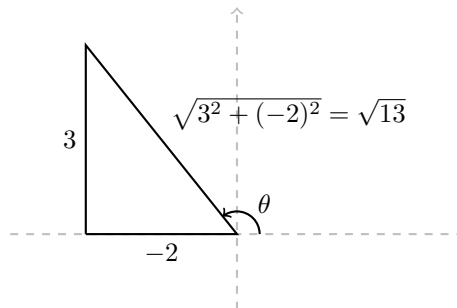


# Final Exam Practice Session Solutions

1. Suppose  $\tan(\theta) = -\frac{3}{2}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi$ . Evaluate the following.

*Solution.* We use a right triangle in the second quadrant.



$$(a) \cos(\theta) = \boxed{-\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}}$$

$$(c) \cos(2\theta) = 2\cos^2(\theta) - 1 = \boxed{-\frac{5}{13}}$$

$$(b) \sin(\theta) = \boxed{\frac{3}{\sqrt{13}}}$$

$$(d) \sin(2\theta) = 2\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta) = \boxed{-\frac{12}{13}}$$

2. Calculate the following limits. You may use any valid method.

$$(a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 - 5x^2}{3x^2 - 1}$$

*Solution.* This limit is a  $\frac{0}{0}$  indeterminate form that requires using L'Hôpital's Rule twice.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 - 5x^2}{3x^2 - 1} &\stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2 - 10x}{2\ln(3)x3x^2} \\ &\stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6x - 10}{2\ln(3)3x^2 + 4(\ln(3))^2x^2e^{x^2}} \\ &= \frac{0 - 10}{2\ln(3) + 0} \\ &= \boxed{-\frac{5}{\ln(3)}} \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} xe^{-\sqrt{x}}$$

*Solution.* This limit is a  $\infty \cdot 0$  indeterminate form. We first write the expression as a fraction, then use L'Hôpital's Rule twice.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} xe^{-\sqrt{x}} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{e^{\sqrt{x}}} \\ &\stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}e^{\sqrt{x}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2\sqrt{x}}{e^{\sqrt{x}}} \\
&\stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}e^{\sqrt{x}}} \\
&= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{e^{\sqrt{x}}} \\
&= \boxed{0}
\end{aligned}$$

(c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{x}} - 1}{x - 4}$

*Solution 1.* Using algebra.

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{x}} - 1}{x - 4} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\frac{2 - \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}}}{x - 4} \\
&= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{2 - \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}(x - 4)} \cdot \frac{2 + \sqrt{x}}{2 + \sqrt{x}} \\
&= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{4 - x}{\sqrt{x}(x - 4)(2 + \sqrt{x})} \\
&= \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} -\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}(2 + \sqrt{x})} \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{4}(2 + \sqrt{4})} \\
&= \boxed{-\frac{1}{8}}
\end{aligned}$$

*Solution 2.* Using L'Hôpital's Rule.

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{x}} - 1}{x - 4} &\stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \frac{-\frac{1}{x^{3/2}}}{1} \\
&= -\frac{1}{4^{3/2}} \\
&= \boxed{-\frac{1}{8}}
\end{aligned}$$

(d)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\cos(3x) + \tan(5x))^{1/x}$

*Solution.* This limit is an indeterminate power  $1^\infty$ . **Warning:** limits of the form  $1^\infty$  need not be equal to 1! This is because the base is not equal to 1, it is *approaching* 1. We can resolve the indeterminate form by taking the  $\ln$  of the limit  $L$  and applying L'Hôpital's Rule. This gives:

$$\begin{aligned}
\ln(L) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(\cos(3x) + \tan(5x))}{x} \\
&\stackrel{\text{L'H}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{-3\sin(3x) + 5\sec^2(5x)}{\cos(3x) + \tan(5x)}}{1}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{-3 \sin(0) + 5 \sec^2(0)}{\cos(0) + \tan(0)} \\
&= 5.
\end{aligned}$$

This is the  $\ln$  of the original limit, so we now solve for  $L$  and we get  $\boxed{L = e^5}$ .

3. Calculate  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for the following curves. You do not have to simplify your answers.

(a)  $y = \sqrt{9x^2 + 16x + 4}$

*Solution.*  $\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{9x^2 + 16x + 4}}(18x + 16)}$

(b)  $y = \frac{\sin(13x)}{(2x + 5)^{10}}$

*Solution.*  $\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{13 \cos(13x)(2x + 5)^{10} - \sin(13x) \cdot 10(2x + 5)^9 \cdot 2}{(2x + 5)^{20}}}$

(c)  $y = \sin^{-1}(\sqrt[4]{x})$

*Solution.*  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (\sqrt[4]{x})^2}} \cdot \frac{x^{-3/4}}{4}$

(d)  $y = x^{\arctan(2x)}$

*Solution.* Since both the base and the exponent depend on  $x$ , we will need to use logarithmic differentiation.

$$\begin{aligned}
\ln(y) &= \arctan(2x) \ln(x) \\
\Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} &= \frac{2 \ln(x)}{1 + 4x^2} + \frac{\arctan(2x)}{x} \\
\Rightarrow y' &= y \left( \frac{2 \ln(x)}{1 + 4x^2} + \frac{\arctan(2x)}{x} \right) \\
\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} &= x^{\arctan(2x)} \left( \frac{2 \ln(x)}{1 + 4x^2} + \frac{\arctan(2x)}{x} \right)}
\end{aligned}$$

(e)  $y = \int_{\ln(x)}^{\pi} \cos(t^3) dt$

*Solution.*  $\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = -\cos((\ln(x))^3) \cdot \frac{1}{x}}$

(f)  $y = \tan(xe^{7x})$

*Solution.*  $\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \sec^2(xe^{7x}) (e^{7x} + 7xe^{7x})}$

4. Calculate the following integrals.

(a)  $\int \left( \frac{9}{x^3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-25x^2}} \right) dx$

*Solution.*

$$\begin{aligned} \int \left( \frac{9}{x^3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-25x^2}} \right) dx &= \int \left( 9x^{-3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(5x)^2}} \right) dx \\ &= \boxed{\frac{9x^{-2}}{-2} - \frac{1}{5} \sin^{-1}(5x) + C} \end{aligned}$$

(b)  $\int \tan^7(3\theta) \sec^2(3\theta) d\theta$

*Solution.* This integral can be evaluated with the substitution  $u = \tan(3\theta)$ , so  $du = 3 \sec^2(3\theta) d\theta$ . We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int \tan^7(3\theta) \sec^2(3\theta) d\theta &= \int \frac{1}{3} u^7 du \\ &= \frac{u^8}{24} + C \\ &= \boxed{\frac{\tan^8(3\theta)}{24} + C}. \end{aligned}$$

(c)  $\int_0^1 x e^{x^2} \cos(e^{x^2}) dx$

*Solution.* We use the substitution  $u = e^{x^2}$ , which gives  $du = 2x e^{x^2} dx$ . The bounds change as follows.

$$x = 0 \Rightarrow u = e^{0^2} = 1,$$

$$x = 1 \Rightarrow u = e^{1^2} = e.$$

We get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 x e^{x^2} \cos(e^{x^2}) dx &= \int_1^e \frac{1}{2} \cos(u) du \\ &= \left[ \frac{1}{2} \sin(u) \right]_1^e \\ &= \boxed{\frac{\sin(e) - \sin(1)}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

(d)  $\int \frac{6t+21}{t^2+7t+3} dt$

*Solution.* We use the substitution  $u = t^2 + 7t + 3$ , so  $du = (2t + 7)dt$ . Then we have

$$\int \frac{6t+21}{t^2+7t+3} dt = \int \frac{3(2t+7)}{t^2+7t+3} dt$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int \frac{3}{u} du \\
&= 3 \ln |u| + C \\
&= \boxed{3 \ln |t^2 + 7t + 3| + C}.
\end{aligned}$$

(e)  $\int_0^6 x \sqrt{36 - x^2} dx$

*Solution.* We can use the substitution  $u = 36 - x^2$ , so that  $du = -2x dx$ . The bounds change as follows:

$$x = 0 \Rightarrow u = 36 - 0 = 36,$$

$$x = 6 \Rightarrow u = 36 - 36 = 0.$$

We obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^6 x \sqrt{36 - x^2} dx &= \int_{36}^0 -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{u} du \\
&= \left[ \frac{1}{3} u^{3/2} \right]_{36}^0 \\
&= \frac{36^{3/2}}{3} \\
&= \boxed{72}.
\end{aligned}$$

(f)  $\int_0^6 \sqrt{36 - x^2} dx$

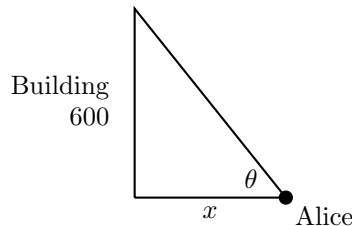
*Solution.* Substitution will be no use here because the derivative of the inside function  $36 - x^2$  does not appear anywhere in the integrand. Instead, we can use geometry. The graph of the equation  $y = \sqrt{36 - x^2}$  is a semi-circle of radius 6 centered at  $(0, 0)$  and located above the  $x$ -axis. (This can be seen by squaring both sides and moving the  $x^2$  to the left-hand side to obtain  $x^2 + y^2 = 36$ .) Therefore, this integral calculates the area of the region between the semi-circle and the  $x$ -axis on  $[0, 6]$ , which is a quarter of disk of radius 6. Hence,

$$\int_0^6 \sqrt{36 - x^2} dx = \boxed{\frac{36\pi}{4}}.$$

5. The two parts of this problem are independent.

- (a) Alice walks at 4 ft/sec towards a building of height 600 ft. At what rate is the viewing angle between Alice and the top of the building changing when Alice is 200 ft away from the building?

*Solution.* We start by drawing a picture and naming the two relevant variables, which are the distance  $x$  between Alice and the building and the angle  $\theta$  between the ground and the line of sight from Alice to the top of the building.



We can use right triangle trigonometry to get a relation between the variables. One possible option would be to use the relation  $\cot(\theta) = \frac{x}{600}$ . (Other correct relations will lead to the same final answer.) Differentiating this relation with respect to the time  $t$  gives

$$-\csc^2(\theta) \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{600} \frac{dx}{dt}.$$

We can now plug-in the known values  $x = 200$  and  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -4$ , which gives

$$\begin{cases} \cot(\theta) = \frac{200}{600} = \frac{1}{3}, \\ -\csc^2(\theta) \frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{4}{600} = -\frac{1}{150}. \end{cases}$$

To solve this for the unknown rate  $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$ , we'll need to first find  $\csc^2(\theta)$ . Using the Pythagorean identity, we have

$$\csc^2(\theta) = \cot^2(\theta) + 1 = \frac{1}{9} + 1 = \frac{10}{9}.$$

So we get

$$-\frac{10}{9} \frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{1}{150} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{3}{500} \text{ rad/sec}}.$$

- (b) A rectangular ice block with square base melts at a rate of  $60 \text{ in}^3/\text{min}$ . When the side length of the base is 4 in, the height is 6 in and decreases at a rate of 2 in/min. At what rate is the side length of the base decreasing at that time?

*Solution.* Call  $x$  the side length of the base of the block and  $h$  the height of the block. We have  $V = x^2h$ . Differentiating this relation with respect to the time  $t$  gives

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 2xh \frac{dx}{dt} + x^2 \frac{dh}{dt}.$$

We can now plug-in the known values  $\frac{dV}{dt} = -60$ ,  $x = 4$ ,  $h = 6$  and  $\frac{dh}{dt} = -2$ . This gives

$$-60 = 2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \frac{dx}{dt} + 4^2 \cdot (-2) \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{7}{12} \text{ in/min}}.$$

6. A closed cylindrical box has volume  $250\pi \text{ ft}^3$ . Find the dimensions of the box (height and radius) that give the minimal possible surface area.

*Solution.* Call  $r$  the radius of the cylinder and  $h$  its height. The objective function is the surface area of the box  $S = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi rh$ . The volume being  $250\pi$  gives the constraint  $\pi r^2 h = 250\pi$ , so  $h = \frac{250}{r^2}$ . Therefore, we can write the surface area in terms of the variable  $r$  only as

$$S(r) = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r \frac{250}{r^2} = 2\pi \left( r^2 + \frac{250}{r} \right).$$

The interval of interest is  $(0, \infty)$ . We now find the absolute minimum of  $S(r)$  on that interval. We have

$$S'(r) = 2\pi \left( 2r - \frac{250}{r^2} \right).$$

The equation  $S'(r) = 0$  gives  $r^3 = 125$ , so  $r = 5$  is the only critical point of  $S(r)$ . We can test whether  $S(r)$  has a local maximum or minimum at  $r = 5$  using the second derivative test. We have

$$S''(r) = 2\pi \left( 2 + \frac{500}{r^3} \right) > 0 \text{ on } (0, \infty).$$

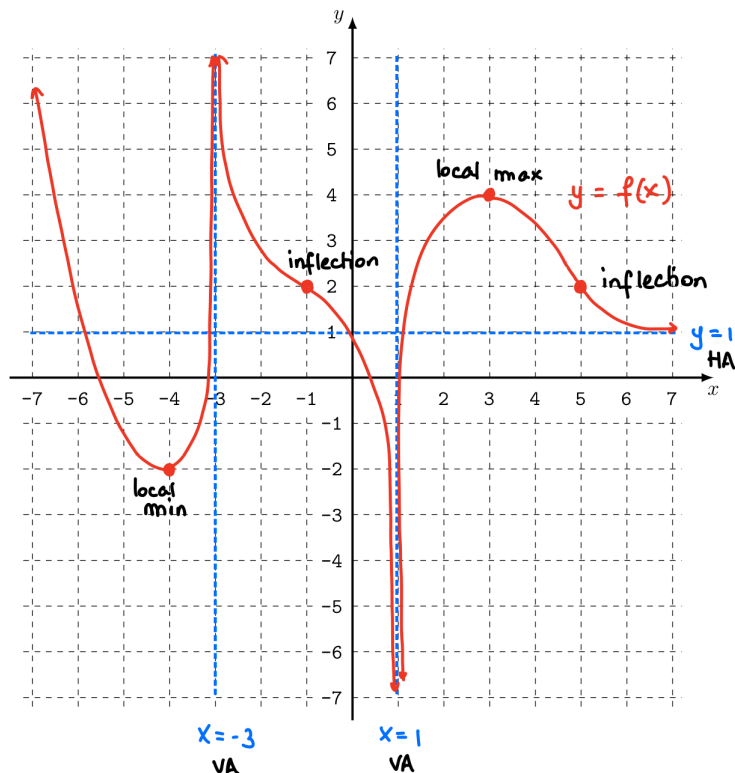
Hence,  $S(r)$  is concave up on  $(0, \infty)$ , so there is a local minimum at  $r = 5$ . Since  $r = 5$  is the only critical point of  $S(r)$ , it must be the location of the absolute minimum of  $S(r)$ . In conclusion, the box with the minimal possible surface area has radius  $\boxed{r = 5 \text{ ft}}$  and height  $\boxed{h = 10 \text{ ft}}$ .

7. Sketch the graph of a function  $f$  with the following features. Label all asymptotes, local extrema and inflection points.

- The domain of  $f$  is  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$  and the lines  $x = -3$  and  $x = 1$  are asymptotes of  $f$ .
- $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \infty$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 1$ .
- $f(-3) = -2$ ,  $f(-1) = 2$ ,  $f(3) = 4$  and  $f(5) = 2$ .
- The signs of  $f'$  and  $f''$  are given by the following charts.

$x$	$(-\infty, -4)$	$(-4, -3)$	$(-3, -1)$	$(-1, 1)$	$(1, 3)$	$(3, 5)$	$(5, \infty)$
$f'(x)$	—	+	—	—	+	—	—
$f''(x)$	+	+	+	—	—	—	+

*Solution.*



8. Find all horizontal and vertical asymptotes of the function  $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{4x^2 + 9} + 5x}{x + 3}$ .

*Solution.* To find potential vertical asymptotes, we set the denominator equal to 0. This gives  $x + 3 = 0$ , or  $x = -3$ . Substituting this value in  $f(x)$  gives the form  $\frac{\text{non-zero number}}{0}$ . It follows that  $x = -3$  is the vertical asymptote of  $f$ .

To find the horizontal asymptotes of  $f$ , we calculate the limits at  $\infty$  and  $-\infty$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{4x^2 + 9} + 5x}{x + 3} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 \left(4 + \frac{9}{x^2}\right)} + 5x}{x + 3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{|x| \sqrt{4 + \frac{9}{x^2}} + 5x}{x + 3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-x \sqrt{4 + \frac{9}{x^2}} + 5x}{x + 3} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{\frac{1}{x}} \quad (x < 0) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-\sqrt{4 + \frac{9}{x^2}} + 5}{1 + \frac{3}{x}} \\ &= \frac{-\sqrt{4 + 0} + 5}{1 + 0} \\ &= 3, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{4x^2 + 9} + 5x}{x + 3} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 \left(4 + \frac{9}{x^2}\right)} + 5x}{x + 3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{|x| \sqrt{4 + \frac{9}{x^2}} + 5x}{x + 3} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x \sqrt{4 + \frac{9}{x^2}} + 5x}{x + 3} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{\frac{1}{x}} \quad (x > 0) \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{4 + \frac{9}{x^2}} + 5}{1 + \frac{3}{x}} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{4 + 0} + 5}{1 + 0} \\ &= 7, \end{aligned}$$

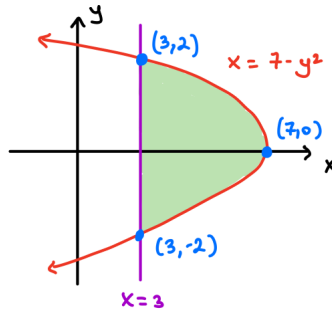
So  $y = 3$  and  $y = 7$  are the two horizontal asymptotes of  $f$ .

9. For each region described below, (i) sketch the region, then use (ii) integration with respect to  $x$  and (iii) integration with respect to  $y$  to set-up expression with integrals calculating the area of the region.

- (a) The region bounded by the parabola  $x = 7 - y^2$  and the line  $x = 3$ .

*Solution.* (i)





(ii) The vertical strip at  $x$  in the region is bounded by both branches of the parabola. To find the length of the strip  $\ell(x)$ , we need to solve the equation of the parabola for  $x$ .

$$x = 7 - y^2 \Rightarrow y^2 = 7 - x \Rightarrow y = \pm\sqrt{7 - x}.$$

The equation  $y = \sqrt{7 - x}$  corresponds to the top branch of the parabola, and the equation  $y = -\sqrt{7 - x}$  corresponds to the bottom branch. Therefore, the length of the vertical strip at  $x$  is  $\ell(x) = \sqrt{7 - x} - (-\sqrt{7 - x}) = 2\sqrt{7 - x}$ . The region is located between  $x = 3$  and  $x = 7$ , therefore

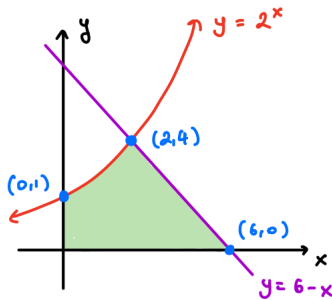
$$A = \int_3^7 2\sqrt{7 - x} dx.$$

(iii) The horizontal strip at  $y$  is bounded by the line  $x = 3$  on the left and  $x = 7 - y^2$  on the right, so it has length  $\ell(y) = (7 - y^2) - 3 = 4 - y^2$ . The region is located between  $y = -2$  and  $y = 2$ , so

$$A = \int_{-2}^2 (4 - y^2) dy.$$

- (b) The region bounded by the  $x$ -axis, the  $y$ -axis, the curve  $y = 2^x$  and the line  $y = 6 - x$ . (You can use fact that the curve and the line intersect at the point  $(2, 4)$  only.)

*Solution.*(i)



(ii) The vertical strip at  $x$  in the region is bounded by  $y = 2^x$  between  $x = 0$  and  $x = 2$ , and  $y = 6 - x$  between  $x = 2$  and  $x = 6$ . Therefore, the area is

$$A = \int_0^2 2^x dx + \int_2^6 (6 - x) dx.$$

(iii) The horizontal strip at  $y$  is bounded on the right by  $y = 6 - x$ , so  $x = 6 - y$ . On the left, the strip is bounded by the  $y$ -axis when  $0 \leq y \leq 1$ . When  $1 \leq y \leq 4$ , the strip is bounded on the right by  $y = 2^x$ , that is  $x = \log_2(y)$ . Hence, the area is

$$A = \int_0^1 (6 - y)dy + \int_1^4 (6 - y - \log_2(y))dy.$$

10. Let  $f(x) = \sin(x) \sqrt[3]{\cos(x)}$ . Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of  $f$  on the interval  $[0, \pi]$  and where they occur.

*Solution.* First, we find the critical points of  $f$ . The derivative is given by

$$f'(x) = \cos(x)(\cos(x))^{1/3} - \frac{\sin^2(x)}{3(\cos(x))^{2/3}} = \frac{3\cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x)}{2(\cos(x))^{2/3}}.$$

- $f'(x) = 0$  gives  $3\cos^2(x) = \sin^2(x)$ , or  $\tan^2(x) = 3$ , which gives  $\tan(x) = \pm\sqrt{3}$ . This equation has two solutions in  $[0, \pi]$ , namely  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .
- $f'(x)$  is undefined when  $\cos(x) = 0$ , which occurs when  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$  in the interval  $[0, \pi]$ .

We now evaluate  $f(x)$  at the critical points in  $[0, \pi]$  and the endpoints of  $[0, \pi]$ .

- $f(0) = 0$ ,
- $f\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2^{4/3}}$ ,
- $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$ ,
- $f\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sqrt[3]{-\frac{1}{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2^{4/3}}$ ,
- $f(\pi) = 0$ .

Hence the absolute maximum of  $f(x)$  on  $[0, \pi]$  is  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2^{4/3}}$  and it occurs at  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and the absolute minimum of  $f(x)$  on  $[0, \pi]$  is  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2^{4/3}}$  and it occurs at  $x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

11. Suppose that  $f$  is a one-to-one differentiable function. The following table of values is given for  $f$  and  $f'$ .

$x$	$-1$	$0$	$1$	$2$
$f(x)$	$2$	$3$	$6$	$11$
$f'(x)$	$7$	$2$	$8$	$5$

- (a) Find an equation of the tangent line to the graph of  $y = f(x)$  at the point  $x = 1$ .

*Solution.*  $y - 6 = 8(x - 1)$

- (b) Find an equation of the tangent line to the graph of  $y = f^{-1}(x)$  at the point  $x = 2$ .

*Solution.*  $y - (-1) = \frac{1}{7}(x - 2)$

(c) Let  $G(x) = \arccos(2x)f(3x)$ . Calculate  $G'(0)$ .

*Solution.* We have

$$G'(x) = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}f(3x) + 3\arccos(2x)f'(3x).$$

So

$$G'(0) = -2f(0) + 3\arccos(0)f'(0) = \boxed{-6 + 3\pi}.$$

12. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^{2/3}(x+5)$ . Find the open intervals where  $f$  is increasing, decreasing, concave up, concave down, the  $x$ -coordinates of the local maxima, local minima and inflection points of  $f$ . Then sketch the graph of  $f$ .

*Solution.* First, we calculate the derivatives of  $f$  and chart their sign.

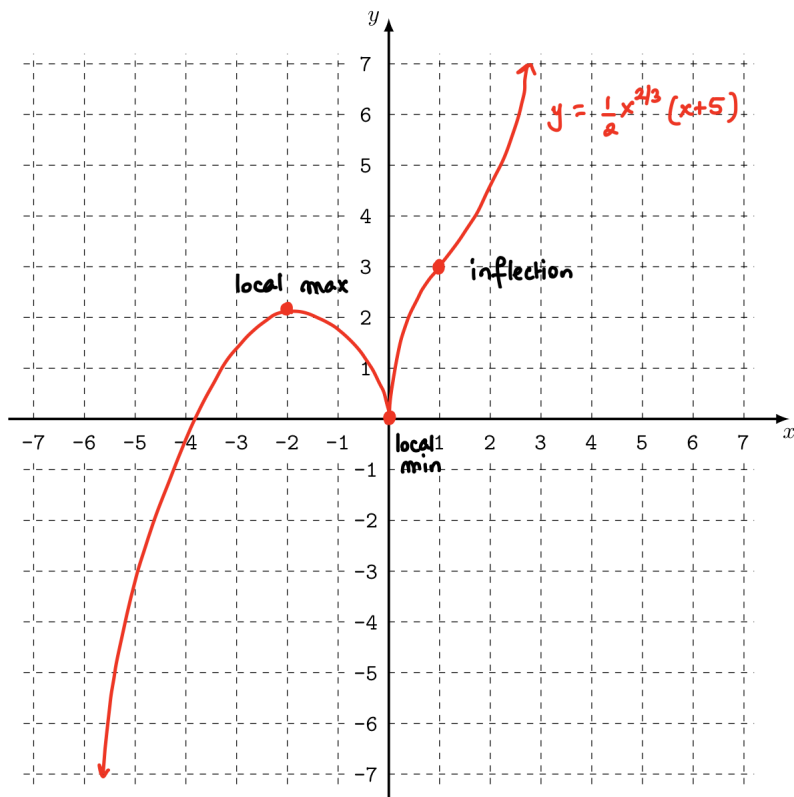
$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{x+5}{3x^{1/3}} + \frac{x^{2/3}}{2} \\ &= \frac{2x+10+3x}{6x^{1/3}} \\ &= \frac{5(x+2)}{6x^{1/3}} \end{aligned}$$

$x$	$(-\infty, -2)$	$(-2, 0)$	$(0, \infty)$
$f'(x)$	+	-	+

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= \frac{5}{6x^{1/3}} - \frac{5(x+2)}{18x^{4/3}} \\ &= \frac{15x-5x-10}{18x^{4/3}} \\ &= \frac{5(x-1)}{9x^{4/3}} \end{aligned}$$

$x$	$(-\infty, 0)$	$(0, 1)$	$(1, \infty)$
$f''(x)$	-	-	+

- Increasing:  $\boxed{(-\infty, -2), (0, \infty)}$
- Decreasing:  $\boxed{(-2, 0)}$
- Concave up:  $\boxed{(1, \infty)}$
- Concave down:  $\boxed{(-\infty, 0), (0, 1)}$
- Local maximum at:  $\boxed{x = -2}$
- Local minimum at:  $\boxed{x = 0}$
- Inflection point at:  $\boxed{x = 1}$



13. Let  $F(x) = \int_0^{x^2} e^{-t^2/4} dt$ . Find the open intervals where  $F$  is concave up, concave down and the  $x$ -coordinates of the inflection points of  $F$ .

*Solution.* First, we must find  $F''(x)$ . For the first derivative, we use the Fundamental Theorem combined with the Chain Rule to get

$$F'(x) = e^{-(x^2)^2/4} \cdot (2x) = 2xe^{-x^4/4}.$$

We differentiate one more time and we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} F''(x) &= 2e^{-x^4/4} + 2xe^{-x^4/4} \cdot (-x^3) \\ &= 2e^{-x^4/4} (1 - x^4) \\ &= 2e^{-x^4/4} (1 - x)(1 + x)(1 + x^2). \end{aligned}$$

The sign chart of  $F''(x)$  is given below.

$x$	$(-\infty, -1)$	$(-1, 1)$	$(1, \infty)$
$F''(x)$	—	+	—

We can now conclude that

- $F$  is concave up on  $\boxed{(-1, 1)}$ .
- $F$  is concave down on  $\boxed{(-\infty, -1), (1, \infty)}$ .

- $F$  has inflection points at  $\boxed{x = -1, 1}$ .

14. Find the points on the ellipse of equation  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 12$  where the tangent line is (a) horizontal and (b) vertical.

*Solution.* We use implicit differentiation to find  $y' = \frac{dy}{dx}$ . Differentiating the equation  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 12$  with respect to  $x$  gives

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + y + xy' + 2yy' &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y'(x + 2y) &= -2x - y \\ \Rightarrow y' &= \frac{-2x - y}{x + 2y}. \end{aligned}$$

(a) The tangent line is horizontal when  $y' = 0$ . This gives  $-2x - y = 0$ , so  $y = -2x$ . Substituting this back in the equation of the ellipse gives

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + x(-2x) + (-2x)^2 &= 12 \\ 3x^2 &= 12 \\ x^2 &= 4 \\ x &= \pm 2 \end{aligned}$$

Using  $y = -2x$ , we get the points  $\boxed{(2, -4), (-2, 4)}$ .

(b) The tangent line is vertical when  $y'$  is undefined, which happens when the denominator of  $y'$  is equal to 0. This gives  $x + 2y = 0$ , so  $x = -2y$ . Substituting this back in the equation of the ellipse gives

$$\begin{aligned} (-2y)^2 + (-2y)y + y^2 &= 12 \\ 3y^2 &= 12 \\ y^2 &= 4 \\ y &= \pm 2 \end{aligned}$$

Using  $x = -2y$ , we get the points  $\boxed{(4, -2), (-4, 2)}$ .

15. A particle is moving along an axis with acceleration  $a(t) = \frac{6t}{(9+t^2)^2}$ , initial velocity  $v(0) = 1$  and initial position  $s(0) = -2$ . Find the position  $s(t)$  of the particle.

*Solution.* First, we find the velocity  $v(t)$  of the particle. The velocity is an antiderivative of the acceleration, so

$$\begin{aligned} v(t) &= \int a(t) dt \\ &= \int \frac{6t}{(9+t^2)^2} dt \\ &= \int \frac{3}{u^2} du \quad (u = 9+t^2, du = 2t dt) &= -\frac{3}{u} + C \\ &= -\frac{3}{9+t^2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

To find the constant  $C$ , we use the initial velocity  $v(0) = 1$ , which gives  $-\frac{3}{9+0} + C = 1$ , so  $C = \frac{4}{3}$ . Hence, the velocity is  $v(t) = -\frac{3}{9+t^2} + \frac{4}{3}$ .

We can now find the position  $s(t)$  by taking an antiderivative of the velocity. This gives

$$\begin{aligned} s(t) &= \int \left( -\frac{3}{9+t^2} + \frac{4}{3} \right) dt \\ &= \int \left( -\frac{3}{3^2+t^2} + \frac{4}{3} \right) dt \\ &= -3 \frac{1}{3} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{t}{3} \right) + \frac{4}{3}t + D \\ &= -\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{t}{3} \right) + \frac{4}{3}t + D. \end{aligned}$$

To find the constant  $D$ , we use the initial position  $s(0) = -2$ , which gives  $-\tan^{-1}(0) + 0 + D = -2$ , so  $D = -2$ . Hence we have obtained  $s(t) = -\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{t}{3} \right) + \frac{4}{3}t - 2$ .

16. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} Ax + B & \text{if } x \leq 0, \\ \arcsin \left( \frac{1}{x+2} \right) & \text{if } 0 < x. \end{cases}$

(a) Find the value of the constant  $B$  for which  $f$  is continuous for all real numbers.

*Solution.* Each piece of  $f$  is continuous on its given domain, so it suffices to ensure continuity at the transition point  $x = 0$ . For this, we need  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = f(0)$ . This gives

$$A \cdot 0 + B = \arcsin \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \Rightarrow B = \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

(b) Find the values of the constants  $A, B$  for which  $f$  satisfies the conditions of the Mean Value Theorem on the interval  $[-1, 1]$ .

*Solution.* To satisfy the assumptions of the MVT, we will need  $f(x)$  to be continuous on  $[-1, 1]$  and differentiable on  $(-1, 1)$ . We already know from (a) that continuity requires  $B = \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

For differentiability, observe that each piece is differentiable on its given domain. So we just need to ensure differentiability at  $x = 0$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \quad \frac{d}{dx}(Ax + B)|_{x=0} &= A, \\ \bullet \quad \frac{d}{dx}(\arcsin \left( \frac{1}{x+2} \right))|_{x=0} &= \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{(x+2)^2}}} \cdot \frac{-1}{(x+2)^2} \right)_{|x=0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{4}}} \cdot \frac{-1}{2} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}. \end{aligned}$$

So we need  $A = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ .