

# MATH 1910 PRACTICE EXAM IV

1.     **B**     One antiderivative for  $f(x) = e^x$  is the function

- (a)  $F(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{x^2}$       (b)  $F(x) = e^x - \sqrt{2}$   
(c)  $F(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{2x}$       (d)  $F(x) = \ln(x) + \pi$   
(e)  $F(x) = 3e^x$

**Justification.** We must identify a function whose derivative function is the function  $f$ . Of all the choices, only

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^x - \sqrt{2}] = e^x$$

2.     **B**     In order to compute the antiderivative family for  $f(x) = \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2}$  we need the substitution

- (a)  $u = \cos(x)$       (b)  $u = \frac{1}{x}$   
(c)  $u = \frac{1}{x^2}$       (d)  $u = x^2$   
(e)  $u = x$

**Justification.** We must identify a function-derivative pair. By letting  $u = 1/x$ , we see that

$$\frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2} = \cos(1/x) \left( \frac{1}{x^2} \right) = \cos(u) \left( -\frac{du}{dx} \right) = -\cos(u) \frac{du}{dx}$$

3.     **A**     The function  $F(x) = x \sin(x) + 10$  is an antiderivative for which of the following functions?

- (a)  $f(x) = x \cos(x) + \sin(x)$       (b)  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2} \sin(x) - \cos(x)$   
(c)  $f(x) = -\frac{x^2}{2} \cos(x)$       (d)  $f(x) = x \cos(x)$   
(e)  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2} \cos(x)$

**Justification.** We must identify the function  $f$  with the property that  $F'(x) = f(x)$ . Observe

$$F'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} [x \sin(x) + 10] = x \frac{d}{dx} [\sin(x)] + \sin(x) \frac{d}{dx} [x] + \frac{d}{dx} [10] = x \cos(x) + \sin(x)$$

4.     **C**     The second derivative for the function  $y = f(x) = x \ln(x) - x$  is the function

- (a)  $f''(x) = 0$       (b)  $f''(x) = \ln(x)$   
(c)  $f''(x) = \frac{1}{x}$       (d)  $f''(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2}$   
(e)  $f''(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{x \ln(x)}$

**Justification.** We know that  $f'(x) = \ln(x)$ ; hence,  $f''(x) = 1/x$ .

5.     E     By making an appropriate substitution, we know that  $\int \frac{x^2}{(1+x^3)^4} dx$

(a) is equal to  $3 \int \frac{u}{(1+u)} du$       (b) is equal to  $\int x^2 \left( \frac{1}{u^4} \right) du$

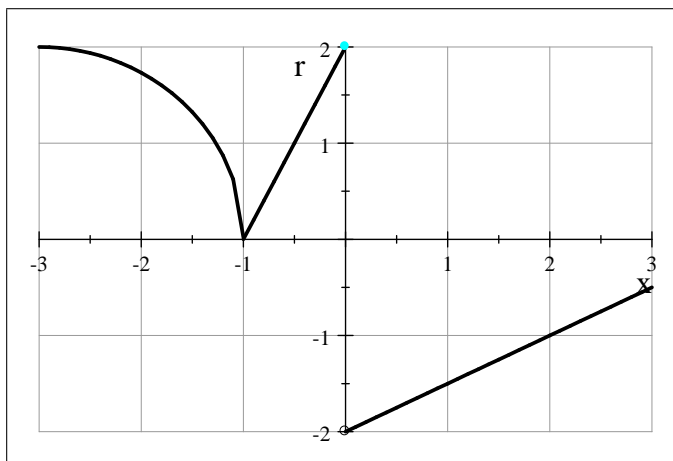
(c) is equal to  $\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{u}{1+u^6} du$       (d) is equal to  $\int u^{-4} du$

(e) is equal to  $\frac{1}{3} \int u^{-4} du$

**Justification.** The appropriate substitution is  $u = 1 + x^3$ , since this is the only choice for  $u$  that produces a function-derivative pair. With this choice, we have

$$\int \frac{x^2}{(1+x^3)^4} dx = \int \frac{1}{(1+x^3)^4} (x^2) dx = \int \frac{1}{u^4} \left( \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \right) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int u^{-4} du$$

Problems 6-7 refer to the graph of a function  $r = f(x)$  below. Suppose that  $y = F(x)$  is an antiderivative for the function  $f$ .



6.     E     What are the critical numbers for the function  $F$  in the viewing window shown?

- (a) Critical numbers are  $x = -3$  and  $x = -1$       (b) Critical number is  $x = -3$   
 (c) Critical number is  $x = 0$       (d) Critical number is  $x = -1$   
 (e) Critical numbers are  $x = -1$  and  $x = 0$

**Justification.** Since  $F$  is an antiderivative for the function  $f$ , we know that the graph above shows the derivative function for the function  $F$ . Therefore, the critical numbers for  $F$  will be those input values where the function  $f(x) = 0$  or  $f(x)$  is undefined.

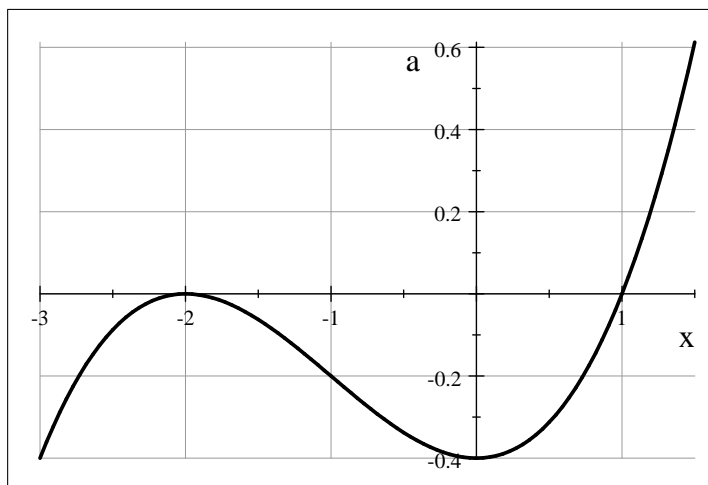
7.     A     In the viewing window shown, at what value of  $x$  does the function  $F$  have a local minimum output?

- (a) at no value of  $x$       (b) at  $x = -3$   
 (c) at  $x = 0$       (d) at  $x = -1$   
 (e) at  $x = 3$

**Justification.** The sign of the output values from the function  $f$  does not change as we move across the input value  $x = -1$ . The sign of the output values for the function  $f$  change from positive to

negative as we move across the input value  $x = 0$ . Hence, the function  $F$  has a local maximum output at  $x = 0$ .

Problems 8 and 9 refer to the graph below. This graph shows the *second derivative* function for a function  $y = f(x)$ .



Second Derivative Function for  $f$

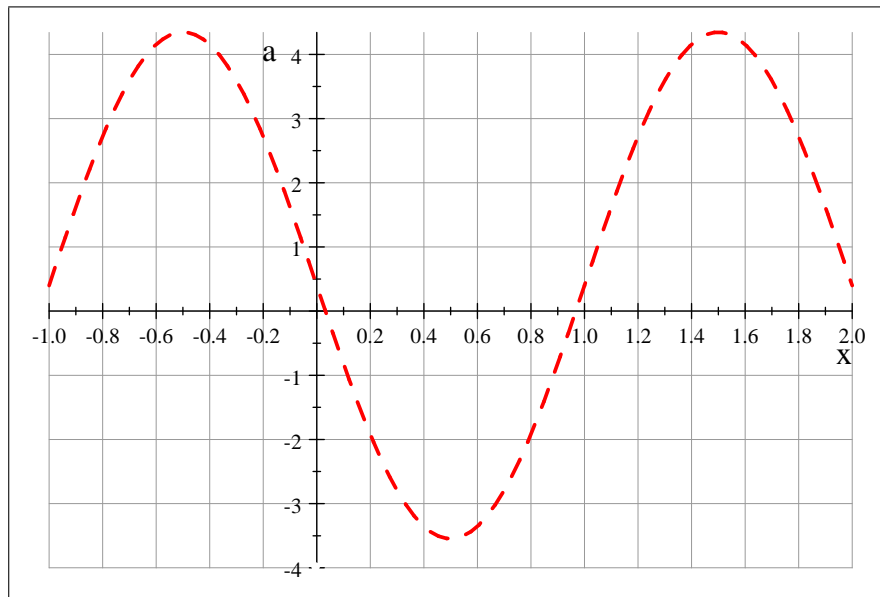
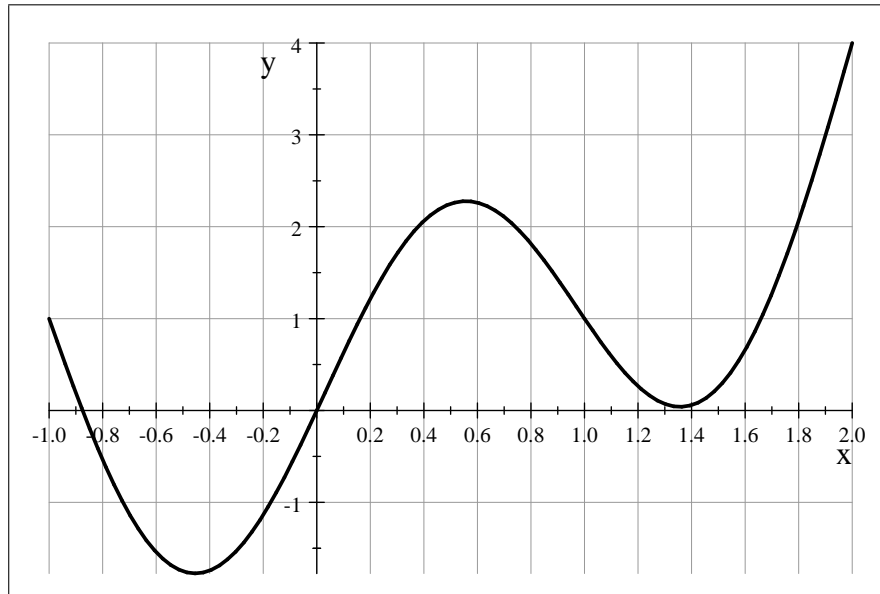
8.     **D**     Based on the graph shown above, where does the function  $f$  have inflection points?
- (a)  $x = -1$  only                      (b)  $x = -2$  and  $x = 1$   
(c)  $x = 0$  only                         (d)  $x = 1$  only  
(e) no value of  $x$

**Justification.** Based on the graph, we see that the derivative function  $f'$  has two critical numbers, namely  $x = -2$  and  $x = 1$ . The sign of the output values from the function  $f''$  change as we move across the critical number  $x = 1$ ; hence, we may conclude that the original function  $f$  has an inflection point at this input value.

9.     **D**     Based on the graph shown above, on what input intervals is the graph of the function  $f$  concave down?
- (a)  $-\infty < x < -1$                       (b)  $-2 < x < 1$   
(c)  $1 < x < +\infty$                          (d)  $-\infty < x < 1$   
(e)  $-1 < x < 1$

**Justification.** The original function  $f$  will be concave down when the output values of the second derivative function are negative.

10. The diagram below shows the graph of a function  $y = f(x)$ . On the grid provided, sketch the graph of the second derivative function for the function  $f$ .



11. If  $f$  is the function whose graph is shown in Problem 10, what are the critical numbers for its derivative function  $f'$ ?

**Solution.** Based on the graph, we know that the derivative function will have critical numbers at  $x \approx 0.05$ , and  $x \approx 0.95$ . There may also be critical numbers just to the left of  $x = -1$  and just to the right of  $x = 2$ , but we don't have enough information to be sure.

12. Construct the second derivative function for the function  $y = f(x) = \arctan(x)$ .

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

13. Construct the second derivative function for the function  $y = f(x) = \ln(\sin(x))$ .

$$f''(x) = -\csc^2(x)$$

14. Suppose that  $y = f(x) = \ln(1 + x^2)$ . What are the critical numbers for the function? Does the function  $f$  have any local maximum or minimum outputs?

**Solution.** First, observe that

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

Therefore, the function  $f$  has only one critical number, namely  $x = 0$ . Using test values  $x = -1$  and  $x = 1$ , we see that  $f'(-1) < 0$  while  $f'(1) > 0$ . Consequently, the First Derivative Test tells us that the function  $f$  has a local minimum output at  $x = 0$ .

15. Suppose that  $y = f(x) = \ln(1 + x^2)$ . What are the critical numbers for the derivative function  $r = f'(x)$ ? Are any of these critical numbers inflection points for the function  $f$ ?

**Solution.** First, observe that

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

Therefore, the derivative function  $f'$  has two critical numbers, namely  $x = \pm 1$ . Using test values  $x = -2$ ,  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$ , we see that  $f''(-2) < 0$ ,  $f''(0) > 0$ , and  $f''(2) < 0$ . Consequently, the First Derivative Test tells us that the derivative function  $f'$  has a local minimum output at  $x = -1$  and a local maximum output at  $x = 1$ . Consequently, the original function  $f$  has an inflection point at both of these input values.

16. Suppose that the derivative function for a function  $y = f(x)$  is given below. Based on this formula, at which input values does the function  $f$  have a local maximum and/or a local minimum output?

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

**Solution.** First, notice that the function  $f$  has two critical numbers, namely  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$ . Consider the test values  $x = -1$ ,  $x = 1$ , and  $x = 3$ . Observe that

$$f'(-1) < 0 \quad f'(1) < 0 \quad f'(3) > 0$$

Based on this information, the First Derivative Test tells us that the function  $f$  does not have a local maximum or minimum output at  $x = 0$ . On the other hand, the function  $f$  has a local minimum output at  $x = 3$ .

17. Suppose that the second derivative for a function  $y = f(x)$  is given below. Based on this formula, at which input values does the *derivative* function  $r = f'(x)$  have a local maximum and/or a local minimum output?

$$f''(x) = \frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 1}$$

**Solution.** First, notice that the derivative function has three critical numbers, namely  $x = -3$ ,  $x = 1$ , and  $x = 3$ . Consider the test values  $x = -4$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $x = 2$ , and  $x = 4$ . Observe that

$$f''(-4) < 0 \quad f''(0) > 0 \quad f''(2) < 0 \quad f''(4) > 0$$

Based on this information, the First Derivative Test tells us that the derivative function has a local minimum output at  $x = -3$  and at  $x = 3$  and has a local maximum output at  $x = 1$ . The original function  $f$  will therefore have an inflection point at each of these input values.

18. Show that  $F(x) = \sqrt{2} + e^x \sin(x)$  is one antiderivative for the function  $f(x) = e^x(\sin(x) + \cos(x))$ .

**Solution.** Apply the sum and the product rule to the function  $F$ .

19. Show that  $F(x) = x \arcsin(x) + 8$  is one antiderivative for the function  $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2} \arcsin(x) + x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ .

**Solution.** Apply the sum and the product rule to the function  $F$ , then rewrite the derivative as a single fraction.

20. Construct the antiderivative family for the function  $y = f(x) = 3x + \ln(x)$ .

$$\int (3x + \ln(x)) dx = \frac{3}{2}x^2 + x \ln(x) - x + C$$

21. Construct the antiderivative family for the function  $y = f(x) = \frac{4 \sec^2(x) - x^{1/3}}{\pi}$ .

$$\int \frac{4 \sec^2(x) - x^{1/3}}{\pi} dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( 4 \tan(x) - \frac{3}{4} x^{4/3} \right) + C$$

22. Evaluate  $\int x \cos(x^2 + 1) dx$ .

**Solution.** Let  $u = x^2 + 1$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int x \cos(x^2 + 1) dx &= \int \cos(x^2 + 1) (x) dx \\ &= \int \cos(u) \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int \cos(u) du \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sin(x^2 + 1) + C \end{aligned}$$

23. Evaluate  $\int \frac{\sin(x^{-1})}{x^2} dx$ .

**Solution.** Let  $u = x^{-1}$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{\sin(x^{-1})}{x^2} dx &= \int \sin(x^{-1}) \left( \frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx \\ &= \int \sin(u) \left( -\frac{du}{dx} \right) dx \\ &= - \int \sin(u) du \\ &= \cos(x^{-1}) + C \end{aligned}$$

24. Construct the antiderivative family for the function  $y = f(x) = \frac{x^2}{(x^3 + 2)^2}$ .

**Solution.** Let  $u = x^3 + 2$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{x^2}{(x^3 + 2)^2} dx &= \int \left( \frac{1}{(x^3 + 2)^2} \right) (x^2) dx \\ &= \int u^{-2} \left( \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int u^{-2} du \\ &= -\frac{1}{3(x^3 + 2)} + C\end{aligned}$$

25. Evaluate  $\int \left( x^{-1} + 3 \frac{\sec^2(x)}{\tan(x)} \right) dx$

**Solution.** Let  $u = \tan(x)$ . Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}\int \left( x^{-1} + 3 \frac{\sec^2(x)}{\tan(x)} \right) dx &= \int x^{-1} dx + 3 \int \frac{\sec^2(x)}{\tan(x)} dx \\ &= \ln|x| + 3 \int \left( \frac{1}{\tan(x)} \right) (\sec^2(x)) dx \\ &= \ln|x| + 3 \int \frac{1}{u} \left( \frac{du}{dx} \right) dx \\ &= \ln|x| + 3 \ln|\tan(x)| + C\end{aligned}$$