

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
MA241 Sample Final Exam (Fall 2016)
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Directions:

There are twenty-five questions, each worth 4 points for a total of 100 points.

Scientific calculators are permitted, but not graphing calculators.

Time allotted: two hours.

1.

If $f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2, & x < 3 \\ -x^3 + 18, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$ then which statement about the function is *false*?

a. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = -9$

c. continuous at $x = 3$

b. $f(3) = -9$

d. differentiable at $x = 3$

2. Calculate the following limit:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cos x}{\sin 2x}$$

a. 0

b. $\frac{1}{2}$

c. 1

d. $\frac{1}{4}$

e. does not exist

3. The tangent line to the curve $y = x^3 + x$ at the point (1, 2) is given by:

a. $y + 2 = 4(x + 1)$

b. $y + 2 = 3(x - 4)$

c. $y - 1 = 4(x - 2)$

d. $y - 4 = 2(x - 1)$

e. $y - 2 = 4(x - 1)$

4. Evaluate the limit, if it exists:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^4 + 5x + 10}{x^4 + 10x^3 + 2}$$

a. Does not exist b. 3

c. 0

d. 4

5. Find the derivative of $f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{e^x}$

a. $\frac{\frac{1}{x} - \ln x}{e^x}$

b. $\frac{\frac{1}{x} + \ln x}{e^x}$

c. $\frac{\ln x - \frac{2}{x}}{e^x}$

d. $\frac{e^x - 1}{\ln x + 1}$

e. $\frac{e^x}{e^x + 1}$

6. Find the derivative of $f(x) = \ln(x^2 + x)$

a. $\frac{2x+1}{x^2+x}$

b. $\frac{x+1}{x^2+x}$

c. $\frac{x}{x+1}$

d. $\frac{1}{x^2+x}$

e. $\frac{x^2}{x-1}$

7. Given $f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} - \frac{1}{x}$ then:

a. $f(x) = \sqrt{x} + \frac{1}{x^2} + C$

b. $f(x) = \sqrt{x} - \ln|x| + C$

c. $f(x) = -\frac{1}{4x^{3/2}} + \frac{1}{x^2} + C$

d. $f(x) = \sqrt{x} + \ln|x| + C$

8. Find the following limit:

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi}{3} + h) - \sin \frac{\pi}{3}}{h}$$

a. $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

b. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

c. $\frac{1}{2}$

d. $-\frac{1}{2}$

e. does not exist

9. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at the point (1, 2) given $x^4 - xy + y^3 = 7$

a. $-\frac{1}{5}$

b. $-\frac{2}{11}$

c. $-\frac{1}{6}$

d. $-\frac{2}{13}$

e. $-\frac{1}{14}$

10. A 10 foot ladder is leaning against a house. When the top of the ladder is 8 feet above the ground, it is sliding down the wall at 2 feet per second. How fast is the base of the ladder sliding away from the wall?

a. $\frac{5}{3}$

b. 2

c. $\frac{7}{3}$

d. $\frac{8}{3}$

e. 3

11. A farmer has 24 feet of fencing to build a chicken coop which will be shaped like a rectangle split into two pens. What is the maximum possible area (square feet) of the chicken coop?

- a. 12 b. 16 c. 18 d. 20 e. 24

12. Find the linear approximation of the function $f(x) = x^2 + x$ at $x = 1$

- a. $L(x) = 2x$ b. $L(x) = 3x - 1$ c. $L(x) = 4x - 2$ d. $L(x) = 5x - 3$ e. $L(x) = 6x - 4$

13. Let $f(x) = \sqrt{2x+1}$ for $4 \leq x \leq 12$. According to the Mean Value Theorem, there exists a number $x = c$ such that $f'(c) = ?$

- a. $\frac{1}{2}$ b. $\frac{1}{3}$ c. $\frac{1}{4}$ d. $\frac{1}{5}$ e. $\frac{1}{6}$

14. Find the derivative of $f(x) = e^{\sin^2 x}$

- a. $2 \sin x \cos x e^{\cos^2 x}$ b. $2 \sin x \cos x e^{\sin x}$ c. $2 \sin x e^{\sin^2 x}$ d. $2 \sin x \cos x e^{\sin^2 x}$

15. Find the absolute maximum value and the absolute minimum value of the function $f(x) = 5 + 54x - 2x^3$ on the interval $[0, 4]$

- a. abs. max: 113, abs. min: 5 b. abs. max: 100, abs. min: 0
c. abs. max: 103, abs. min: 5 d. abs. max: 113, abs. min: 0

16. Calculate the following integral:

$$\int_0^{\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}} x \sin(x^2) \, dx$$

- a. $\frac{1}{3}$ b. $\cos(x^2) + C$ c. $-\frac{1}{4}$ d. $\frac{1}{2}$

17. What is the derivative $g'(x)$ if $g(x)$ is defined by the following integral:

$$g(x) = \int_0^x \sin(t^2) \, dt$$

- a. $\cos(x^2)$ b. $2x \sin(x^2)$ c. $2x \cos(x^2)$ d. $\sin(2x)$ e. $\sin(x^2)$

18. Find the derivative of $g(x) = \ln(e^{2x})$

- a. $\frac{1}{e^{2x}}$ b. $2x$ c. $\frac{1}{x}$ d. 2 e. 1

19. Calculate the average value of the function $f(x) = \sin 3x$ on the interval $[\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi]$

- a. $-\frac{2}{3\pi}$ b. $\frac{5}{\pi}$ c. $\frac{3}{2\pi}$ d. $\frac{2}{\pi}$ e. $\frac{2}{3\pi}$

20. Find: $\int \frac{x+1}{x^2+2x} \, dx$

- a. $\ln|x^2 + 2x| + C$ b. $2 \ln|x^2 + 2x| + C$ c. $\frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2 + 2x| + C$ d. $\frac{1}{2} \ln|x+1| + C$

21. Find the value of the integral: $\int_0^1 \frac{4x}{1+x^2} \, dx$

- a. 2 b. $\ln 2$ c. $2 \ln 2$ d. $2 \ln 4$ e. 4

22. Estimate the integral $\int_1^7 \frac{30}{x} dx$ using three equal subintervals with the left endpoints.

- a. 46 b. 23 c. 96 d. $30 \ln 7$ e. 92

23. Find the area between the curves $y = x^2 + 3$ and $y = 5 - x^2$

- a. $\frac{2}{3}$ b. $\frac{1}{3}$ c. $\frac{10}{3}$ d. $\frac{4}{3}$ e. $\frac{8}{3}$

24. Given the velocity of a particle $v(t) = -32t - 10$ and the position $s(3) = 0$, find $s(0)$.

- a. 194 b. 150 c. 174 d. 200 e. 19

25. Which of the following conditions will *guarantee* that the point $(a, f(a))$ is a relative maximum point?

- a. $f'(a) = 0$ and $f''(a) < 0$ b. $f'(a) = 0$ and $f''(a) > 0$ c. $f'(a) > 0$ and $f''(a) = 0$
d. $f'(a) < 0$ and $f''(0) = 0$ e. $f'(a) = 0$ and $f''(a) = 0$