Math 2415

Paper Homework #0

This homework set is a review of the parts of pre-caclulus and calculus I that we need for MATH 2415. You may use any resources you wish. **Show all work!** Write your solutions on another sheet of paper. Make sure you understand the **theory** behind these problems, not just how to "get the answer". Before doing Questions 11 and 12 make sure you read the Surface Sketching Primer (It is slow to load).

- 1. Let $f(x) = x^2$.
 - (a) Compute f'(3)
 - (b) What is the limit definition of f'(3)?
 - (c) What does f'(3) mean geometrically?
- 2. Find
 - (a) $\int_{1/2}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$
 - (b) $\int_{0}^{\infty} x e^{-x^2} dx$
- 3. On what intervals is $f(x) = 2x^3 + 3x^2 12x$ increasing? Also, find the absolute maximum of f on the interval $0 \le x \le 3$.
- 4. State two versions of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.
- 5. Use two triangles and a circle to work out: $\cos \pi/6$, $\sin \pi$, $\tan \pi/4$, $\cot \pi/3$.
- 6. Compute the equation of the tangent line to $y = \cos(x^2)$ at $x = \pi/3$.
- 7. Graph (a) 2x + 5y = 1, (b) $y = x^2 2x + 3$, (c) $y^2 9x^2 = 4$, (d) $16y^2 + 9x^2 = 1$. Do not use a table of values. Instead use graphing techniques you learned in previous courses.
- 8. The **Chain Rule** states that if h(x) = f(g(x)) then h'(x) = f'(g(x))g'(x). This means we evaluate f' at the point g(x), g' at the point x and then take the product of the resulting numbers. Use this way of thinking about the chain rule to solve the following two problems:
 - (a) Let $h(x) = \sin(g(x))$ where g(0) = 2 and g'(0) = 3. What is h'(0)?
 - (b) Suppose that h(x) = f(g(x)) and that g(0) = 2, f(0) = 4, g'(0) = 3, f'(0) = 4, g(2) = 6, f(2) = -3, g'(2) = -5, f'(2) = 9. Find h'(0).
- 9. Find the area bounded by the curves y = x/2 and $y = \sqrt{x}$.
- 10. In this problem, we take a curve in the yz-plane and rotate it about the z-axis to obtain a surface. Sketch the resulting surfaces in the case that the curve is (a) The circle centered at the origin radius 1, (b) The circle centered at (y, z) = (2, 0) radius 1, (c) The line segment joining (1, 2) to (3, 4).

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11. Use the techniques described in the Surface Sketching Primer to sketch

- (a) A rectangle in the horizontal plane, z = 2
- (b) A rectangle in the vertical plane, y = 1
- (c) A parallelipiped
- (d) A cereal bowl with a circular rim
- (e) A cylinder aligned with the y-axis
- (f) An icecream cone with a spherically shaped scoop of icecream in the top