

MAT 295 UC  
FINAL EXAM – FALL 2001  
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You have exactly 120 minutes to complete this exam.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- a) Check to see that you have 10 pages and 11 questions. No credit will be given for questions from any missing pages.
- b) Do not take the exam apart.
- c) Put your name on every page.
- d) Show all work. No credit will be given for answers without supporting work.
- e) The number in parentheses to the left of each question is its point value.

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1. (20 points) Evaluate the following limits. If the limit does not exist describe how it does not exist.

a.)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{5x^3 + 2x^2 - x}{5x^2 + 3x + 1}$

b.)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - x - 2}{x^2 - 5x + 6}$

c.)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} \frac{x^2 + 3}{x - 3}$

d.)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\sqrt{3x - 5} - 1}{x - 2}$

2. (15 points)

a.) State the definition of the derivative,  $f'(x)$ , for a function  $f(x)$ .

b.) Use the definition to compute the derivative of  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x}$

c.) Find an equation for the tangent to the curve  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x}$  at  $x = 3$ .

3. (20 points) Find the derivatives of the following functions:

a.)  $f(x) = x \cos x + \frac{x+1}{x+2}$

b.)  $f(x) = \ln\left(\frac{e^x}{x+1}\right)$

c.)  $y = 2x \sin \sqrt{x}$

d.)  $y = x^{3/2} + x^{-8}$

4. (10 points) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  of the equation  $(3xy + 7)^2 = 6y$

5. (10 points) Solve the inequality  $|2x + 5| \leq 2$

6. (12 points) The volume of a spherical balloon of radius  $r$  is  $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$  and the surface area is  $S = 4\pi r^2$

a.) If the balloon is inflated at the rate of  $36 \text{ ft}^3/\text{min}$ , how fast is the **radius** increasing when  $r = 5$  feet?

b.) How fast is  $S$  increasing when  $r = 5$  feet?

7. (28 points) Consider the function and its derivatives:

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{12}x^4 + 2x^2 + 3$$

$$f'(x) = -\frac{1}{3}x^3 + 4x$$

$$f''(x) = -x^2 + 4$$

There will be NO CREDIT of **calculus** work is now shown.

a.) Determine the intervals where  $f$  is increasing or decreasing.

b.) Find all  $x$ -values at which local maxima and minima occur.

c.) Determine intervals where  $f$  is concave up or down.

d.) Find the  $x$ -values where the **absolute** maximum and minimum for  $f$  occur when  $f$  is restricted to the interval  $[-12, 12]$ .

8. (20 points) Compute:

a.)  $\int \left( 3x^2 + x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 2 \right) dx$


b.)  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x \ln(t^2 + 1) dt$

c.)  $\int \sin x \cos^2 x dx$

d.)  $\int_0^4 \frac{xdx}{x^2 + 9}$

9. (15 points) A rectangular plot of land will be bounded on one side by a river and on the other three sides by a single-strand electric fence. With 800 meters of wire at your disposal, what is the largest area you can enclose?

$$y = x^3 - 9x, \quad -3 \leq x \leq 3$$

10. (20 points) Find the **total** area between the curve  and the x-axis.

11. (20 points) The cups of a water cooler are conical in shape with a 3-inch radius and 6 inches in height. After being filled, the bottom of the cup springs a leak and water escapes at a rate of 1.8 cubic inches per second. How fast is the water level in the cup falling when the depth is 4 inches?