

[10pts] 1. Find the domain  $D$  of the function. (Write answer in interval notation.)

$$f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x^2 + 5x - 6}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{x-1}{(x+6)(x-1)}$$

$$(x+6)(x-1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -6, x = 1$$

So the domain of  $f(x)$  is all real # except -6 and 1.

Domain  $D$  by interval is :

$$D = (-\infty, -6) \cup (-6, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$$

[8 pts] 2. Find all solutions of  $\cos(2t) = -1$

$$\begin{aligned} 2t &= \pi + 2\pi n \\ \Rightarrow t &= \frac{\pi}{2} + \pi n \end{aligned}$$

$$t = \frac{\pi}{2} + \pi n$$

[16 pts] 3. Find the following limit. If the limit doesn't exist, write 'DNE'

$$(a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{16 - x^2}{4 - x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{(4 + x)(4 - x)}{4 - x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} (4 + x) = 8$$

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$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{x + 3}{x - 3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{6}{x - 3}$$

DNE

[9 pts] 4. Find the value of  $c$ , such that function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{c-2}{x}, & \text{if } x \leq -1 \\ x+2c, & \text{if } x > -1 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $x = -1$ .

Solution: from continuity at  $x = -1$ , we only need

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{c-2}{-1} &= -1 + 2c \\ \Rightarrow -c + 2 &= -1 + 2c \\ \Rightarrow 3 &= 3c \\ \Rightarrow c &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

c=1

[8 pts]5. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-1}$ , find  $f'(x)$  by using  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+h-1} - \frac{1}{x-1}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+h-1} \cdot \frac{x-1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x-1} \cdot \frac{x+h-1}{x+h-1}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{(x-1) - (x+h-1)}{(x+h-1)(x-1)}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x-1-x-h+1}{(x+h-1)(x-1)}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{(x+h-1)(x-1)} \cdot \frac{1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{(x+h-1)(x-1)} = \frac{-1}{(x-1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{-1}{(x-1)^2}$$

[8 pts]6. Find an equation of the tangent line

to the graph of  $f(x) = x^2 + 1$  at the point  $(1, 2)$ .

From  $f'(x) = 2x$ , so the slope of tangent line at  $(1,2)$  is  $f'(1) = 2 \cdot 1 = 2$

Then equation of the tangent line at  $(1,2)$  is

$$y - 2 = 2(x - 1) \Rightarrow y - 2 = 2x - 2 \Rightarrow y = 2x$$

Equation is:

$$y = 2x$$

7. Find the derivative of functions by using the rules of differentiation.

[8pts] (a)  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x^3} - \frac{x^3}{3} = 3x^{-3} - \frac{1}{3}x^3$

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(3x^{-3}) - \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{3}x^3\right)$$

$$= 3 \cdot (-3)x^{-4} - \frac{1}{3} \cdot 3x^2$$

$$= -9x^{-4} - x^2$$

$f'(x) = -9x^{-4} - x^2$

[8pts] (b)  $g(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{x}} + \sin x = 2x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + \sin x$

$$g'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(2x^{-\frac{1}{2}}) + \frac{d}{dx}\sin x$$

$$= 2 \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)x^{-\frac{3}{2}} + \cos x$$

$$= -x^{-\frac{3}{2}} + \cos x$$

$g'(x) = -x^{-\frac{3}{2}} + \cos x$

8. A hot-air balloon rises vertically from the ground so that its height after

$t$  sec is  $h(t) = \frac{1}{3}t^3 + 3t$  ft ( $0 \leq t \leq 10$ ).

[5 pts]

(a) What is the average velocity of the balloon between  $t=1$  and  $t=3$  ?

$$\frac{h(3) - h(1)}{3 - 1} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3}3^3 + 3 \cdot 3\right) - \left(\frac{1}{3} + 3\right)}{2} = \frac{15 - \frac{1}{3}}{2} = \frac{22}{3}$$

$\frac{22}{3}$ ft/sec
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[5 pts]

(b) What is the instantaneous velocity of the balloon at the end of 3 sec ?

$$v(t) = h'(t) = t^2 + 3$$

$$\text{So } v(3) = 3^2 + 3 = 12$$

12 ft/sec
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9. Growth Rate. The population of a city grows from an initial size of 10,000 to an amount  $P$ , given by  $P(t) = 10,000 + 50t^2$ , where  $t$  is in years.

[5pts](a) Find the growth rate of  $P$  with respect to  $t$ .

$$P'(t) = \frac{d}{dt}10000 + \frac{d}{dt}(50t^2) = 0 + 50 \cdot 2t = 100t$$

100t

[5pts](b) Find the number of people in the city after 20 years (at  $t = 20$ ).

$$P(20) = 10000 + 50(20)^2 = 30000$$

30000

[5pts](c) Find the growth rate at  $t = 20$ .

$$P'(20) = 100 \cdot 20 = 2000$$

2000