

Math 112
Exam 1
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- This exam consists of a cover, three pages of questions, and two blank scratch sheets, if you put work on the scratch sheets which you want graded, you **MUST** tell note in the problem to "see scratch sheet".
- You will have 50 minutes.
- You are allowed to use a non-graphing scientific calculator, a ruler, and one 8.5 by 11 inch sheet of handwritten notes (front and back). All other sources are forbidden.
- Turn your cell phone OFF and put it away for the duration of the exam. You may not listen to headphones or earbuds during the exam.
- **You must show your work.** Clearly show your work and calculations. The correct answer with no supporting work may result in no credit.
- Unless otherwise indicated, when rounding is necessary, you may round your final answer to two digits after the decimal.
- **Do not write within 1 centimeter of the edge!** Your exam will be scanned for grading.
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GOOD LUCK!

1. (13 points)

(a) Find the instantaneous rate of change for $f(x) = \frac{5x^2}{2} - \frac{6}{x} + 12x^4\sqrt{x^2 + 8}$ at $x = 1$.

ANSWER: $f'(1) =$ _____

(b) Let $g(x) = 3x^2 - 4$.

i. Write out and *completely simplify* the formula, in terms of h , for

$$\frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h}.$$

AND give the derivative of $g(x)$.

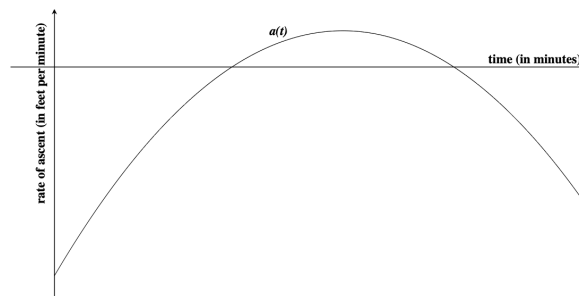
ANSWER: $\frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} =$ _____ $g'(x) =$ _____

ii. Find the equation for the tangent line to $g(x)$ at $x = 2$.

ANSWER: _____

2. (13 pts) At $t = 0$, Balloon A is 250 feet above the ground. Its **rate of ascent** (in feet per minute) at t minutes is

$$a(t) = -0.5t^2 + 6.5t - 18.$$



Recall, $a(t)$ is the **derivative** of the height function, so if $A(t)$ is the height of Balloon A, then $A'(t) = a(t)$.

- (a) Give the longest interval over which the Balloon A is rising.

ANSWER: $t =$ _____ to $t =$ _____

- (b) Give the time when Balloon A is rising the fastest?

ANSWER: $t =$ _____

- (c) The **height** (in feet) of a second balloon, Balloon B at t minutes is given by

$$B(t) = -1.5t^2 + 24t + 250.$$

How fast is Balloon A moving when Balloon B is at its highest altitude?

ANSWER: Balloon A Speed = _____ ft/min

3. (14 pts) You sell Items. For sell and producing x **hundred** Items, you are given:

Demand Curve (*i.e.* price): $p = 10 - x$ dollars/Item

Total Cost: $TC(x) = \frac{x^3}{12} + x^2 + x + 1$ hundred dollars.

(a) Recall: Average cost is defined by $AC(x) = \frac{TC(x)}{x}$. Find and simplify the formula for $AC(x)$ and the formula for the derivative of average cost $AC'(x)$.

ANSWER: $AC(x) =$ _____

ANSWER: $AC'(x) =$ _____

(b) Approximate the change in Total Revenue from 200 Items to 201 Items. (*You can use either Math 111 or Math 112 tools, but it is much faster to use the new tools*).

ANSWER: _____ dollars

(c) Give the longest interval over which $TR(x)$ is increasing.

ANSWER: $x =$ _____ to $x =$ _____ hundred items

(d) At what quantity and selling price is profit maximum?
(Round final answer to two digits after the decimal)

ANSWER: quantity = _____ hundred items

price = _____ dollars/Item

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