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Homework Assignment 3
Due Date: 23 November 2020 (Monday)

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1. Let $f(x) = |x|^3$ on $[-2, 1]$.

(a) Is Lagrange's mean value theorem applicable to f on the interval $[-2, 1]$?

(b) If your answer to part (a) is yes, find all possible values $c \in (-2, 1)$, such that

$$\frac{f(1) - f(-2)}{1 - (-2)} = f'(c).$$

2. By using Lagrange's mean value theorem, or otherwise, show that

(a) $\frac{x}{1+x} < \ln(1+x) < x$ for $x > 0$;

(b) $ny^{n-1}(x-y) < x^n - y^n < nx^{n-1}(x-y)$ for $n > 1$ and $0 < y < x$.

3. Let $0 < a < b < \frac{\pi}{2}$. Prove that there exists $a < \xi < b$ such that

$$\ln \left(\frac{\cos a}{\cos b} \right) = (b - a) \tan \xi.$$

4. Let $f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$ for $x > 0$. Compute $f'(x)$. Hence, or otherwise, show that $x \sin y > y \sin x$ whenever $0 < y < x \leq \pi$.

5. Evaluate the following limits.

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} x}{x^3}$

(d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{1}{\ln x} - \frac{x}{x-1} \right)$

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \log_{\tan x} (\tan 2x)$

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \tan x \ln \sin x$

(e) $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{e^{1+\ln x}}{\ln(1+e^x)}$

6. Evaluate the following limits.

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sin x}{x} \right)^{\frac{1}{x^2}}$

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+x)^x - 1}{x^2}$

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

(d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \left(\frac{x^2 - 2x + 1}{x^2 - 4x + 2} \right)^x$

7. Find the x -intercepts, y -intercepts, asymptotes if there is any and sketch the graphs of the following functions.

(a) $y = \frac{x+5}{x-2}$

(d) $y = x|x+2|$

(b) $y = \frac{x^2-2}{x-1}$

(e) $y = \left| \frac{7-2x}{x+3} \right|$

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

(f) $y = \frac{1}{|x^2-4|}$

8. For each of the following functions $f(x)$, find

- $f'(x)$ and $f''(x)$.
- range of values of x for which $f(x)$ is increasing.
- asymptotes of $y = f(x)$.
- all relative extremum points

Then sketch the graph of $y = f(x)$.

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

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

(b) $f(x) = \frac{x^2+5x+7}{x+2}$

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

9. For each of the following functions $f(x)$, find $f(0)$, $f'(0)$, $f''(0)$ and $f'''(0)$ and the Taylor series up to the term in x^3 of $f(x)$ about the point $x = 0$.

(a) $f(x) = \ln \cos x$

(b) $f(x) = e^x \sin x$

10. Find the Taylor series up to the term in $(x-c)^3$ of the functions about $x = c$.

(a) $\frac{1}{1+x}$; $c = 1$.

(e) $\sin^2 x$; $c = 0$

(b) $\frac{2-x}{3+x}$; $c = 1$.

(f) $\ln x$; $c = e$.

(c) $\frac{x}{(x-1)(x-2)}$; $c = 0$.

(g) 3^x ; $c = 0$.

(d) $\cos x$; $c = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

(h) $\sqrt{2+x}$; $c = 1$.

(i) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{7-3x}}$; $c = 1$.

11. Suppose $y = f(x)$ is a function which satisfies $y + \frac{y^3}{3} = x$.

(a) Show that $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{2y}{(1+y^2)^3}$.

(b) Find the Taylor series up to the term in x^3 of $f(x)$ about the point $x = 0$.

12. By considering appropriate Taylor series expansions, evaluate the limits below:

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{2x} - 1}{\ln(1 + x)}$

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1 - \cos x)}{1 - \sqrt{1 - x^3}}$

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{\ln(1 + x)} + \frac{1}{\ln(1 - x)} \right)$

(d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan^3(3x)}{x^2 \sin x}$