MA 161

Exam 2

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Instructions:

- 1. This package contains 14 problems worth 7 points each.
- 2. Please supply all the information requested. On the scantron sheet, print your name, your division-section number, and 10 digit PUID number in addition to filling in the corresponding circles. You get two points for supplying all the information correctly.
- 3. Work only in the space provided, or on the backside of the pages. Circle your choice for each problem in this booklet, and mark your answer on the scantron sheet.
- 4. No books, notes, calculator, or any electronic devices may be used on this exam.

1.A 2.C 3.C 4.E 5.A 6.D 7.D 8.D 9.D 10.A 11.B 12.E 13.C 14.B

1.
$$\lim_{x \to -\infty} \frac{2x^3 - x}{3x^2 + x} =$$

- A. $-\infty$
- B. -2/3
- C. 2/3
- D. -1
- E. ∞

- 2. The intermediate value theorem guarantees that the equation $x^4 3x^2 + x 1 = 0$ has a solution on the interval
 - A. (-1,0)
 - B. (0,1)
 - C. (1,2)
 - D. (2,3)
 - E. Does not guarantee a solution on any of these intervals.

$$3. \lim_{x \to \infty} \sqrt{x^2 + x} - \sqrt{x^2 - 3x} =$$

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. ∞
- E. $-\infty$

4. A particle is moving along the number line; its position at time t is

$$x(t) = \frac{3t^2 + 3t}{t^2 + 1}$$

What is its velocity when x(t) = 3?

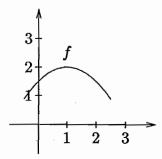
- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 2/3
- E. 3/2

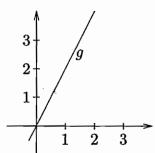
- 5. Let h(x) = f(x) + 2g(x). Given that h'(2) = 4 and f'(2) = 2, we can conclude that g'(2) =
 - A. 1
 - B. 2
 - C. 3
 - D. 4
 - E. There is not enough information to compute g'(2).

6. If $\phi(x) = 2/f(x)$, then $\phi'(x) =$

- A. -1/f(x)
- B. 2/f'(x)
- C. $2f'(x)/f(x)^2$
- D. $-2f'(x)/f(x)^2$
- E. $2f(x)^2/f'(x)$

- 7. A conical snow-pile grows in a blizzard. At midnight, its height is 2 in and the radius of the base is 2 in. Thereafter, both the height h and radius r grow at the rate of 0.5 inches every hour. At what rate is the volume growing at 8 am? (Recall the formula $V = \pi r^2 h/3$ for the volume V.)
 - A. $2\pi \, (in^3/hr)$
 - B. $6\pi \, (in^3/hr)$
 - C. $16\pi \, (\text{in}^3/\text{hr})$
 - D. $18\pi \,(\text{in}^3/\text{hr})$
 - E. $20\pi \, (\text{in}^3/\text{hr})$
- 8. Below are the graphs for f and g. What is a possible value for $(f \circ g)'(1)$?





- A. 1
- B. 1/2
- C. 2
- D. -2
- E. 0

9. Which of the lines below are parallel to the tangent line to the curve $25(x^2 - y^2) = 3(x^2 + y^2)^2$ at the point (2,1)?

A.
$$y = 0$$
.

B.
$$x = 0$$
.

C.
$$y = (2/11)x - 2$$
.

D.
$$11y + 2x = 0$$
.

E.
$$y + 2x = 1$$
.

10. A car travels along a straight road going faster and faster for twenty seconds then gradually slows down for the next twenty seconds before coming to a stop. Let d(t) describe its distance from the starting point. Which of the following statements are correct?

I. For
$$t \in (0, 20)$$
, $d(t) > 0$, $d''(t) > 0$.

II. For
$$t \in (20, 40)$$
, $d'(t) < 0, d''(t) < 0$.

III. For
$$t > 40$$
, $d(t) = 0$.

11. What is the derivative of $x^{\sin(x)}$ at $x = \pi/2$?

- A. Does not exist.
- B. 1.
- C. $\pi/2$.
- D. -1.
- E. $2/\pi$.

12. Newton's law of cooling says that the temperature T(t) of an object placed inside an environment of temperature 0, satisfies the differential equation

$$T'(t) = kT(t)$$

where k < 0. Which of the following statements are correct?

- I. $\lim_{t\to\infty}T(t)=0.$
- II. If T'(0) < 0 that means the initial temperature of the object was greater than 0.
- III. If T'(1) = 0 then necessarily T(0) = 0.
- A. I and II only.
- B. II and III only.
- C. I only.
- D. II only.
- E. All of them.

13. Which of the following functions has a horizontal asymptote?

- I. $1/(x^2+1)$.
- II. $\sin(x)\cos(x)$.
- III. tanh(x).

- A. I and II only.
- B. II and III only.
- C. I and III only.
- D. None of them.
- E. All of them.

14. Which of the following functions satisfy an equation of the form f''(t) = af(t) for a constant a > 0?

- I. $f(t) = \cos(kt)$ II. $f(t) = \cosh(kt)$ III. $f(t) = e^{kt}$ (Here, k is a non-zero constant.)
 - A. Only I and III.
 - B. Only II and III.
 - C. Only I and II.
 - D. None of them.
 - E. All of them.