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**DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS**  
**Math 11 Final Examination**  
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- This is a closed-book examination. No books, notes, calculators, cell phones, communication devices of any sort, or other aids are permitted.
- You need *not* simplify algebraically complicated answers. However, numerical answers such as  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ ,  $4^{\frac{3}{2}}$ ,  $e^{\ln 4}$ ,  $\ln(e^7)$ ,  $e^{-\ln 5}$ , or  $e^{3\ln 3}$  should be simplified.
- Please *show* all of your work and *justify* all of your answers. (You may use the backs of pages for additional work space.)

Problem	Score	Possible Points
1		20
2		30
3		25
4		10
5		10
6		15
7		10
8		20
9		15
10		15
11		15
12		15
Total		200

**1.** [20 Points] Evaluate each of the following limits. Please justify your answers. Be clear if the limit equals a value,  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ , or Does Not Exist.

(a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{(x + 1)^2 - 1}$

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \frac{x^2 - 8x + 15}{1 - 8x + g(x + 1)}$ , where  $g(x) = x^2 + 7$ .

**1.** (Continued) Evaluate each of the following limits. Please justify your answers. Be clear if the limit equals a value,  $+\infty$  or  $-\infty$ , or Does Not Exist.

(c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 8} \frac{8 - x}{\sqrt{x + 1} - 3}$

(d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 7} \frac{x^2 - 5x - 14}{|7 - x|}$

**2.** [30 Points] Compute each of the following derivatives. Simplify numerical answers. Do not simplify your algebraically complicated answers.

(a)  $f' \left( \frac{\pi}{12} \right)$ , where  $f(x) = \sec^2(2x) + \sin(4x)$ .

(b)  $\frac{d}{dx} \ln \left( \frac{(x^2 + 1)^{\frac{3}{7}} e^{\tan x}}{\sqrt{1 + \cos x}} \right)$

(c)  $g'(x)$ , where  $g(x) = \sqrt{1 + \cos^7 \left( \frac{5}{x} \right)}$

**2.** (Continued) Compute each of the following derivatives. Simplify numerical answers. Do not simplify your algebraically complicated answers.

(d)  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ , if  $e^{xy^3} + \sin^3 x = \ln(xy) + \sin(e^9)$ .

(e)  $g''(x)$ , where  $g(x) = \int_x^{2011} \sqrt{\ln t} + \ln \sqrt{t} dt$ .

(f)  $\frac{d}{dx} x^{\cos x}$

**3.** [25 Points] Compute each of the following integrals.

(a)  $\int_{\frac{\pi}{18}}^{\frac{\pi}{9}} \tan(3x) \, dx$

(b)  $\int \frac{(x^{\frac{5}{2}} + 1)^2}{x} \, dx$

**3.** (Continued) Compute each of the following integrals.

(c)  $\int_e^{e^4} \frac{3}{x\sqrt{\ln x}} dx$

(d)  $\int e^{x^2+\ln x+1} dx$

4. [10 Points] Give an  $\varepsilon$ - $\delta$  proof that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} 6 - 5x = -4$ .



5. [10 Points] Let  $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-3}$ . Calculate  $f'(x)$ , using the **limit definition** of the derivative.

**6.** [15 Points] Compute  $\int_0^8 x - 3 \, dx$  using each of the following **three** different methods:

- (a) Area interpretations of the definite integral,
- (b) Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,
- (c) Riemann Sums and the limit definition of the definite integral \* \* \* .

\*\*\*Recall  $\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^n 1 = n$

**7.** [10 Points] Find the equation of the tangent line to

$$y = \cos(\ln(x + 1)) + \ln(\cos x) + e^{\sin x} + \sin(e^x - 1)$$

at the point where  $x = 0$ .

8. [20 Points]

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \frac{x}{e^x} = xe^{-x}.$$

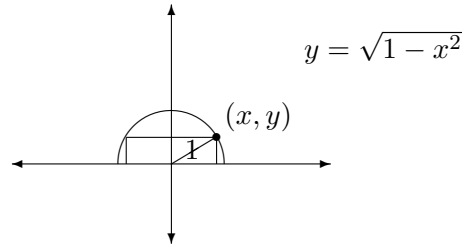
For this function, discuss domain, vertical and horizontal asymptote(s), interval(s) of increase or decrease, local extreme value(s), concavity, and inflection point(s). Then use this information to present a detailed and labelled sketch of the curve.

$$\text{Take my word that } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -\infty.$$

**9.** [15 Points] A conical tank, 14 feet across the entire top and 12 feet deep, is leaking water. The radius of the water level is decreasing at the rate of 2 feet per minute. How fast is the water leaking out of the tank when the radius of the water level is 2 feet?

\*\*Recall the volume of the cone is given by  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$

**10.** [15 Points] Let  $R$  be the region inside the top semicircle of radius one, centered at the origin, given by  $y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$ . Find the area of the largest rectangle that can be inscribed in this region  $R$ . Two vertices of the rectangle lie on the  $x$ -axis. Its other two vertices lie on the semicircle.



(Remember to state the domain of the function you are computing extreme values for.)

**11.** [15 Points] Consider the region in the first quadrant bounded by  $y = e^x + 1$ ,  $y = 4$ , and the  $y$ -axis.

(a) Draw a picture of the region.

(b) Compute the area of the region.

(c) Compute the volume of the three-dimensional object obtained by rotating the region about the horizontal line  $y = -2$

**12.** [15 Points] Consider an object moving on the number line such that its velocity at time  $t$  seconds is  $v(t) = 4 - t^2$  feet per second. Also assume that the position of the object at one second is  $\frac{5}{3}$ .

(a) Compute the acceleration function  $a(t)$  and the position function  $s(t)$ .

(b) Compute the **total distance** travelled for  $0 \leq t \leq 3$ .