

Question 1: The following function has domain $[0, \infty)$:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{x} - 2}{x - 4} & \text{if } x \neq 4 \\ c & \text{if } x = 4 \end{cases}$$

Determine the value of c so that f is continuous at $x = 4$.

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Question 2: Use the Intermediate Value Theorem to show that the equation $\sin(x) = 3 - 2x$ has a solution on the interval $[0, 2\pi]$.

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Question 3: Evaluate the following limits, if they exist. If a limit does not exist because it is $+\infty$ or $-\infty$, state which with an explanation of your reasoning. (Do not use L'Hospital's rule to evaluate limits.)

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{6x^5 - 7x^3 - 5}{7x^6 - 6x^5 + 5}$

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

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(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{2 - x}{(x - 1)^3}$

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Question 4:

(a) Use the limit definition of the derivative to find $f'(x)$ if $f(x) = \frac{5}{x+7}$. Neatly show all steps and use proper notation. (No credit will be given if $f'(x)$ is found using derivative rules.)

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(b) Now check your work in part (a) by finding $\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{5}{x+7} \right]$ using derivative rules.

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Question 5: Find the following derivatives (it is not necessary to simplify your answers, but marks will be deducted for improper use of notation):

(a) $f(x) = 3\sqrt{x} - \frac{2}{3x} + \pi^2$

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(b) $y = (t^3 - 3 \cos(t))(2t - \sqrt{\pi})$

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(c) $g(x) = \frac{x^2 - \sqrt[3]{x}}{\tan(x)}$

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(d) $y = \frac{\sin(\theta)}{2} - \frac{2}{\sin(\theta)}$

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Question 6: The position of a particle along a straight line at time t is given by

$$s(t) = \frac{t^3}{3} + qt(t+1)$$

where q is a constant. At time $t = 1$ the velocity and acceleration are the same. Determine the value of the constant q .

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Question 7: Find an equation of the tangent line to $y = \frac{\pi^2 \cos(x)}{x}$ at the point where $x = \pi$.

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