

NO CALCULATORS ALLOWED

The time (t) required for a disc of liquid metal to solidify depends on the thickness (d) of the disc. If $t = f(d)$, where t is measured in minutes, and d is measured in millimeters, give the practical meaning, including units, for the statement $f'(2) = 6$. **SCORE: ___ / 2 POINTS**

IF A DISC OF LIQUID METAL IS 2mm THICK,
IT WILL TAKE 6 MINUTES LONGER FOR IT TO SOLIDIFY
FOR EACH ADDITIONAL mm IN ITS THICKNESS

A decorative horizontal border consisting of a repeating pattern of various geometric shapes, including triangles, stars, and stylized floral or sunburst motifs, all rendered in a dark grey color.

State the Intermediate Value Theorem. **NO PARTIAL CREDIT.**

SCORE: ___ / 1 POINT

SEE YOUR NOTES / TEXTBOOK

A decorative horizontal border consisting of a repeating pattern of stylized floral and geometric motifs, including stars, flowers, and geometric shapes like triangles and diamonds.

Using the definition of the derivative, find the derivative of $f(x) = \cos x$.

SCORE: ___ / 3 POINTS

You may use the values of the 2 trigonometric limits discussed in class yesterday without proving them.

DO NOT USE THE DERIVATIVES OF ANY TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x+h) - \cos x}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x \cos h - \sin x \sin h - \cos x}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\cos x \left(\frac{\cosh - 1}{h} \right) - \sin x \left(\frac{\sin h}{h} \right) \right) \\
 &= \cos x \cdot 0 - \sin x \cdot 1 \\
 &= -\sin x
 \end{aligned}$$

Find the requested derivatives using any of the differentiation shortcuts discussed so far.

SCORE: ___ / 14 POINTS

Simplify your answers. Factor where appropriate.

- [a] If $f(x) = \cot x^5$, find $f''(x)$. BE CAREFUL.

$$\begin{aligned}f'(x) &= (-\csc^2 x^5)(5x^4) = \boxed{-5x^4 \csc^2 x^5}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\f''(x) &= -20x^3 \csc^2 x^5 - 5x^4 \boxed{(2\csc x^5)(-\csc x^5 \cot x^5)}(5x^4)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\&= \boxed{-20x^3 \csc^2 x^5 + 50x^8 \csc^2 x^5 \cot x^5}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\&= \boxed{-10x^3 \csc^2 x^5 (2 - 5x^5 \cot x^5)}^{\frac{1}{2}}\end{aligned}$$

- [b] If $m(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^x + \sec x}}$, find $m'(0)$.

$$\begin{aligned}m'(x) &= \frac{1}{2} (2^x + \sec x)^{-\frac{3}{2}} ((\ln 2) 2^x + \sec x \tan x) \\m'(0) &= -\frac{1}{2} (1+1)^{-\frac{3}{2}} (\ln 2 + 1 \cdot 0) \\&= -\frac{\ln 2}{2 \cdot 2^{\frac{3}{2}}} \\&= -\frac{\ln 2}{4\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{2} \ln 2}{8}\end{aligned}$$

EITHER ONE

- [c] If $g(x) = \frac{\tan x + \cot x}{\csc x}$, find $g'(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned}g'(x) &= \frac{(\sec^2 x - \csc^2 x)(\csc x) - (\tan x + \cot x)(-\csc x \cot x)}{\csc^2 x} \\&= \frac{\sec^2 x - \csc^2 x + 1 + \cot^2 x}{\csc x}^2 \text{ SEE OTHER KEY} \\&= \frac{\sec^2 x - \csc^2 x + \csc^2 x}{\csc x} = \frac{\sec^2 x}{\csc x} \text{ FOR ALTERNATE SOLUTION} \\&= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \cdot \sin x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x} = \sec x \tan x^{\frac{1}{2}}\end{aligned}$$

- [d] If $f(t) = e^{at} \sin bt$, find $f''(t)$.

$$\begin{aligned}f'(t) &= e^{at}(a) \sin bt + e^{at} \cos bt (b) \\&= \boxed{ae^{at} \sin bt + be^{at} \cos bt}'\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}f''(t) &= ae^{at}(a) \sin bt + ae^{at} \cos bt (b) \\&\quad + be^{at}(a) \cos bt + be^{at}(-\sin bt) b \\&= \boxed{(a^2 - b^2)e^{at} \sin bt + 2ab e^{at} \cos bt}'\end{aligned}$$