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## Calculus 12 LG 5-6 Quiz Ver A

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1. If  $f(x) = x^2 + 1$ 
  - a) Find the average rate of change from  $x = -2$  to  $x = -1$ . (2 marks)
  - b) Find the instantaneous rate of change of  $y$  with respect to  $x$  at the point  $x = -2$ . (2 marks)
  - c) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$  together with the secant and tangent lines whose slopes are given by the results of a) and b). (2 marks)

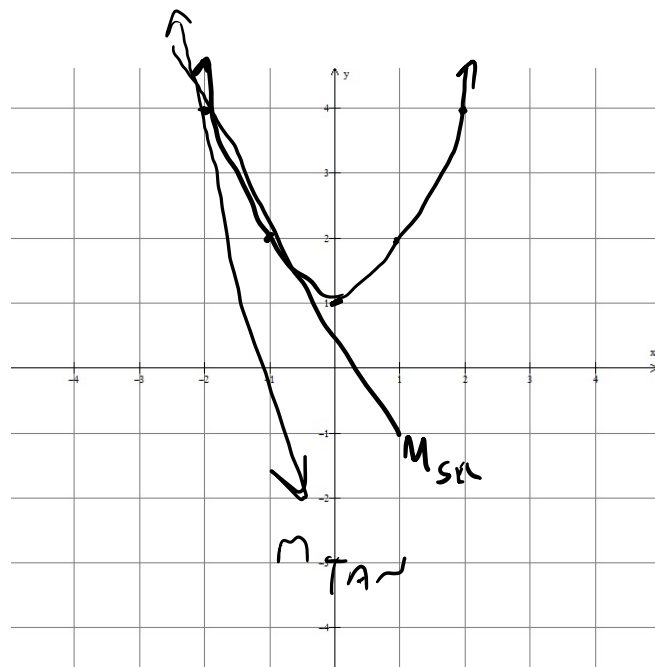
$$\begin{aligned} \text{a)} \quad f(-2) &= (-2)^2 + 1 = 5 \\ f(-1) &= (-1)^2 + 1 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{AVG SLOPE} = m_{\text{SEC}} = \frac{f(-2) - f(-1)}{-2 - (-1)} = \frac{5 - 2}{-2 - (-1)} = \frac{3}{-1} = -3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b)} \quad \text{INSTANTANEOUS SLOPE} \\ &= f'(-2) \end{aligned}$$

$$f'(x) = 2x$$

$$f'(-2) = -4$$



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2. Use the **definition of the derivative** to calculate  $f'(x)$  if  $f(x) = 3x^2 - x$  and find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at  $x = 1$ .  
(3 marks)

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(3(x+h)^2 - (x+h)) - (3x^2 - x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) - x - h - 3x^2 + x}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2 + 6xh + 3h^2 - x - h - 3x^2 + x}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{6xh + 3h^2 - h}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 6x + 3h - 1 = 6x - 1$$

so  $f'(1) = 6(1) - 1 = 5$

$$f(1) = 3(1)^2 - 1 = 2$$

so eq'n of TAN LINE:

$$y - 2 = 5(x - 1)$$

3. Show that  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 5, & x \leq 1 \\ x - 5, & x > 1 \end{cases}$  is continuous but not differentiable at  $x = 1$ .  
(2 marks)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 1^2 - 5 = -4$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 1 - 5 = -4$$

$$f(1) = -4$$

since  $f(1) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$

$f(x)$  IS CONTINUOUS AT  $x = 1$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2x & x \leq 1 \\ 1, & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f'(x) = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f'(x) = 1$$

since  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f'(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f'(x)$

$f(x)$  IS NOT DIFFERENTIABLE AT  $x = 1$

4. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $y = \frac{3x^3+5x}{2x-7}$  (2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(2x-7)(9x^2+5) - (3x^3+5x)(2)}{(2x-7)^2} \\ &= \frac{18x^3 + 10x - 63x^2 - 35 - 6x^3 - 10x}{(2x-7)^2} \\ &= \frac{12x^3 - 63x^2 - 35}{(2x-7)^2}\end{aligned}$$

5. Find  $f''(2)$  if  $f(x) = \frac{-8}{x^2} + \frac{1}{5}x^5$  (2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= -8x^{-2} + \frac{1}{5}x^5 \\ f'(x) &= 16x^{-3} + x^4 \\ f''(x) &= -48x^{-4} + 4x^3 \\ f''(2) &= \frac{-48}{2^4} + 4(2)^3 \\ &= -3 + 32 \\ &= 29\end{aligned}$$

6. Show that the parabola  $y = x^2$  and the line  $x + 2y - 3 = 0$  intersect at right angles at one of their points of intersection. (3 marks)

HINT: Find the points of intersection and find their slopes.

FIND POINTS OF INTERSECTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{IF } y = x^2 \text{ THEN } x + 2(x^2) - 3 &= 0 \\ 2x^2 + x - 3 &= 0 \\ (2x + 3)(x - 1) &= 0 \\ x &= -\frac{3}{2}, 1 \end{aligned}$$

FIND SLOPE OF LINE:

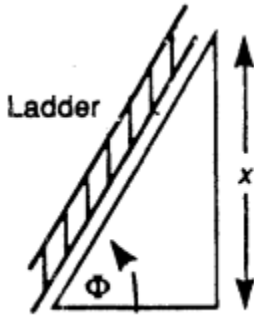
$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y - 3 &= 0 \\ 2y &= -x + 3 \\ y &= -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2} \\ m &= -\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

FIND SLOPE OF PARABOLA:

$$\begin{aligned} y &= x^2 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= 2x \\ \text{AT } x = -\frac{3}{2}, \frac{dy}{dx} &= 2\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = -3 \\ \text{AT } x = 1, \frac{dy}{dx} &= 2(1) = 2 \end{aligned}$$

SINCE THE SLOPES OF THE LINE AND PARABOLA ARE NEGATIVE RECIPROCAL AT  $x = 1$ , THEY INTERSECT AT RIGHT ANGLES.

7. A 12 foot ladder leans up against a wall at an angle  $\theta$  with the horizontal as shown in the figure. The top of the ladder is  $x$  feet above the ground. If the bottom of the ladder is pushed towards the wall, find the rate at which  $x$  changes with respect to  $\theta$  when  $\theta = 60^\circ$ . Express the answer in units of feet/degree. (3 marks)



$$\sin \theta = \frac{x}{12}$$

$$x = 12 \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = 12 \cos \theta$$

$$\theta = 60^\circ \text{ or } \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ radians}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dx}{d\theta} = 12 \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = 12 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = 6 \text{ ft/rad}$$

$$\frac{6 \text{ ft}}{\text{rad}} = \frac{6 \text{ ft}}{1 \times \frac{180}{\pi}} = 6 \times \frac{\pi}{180} \text{ ft/deg} = 0.10 \text{ ft/deg}$$

8. Find  $f'(x)$  where  $f(x) = x^2(\sin 2x)^3$  (2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= x^2 \cdot 3(\sin(2x))^2 (\cos(2x))(2) + (\sin(2x))^3 (2x) \\ &= 6x^2 \sin^2(2x) \cos(2x) + 2x \sin^3(2x) \end{aligned}$$

9. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  where  $y = \left(\frac{x+1}{x-1}\right)^2$  (2 marks)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \left( \frac{x+1}{x-1} \right) \left[ \frac{(x-1)(1) - (x+1)(1)}{(x-1)^2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2(x+1)(x-1-x-1)}{(x-1)^3}$$

$$= \frac{-4(x+1)}{(x-1)^3}$$

10. Find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of  $f(x) = \sin(4 - x^2)$  at  $x = 2$ . (3 marks)

$$f'(x) = \cos(4 - x^2)(-2x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(2) &= \cos(0)(-2(2)) \\ &= -4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(2) &= \sin(4 - 2^2) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 0 = -4(x - 2)$$

$$y = -4x + 8$$

11. Use a local linear approximation to estimate the value of  $\sqrt[4]{14}$ .  
(2 marks)

$$y = \sqrt[4]{x} \text{ or } x^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

FIND EQN OF TANGENT LINE AT  $x=16$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4} x^{-3/4}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}_{x=16} = \frac{1}{4} (16)^{-3/4} = \frac{1}{4(8)} = \frac{1}{32}$$

IF  $x=16$ , THEN  $y = \sqrt[4]{16} = 2$

SO EQN OF TAN LINE IS  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{32}(x - 16)$$

NOW AT  $x=14$ ,  $y - 2 = \frac{1}{32}(14 - 16)$

$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{32}(-2)$$

$$y - 2 = -\frac{1}{16}$$

$$y = 2 - \frac{1}{16}$$

$$y = \frac{32}{16} - \frac{1}{16}$$

$$y = \frac{31}{16} \text{ or } 1.9375$$