

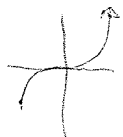
Quiz 6

Math 251

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1. [2] TRUE/FALSE: Circle T in each of the following cases if the statement is *always* true. Otherwise, circle F. Let f be a function.

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T F If $f'(c) = 0$, then f has a local maximum or minimum at c .

T F If f is continuous on (a, b) , then f attains an absolute maximum value $f(c)$ and an absolute minimum value $f(d)$ at some numbers c and d in (a, b) .



Show your work for the following problems. The correct answer with no supporting work will receive NO credit (this includes multiple choice questions).

2. [4] Find the following:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x + \sin x}{x + \cos x} \quad \frac{0+0}{0+1} = \frac{0}{1}$$

by limit law #5

$$= \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x + \sin x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x + \cos x)}$$

$$= \frac{0+0}{0+1} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$$

Notation

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{5^t - 3^t}{t} \quad \frac{0}{0}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{5^t \ln 5 - 3^t \ln 3}{1}$$

$$= \ln 5 - \ln 3$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(a^x) = ?$$

$$= a^x \ln a$$

$$y = a^x$$

$$\ln y = x \ln a$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \ln a$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y \ln a = a^x \ln a$$

3. [4] Consider the function $g(x) = 1 + 2x + x^3 + 4x^5$

(a) Show that g has at least one root. Explain your reasoning clearly and cite and theorems you use.

Note: $g(1) = 1 + 2 + 1 + 4 = 8$ and $g(-1) = 1 - 2 - 1 - 4 = -6$.

Recall the IVT: (1)

Since g is a cont function on the interval $[-1, 1]$ and 0 is between $g(1)$ and $g(-1)$, the ~~Intermediate~~ IVT says there exists a c between -1 and 1 so that $g(c) = 0$.

Thus the IVT \Rightarrow c is a root of g .

(b) Show that g has at most one root. Explain your reasoning clearly and cite and theorems you use.

Assume towards contradiction that g has at least two roots. Label one α and the other β .

Thus $g(\alpha) = 0 = g(\beta)$.

Recall Rolle's thm:

~~Since~~ (1)

Since g is cont on all \mathbb{R} , g is cont on $[\alpha, \beta]$.

Since g is diff. on all \mathbb{R} , g is diff. on (α, β) .

By set up $g(\alpha) = g(\beta)$.

Rolle's thm. then says there exists a ξ between α and β so that

$$g'(\xi) = 0.$$

But $g'(x) = 2 + 3x^2 + 20x^4 > 0$ for all x .

Our assumption of the existence of 2 roots must have therefore been false.

use (1) correctly