

VCU
MATH 200
CALCULUS I

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TEST 3

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Directions. Answer the questions in the provided space. Unless noted otherwise, you must show and explain your work to receive full credit. Put your final answer in a box when appropriate.

This is a closed-book, closed-notes test. Calculators, computers, etc., are not used. Please put all phones away.

1. (25 points) Find the indefinite integrals.

$$(a) \int (x^3 + 3x + 5) dx = \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{3}{2}x^2 + 5x + C$$

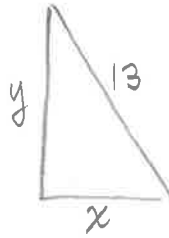
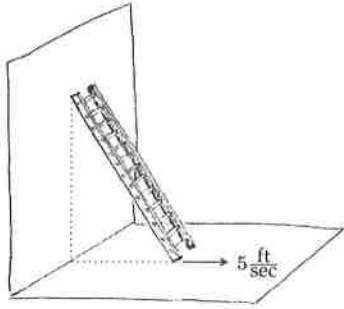
$$(b) \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} dx = \int x^{-\frac{1}{2}} dx = \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{2}+1} x^{-\frac{1}{2}+1} + C \\ = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} x^{\frac{1}{2}} + C = 2\sqrt{x} + C$$

$$(c) \int \frac{e^x + 1}{e^x} dx = \int \left(\frac{e^x}{e^x} + \frac{1}{e^x} \right) dx = \int (1 + e^{-x}) dx \\ = x - e^{-x} + C$$

$$(d) \int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \tan^{-1}(x) + C$$

$$(e) \int (\sec^2(x) + 3\sin(x)) dx = \tan(x) - 3\cos(x) + C$$

2. (15 pts.) A 13-foot ladder leans against a wall, as shown. Its base slides away from the wall at a rate of 5 feet per second. How fast is the top of the ladder sliding down the wall when its base is 12 feet from the wall?



Know $\frac{dx}{dt} = 5$

Want $\frac{dy}{dt}$

(when $x = 12$)

$$x^2 + y^2 = 13^2$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}[x^2 + y^2] = \frac{d}{dt}[169]$$

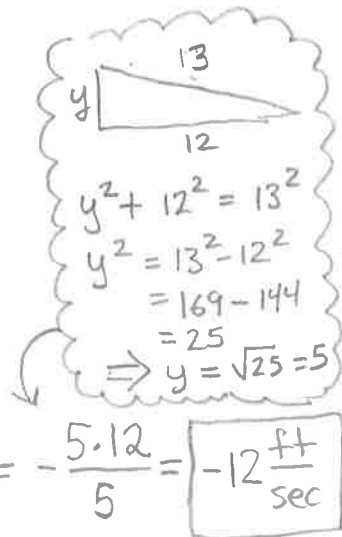
$$2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$2x \cdot 5 + 2y \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$5x + y \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$y \frac{dy}{dt} = -5x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{5x}{y} = -\frac{5 \cdot 12}{5} = -12 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{sec}}$$



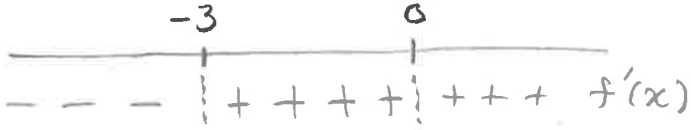
3. (15 pts.) Consider the function $f(x) = 5x^4 + 20x^3 + 10$.

(a) Find the critical points of $f(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= 20x^3 + 60x^2 \\ &= 20x^2(x+3) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{x=0 \quad x=-3}$$

(b) Find the intervals on which $f(x)$ increases/decreases



$f(x)$ increasing on $(-3, \infty)$
 $f(x)$ decreasing on $(-\infty, -3)$

(c) State the locations of the local minima of $f(x)$ (if any).

local min at $x = -3$

(d) State the locations of the local maxima of $f(x)$ (if any).

none

(e) State the interval(s) on which $f(x)$ is concave down.

$$f''(x) = 60x^2 + 120x = 60x(x+2)$$

$x=0$ $x=-2$



$f(x)$ concave down on $(-2, 0)$

4. (15 pts.) Use L'Hôpital's rule to find the limits.

$$(a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3x} - 1}{x^2 + 3x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3e^{3x}}{2x + 3} = \frac{3e^{3 \cdot 0}}{2 \cdot 0 + 3}$$

form $\frac{0}{0}$

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 1}{3} = \boxed{1}$$

[apply L'Hôpital's Rule]

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right) \sec(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\frac{\pi}{2} - x}{\frac{1}{\sec(x)}}$$

form $0 \cdot \infty$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\frac{\pi}{2} - x}{\cos(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{-1}{-\sin(x)}$$

form $\frac{0}{0}$
Apply L'Hôpital

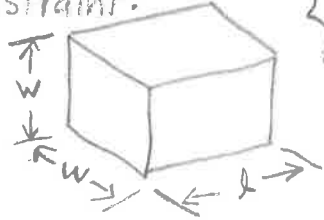
$$= \frac{-1}{-\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{-1} = \boxed{1}$$

5 (15 pts.) USPS rules say the length plus girth of a package cannot exceed 108 inches. (Girth = $2 \cdot \text{width} + 2 \cdot \text{height}$, as illustrated.) You must mail a package whose width and height are equal, and with the greatest possible volume. Find the dimensions of the package.



Constraint:



$$4w + l = 108$$

↑ girth ↑ length

$$\Rightarrow l = 108 - 4w$$

Maximize:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= l w w \\ &= (108 - 4w) w^2 \end{aligned}$$

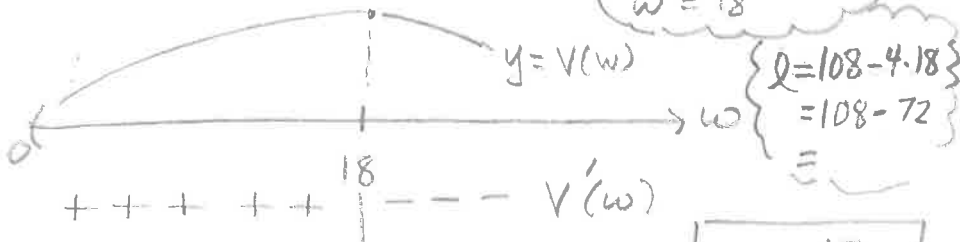
$$V(w) = 108w^2 - 4w^3$$

Find w that maximizes this on $(0, 108)$

$$\begin{aligned} V'(w) &= 216w - 12w^2 \\ &= 12w(18 - w) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

↓ $w=0$ ↓ $w=18$

Only critical point in interval is $w=18$



Answer Maximum volume at

$$\begin{aligned} w &= 18 \\ l &= 36 \end{aligned}$$

6. (15 pts.) A ball, tossed straight up, has a constant acceleration of -32 feet per second per second. At time $t = 0$ its velocity is $v(0) = 20$ feet per second, and its position is $s(0) = 5$ feet. Find the position function $s(t)$.

$$v(t) = \int a(t) dt = \int -32 dt$$

$$v(t) = -32t + C$$

$$20 = v(0) = -32 \cdot 0 + C \Rightarrow \boxed{C = 20}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \boxed{v(t) = -32t + 20}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } s(t) &= \int v(t) dt = \int (-32t + 20) dt \\ &= -32 \frac{t^2}{2} + 20t + C \end{aligned}$$

$$s(t) = -16t^2 + 20t + C$$

$$5 = s(0) = -16 \cdot 0^2 + 20 \cdot 0 + C$$

$$\boxed{5 = C}$$

Answer:

$$\boxed{s(t) = -16t^2 + 20t + 5}$$