

# Review for Final

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# Function: $y = f(x)$

- Piecewise, Power (Polys, Rational), Trigonometric, Exponential
- Domain, Range; Interval Notation
- Increasing/Decreasing, Even/Odd ( $f(-x) = \pm f(x)$ )
- Inverse function  $\begin{cases} \text{one-to-one; Solve } y = f(x) \text{ for } x, \text{ then } x \leftrightarrow y \\ y = a^x \longleftrightarrow y = \log_a x \\ \sin(x), \cos(x), \dots \longleftrightarrow \sin^{-1}(x), \cos^{-1}(x), \dots \end{cases}$
- Composite function  $(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$
- Shifting/Scaling and Reflecting a Graph of a Function
- Trigonometric Identities and Formulas
- Change of Base Formulas for Exponential/Logarithmic function

# Limit: $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L$

- Limit Laws:  $f \pm g$ ,  $k \cdot f$ ,  $f \cdot g$ ,  $f/g$ ,  $f^n$ ,  $f^{1/n}$
- If  $P(x) = a_n x^n + \dots + a_0$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} P(x) = P(c) = a_n c^n + \dots + a_0$ .
- If  $P(x)$  and  $Q(x)$  are polys and  $Q(c) \neq 0$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} = \frac{P(c)}{Q(c)}$ .
- Eliminate common factors from 0 denominators/Multiply by conjugate
- The Sandwich Theorem (A fact of Trig.: Range of sin, cos is  $[-1, 1]$ )
- $\delta - \varepsilon$  language:
  - for every  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $\delta > 0$  s.t.  $0 < |x - c| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - L| < \varepsilon$
  - Find algebraically a  $\delta$  for a given  $f, L, c$  and  $\varepsilon > 0$
  - Prove theorems
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L \iff \lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} f(x) = L$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} f(x) = L$
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty}$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty}$  : Divide by highest power of  $x$ /Multiply by conjugate

## Continuity: $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = f(c)$

- The function  $f$  is *continuous at  $c$*  if  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = f(c)$ .
- Four types of **discontinuities**: removable, jump, infinite, oscillating
- **Algebraic Combinations**:  $f \pm g$ ,  $k \cdot f$ ,  $f \cdot g$ ,  $f/g$ ,  $f^n$ ,  $f^{1/n}$
- **Polynomials** and **Rational** functions (if well-defined) are continuous
- The **inverse** function of any continuous function on  $I$  is continuous
- All **composites** of continuous functions are continuous
- If  $g$  is continuous at  $b$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = b$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} g(f(x)) = g(b)$ .
- **Intermediate Value Theorem** (IVT) for Continuous Functions

$$\text{Derivative: } f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{z \rightarrow x} \frac{f(z) - f(x)}{z - x}$$

- The formal definition: Find derivatives & Prove differentiation rules
- Differentiable functions are continuous; The converse might be false.
- **Differentiation Rules:**
  - $(c)' = 0$ ,  $(x^n)' = nx^{n-1}$ ,  $(a^x)' = (\ln a)a^x \xrightarrow{a=e} (e^x)' = e^x$
  - $(c \cdot f)' = c \cdot f'$ ,  $(f \pm g)' = f' \pm g'$
  - $(f \cdot g)' = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g'$ ,  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{f' \cdot g - f \cdot g'}{g^2}$
  - Second- and Higher-Order Derivatives
- **Algebraic = Geometric:**  $f'(a) =$  Slope  $m$  of Tangent line at  $x = a$

# Formulas for Derivatives

- **Constant Rule:**  $(k)' = 0$
- **Power Rule:**  $(x^n)' = nx^{n-1}$
- **Exponential Rule:**  $(a^x)' = (\ln a) a^x$
- **Natural Exponential Rule:**  $(e^x)' = e^x$
- **Logarithmic Rule:**  $(\log_a x)' = \frac{1}{(\ln a)x}$
- **Natural Logarithmic Rule:**  $(\ln x)' = 1/x$
- **Trig. Rule:**  $(\sin x)' = \cos x$ ,  $(\cos x)' = -\sin x$ ,  $(\tan x)' = \sec^2 x$
- **Constant Multiple Rule:**  $(c \cdot f)' = c \cdot f'$
- **Sum/Difference Rule:**  $(f \pm g)' = f' \pm g'$
- **Product Rule:**  $(f \cdot g)' = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g'$
- **Quotient Rule:**  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{f' \cdot g - f \cdot g'}{g^2}$
- **Chain Rule:**  $(f \circ g)'(x) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$
- **Derivative Rule for Inverses:**  $(f^{-1})'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(f^{-1}(x))}$
- **Implicit/Logarithmic differentiation**

# Applications of Derivatives

- Velocity, Acceleration:  $v(t) = s'(t)$ ,  $a(t) = v'(t) = s''(t)$ ; Speed =  $|v(t)|$
- Rates of change and Derivatives in Economics are so-called *marginals*
- **Algebraic** = **Geometric**:  $f'(a) =$  Slope  $m$  of Tangent line at  $x = a$

The slope of the normal \* The slope of the tangent line =  $-1$

- Derivatives of the inverse trigonometric functions  $\sin^{-1}$ ,  $\cos^{-1}$ ,  $\tan^{-1}$
- Derivatives of positive functions involving products, quotients, powers.

It can often be found more quickly by using **Logarithmic differentiation**:

$$(\ln y)' = \frac{1}{y} \cdot y' \quad \Rightarrow \quad y' = y \cdot (\ln y)'$$

- Related Rates: Review examples in §3.10. (**Implicit differentiation**):
  1. Differentiate both sides of the equation w.r.t.  $x$ , treating  $y$  as a function of  $x$ .
  2. Collect the terms with  $dy/dx$  on one side of the equation and solve for  $dy/dx$ .

# Mean Value Theorem & Its applications

## Mean Value Theorem

Suppose that  $y = f(x)$  is continuous over  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ . Then there is at least one point  $c \in (a, b)$  at which  $\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = f'(c)$ .

Rolle's Theorem is a special case ( $f(a) = f(b)$ ) of Mean Value Theorem.

- Intermediate Value Theorem & Rolle's Theorem  $\Rightarrow$  "exactly one real solution"
- If  $f'(x) = 0$  at each  $x \in (a, b)$ , then  $f(x) = C$  (a constant) for all  $x \in (a, b)$ .
- If  $f'(x) = g'(x)$  at each  $x \in (a, b)$ , then  $f(x) = g(x) + C$  for all  $x \in (a, b)$ .
- First Derivative Test:  $f' > 0$  means  $f \nearrow$  v.s.  $f' < 0$  means  $f \searrow$
- Second Derivative Test:  $f'' > 0$  means  $f \text{ 😊}$  v.s.  $f'' < 0$  means  $f \text{ 😞}$



# Global/Local Extrema & Critical/Inflection points

If  $f'(c)$  is zero or undefined for an interior point  $c$ , then  $c$  is a **critical point** of  $f$ .

- **Global Maxima/Minima:** Compare critical values and endpoints values
- **Local Maxima/Minima:** Critical points ( $f'(c) = 0$ ) &  $f'$  sign changes  
Methods: **2nd derivative test** ( $f''(c) \neq 0$ ); otherwise, **1st derivative test**

At a point of inflection  $(c, f(c))$ , either  $f''(c) = 0$  or  $f''(c)$  fails to exist.

- **Inflection points** ( $f$  changes concavity):  $f''(c) = 0$  &  $f''$  sign changes

**Application:** Together  $f'$  and  $f''$  tell us the shape of the function's graph.

- Identify the domain of  $f$  and any symmetries may have; then find  $f'$  and  $f''$**
- Find critical points and identify function's behavior at each one. [FDT, SDT]**  
Find where the curve is increasing and where it is decreasing. [FDT]
- Find the points of inflection, and determine the concavity of the curve. [SDT]**
- Identify any asymptotes & Plot key points (intercepts, pts in (c), (d))**

# L'Hôpital's Rule & Applied Optimization

L'Hôpital's Rule for the indeterminate form  $0/0, \infty/\infty$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

Indeterminate Forms  $\infty \cdot 0, \infty - \infty$

These forms can be converted to a  $0/0$  or  $\infty/\infty$  form by using algebra.

Indeterminate Forms  $1^\infty, 0^0, \infty^0$

**(1)** take the logarithm; **(2)** use L'Hôpital's Rule; **(3)** exponentiate the result

$$\text{If } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \ln f(x) = L, \text{ then } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} e^{\ln f(x)} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \ln f(x)} = e^L.$$

Solving Applied Optimization Problems (Modeling and Doing math)

- 1). Read the problem.
- 2). Draw a picture.
- 3). Introduce variables.
- 4). Write an equation for the unknown quantity.
- 5). Test the critical points and endpoints in the domain of the unknown.

$\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C$ , where  $F(x)$  is an antiderivative of  $f(x)$ .

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(c_k) \cdot \Delta x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(c_k) \cdot \left( \frac{b-a}{n} \right)$$

*Properties:* Order of Integration, Zero Width Interval, Constant Multiple Sum/Difference, Additivity, Min-Max Inequality, Domination

**FTC, I & II:**  $F'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \int_a^x f(t) dt = f(x)$ ;  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$

•  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \begin{cases} \text{area under the curve} & \text{if } f \geq 0 \text{ on } [a, b], \\ -\text{area below the } x\text{-axis} & \text{if } f < 0 \text{ on } [a, b]. \end{cases}$

• Average value ( $f$ ) =  $\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx$

• **Substitution Rule:**  $u = u(x)$  &  $du = u'(x) dx$

•  $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \begin{cases} 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx & \text{if } f \text{ is even,} \\ 0 & \text{if } f \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$

• Areas Between Curves:  $A = \int_a^b [f(x) - g(x)] dx$

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- $(\sin x)' = \cos x$ ,  $(\cos x)' = -\sin x$
- $(\tan x)' = \sec^2 x$ ,  $(\cot x)' = -\csc^2 x$
- $(\sec x)' = \sec x \tan x$ ,  $(\csc x)' = -\csc x \cot x$
- **Constant Multiple Rule:**  $(c \cdot f)' = c \cdot f'$
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$$(\arcsin x)', (\arccos x)', (\arctan x)'$$
- **Implicit/Logarithmic differentiation**

- $\int k dx = kx + C$
- $\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C$ ,  $n \neq -1$
- $\int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\ln a} + C$
- $\int e^x dx = e^x + C$
- $\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln |x| + C$
- $\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$ ,  $\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$
- $\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C$ ,  $\int \csc^2 x dx = -\cot x + C$
- $\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x + C$ ,  $\int \csc x \cot x dx = -\csc x + C$
- $\int c \cdot f(x) dx = c \cdot \int f(x) dx$
- $\int (f(x) \pm g(x)) dx = \int f(x) dx \pm \int g(x) dx$
- **NA**
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- **u-substitution:**  $du = u'(x) dx$
- **NA**
- **NA**

# Volumes Using Cross-Sections/Cylindrical Shells

- Volumes Using Cross-Sections  $V = \int_a^b A(x) dx$ 
  1. Sketch the solid and a typical cross-section.
  2. Find a formula for  $A(x)$ , the area of a typical cross-section.
  3. Find the limits of integration & Integrate  $A(x)$  to find the volume.
- Solids of Revolution about the  $x$ -axis
  - Disk Method:  $V = \int_a^b A(x) dx = \int_a^b \pi [R(x)]^2 dx$
  - Washer Method:  $V = \int_a^b A(x) dx = \int_a^b \pi ([R(x)]^2 - [r(x)]^2) dx$
- Volumes Using Cylindrical Shells  $V = \int_a^b 2\pi \left( \begin{matrix} \text{shell} \\ \text{radius} \end{matrix} \right) \left( \begin{matrix} \text{shell} \\ \text{height} \end{matrix} \right) dx$

e.g.,  $y = f(x)$  is revolved about the vertical line  $x = L < a < b$ :

$$V = \int_a^b 2\pi(x - L)f(x) dx$$

# Additional Suggestions

## Review:

- 1 Your homework
- 2 Your class notes
- 3 Quizzes
- 4 Review Problems with Solutions in Blackboard
- 5 Lecture recordings in Blackboard

## Contact:

- Me (virtual Office Hours or by e-mail)
- Your TA
- Your SI Leader

*Good luck with all finals!*