

1 (14 pts) Determine the values of the following limits, or state that the limit does not exist. If it is correct to say that the limit is $+\infty$ or $-\infty$, then you should say so. Show your work.

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 4x}}{3x - 12} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{x} \sqrt{x^2 - 4x}}{\frac{1}{x} (3x - 12)} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{x}}}{3 - \frac{12}{x}} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{1 - 0}}{3 - 0} = \boxed{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi^-} (\ln(\sin(x))) = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0^+} (\ln(y)) = \boxed{-\infty}$$

$$c) \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{\sqrt{t+6} - t}{t-3} \right) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{\sqrt{t+6} - t}{t-3} \times \frac{\sqrt{t+6} + t}{\sqrt{t+6} + t} \right) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{t+6 - t^2}{(t-3)(\sqrt{t+6} + t)} \right) =$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{-(t^2 - t - 6)}{(t-3)(\sqrt{t+6} + t)} \right) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{-(t-3)(t+2)}{(t-3)(\sqrt{t+6} + t)} \right) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{-(t+2)}{\sqrt{t+6} + t} \right) = \frac{-(3+2)}{\sqrt{3+6} + 3} = \boxed{-\frac{5}{6}}$$

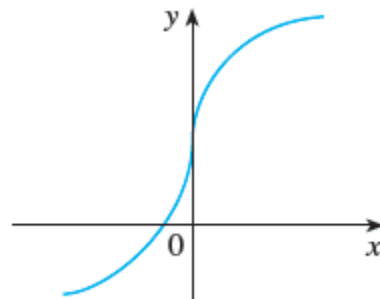
2 (6 pts) Compute the slope of the tangent line to $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x}} + \frac{2x+7}{x}$ at the point (1, 10)

$$y = x^{-\frac{1}{3}} + 2 + 7x^{-1}$$

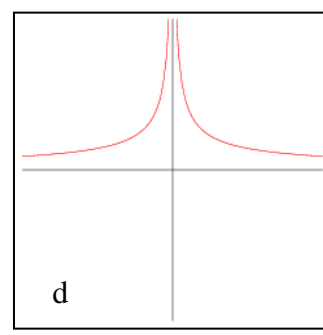
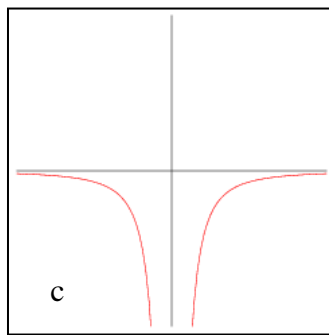
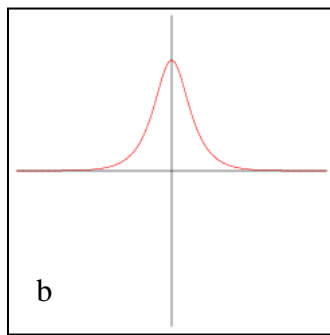
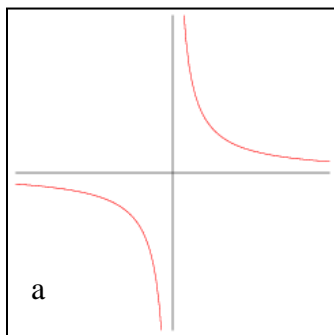
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{3}x^{-\frac{4}{3}} - 7x^{-2}$$

$$\text{slope} = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=1} = -\frac{1}{3} - 7 = \boxed{-\frac{22}{3}}$$

3 (4 pts) The graph on the right is the graph of a function f .



Which one of the following 4 graphs could be the graph of its derivative?



Graph of f' is : (d) (no need to justify)

4 (15 pts) Consider the function Consider the function:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x + 3 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ \frac{4}{x + 1} & \text{if } 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 2\sqrt{x} & \text{if } 1 < x \end{cases}$$

a) (4 pts) Compute the following four limits of this function:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = 3$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 4$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 2$$

(3 pts) List all the points where this function f is **discontinuous**. For each point of discontinuity, specify the type: removable, jump or infinite.

$$x = 0 \text{ (jump)}$$

b) (5 pts) Compute the derivative of f . Write it in bracket notation as above, with correct domain for each part.

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \frac{-4}{(x + 1)^2} & \text{if } 0 < x < 1 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} & \text{if } 1 < x \end{cases}$$

c) (3 pts) List all real numbers where f is **not differentiable** and justify why (discontinuity, corner, or vertical tangent)

Not differentiable at $x = 0$ (discontinuous) and $x = 1$ (corner)

5 (7 points) (7 points) An object moves in the xy -plane. Its coordinates at time t seconds are given by the parametric equations:

$$x(t) = t \cos(t)$$

$$y(t) = t \sin(t)$$

Both coordinates are measured in inches, and the time is measured in seconds.

a) Compute the horizontal velocity of this object at time 0 seconds.

(Recall that the horizontal velocity is the instant rate of change of the x -coordinate)

Include correct units in your answer.

$$x'(t) = 1 \cos(t) + t(-\sin(t)) = \cos(t) - t \sin(t)$$

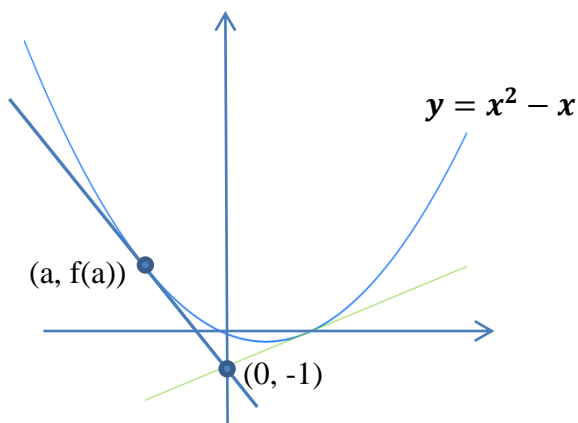
$$x'(0) = \boxed{1 \text{ in/sec}}$$

- b) Write a formula in terms of t for the distance $d(t)$ between the origin $(0,0)$ and the position of this object at t seconds. Simplify your formula.

$$d(t) = \sqrt{(x(t) - 0)^2 + (y(t) - 0)^2} = \sqrt{t^2 \cos^2(t) + t^2 \sin^2(t)} = \sqrt{t^2} = |t|$$

Recall: In general, it is not true that $\sqrt{x^2} = x$. Rather, $\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$ (which is x only if x is positive!)

- 6 (6 points) Determine the equation of the tangent line to the graph of $y = x^2 - x$, which passes through the point $(0, -1)$ and whose point of tangency P is in the second quadrant. See the picture below.



$$y' = 2x - 1$$

We don't know the coordinates of the point P of tangency, so we label it $(a, f(a))$.

We need to compute a .

There are a few different ways to get an equation in a . I'll use my favorite one, which is to write the slope of the tangent line two different ways: as the derivative at a , and as the rise over the run between $(a, f(a))$ & $(0, -1)$:

$$2a - 1 = \frac{(a^2 - a) - (-1)}{a - 0}$$

$$2a - 1 = \frac{a^2 - a + 1}{a}$$

Solving, we get: $a = \pm 1$. The point P we want is $(a, f(a)) = (-1, 2)$

Tangent line at P has equation: $y = -3x - 1$