MA 15910 Review Problems for Exam 3

For problems 1, 2, and 3: Find equation of any vertical or horizontal asymptotes. If there are none, write 'none'.

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

2)
$$f(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 3x - 6}{2x^2 - 6x - 20}$$

3)
$$g(x) = \frac{2x^3 + 3x}{5x - 1}$$

Solve each exponential equation.

$$3^{x+1} = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$5) 4^{2x+1} = 8^{x-3}$$

$$6) 27^x = 9^{x^2 + x}$$

Compound interest formulas: $A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{m}\right)^{mt}$ $A = Pe^{rt}$

- 7) Find the accumulated amount if \$5000 is invested at 6% annual interest compounded quarterly for 6 years.
- 8) How long would it take (to the nearest tenth of a year) for \$1000 to accumulate to \$1250 at 4% annual interest rate compounded continuously?
- 9) Write $4^{0.5} = 2$ in logarithmic form.
- 10) Use your calculator to approximate $\ln 35.6$ and $e^{2.3}$.
- 11) Use your calculator and the change of base formula to approximate $\log_3 17$ to 4 decimal places.

Solve each equation. Round to 4 decimal places, if necessary.

12)
$$\log_6(x+1) = 2$$

13)
$$\log(x+5) + \log(x+2) = 1$$

14)
$$3^{x+2} = 7^x$$

- Suppose $\log_b 2 = x$ and $\log_b 5 = y$. Use the properties of logarithms to find $\log_b 20$.
- 16) Evaluate $\log_4 64$ and $\log_3 \frac{1}{9}$ without a calculator.

$$\log_4\!\left(\frac{16p}{\sqrt{q}}\right)$$

18) Find each limit, if it exists. (a)
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{3x^2 - 5}{2x - 5x^2}$$
 (b) $\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{5x - 3}{2x^2 + 7x - 1}$

Find each derivative.

19)
$$y = -14e^{2x}$$

20)
$$f(x) = -2x^2 e^{-3x}$$

21)
$$y = \frac{\ln(2x+6)}{x+3}, x > -3$$

22)
$$y = (x^3 + e^{2x})^3$$

23)
$$f(x) = \frac{e^x(x^2 + 2)}{\ln x}$$

24)
$$y = (3x^2 - 5x)^3$$

25)
$$g(x) = \sqrt{(3x^3 - 5x^2)^3}$$

- Find the slope of the tangent line and the equation of the tangent line to the curve $y = xe^x$ at the point where x = 1.
- What is the slope of the tangent line to $f(x) = (3x^2 x)^{-1}$ at the point $(1, \frac{1}{2})$?
- 28) Find any open intervals where these functions are increasing.

(a)
$$f(x) = 4x^3 + 8x^2 - 16x + 11$$

$$(b) \qquad g(x) = \frac{15}{2x+7}$$

Find the locations and values of all relative maxima and minima.

29)
$$f(x) = 2x^3 + 3x^2 - 12x + 5$$

30)
$$g(x) = \frac{\ln x}{2x^2}, x > 0$$

Find the second derivative of each function.

31)
$$f(x) = 9x^3 + \frac{2}{x}$$

32)
$$g(x) = \frac{1 - 2x}{4x + 3}$$

33) Find
$$f''(2)$$
 and $f''(5)$ if $f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x^3 + \frac{1}{x^2}$

Find intervals where each function would be concave upward? Downward?

34)
$$f(x) = \frac{6}{x^2 + 3}$$
 35) $y = x^4 + x^3 - 3x^2 + 1$

36) Find any point(s) of inflection for the function $f(x) = x^3 - 9x^2 + 24x - 18$.