

Due 22 July.

1. Differentiate with respect to x :
 - (a) $y = 5x(x - 1)$,
 - (b) $g(x) = 2\sqrt{x}$,
 - (c) $y = \frac{1}{(5 - 2x)^4}$,
 - (d) $f(x) = \frac{2 - x^2}{2 - x}$,
 - (e) $y = x^2(2x - 4)^5$.
2. Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = 8x^3 - 6x + 4$ at the point where $x = -1$.
3. Consider the function $y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x - 1}}$:
 - (a) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x - 2}{2(\sqrt{x - 1})^3}$.
 - (b) Find the point at which the tangent to the curve is parallel to the x -axis.
4. Evaluate the following limits:
 - (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)} (x^2 - x)$,
 - (b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x + 1}$,
 - (c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^3 - 6x + 2}{4 - 3x^3}$.
5. Differentiate $f(x) = x^2 - 2x$ from first principles.
6. A spherical balloon of radius r is inflating so that its volume is increasing at a constant rate of $100 \text{ (cm)}^3/\text{s}$.
 - (a) Show that $\frac{dV}{dt} = 4\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt}$.
 - (b) At what rate is the radius increasing when the radius is 4 cm?
7. Sketch an example of a function which is not differentiable at $x = 1$.

8. Given $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & \text{for } x \leq 0 \\ -x, & \text{for } x > 0 \end{cases}$

(a) sketch the curve,

(b) find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x)$ and $f(0)$,

(c) draw a conclusion about continuity at $x = 0$,

(d) can you write the function in an easier way?

9. (a) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = 6x^2 - 3x + 24$ at the point on the curve where $x = a$.

(b) Hence find any points on the curve $y = 6x^2 - 3x + 24$ where the tangent passes through the origin.

Introductory Calculus Assignment

a) $y = 5x(x-1) = 5x^2 - 5x$
is quicker

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= vu' + uv' \\ &= 5(x-1) + 5x(1) \\ &= 5x - 5 + 5x \\ &= 10x - 5 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

b) $g(x) = 2x^{-1/2}$ *try again*

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= (2)(-1)x^{-2} \\ &= -2x^{-2} \\ &= \frac{-2}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

c) $y = \frac{1}{(5-2x)^4}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (5-2x)^{-4} \quad \checkmark \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= -4(5-2x)^{-5} \cdot -2 \\ &= 8(5-2x)^{-5} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{vu' - uv'}{v^2} \\ &= \frac{(2-x)(-2x) - (2-x^2)(-1)}{(2-x)^2} \\ &= \frac{-2x(2-x) + (2-x^2)}{(2-x)^2} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \frac{-4x + 2x^2 + 2 - x^2}{4 - 4x + x^2} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \frac{x^2 - 4x + 2}{x^2 - 4x - 4} \end{aligned}$$

e) $y = x^2(2x-4)^5$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= vu' + uv' \\ &= (2x-4)^5 \cdot 2x + x^2 \cdot 5(2x-4)^4 \cdot 2 \\ &= 2x(2x-4)^5 + 10x^2(2x-4)^4 \\ &= (2x-4)^4 [2x(2x-4) + 10x^2] \quad \checkmark \\ &= (2x-4)^4 [4x^2 - 8x + 10x^2] \\ &= (2x-4)^4 [14x^2 - 8x] \\ &= 2x(2x-4)^4 (7x-4) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

2. $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8x^3 - 6x + 4$
 $= 24x^2 - 6$

\therefore m at $x = -1$
 $m = 24(-1)^2 - 6$
 $= 18$ \checkmark

Eqn. of tangent is ... continue.

3a) $y = \frac{x}{(x-1)^{1/2}}$ $\frac{u}{v}$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{vu' - uv'}{v^2} \\ &= \frac{1(x-1)^{1/2} - x[\frac{1}{2}(x-1)^{-1/2} \cdot 1]}{(x-1)} \\ &= \frac{(x-1)^{1/2} - \frac{x}{2}(x-1)^{-1/2}}{(x-1)} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{(x-1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left[\frac{x-2}{2} \right]}{x-1} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{(x-2)}{2} \left[(x-1)^{-3/2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{x-2}{2(\sqrt{x-1})^3} \quad \checkmark$$

b) parallel to x-axis

$$\therefore m = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{x-2}{2(\sqrt{x-1})^3} = 0$$

$$x-2 = 0$$

$$x = 2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2-1}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{1}$$

$$= 2$$

$$\therefore (2, 2) \quad \checkmark$$

4 a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)} (x^2 - x)$

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

$$= 1 + 1$$

$$= 2 \quad \checkmark$$

b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x + 1}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)} \frac{(-1-1)(x+1)}{(x+1)} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= -1 - 1$$

$$= -2 \quad \checkmark$$

c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^3 - 6x + 2}{4 - 3x^3}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3 \left(2 - \frac{6}{x^2} + \frac{2}{x^3} \right)}{x^3 \left(\frac{4}{x^3} - 3 \right)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{-3} \quad \checkmark$$

5. $f(x) = x^2 - 2x$

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

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - 2(x+h) - x^2 + 2x}{h} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 2x - 2h - x^2 + 2x}{h} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{h^2 - 2xh - 2h}{h} \quad \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h - 2x - 2 = -2x - 2 \quad -2-$$

(6) Let $V =$ Volume of a sphere

$$= \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

$$\therefore \frac{dV}{dr} = \frac{4}{3} \pi \cdot 3r^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{dV}{dt} = 100 \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$$
$$= 4\pi r^2$$

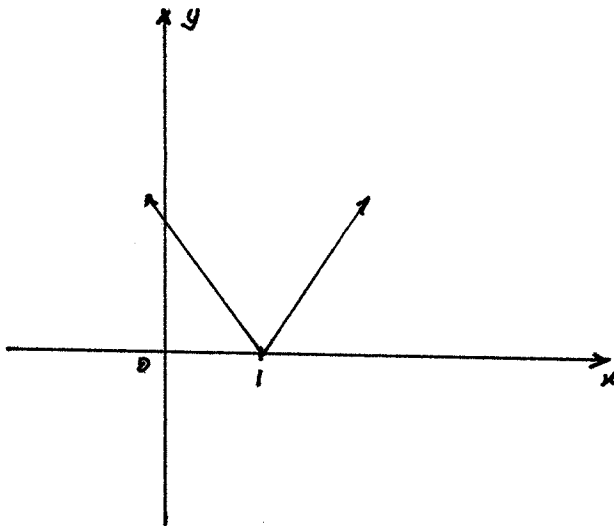
$$(a) \quad \text{L.H.S.} = \frac{dV}{dt}$$
$$= \frac{dV}{dr} \times \frac{dr}{dt}$$
$$= 4\pi r^2 \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$(b) \quad \therefore 100 = 4\pi r^2 \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

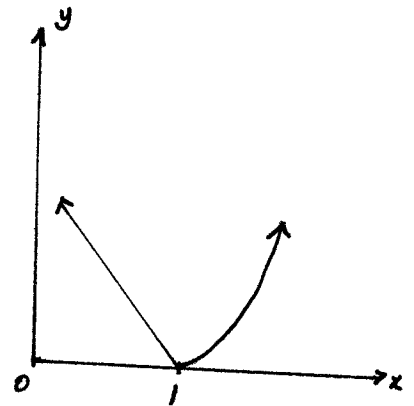
$$\therefore \frac{100}{4\pi(4)^2} = \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\therefore \frac{25}{16\pi} = \frac{dr}{dt}$$

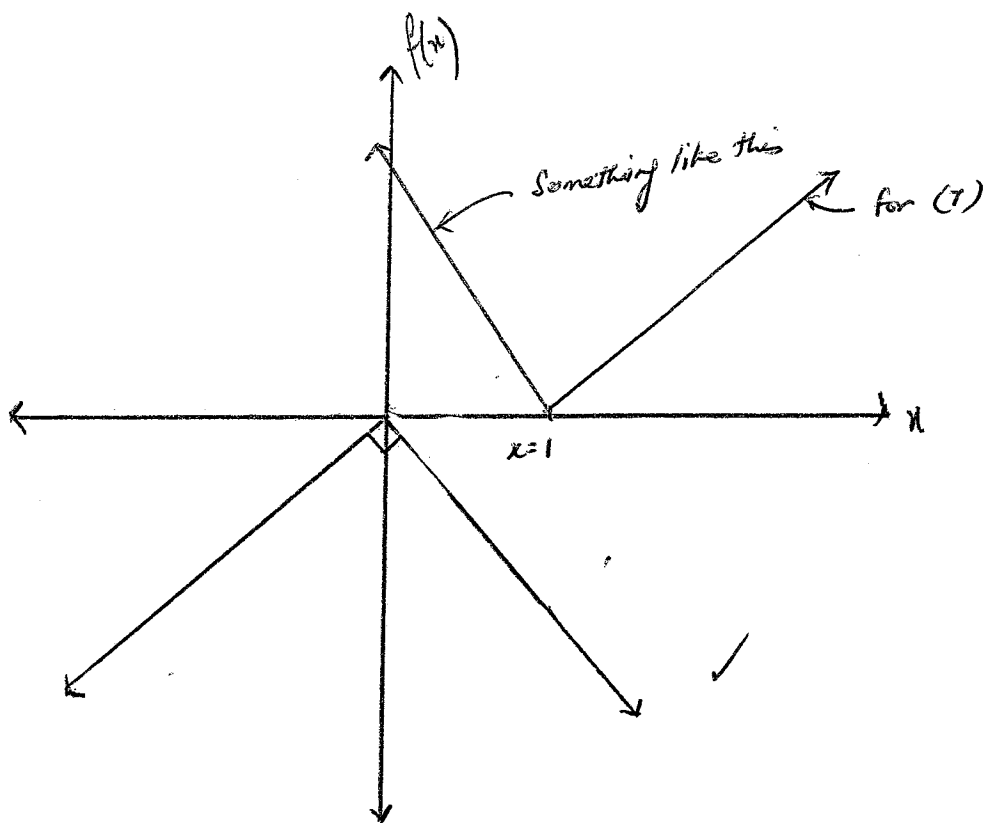
(7)



or



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b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 0$ ✓, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = 0$ ✓, $f(0) = 0$ ✓

c) The graph is continuous. ✓

d) $y = -|x|$ ✓

9a) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12x - 3$

when $x = a$

$m = 12a - 3$ ✓

$y = 6a^2 - 3a + 24$

$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$y - 6a^2 + 3a - 24 = (12a - 3)(x - a)$ ✓

$y - 6a^2 + 3a - 24 = 12ax - 12a^2 - 3x + 3a$ ✓

$y = 12ax - 12a^2 - 3x + 6a^2 + 24$
 $- 6a^2$

b) 0,0

$$\therefore 0 = 12a(0) - \overset{-6a^2}{12a^2} - 3(0) + 6(0)^2 + 24 \Rightarrow 6a^2 = 24$$

$$0 = -12a^2 + 24$$

$$a^2 = 4$$

$$a = \pm 2.$$

$$12a^2 - 24 = 0$$

$$a^2 - 2 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$a^2 = 2$$

$$a = \pm\sqrt{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore x = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -2$$

$$y = 6(4) - 6 + 24; \quad y = 24 + 6 + 24$$
$$= -6 \quad \quad \quad = 54$$

$$(2, -6) \quad \text{or} \quad (-2, 54)$$

$$\therefore y = 6(\sqrt{2})^2 - 3\sqrt{2} + 24$$

$$= 12 - 3\sqrt{2} + 24$$

$$= 36 - 3\sqrt{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{or} \quad y = 6(-\sqrt{2})^2 - 3(-\sqrt{2}) + 24$$

$$= 12 + 3\sqrt{2} + 24$$

$$= 36 + 3\sqrt{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} x = \sqrt{2} \\ y = 36 - 3\sqrt{2} \end{cases} \quad \checkmark \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{cases} x = -\sqrt{2} \\ y = 36 + 3\sqrt{2} \end{cases} \quad \checkmark$$