

**MATHEMATICS 31/31I**

**CALCULUS REVIEW**

**PART A:**

1. The inflection point for the graph  $y=f(x)$  always occurs where
- A. the graph of  $f$  changes from concave up to concave down (or vice versa)
  - B. the first derivative is zero
  - C. the second derivative is positive
  - D. the second derivative is negative

2. If  $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x}}$  then  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  is

A.  $\frac{-1}{4\sqrt{(1+x)^3}}$

C.  $\frac{-1}{2\sqrt{(1+x)^3}}$

B.  $\frac{3}{4\sqrt{(1+x)^5}}$

D.  $\frac{1}{4\sqrt{(1+x)^3}}$

3. If  $y^3 - a^2(x-y) = 0$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is

A.  $\frac{a^2}{3y^2 - a^2}$

C.  $\frac{a^2}{3y^2 + ya^2}$

B.  $\frac{a^2}{3y^2 + a^2}$

D.  $\frac{a^2}{3y^2 - ya^2}$

4. The derivative of  $y = \frac{x-1}{x(x+1)}$  is

A.  $\frac{-x^2 - 1}{(x^2 + x)^2}$

C.  $\frac{-x^2 + 2x + 1}{(x^2 + x)^2}$

B.  $\frac{x^2 - 1}{(x^2 + x)^2}$

D.  $\frac{-x^2 - 2x + 1}{(x^2 + x)^2}$

5. If the velocity  $v$ , in metres per second, of an arrow fired from a bow is given by  $v = \frac{300s}{4-2s}$ , where  $s$  is the distance traveled by the arrow, then the acceleration in terms of the distance  $s$  is given by

- A.  $\frac{1200(1-s)}{(4-2s)^2}$                       C.  $\frac{(300)^2 4s}{(4-2s)^3}$   
 B.  $\frac{1200(4s-4s^2)}{(4-2s)^2}$                       D. none of these

6. The  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{2t^2 - 2t + 3}{2t^2 + 5t - 3} \right]$  is equal to

- A. 0    C. 1  
 B. -1     D.  $\frac{1}{2}$

7. The  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 1} \frac{h^2 + 3h - 4}{h - 1}$

- A. 0    C. 5  
 B. -3     D. undefined

8. The equation of the tangent to the circle defined by,  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ , at the point (3, 4) is

- A.  $3x - 4y - 25 = 0$                       C.  $3x + 4y + 25 = 0$   
 B.  $3x + 4y - 25 = 0$                       D.  $3x - 4y + 25 = 0$

9. If  $f(x) = x^2$ , then the geometric interpretation of  $\frac{f(2+a) - f(2)}{a}$ ,  $a \neq 0$  is the

- A. slope of the secant through the points where  $x = 2$  and  $x = 2+a$   
 B. slope of the tangent through the points where  $x = 2$  and  $x = a$   
 C. derivative of  $y$  with respect to  $x$   
 D. equation of the tangent line through the point where  $x=2$

10. If  $y = u^2 - 1$  and  $x = u^2 + 1$ , the derivative of  $y$  with respect to  $x$  is

- A.  $\frac{-x}{\sqrt{x-1}}$                                       C.  $\frac{x}{x-1}$   
 B.  $4u^2$      D. 1

11. If  $y = x^3 - 3px + q$  where  $p$  and  $q$  are constant and  $p > 0$  then the value(s) of the function at the stationary point(s) will be
- maximum only at  $x = \sqrt{p}$
  - maximum at  $x = -\sqrt{p}$  and minimum at  $x = \sqrt{p}$
  - maximum at  $x = \sqrt{p}$  and minimum at  $x = -\sqrt{p}$
  - nonexistent
12. Given  $f(x) = x^2$ , then  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$  is
- undefined
  - 0
  - $x$
  - $2x$
13. Find two natural numbers whose sum is 48 such that the product of the square of one of the numbers times the other number is a maximum.
- 24 and 24
  - 8 and 40
  - 28 and 20
  - 32 and 16
14. A cylindrical tank has a radius of  $k$  feet. It is being filled at the rate of  $\pi$  cubic feet per minute. How fast is the surface rising in feet per minute?
- $\pi k$
  - $(\pi k)^2$
  - $\frac{\pi}{k^2}$
  - $\frac{1}{k^2}$
15. The hypotenuse of a right isosceles triangle is increasing at 2 cm per minute. The rate of change ( $\text{cm}^2/\text{min}$ ) of the area when the hypotenuse is 8 cm is
- 8
  - 10
  - 12
  - 14
16. A spherical balloon is inflated with gas at the rate of  $100 \text{ dm}^3/\text{min}$ . Assuming that the gas pressure remains constant then the rate, in  $\text{dm}$  per minute, at which the radius of the balloon is increasing at the instant the radius of the balloon is  $3 \text{ dm}$  is
- $\frac{25}{9\pi}$
  - $\frac{9\pi}{25}$
  - $25\pi$
  - $9\pi$

17. The product of two positive numbers is 16. If the sum of one number and the square of the other is a minimum, then one of the number is
- A. 2  
B. 4  
C. 6  
D. 16
18. The greatest amount by which a number can exceed its square is
- A.  $\frac{1}{4}$   
B.  $\frac{1}{2}$   
C.  $\frac{3}{4}$   
D. 1
19. If  $y = F(u)$  where  $u = f(x)$  then the result  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$  is best described by
- A. chain rule for derivatives  
B. composite function derivatives  
C. product law for derivatives  
D. quotient law for derivatives
20. The derivative of  $\frac{x^3 - 7}{x^2 + 4}$  is
- A.  $\frac{5x^4 + 12x^2 - 14x}{(x^2 + 4)^2}$   
B.  $\frac{x^4 + 12x^2 + 14x}{(x^2 + 4)^2}$   
C.  $\frac{-x^4 + 12x^2 - 14x}{(x^2 + 4)^2}$   
D. none of these
21. For  $x^2y - 3y^2 = 7$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is
- A.  $\frac{6y - x^2}{2xy}$   
B.  $\frac{7 - 2xy}{x^2 - 6y}$   
C.  $\frac{-2xy}{x^2 - 6y}$   
D.  $\frac{7 - 6y - x^2}{2xy}$
22. The intervals in which the function defined by  $y = x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^4$  is decreasing is
- A.  $0 < x < 1$  or  $x < -1$   
B.  $x < 0$  or  $x > 1$   
C.  $x > 0$  or  $x < -1$   
D.  $-1 < x < 0$  or  $x > 1$

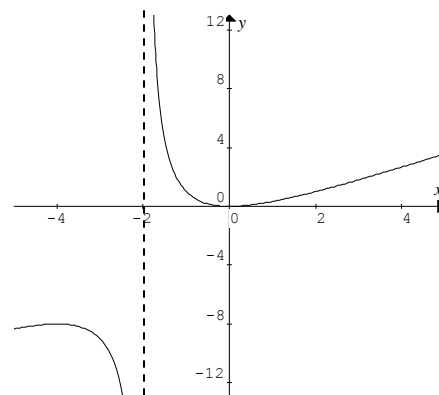
23. If a rocket travels  $t^3$  m the first  $t$  seconds after take off, then its velocity in m/sec when it reaches, 1 000 m is
- A. 1000  
B. 500  
C. 300  
D. 100
24. If the height of a particle at any time  $t$  is given by  $h = t^3 + 4t^2$  then the acceleration is given by
- A.  $6t + 8$   
B.  $\frac{1}{4}t^4 + \frac{4}{3}t^3$   
C.  $3t^2 + 8t$   
D.  $32t$
25. If the sum of an infinite geometric series is 128 and the first term is 16, the common ratio is
- A.  $\frac{1}{8}$   
B.  $\frac{7}{8}$   
C.  $\frac{8}{9}$   
D.  $\frac{9}{8}$
26.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{2x^2 - 6x + 4}{x^2 - 1}$  is equal to
- A. 2  
B. 1  
C. 0  
D. -1
27. The slope of the secant of the graph of  $y = 4x - x^3$  through the points where  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$  is
- A. 1  
B. 3  
C.  $\frac{1}{3}$   
D. -3
28. A car is driven for 3 hours at 45 km/h and then for 5 hours at 65 km/h. It's average velocity in km/h over the total distance is
- A. 55  
B. 57.7  
C. 57  
D. 60

29. If  $S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$ , the sum of the infinite geometric series  $3+1 = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{9} + \dots$  is
- A. 5  
B.  $\frac{9}{2}$   
C.  $\frac{40}{9}$   
D.  $\infty$
30. The equation of the tangent to the curve of  $y = 2x^2 + 3x - 5$  at the point where  $x = -1$  is
- A.  $y = 4x + 3$   
B.  $y = -x - 7$   
C.  $y = \frac{3}{4}x - \frac{27}{4}$   
D.  $y = 2x - 2$
31. A point where the graph  $y = x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 3$  has zero is
- A. (2, -3)  
B. (2, 0)  
C. (-3, 2)  
D. (0, -3)
32. The maximum value of the position given by  $s = 3 - 9t + 6t^2 - t^3$  when  $t \geq 2$  is
- A. -1  
B. 6  
C. 1  
D. 3
33.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{3x^3 - 2x^2 + 5x}{x^2 - x} \right]$  is
- A. 6  
B. -5  
C. 0  
D.  $\infty$
34. The derivative with respect to  $x$  of  $y = x\sqrt{1-x^2}$  is
- A.  $\frac{1}{2}x(1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} + (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$   
B.  $-x^2(1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} + (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$   
C.  $-x(1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$   
D.  $x - x(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}$

35. The derivative of  $y$  with respect to  $x$  for a function determined by  $2x^2 + 3xy - y^2 = 20$  is
- A.  $\frac{-(4x+3y)}{(3x-2y)}$                       C.  $4x+3-2y$   
 B.  $\frac{4x+3y}{3x-2y}$                               D.  $-7x-y$
36. An equation of a tangent to the graph of  $y = 3x + \frac{1}{x}$  which is parallel to the graph of  $y = -x + 6$  is
- A.  $y = 3 - \frac{1}{x^2}$                               C.  $y = -x + 4$   
 B.  $y = -x + 7\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$                               D.  $y = x + 4$
37. A local maximum value of  $y = x^3 + 3 + \frac{3}{x}$  is
- A. 7    C. -1  
 B. 3    D. 1
38. A rectangular field is to be enclosed by a fence and divided into two smaller plots by a fence parallel to one of the sides. The dimensions in feet of the largest such field if 1200 feet of fence is available is
- A. 150 x 350                                  C. 300 x 300  
 B. 200 x 600                                  D. 200 x 300
39. A point of inflection on the graph of  $y = 2x^{\frac{1}{3}} + x^{\frac{4}{3}}$  is
- A. (0, 0)                                      C. (1, 3)  
 B. (8, 20)                                    D. there is no point of inflection

40. The equation of this graph is

- A.  $y = \frac{x^2}{x+2}$                                   C.  $y = \frac{x}{x^2-4}$   
 B.  $y = \frac{x^2}{(x+2)^2}$                               D.  $y = \frac{x}{x+2} + x$



41. A cube is expanding in such a way that its edge is changing at a rate of 5 cm/s. When its edge is 4 cm long, the rate of change of its volume in  $\text{cm}^3/\text{s}$  is

- A. 192  
B. 48  
C. 375  
D. 240

**Part B**

1. The general solution of  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^n$ ,  $n \neq -1$ , is

- A.  $y = nx^{n-1}$   
B.  $y = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + c$   
C.  $y = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$   
D.  $y = x^{n+1} + c$

2. Given the acceleration of a particle as  $a = (t^2 + 1)^2$ , then the position  $s$ , (where  $c$  and  $c_1$  are constants), is

- A.  $\frac{1}{5}t^5 + \frac{2}{3}t^3 + t + c$   
B.  $\frac{1}{30}t^6 + \frac{1}{6}t^4 + \frac{1}{2}t^2 + ct$   
C.  $\frac{1}{30}t^6 + \frac{1}{6}t^4 + \frac{1}{2}t^2 + ct + c_1$   
D.  $\frac{1}{5}t^5 + \frac{2}{3}t^3 + t + c + c_1$

3. The antiderivative of  $f(x) = (2x^2 - 1)^2 x$  is

- A.  $(2x^2 - 1)^3 + c$   
B.  $\left(\frac{2x^2 - 1^3}{6}\right)$   
C.  $(2x^2 - 1)^3$   
D.  $\frac{(2x^2 - 1)^3}{12} + c$

4. The area of the region bounded by the graph  $y = x^2 + 5$ , the  $x$ -axis, and the lines defined by  $x = -2$  and  $x = 0$  is

- A.  $7\frac{1}{3}$   
B. 13  
C.  $12\frac{2}{3}$   
D. 18

5. Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of  $y = 2x + 4$  and  $y = x^2 + 2x$

- A.  $\frac{20}{3}$   
B.  $\frac{28}{3}$   
C.  $\frac{4}{3}$   
D.  $\frac{32}{3}$







15. The value of  $y$ , if  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x^3(x+5)$ , is
- A.  $\frac{x^4}{2} \left( \frac{x^3}{2} + 5x \right) + c$                       C.  $\frac{2}{5}x^5 + \frac{5}{2}x^4 + c$   
 B.  $8x^3 + 30x^2 + c$                                       D. none of these
16. The area in square units of the region bounded by the graph of  $y = \frac{1}{x^3}$ , the  $x$ -axis and the lines with equations  $x = 1$  and  $x = 3$  is
- A. 240    C.  $\frac{26}{27}$   
 B.  $\frac{4}{9}$     D. 20
17. The formula for the position  $s$  in terms of time  $t$ , if  $v = 2 - t^{-2}$  and  $s = 5$  when  $t = 1$  is
- A.  $s = 2t + t^{-1}$     C.  $s = 2t^{-1} + 5$   
 B.  $s = 2t + \frac{1}{t} + 2$     D.  $s = 2t^{-3} + 3$
18. The area in square units of the region enclosed by the graphs of  $y = x^2$  and  $y = x + 6$  is
- A.  $\frac{35}{3}$     C.  $\frac{125}{6}$   
 B.  $\frac{215}{3}$     D.  $\frac{265}{6}$
19. A truck rolls down a slope inclined  $30^\circ$  to the horizontal so that its constant acceleration due to gravity is  $32 \sin 30^\circ$ . If the truck starts to roll from rest its speed in dm/s when it has rolled 1000 dm is
- A.  $5\sqrt{5}$     C.  $80\sqrt{10}$   
 B.  $80\sqrt{5}$     D. 120
20. The equation of the curve that has a slope given by  $x^2 - 4x + 1$  and passes through the point  $(0, 3)$  is
- A.  $y = x^3 - 6x^2 + 3x + 9$                                       C.  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 1$   
 B.  $y = x^3 - 6x^2 + 3x + 3$                                       D.  $y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 3$

**ANSWER KEY:**

**Part A**

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| 1.  | A | 11. | B | 21. | C | 31. | A | 41. | D |
| 2.  | B | 12. | D | 22. | D | 32. | D |     |   |
| 3.  | B | 13. | D | 23. | C | 33. | B |     |   |
| 4.  | C | 14. | D | 24. | A | 34. | B |     |   |
| 5.  | C | 15. | A | 25. | B | 35. | A |     |   |
| 6.  | D | 16. | A | 26. | D | 36. | C |     |   |
| 7.  | C | 17. | A | 27. | B | 37. | C |     |   |
| 8.  | B | 18. | A | 28. | B | 38. | D |     |   |
| 9.  | A | 19. | A | 29. | B | 39. | C |     |   |
| 10. | D | 20. | B | 30. | B | 40. | A |     |   |

**Part B**

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| 1.  | B | 11. | A |
| 2.  | C | 12. | D |
| 3.  | D | 13. | C |
| 4.  | C | 14. | D |
| 5.  | D | 15. | C |
| 6.  | B | 16. | B |
| 7.  | A | 17. | B |
| 8.  | B | 18. | C |
| 9.  | D | 19. | B |
| 10. | B | 20. | D |