} = \lim_{x \to 4} \frac{2 + \sqrt{x}}{4x} = \frac{1}{4}.$$

e. Since  $\tan x - \sin(2x) = \sin x \sec x - 2 \sin x \cos x = (\sin x)(\sec x - 2 \cos x)$ , it follows that

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x - \sin(2x)}{x} \lim_{x \to 0} \left\{ \frac{\sin x}{x} \cdot (\sec x - 2\cos x) \right\} = 1(1-2) = -1.$$

**2.** As f(x) = 1/x if x < -1 and elsewhere f is a piecewise polynomial function, f is continuous on  $(-\infty, -1)$ , [-1, 2) and  $[2, \infty)$ , so f is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$  if f is continuous at -1 and at 2. Now

$$\lim_{\substack{x \to -1 \\ x < -1}} f(x) = -1, \qquad \lim_{\substack{x \to -1 \\ x > -1}} f(x) = f(-1) = -a + b,$$
  
$$\lim_{\substack{x \to 2 \\ x < 2}} f(x) = 2a + b \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{\substack{x \to 2 \\ x < 2}} f(x) = f(2) = 2.$$

Hence, f is continuous at -1 and at 2 if, and only if, a - b = 1 and 2a + b = 2, *i.e.*, 3a = 3, or a = 1, and b = 0. Therefore, f is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$  if, and only if, a = 1 and b = 0.

3. A portion of the graph of such a function, with domain

$$\{-5\} \cup \left[-\frac{9}{2}, -4\right) \cup \left(-4, -\frac{7}{2}\right] \cup \left\{-\frac{1}{2}\right\} \cup \left[\frac{1}{2}, 1\right) \cup \left(1, \frac{3}{2}\right] \cup \left[4, \infty\right),$$

is sketched below.



4. If 
$$y = \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$$
 and  $y' = \sqrt{x'^2 + 1}$ , then  $y' - y = \frac{{y'}^2 - y^2}{y' + y} = \frac{(x' - x)(x' + x)}{y' + y}$ . Hence,  
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{x' \to x} \frac{y' - y}{x' - x} = \lim_{x' \to x} \frac{x' + x}{y' + y} = \frac{2x}{2y} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}.$$

This justifies, in this case, the tricks used in  $\frac{d}{dx}(x^2+1)^{1/2} = \frac{1}{2}(x^2+1)^{-1/2}(2x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$ .

5. By inspection, 
$$\lim_{h \to 0} \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{2}\pi + h) - 1}{h} = \frac{d}{dx} \{\sin x\} \bigg|_{x = \frac{1}{2}\pi} = \cos(\frac{1}{2}\pi) = 0$$

**6.** The tangent line at (x, y) to the curve defined by  $y = 2x^2 + 1$  contains (1, -5) if, and only if,

$$\frac{y+5}{x-1} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$
, *i.e.*,  $\frac{2x^2+6}{x-1} = 4x$ , or  $x^2+3 = 2x^2-2x$ ;

equivalently,  $0 = x^2 - 2x - 3 = (x + 1)(x - 3)$ . Therefore, the tangent lines to the parabola at the points (-1, 3) and (3, 19)—and no other points—contain (1, -5).

7. If  $x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2 = 13$ , then implicit differentiation gives

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x}\bigg|_{\substack{x=-1\\y=2}} = -\frac{x+y}{x+4y}\bigg|_{\substack{x=-1\\y=2}} = -\frac{-1+2}{-1+8} = -\frac{1}{7},$$

so the tangent line to the curve at the point (-1, 2) is defined by x + 7y = 13.

8. a. If 
$$y = \cos^2(x) \sec(x^2) + \log_3(x) + \pi^e = \frac{\cos^2(x)}{\cos(x^2)} + \frac{\log x}{\log 3} + \pi^e$$
, then  

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{\sin(2x)}{\cos(x^2)} + \frac{2x\cos^2(x)\sin(x^2)}{\cos^2(x^2)} + \frac{1}{x\log 3}.$$
b. If  $y = \frac{\tan^2(e^x - 3)}{\log(3x^2 + 5)}$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2e^x \tan(e^x - 3)\sec^2(e^x - 3)}{\log(3x^2 + 5)} - \frac{6x\tan^2(e^x - 3)}{(3x^2 + 5)(\log(3x^2 + 5))^2}$ 
c. If  $y = (\log(\cos(e^{3x+7})))^6$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -18e^{3x+7}(\log(\cos(e^{3x+7})))^5 \tan(e^{3x+7})$ .  
d. If  $y = (\cot x)^{\sin x}$ , then logarithmic differentiation gives

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = y \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} \{ \log y \} = -(\cot x)^{\sin x} \{ (\cos x) \log(\tan x) + \sec x \}.$$

e. If  $y = \sqrt[4]{\frac{x^5 \sin^2(x)}{(x-5)^6}}$ , then logarithmic differentiation gives

$$\frac{\mathrm{dy}}{\mathrm{dx}} = y \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{dx}} \left\{ \log|y| \right\} = \frac{1}{4} \sqrt[4]{\frac{x^5 \sin^2(x)}{(x-5)^6}} \left\{ \frac{5}{x} + 2\cot(x) + \frac{6}{5-x} \right\}$$

**9.** Since  $f(x) = x^3 + 33x - 8$  is a polynomial in x, the Intermediate Value Theorem and the Mean Value Theorem apply to f on any closed interval of positive length. Now

$$f(0) = -8 < 0$$
 and  $f(1) = 26 > 0$ ,

so the Intermediate Value Theorem implies that there is a real number  $\xi$  such that  $0 < \xi < 1$  and  $f(\xi) = 0$ . If  $\xi' \neq \xi$ , then the Mean Value Theorem implies that there is a real number  $\eta$  between  $\xi$  and  $\xi'$  such that

$$f(\xi')-f(\xi)=f'(\eta)(\xi'-\xi), \quad \ or \quad \ f(\xi')=(3\eta^2+33)(\xi'-\xi),$$

and hence  $|f(\xi')|\geqslant 33|\xi'-\xi|>0.$  Therefore,  $\xi$  is the unique real zero of f.

10. If

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{x^2} - \frac{9}{x^4} = \frac{2x^2 - 9}{x^4},$$
 then  $f'(x) = -\frac{4}{x^3} + \frac{36}{x^5} = \frac{4(9 - x^2)}{x^5}.$ 

a. Since f is continuous at every real number besides zero,  $\lim_{x\to 0} f(x) = -\infty$  and  $\lim_{x\to \pm\infty} f(x) = 0$ , the asymptotes of the graph of f are defined by x = 0 and y = 0.

b. Since f'(x) > 0 if x < -3 or 0 < x < 3, and f'(x), 0 if -3 < x < 0 or 3 < x, f is increasing on the intervals  $(-\infty, -3]$  and (0,3] (**NOT on the union**  $(-\infty, -3] \cup (0,3]$ ; for example, -4 < 1 but f(-4) > 0 > f(1)), and decreasing on the intervals [-3, 0) and  $[3, \infty)$ .

c. From Parts a and b, it follows that  $f(\pm 3) = \frac{1}{9}$  is the (local and global) maximum value of f, and that f has no (local or global) minimum values.

**11.** Since  $y = x(x-5)^{2/3}$  is a continuous function of x on  $\mathbb{R}$ , and  $y = x^{5/3}(1-5x^{-1})^{2/3}$  if  $x \neq 0$ , the curve has no vertical, horizontal or oblique asymptotes, nor any global extrema. The axis intercepts of the curve are (0,0) and (5,0). Now

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5(x-3)}{3(x-5)^{1/3}}, \ \ \text{so} \ \ \frac{dy}{dx} > 0 \ \ \text{if} \ \ x < 3 \ \text{or} \ 5 < x, \ \ \text{and} \ \ \frac{dy}{dx} < 0 \ \ \text{if} \ \ 3 < x < 5 \ \text{or} \ 5 < x,$$

Hence, y is increasing on  $(-\infty,3]$  and on  $[5,\infty)$ , decreasing on [3,5], and has a local maximum at  $(3,3\sqrt[4]{4})$  and a local minimum at (5,0). Next,

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{10(x-6)}{9(x-5)^{4/3}}, \quad \text{so} \qquad \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} > 0 \ \text{if} \ 6 < x, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} < 0 \ \text{if} \ x < 5 \ \text{or} \ 5 < x < 6.$$

So the curve is concave up on  $[6, \infty)$ , concave down on  $(-\infty, 5]$  and on  $[5, \infty)$ , and has a point of inflection at (6, 6). In the sketch (which is not to scale—the x-axis is dilated by a factor of 2), the points of interest are emphasised.



**12.** If  $f(t) = 4t^3 - 5t^2 - 8t + 3$ , then  $f'(t) = 12t^2 - 10t - 8 = 2(2t + 1)(3t - 4)$ , so the critical number of f in (-1, 1) is  $-\frac{1}{2}$ . Since f(-1) = 2,  $f(-\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{21}{4}$  and f(1) = -6, the largest and smallest values of f on [-1, 1] are, respectively,  $\frac{21}{4}$  and -6.

**13.** If x is the distance between M and P, and y is the distance between P and C (each measured in kilometres), then  $0 \le x \le 4$  and x + y = 4, so  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -1$ . The total length of the cable is (by Pythagoras' formula)  $\ell = 2\sqrt{x^2 + 3^2} + y$ . By First Derivative Test (or Snellius' principle), the minimum value of  $\ell$  occurs where

$$\frac{2x}{\sqrt{x^2+3^2}} = 1, \quad i.e., \quad 4x^2 = x^2 + 3^2, \quad \text{or} \quad x = \sqrt{3} \quad (\text{since } x \ge 0).$$

Therefore, P should be  $\sqrt{3}$  kilometres east of M to minimise the total length of the cable.

**14.** If  $a = \frac{d\nu}{dt} = 6t + 4$  and  $\nu_0 = -6$ , then by inspection,  $\nu = 3t^2 + 4t - 6$ . Likewise, since  $\nu = \frac{ds}{dt}$ , if the initial position of the particle is  $s_0 = 9$  then  $s = t^3 + 2t^2 - 6t + 9$ .

15. If [0,2] is divided into k subintervals of equal length, then the corresponding right endpoint Riemann sum of  $2x^3 - 1$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{R}_{k} &= \frac{2}{k} \sum_{j=1}^{k} \left\{ 2 \left(\frac{2}{k} j\right)^{3} - 1 \right\} = \frac{2}{k} \left\{ \frac{16}{k^{3}} \sum_{j=1}^{k} j^{3} - k \right\} = 2 \left\{ \frac{16}{k^{4}} \cdot \frac{1}{4} k^{2} (k+1)^{2} - 1 \right\} \\ &= 2 \left\{ 4 \left( 1 + \frac{1}{k} \right)^{2} - 1 \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

**16.** a. Integrating by inspection (and noting that  $3^x = e^{(\log 3)x}$ ) gives

$$\int (e^{x} + x^{3} + 3^{x} + e^{3}) \, dx = e^{x} + \frac{1}{4}x^{4} + 3^{x}(\log 3)^{-1} + e^{3}x + a.$$

b. Since  $(2x + \sqrt{x})^2 = 4x^2 + 4x\sqrt{x} + x$ , it follows that

$$\int \frac{(2x + \sqrt{x})^2}{x^3} \, dx = \int (4x^{-1} + 4x^{-3/2} + x^{-2}) \, dx = 4\log x - 8x^{-1/2} - x^{-1} + b.$$

c. Since  $\sec \vartheta \tan \vartheta \csc \vartheta = \sec^2 \vartheta$ , it follows that

$$\int_{\frac{1}{6}\pi}^{\frac{1}{3}\pi} \sec \vartheta \tan \vartheta \csc \vartheta \, \mathrm{d}\vartheta = \tan \vartheta \left| \begin{array}{c} \frac{1}{3}\pi \\ \frac{1}{6}\pi \end{array} \right|^{\frac{1}{3}\pi} = \sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{3}.$$

d. Below is a sketch of the graph of y = |2x - 1| on [-3, 2] (not to scale).



**17.** The expression in the limit is a right endpoint Riemann sum of  $\sqrt[3]{x}$ , with [0, 1] divided into n subintervals of equal length, *i.e.*,

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{n} \sum_{\nu=1}^{n} \sqrt[3]{\frac{\nu}{n}} \right\} = \int_{0}^{1} \sqrt[3]{x} \, dx = \frac{3}{4} x^{4/3} \Big|_{0}^{1} = \frac{3}{4}$$

18. By the interval additivity of the definite integral and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\int_{\log x}^{x} \mathrm{t}e^{\mathrm{t}} \,\mathrm{d}t = \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\int_{0}^{x} \mathrm{t}e^{\mathrm{t}} \,\mathrm{d}t - \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\int_{0}^{\log x} \mathrm{t}e^{\mathrm{t}} \,\mathrm{d}t = xe^{\mathrm{x}} - \frac{(\log x)e^{\log x}}{x} = xe^{\mathrm{x}} - \log x$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \int_{\log x}^{x} te^t dt = \frac{d}{dx} \{ xe^x - \log x \} = e^x (x+1) - x^{-1},$$

where the last expression is interpreted only for positive values of x.

**19.** a. If  $x \neq 2$ , then

$$y = \frac{x^3 - 4x}{x - 2} = \frac{x(x - 2)(x + 2)}{x - 2} = x(x + 2),$$
 and hence  $\lim_{x \to 2} y = 8$ 

So the curve has a hole, not a vertical asymptote, where x = 2, and the statement is false.

b. The absolute value function is continuous but not differentiable at 0, so the statement is false.

c. Since  $\frac{d}{dx} \{x^2 \log x\} = 2x \log x + x^2 \cdot x^{-1} = 2x \log x + x$ , the statement is true.

d. Since  $\sqrt{\tan x}$  is defined if  $x = \pi$ , the definite integral of  $\sqrt{\tan x}$  on  $[\pi, \pi]$  is zero, so the statement is true.

Therefore,  $\int_{0} (2x^3 - 1) dx = \lim_{k \to \infty} \mathcal{R}_k = 2(4 - 1) = 6.$