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Assignment: Practice Problems for Test
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1. At what points is the following function continuous?

$$y = \frac{x + 4}{x^2 - 7x + 10}$$

- A. The function is continuous at all x except $x = -5$ or $x = 2$.
- B. The function is continuous at all x except $x = -2$ and $x = 5$.
- C. The function is continuous at all x except $x = 2$ and $x = 5$.
- D. The function is continuous at all x except $x = 2$.
- E. The function is continuous at all x .

2. Find y' .

$$y = (x^2 - 4x + 2)(3x^3 - x^2 + 4)$$

- A. $15x^4 - 52x^3 + 30x^2 + 4x - 16$
- B. $3x^4 - 48x^3 + 30x^2 + 4x - 16$
- C. $3x^4 - 52x^3 + 30x^2 + 4x - 16$
- D. $15x^4 - 48x^3 + 30x^2 + 4x - 16$

3. Find y' .

$$y = \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) \left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)$$

- A. $2x + \frac{1}{x^2}$
- B. $2x - \frac{1}{x^2}$
- C. $2x + \frac{1}{x^3}$
- D. $2x + \frac{2}{x^3}$

4. Find the limit.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow (-\pi/2)^-} \sec x$$

- A. 0
- B. ∞
- C. 1
- D. $-\infty$
- E. The limit does not exist.

5. Find the limit, if it exists.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 - 2x - 15}{x + 3}$$

- A. 5
- B. -8
- C. 0
- D. The limit does not exist.
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6. Find $\frac{dy}{dt}$.

$$y = \cos^5(\pi t - 9)$$

- A. $5 \cos^4(\pi t - 9)$
- B. $-5 \cos^4(\pi t - 9) \sin(\pi t - 9)$
- C. $-5\pi \cos^4(\pi t - 9) \sin(\pi t - 9)$
- D. $-5\pi \sin^4(\pi t - 9)$
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7. Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

$$2xy - y^2 = 1$$

- A. $\frac{y}{x - y}$
- B. $\frac{y}{y - x}$
- C. $\frac{x}{y - x}$
- D. $\frac{x}{x - y}$
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8. Find the derivative of the function $y = \sqrt{-7 - 3x}$.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

9. Find the limit, if it exists.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 - 8x + 15}{x^2 - 2x - 15}$$

- A. 1
- B. $-\frac{1}{4}$
- C. $\frac{1}{4}$
- D. The limit does not exist.
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10. Find the derivative of y with respect to x .

$$y = \ln 8x^2$$

- A. $\frac{1}{2x+8}$
- B. $\frac{2}{x}$
- C. $\frac{16}{x}$
- D. $\frac{2x}{x^2+8}$
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11. Use a reference triangle to find the given angle.

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

(Type an exact answer in terms of π .)

12. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for $y = \frac{2}{x} + 9 \sin x$.

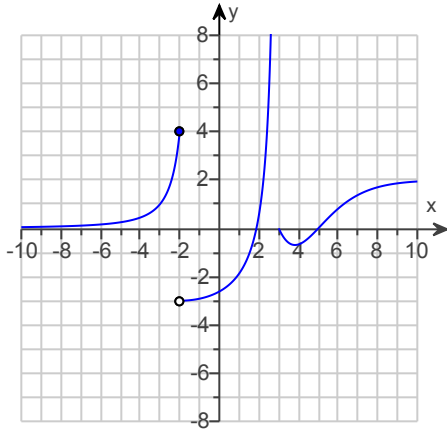
$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{2}{x} + 9 \sin x\right) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

13. Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ using the following equation.

$$x^5 + y^5 = 35xy$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

14. Using the following graph of the function f , evaluate the limits **(a)** through **(i)**.



- (a)** Select the correct choice below and fill in the answer box within the choice.

- A.** $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x) =$ _____
- B.** $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x)$ does not exist.

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) =$ _____

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) =$ _____

- (d)** Select the correct choice below and fill in the answer box within the choice.

- A.** $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) =$ _____
- B.** $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x)$ does not exist.

(e) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) =$ _____

(f) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) =$ _____

- (g)** Select the correct choice below and fill in the answer box within the choice.

- A.** $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x) =$ _____
- B.** $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)$ does not exist.

(h) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) =$ _____

(i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) =$ _____

15. Does the graph of the function below have any horizontal tangents in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$? If so, where? If not, why not? Visualize your findings by graphing the function with a grapher.

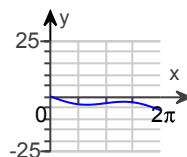
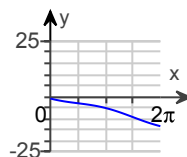
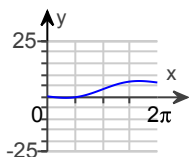
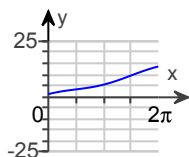
$$y = x - 2 \sin x$$

Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

- A. The function has a horizontal tangent at $x =$ _____ .
(Type your answer in radians. Type an exact answer in terms of π . Use a comma to separate answers as needed.)
- B. The function has no horizontal tangents in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ because it is never zero in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$.
- C. The function has no horizontal tangents in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ because it is defined at every point in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$.
- D. The function has no horizontal tangents in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ because its derivative is never zero in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$.

Confirm the result visually by graphing $y = x - 2 \sin x$. Choose the correct graph below.

- A. B. C. D.



16. Find the limit.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} \frac{3}{x^2 - 25}$$

- A. 1
- B. $-\infty$
- C. ∞
- D. 0

17. Assume that $x = x(t)$ and $y = y(t)$. Let $y = x^3 + 3$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 3$ when $x = 1$.

Find $\frac{dy}{dt}$ when $x = 1$.

$\frac{dy}{dt} =$ _____ (Simplify your answer.)

18. Use logarithmic differentiation to find the derivative of y .

$$y = x(x+4)(x+7)$$

- A. $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+4} + \frac{1}{x+7}$
- B. 1
- C. $x(x+4)(x+7)(\ln x + \ln(x+4) + \ln(x+7))$
- D. $x(x+4)(x+7)\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+4} + \frac{1}{x+7}\right)$
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19. Find an equation for the line tangent to $y = -5 - 6x^2$ at $(-3, -59)$.

The equation for the line tangent to $y = -5 - 6x^2$ at $(-3, -59)$ is $y = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

20. Find the derivative.

$$s = 5t^2 + 8t + 3$$

- A. $5t + 8$
- B. $10t + 8$
- C. $10t^2 + 8$
- D. $5t^2 + 8$
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21. Use $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$ to find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 5x}{x}$.

- A. $\frac{1}{5}$
- B. 5
- C. 1
- D. The limit does not exist.
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22. Find the limit.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-3x^2 - 2x + 3}{-10x^2 + 8x + 14}$$

- A. 1
- B. $\frac{3}{10}$
- C. $\frac{3}{14}$
- D. ∞
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23. At time $t \geq 0$, the velocity of a body moving along the s -axis is $v = t^2 - 6t + 5$. When is the body moving backward?

- A. $t > 5$
 - B. $1 < t < 5$
 - C. $0 \leq t < 5$
 - D. $0 \leq t < 1$
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24. Find the limit.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 3x + 17}{x^3 - 7x^2 + 14}$$

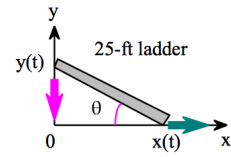
- A. $\frac{17}{14}$
 - B. ∞
 - C. 0
 - D. 1
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25. The function $s = f(t)$ gives the position of a body moving on a coordinate line, with s in meters and t in seconds. Find the body's speed and acceleration at the end of the time interval.

$$s = 8t - t^2, 0 \leq t \leq 8$$

- A. 8 m/sec, -2 m/sec^2
- B. 8 m/sec, -16 m/sec^2
- C. -8 m/sec , -2 m/sec^2
- D. 24 m/sec, -16 m/sec^2

26. A 25 ft ladder is leaning against a house when its base starts to slide away. By the time the base is 24 ft from the house, the base is moving away at the rate of 7 ft/sec. What is the rate of change of the height of the top of the ladder?



The rate of change of the height of the top of the ladder is _____ ft/sec.
(Simplify your answer.)

1. C. The function is continuous at all x except $x = 2$ and $x = 5$.

2. A. $15x^4 - 52x^3 + 30x^2 + 4x - 16$

3. D. $2x + \frac{2}{x^3}$

4. D. $-\infty$

5. C. 0

6. C. $-5\pi \cos^4(\pi t - 9) \sin(\pi t - 9)$

7. B. $\frac{y}{y-x}$

8. $-\frac{3}{2\sqrt{-7-3x}}$

9. C. $\frac{1}{4}$

10. B. $\frac{2}{x}$

11. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

12. $-\frac{2}{x^2} + 9 \cos x$

13. $\frac{7y - x^4}{y^4 - 7x}$

14. A. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} f(x) = \underline{\quad 0 \quad}$

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B. $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x)$ does not exist.

$x \rightarrow -2$

0

∞

B. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)$ does not exist.

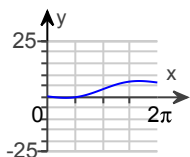
$x \rightarrow 3$

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15. A. The function has a horizontal tangent at $x = \underline{\quad \frac{5\pi}{3}, \frac{\pi}{3} \quad}$.

(Type your answer in radians. Type an exact answer in terms of π . Use a comma to separate answers as needed.)



B.

16. C. ∞

17. 9

18. D. $x(x+4)(x+7) \left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+4} + \frac{1}{x+7} \right)$

19. $36x + 49$

20. B. $10t + 8$

21. B. 5

22. B. $\frac{3}{10}$

23. B. $1 < t < 5$

24. C. 0

25. A. 8 m/sec , -2 m/sec^2

26. -24 ft/sec