

MA 125 Test 1 Sept. 2005. NAME\_\_\_\_\_

You may not use calculators, notes, or books. Do your own work.

Justify and simplify your answers mathematically. 'Show your work.' **CIRCLE ANSWERS.**

**A.** In each of the following, find the limit, if it exists. Infinite limits are allowed. If a limit fails to exist, so state [5 each].

1.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{7-3x+5x^2}{9x^2+4x+2}$

2.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\sqrt{x+1}-2}{x-3}$

3.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x+2}{x-2}$

4.  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(2+h)^3-8}{h}$

5.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} \frac{1-x}{x-5}$

6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \frac{x^2 - 9}{|x - 3|}$

7.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 6x + 5}$

8.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{4x^2 + x} - 2x)$

**B.** Follow instructions for each of the following (10 points each).

9. Let  $g(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$ . Use the definition of derivative to find  $g'(a)$  for  $a > 0$ .

10. Sketch the graph of a function  $F$  that satisfies:  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} F(x) = 3$ ,  
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} F(x) = \infty$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} F(x) = -\infty$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} F(x) = 1$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} F(x) = 4$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} F(x) = -2.5$ ,  $F(5) = 3$ . Also,  $F$  is defined and continuous at all points except possibly not at  $x = 2$  and  $x = 5$ .

11. Sketch the graph of a continuous function  $g$  that satisfies:  
 (i)  $g(x) = 0$  for  $x = -7, -3, 2, 6$ .  
 (ii)  $g'(x) > 0$  on  $(-\infty, -5)$  and on  $(0, 4)$ ;  $g'(x) < 0$  on  $(-5, 0)$  and on  $(4, \infty)$ .  
 (III)  $g''(x) < 0$  on  $(-\infty, -3)$  and on  $(2, \infty)$ ;  $g''(x) > 0$  on  $(-3, 2)$   
 and (iv)  $g'(x) = 0$  for  $x = -5, 0, 4$ .

12. The displacement (in meters) of an object moving in a straight line is given by  $s = 3t^2 + 2t + 1$ , where  $t$  is measured in seconds.

(A) Find the average velocity over the time periods

(i)  $[1, 4]$

(ii)  $[1, 2]$

(B) Find the instantaneous velocity at  $t = 1$ .

13. Let  $g(x) = x^4 + 8x^{-1} + 1$

(A) Find the derivative  $g'(x)$

(B) Find the  $x$  coordinate of every point on the graph of  $g$  at which the tangent line is horizontal.

(C) Find the equation of the line tangent to the graph of  $g$  at the point  $(1, 10)$ .

14. (A.) The graph below depicts the graph of a function  $f$ . On the same set of axes sketch a graph of its derivative function  $f'$ .

(B.) The graph below depicts the graph of the derivative  $g'$  of a function  $g$ . On the same set of axes sketch a graph of the function  $g$ , assuming  $g(-2.5) = 0$ .

**Extra Credit.** (10 points) A rock is tossed straight up from the surface on the planet S-57. While in its trajectory the height (in meters) of the rock is given by  $s = 16t - 2t^2$ , where  $t$  is in seconds. Find the velocity at time  $t$  and answer the questions.

(A) When does the rock reach its maximum height?

(B.) How high does the rock go?