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Exam # 2 – Math 2311H – Spring 2014

Directions. For the free response questions make sure to show work or explain how you obtained your answer.

1. What is $\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{8(\frac{1}{2} + \Delta x)^8 - 8(\frac{1}{2})^8}{\Delta x}$?
(A) 0 (B) $\frac{1}{2}$ (C) 1 (D) -1 (E) does not exist
2. The Mean Value Theorem guarantees the existence of a special point on the graph of $y = \sqrt{x}$ over the interval $[0, 4]$. What is the x -value of the coordinate of this point?
(A) 0 (B) $\frac{1}{2}$ (C) 1 (D) 2 (E) 4
3. If $h(x) = f^2(x) - g^2(x)$, $f'(x) = -g(x)$ and $g'(x) = f(x)$, then $h'(x) =$
(A) 0 (B) 1 (C) $-4f(x)g(x)$ (D) $(-g(x))^2 - (f(x))^2$ (E) $-2(-g(x) + f(x))$
4. If $f(x) = x + \sin x$, then $f'(x) =$
(A) $1 + \cos x$ (B) $1 - \cos x$ (C) $\cos x$ (D) $\sin x - x \cos x$ (E) $x + x \cos x$
5. If $f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x+1}$ for all $x \neq -1$, then $f'(1) =$
(A) -1 (B) $-\frac{1}{2}$ (C) 0 (D) $\frac{1}{2}$ (E) 1
6. If $\tan(xy) = x$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$
(A) $\frac{1 - y \tan(xy) \sec(xy)}{x \tan(xy) \sec(xy)}$ (B) $\frac{\sec(xy) - y}{x}$ (C) $\cos^2(xy)$
(D) $\frac{\cos^2(xy)}{x}$ (E) $\frac{\cos^2(xy) - y}{x}$

7. If $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$, then the set of values for which f increases is
 (A) $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$ (B) $(-1, 1)$ (C) $(-\infty, \infty)$
 (D) $(0, \infty)$ (E) $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$
8. If $x^2 + xy + y^3 = 0$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$
 (A) $-\frac{2x+y}{x+3y^2}$ (B) $-\frac{x+3y^2}{2x+y}$ (C) $\frac{-2x}{1+3y^2}$ (D) $\frac{-2x}{x+3y^2}$ (E) $-\frac{2x+y}{x+3y^2-1}$
9. The function defined by $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2$, for all real numbers x , has a relative maximum at $x =$
 (A) -2 (B) 0 (C) 1 (D) 2 (E) 4
10. An equation of the line tangent to the graph of $f(x) = x(1 - 2x)^3$ at the point $(1, -1)$ is
 (A) $y = -7x + 6$
 (B) $y = -6x + 5$
 (C) $y = -2x + 1$
 (D) $y = 2x - 3$
 (E) $y = 7x - 8$
11. If u, v and w are nonzero differentiable functions the the derivative of $\frac{uv}{w}$ is
 (A) $\frac{uw' + u'v}{w'}$ (B) $\frac{u'v'w - uvw'}{w^2}$ (C) $\frac{uvw' - u'vw - u'vw}{w^2}$
 (D) $\frac{u'vw + uv'w + uvw'}{w^2}$ (E) $\frac{uv'w + u'vw - uvw'}{w^2}$

12. The graph of the derivative of f is shown above. Which of the following could be the graph of f ?

13. Consider the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & x < 3; \\ 6x - 9 & x \geq 3. \end{cases}$$

At $x = 3$, $f(x)$ is

- (A) undefined.
- (B) continuous but not differentiable.
- (C) differentiable but not continuous.
- (D) neither continuous nor differentiable.
- (E) both continuous and differentiable.

Remember to show work or explain your answers!!

14. Consider the function $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 12$ over the closed interval $[-2, 4]$.
- (a) Find all critical points of $f(x)$ in the interval $[-2, 4]$
 - (b) Determine the absolute maximum value and absolute minimum value over the intervals.
 - (c) Determine where the function is increasing. Determine where the function is decreasing.
 - (d) Identify all relative extrema.

15. Compute the derivative of $f(x) = x^3$ as a limit of a difference quotient.

16. A person is on a diving board 32 ft from the surface of the water. The diver jumps into the air with an initial velocity of 16 ft/s.
- (a) Express the height of the diver as a quadratic equation.
 - (b) At what time does the diver hit the surface of the water?
 - (c) What is the maximum height of the diver?
 - (d) What is the speed of the diver when entering the water?

Extra Credit Determine the points at which the graph of the function has a horizontal tangent line.

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