

考試時間 120 分鐘，題目卷為兩張紙，共四頁，滿分 120 分。所有題目的答案都請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷上，而非與填充題必須寫在第一頁。答案卷務必寫學號、姓名，題目卷不必繳回。考試開始 30 分鐘後不得入場，開始 40 分鐘內不得離場。考試期間禁止使用字典、計算機、任何通訊器材並請勿自行攜帶任何紙張，違者成績以零分計算，監試人員不得回答任何關於試題的疑問。 **Questions are to be answered on the answer sheet provided.**

是非題 **True or False** (20 points)，請答 **T** (True) 或 **F** (False)。每題 2 分。(不需詳列過程，請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷第一頁上。)

- F** 1. Let f and g be two functions, then $\frac{d}{dx}f(g(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}g(f(x))$.

In general, $f(g(x)) \neq g(f(x))$. Therefore $\frac{d}{dx}f(g(x))$ may not be $\frac{d}{dx}g(f(x))$.

- T** 2. In the xy -plane, every linear equation represents a straight line.

This is part of Theorem 1 on page 40.

- F** 3. If f is a continuous function on an open interval (a, b) and if $f(a)$ and $f(b)$ have opposite signs, then there is at least one solution of the equation $f(x) = 0$ in the interval (a, b) .

Consider the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{if } x = -1 \\ x+2, & \text{if } x \in (-1, 1] \end{cases}$
Then $f(-1)f(1) = -1 \cdot 3 < 0$, however $f(x) > 0$ on $(-1, 1)$.

- F 4. If the demand is elastic at p , then an increase in the unit price will cause the revenue to increase.

See the block on page 204.

- T 5. We say that f is continuous on the interval (a, b) if f is continuous at every point in (a, b) .

See the definition on page 120.

- F 6. Consider the equation: $x^2 + y^2 = 1$. Then y is a function of x .

For a given $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$, we obtain y is $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ or $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$. So y is not a function of x (see definition on page 50). Or you can see this by vertical line test (on page 56).

7. Suppose that L_1 and L_2 are two lines in the plane with slope $m_1 \neq 0$ and $m_2 \neq 0$ respectively. If $m_1 \neq m_2$, then L_1 and L_2 intersect exactly one point.

Ans. (T)

Sol.: Let the equation of L_1 and L_2 respectively be:

$$(*) \quad \begin{cases} y = m_1 x + C_1 \\ y = m_2 x + C_2 \end{cases}$$

Since $m_1 \neq 0, m_2 \neq 0$ and $m_1 \neq m_2$, (*) has a only one soln $\left(\frac{C_2 - C_1}{m_1 - m_2}, \frac{m_1 C_2 - m_2 C_1}{m_1 - m_2} \right)$.

8. If f is differentiable, then $\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{f(x)}{x^2 + 1} \right] = \frac{f'(x)}{2x}$.

Ans.: (F)

In fact, by Quotient Rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{f(x)}{x^2 + 1} \right] = \frac{f'(x)(x^2 + 1) - f(x)(x^2 + 1)'}{(x^2 + 1)^2} = \frac{f'(x)(x^2 + 1) - 2x f(x)}{(x^2 + 1)^2}$$

9. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x^{50} + 1)^2}{x^{100} + 2} = 1$.

Ans.: (T)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol.: } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x^{50} + 1)^2}{x^{100} + 2} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(1 + \frac{1}{x^{50}}\right)^2}{1 + \frac{2}{x^{100}}} = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x^{50}}\right)^2}{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{2}{x^{100}}\right)} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

10. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x|}{x} & , x \neq 0 \\ k & , x = 0 \end{cases}$. We can choose some value k such that the function f is continuous at $x = 0$.

Ans.: (F)

$$\text{Sol.: Since } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} 1 = 1,$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (-1) = -1,$$

We can not choose k such that

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ exists.

Thus f is discontinuous at $x = 0$ for any value k .

填充題 **Short answer questions** (40 points), 每題 5 分。

(不需詳列過程, 僅將答案依題號順序依序寫在答案卷第一頁上即可。)

1. Find the domain of

$$f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x-3}}{x^2-4}.$$

Answer: $[3, \infty)$.

The denominator should not be zero.

So $x^2 - 4 \neq 0$, hence $x \neq -2$ and $x \neq 2$.

$\sqrt{x-3}$ makes sense only when $x-3 \geq 0$,

i.e., $x \geq 3$.

Therefore the domain is $[3, \infty)$.

2. We define $f(x) = \begin{cases} x-2 & , x < 1; \\ x^2-2x & , 1 \leq x \leq 3; \\ 2 & , x > 3. \end{cases}$

Find all points that $f(x)$ is not continuous at. If there is no such point, please put NONE in your answer sheet. Answer: $x=3$.

Since $f(x)$ is continuous on $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$, it suffices to consider the continuity at 1 and 3.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} x-2 = -1 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (x^2-2x) = -1$$

give that f is continuous at $x=1$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} x^2-2x = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} 2 = 2,$$

so $f(x)$ is not continuous at $x=3$.

3. Consider the demand equation $f(p) = (1+p)^{-1}$, $p \geq 0$. Find the elasticity of demand at price $p = 20$. Answer: $\frac{20}{21}$.

$$E(p) = - \frac{p f'(p)}{f(p)} = - \frac{p(-1)(1+p)^{-2}}{(1+p)^{-1}} = p(1+p)^{-1}$$

$$\text{So } E(20) = 20(1+20)^{-1} = \frac{20}{21}$$

4. Find the value of

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^{9/2} + 1000x^4}{x^5 + x^4 + 10000}$$

Answer: 0 .

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^{9/2} + 1000x^4}{x^5 + x^4 + 10000} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^{9/2} + 1000x^4}{x^5} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^{-1/2} + 1000x^{-1}}{1 + x^{-1} + 10000x^{-5}} \\ &= \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 3x^{-1/2} + 1000x^{-1}}{\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 1 + x^{-1} + 10000x^{-5}} \\ &= \frac{0}{1} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

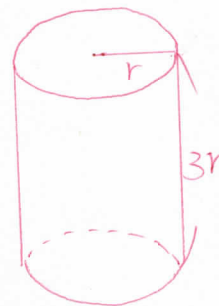
5. David wants to paint a right circular cylinder with radius r meters and height $3r$ meters. It costs 10 dollars to paint 1 square meter of an area. How much money does it cost to paint all the surface of the right circular cylinder?

Answer: $80\pi r^2$.

The surface of the right circular cylinder

$$\text{is } \pi r^2 + \pi r^2 + 2\pi r \cdot 3r = 8\pi r^2 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{So the cost is } 8\pi r^2 \cdot 10 = 80\pi r^2$$



6. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} k(x+1)^2 & , x \leq 0 \\ x+2 & , x > 0 \end{cases}$. Find the value of k that will make f continuous on $(-\infty, \infty)$. Answer: 2.

Sol: It is easy to see that f is continuous at $x \neq 0$

Hence, if f is continuous at $x=0$, then

we finally have that f is continuous on $(-\infty, \infty)$.

This implies

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = f(0) = k \cdot (0+1)^2 = k,$$

and so we obtain that

$$0+2 = 2 = k.$$

7. Let $F(x) = x^4 - 32x$. Find the point on the graph of F where the tangent line is horizontal. Answer: $(2, -48)$

Sol.: Let $(x_0, F(x_0))$ be the point on the graph of F where the tangent line is horizontal.

Then $F'(x_0) = 0 \Rightarrow 4x_0^3 - 32 = 0 \Rightarrow x_0 = 2,$

and so $(x_0, F(x_0)) = (2, -48).$

8. Let $h(x) = \frac{f(x)g(x)}{f(x) + g(x)}$. If $f(1) = 1$, $g(1) = 2$, $f'(1) = 3$ and $g'(1) = 4$, then find $h'(1)$. Answer: _____.

Sol.: By the Quotient and Product Rules, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} h'(x) &= \frac{(f(x)g(x))' \cdot (f(x) + g(x)) - (f(x)g(x)) \cdot (f(x) + g(x))'}{(f(x) + g(x))^2} \\ &= \frac{(f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)) \cdot (f(x) + g(x)) - f(x)g(x)(f'(x) + g'(x))}{(f(x) + g(x))^2} \end{aligned}$$

We easily have

$$h'(1) = \frac{(3 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 4)(1 + 2) - 1 \cdot 2 \cdot (3 + 4)}{(1 + 2)^2} = \frac{16}{9}.$$

計算問答證明題 **Please show all your work** (60 points), 每題 10 分, 請依題號順序依序寫在答案卷上, 可以用中文或英文作答。請詳列計算過程, 否則不予計分。需標明題號但不必抄題。

1. (10 points) Find the derivatives of the following functions.

a. $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2x+1}}{x^2-1}$

b. $g(x) = (3x+1)^4(x^2-x+1)^3$

Sol.: a. By the Quotient and Chain Rules, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{[(2x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}]'(x^2-1) - (2x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x^2-1)'}{(x^2-1)^2} \\ &= \frac{\left[\frac{1}{2}(2x+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2\right] \cdot (x^2-1) - (2x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2x}{(x^2-1)^2} \\ &= \frac{\frac{(x^2-1)}{\sqrt{2x+1}} - 2x\sqrt{2x+1}}{(x^2-1)^2} = \frac{-3x^2-2x-1}{(2x+1)^{\frac{3}{2}}(x^2-1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

b. By {Product Rule we easily obtain
Chain Rule

$$\begin{aligned} g'(x) &= 12(3x+1)^3(x^2-x+1)^2 + (3x+1)^4 \cdot 3(x^2-x+1)(2x-1) \\ &= 3(3x+1)^3(x^2-x+1)^2 [4(x^2-x+1) + (3x+1)(2x-1)] \\ &= 3(3x+1)^3(x^2-x+1)^2 (10x^2-5x+3) \end{aligned}$$

2. (10 points) The quantity demanded per month, x , of a certain make of tablet PC is related to the average unit price, p (in dollars), of tablet PCs by the equation

$$x = f(p) = \frac{100}{9} \sqrt{810000 - p^2}$$

It is estimated that t months from now, the average price of a tablet PC will be given by

$$p(t) = \frac{400}{1 + \frac{1}{8}\sqrt{t}} + 200 \quad (0 \leq t \leq 60)$$

dollars. Find the rate at which the quantity demanded per month of the tablet PCs will be changing 16 months from now.

Sol: By the assumptions, we easily have

$$x = f(p(t)) \quad (0 \leq t \leq 60),$$

and so the rate at which the quantity demanded per month is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dt} &= f'(p(t)) \cdot p'(t) \quad (0 \leq t \leq 60) \\ &= \frac{100}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{2} (810000 - p^2(t))^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (-2p(t)) \cdot p'(t) \\ &= -\frac{100}{9} (810000 - p^2(t))^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot p(t) \cdot \left(\frac{-400}{(1 + \frac{1}{8}\sqrt{t})^2} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{8} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}} \right) \\ &= \frac{2500p(t)}{9\sqrt{t} \sqrt{810000 - p^2(t)} (1 + \frac{1}{8}\sqrt{t})^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{When } t=16, \quad p(16) = \frac{400}{1 + \frac{1}{8}\sqrt{16}} + 200 = \frac{1400}{3}$$

This implies

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dt}(16) &= \frac{2500(\frac{1400}{3})}{9\sqrt{16} \sqrt{810000 - (\frac{1400}{3})^2} \cdot (1 + \frac{1}{8}\sqrt{16})^2} \\ &\quad \left(\text{or } \frac{3500000}{243 \sqrt{810000 - (\frac{1400}{3})^2}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

3. (10 points) The demand function for a product is given by

$$d = x^2 - 16x + 60 \quad (0 \leq x \leq 6)$$

and the corresponding supply function is given by

$$s = x^2 + 3x + 3 \quad (0 \leq x \leq 6)$$

where d and s are in **dollars** and x is measured in units of a **thousand**.

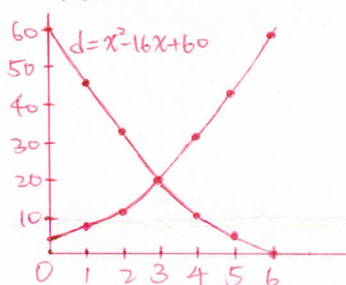
a. Sketch the graphs of those functions in **ONE** Cartesian coordinate system (4 points).

b. Find the equilibrium quantity and price (6 points).

a,

$$d = x^2 - 16x + 60 = x^2 - 16x + 64 - 4 = (x - 8)^2 - 4$$

$$s = x^2 + 3x + 3 = x^2 + 3x + \frac{9}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = \left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}$$



b,

$$\text{Solve } x^2 - 16x + 60 = x^2 + 3x + 3$$

$$\text{Then } 19x = 57$$

$$\text{So } x = 3$$

Therefore the equilibrium quantity is 3,000
and the equilibrium price is $3^2 - 16 \cdot 3 + 60 = 21$.

4. (10 points) Find the value of

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+h} - 1}{\sqrt{1-h} - 1}.$$

You may lose points if you explain things badly.

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+h} - 1}{\sqrt{1-h} - 1} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+h} - 1}{\sqrt{1-h} - 1} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1+h} + 1}{\sqrt{1+h} + 1} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1-h} + 1}{\sqrt{1-h} + 1} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+h-1}{1-h-1} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1-h} + 1}{\sqrt{1+h} + 1} \\ &= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1-h} + 1}{\sqrt{1+h} + 1} \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

5. (10 points) Suppose that a manufacturer of laptops has a monthly fixed cost 20,000 dollars and a variable cost $500x + 200\sqrt{x}$ dollars where x denotes the quantity.

- a. Find the total monthly cost function $C(x)$ (2 points).
- b. Find average cost function $\bar{C}(x)$ and marginal average cost function (4 points).
- c. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \bar{C}(x)$ and interpret your result (4 points).

a. The total monthly cost function
$$C(x) = 20,000 + 500x + 200\sqrt{x}$$

b. The average cost function
$$\bar{C}(x) = \frac{C(x)}{x} = \frac{20,000}{x} + 500 + 200 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$$

The marginal average cost function
$$\bar{C}'(x) = -20,000x^{-2} - 100x^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

c.
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \bar{C}(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{20,000}{x} + 500 + 200x^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 500$$

When we produce more, the cost of each laptop is close to 500 dollars.

6. (10 points) The concentration of a certain drug in a patient's bloodstream t hours after injection is given by

$$C(t) = \frac{t}{t^2 + 2}$$

- (a) Find the rate at which the concentration of the drug is changing with respect to time (2 points).
- (b) How fast is the concentration changing 1 hour and 3 hours after the injection (4 points)?
- (c) Evaluate $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} C(t)$, interpret your result (4 points).

$$(a) \quad C'(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{t}{t^2 + 2} \right) = \frac{(t^2 + 2) \cdot 1 - t \cdot 2t}{(t^2 + 2)^2} = \frac{2 - t^2}{(t^2 + 2)^2}$$

(b) This is to compute $C'(1)$ and $C'(3)$.

$$C'(1) = \frac{2 - 1^2}{(1^2 + 2)^2} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$C'(3) = \frac{2 - 3^2}{(3^2 + 2)^2} = \frac{-7}{121}$$

$$(c) \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} C(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t}{t^2 + 2} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{t}{t^2}}{\frac{t^2}{t^2} + \frac{2}{t^2}} = 0$$

When time goes by, the concentration of that drug in patient's bloodstream will vanish.

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