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AP® Calculus BC
2004 Scoring Guidelines

Question 1

Traffic flow is defined as the rate at which cars pass through an intersection, measured in cars per minute. The traffic flow at a particular intersection is modeled by the function F defined by

$$F(t) = 82 + 4\sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \text{ for } 0 \le t \le 30,$$

where $F(t)$ is measured in cars per minute and t is measured in minutes.

(a) To the nearest whole number, how many cars pass through the intersection over the 30-minute period?

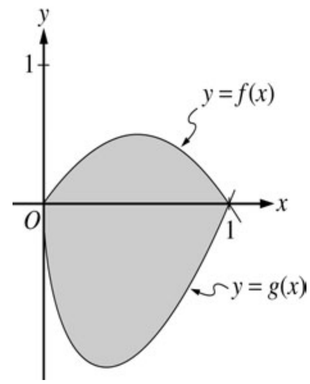
(b) Is the traffic flow increasing or decreasing at $t = 7$? Give a reason for your answer.

(c) What is the average value of the traffic flow over the time interval $10 \le t \le 15$? Indicate units of measure.

(d) What is the average rate of change of the traffic flow over the time interval $10 \le t \le 15$? Indicate units of measure.

(a) $\int_0^{30} F(t)\,dt = 2474$ cars	$3 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{limits} \\ 1 : \text{integrand} \\ 1 : \text{answer} \end{cases}$
(b) $F'(7) = -1.872$ or -1.873 Since $F'(7) < 0$, the traffic flow is decreasing at $t = 7$.	1 : answer with reason
(c) $\frac{1}{5}\int_{10}^{15} F(t)\,dt = 81.899$ cars/min	$3 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{limits} \\ 1 : \text{integrand} \\ 1 : \text{answer} \end{cases}$
(d) $\dfrac{F(15) - F(10)}{15 - 10} = 1.517$ or 1.518 cars/min^2	1 : answer
Units of cars/min in (c) and cars/min^2 in (d)	1 : units in (c) and (d)

Question 2



Let f and g be the functions given by $f(x) = 2x(1-x)$ and $g(x) = 3(x-1)\sqrt{x}$ for $0 \le x \le 1$. The graphs of f and g are shown in the figure above.

(a) Find the area of the shaded region enclosed by the graphs of f and g.

(b) Find the volume of the solid generated when the shaded region enclosed by the graphs of f and g is revolved about the horizontal line $y = 2$.

(c) Let h be the function given by $h(x) = kx(1-x)$ for $0 \le x \le 1$. For each $k > 0$, the region (not shown) enclosed by the graphs of h and g is the base of a solid with square cross sections perpendicular to the x-axis. There is a value of k for which the volume of this solid is equal to 15. Write, but do not solve, an equation involving an integral expression that could be used to find the value of k.

(a) Area $= \int_0^1 (f(x) - g(x))\,dx$ $= \int_0^1 \left(2x(1-x) - 3(x-1)\sqrt{x}\right) dx = 1.133$	$2: \begin{cases} 1: \text{integral} \\ 1: \text{answer} \end{cases}$
(b) Volume $= \pi\int_0^1 \left((2-g(x))^2 - (2-f(x))^2\right) dx$ $= \pi\int_0^1 \left(\left(2 - 3(x-1)\sqrt{x}\right)^2 - (2 - 2x(1-x))^2\right) dx$ $= 16.179$	$4: \begin{cases} 1: \text{limits and constant} \\ 2: \text{integrand} \\ \quad \langle -1 \rangle \text{ each error} \\ \quad \text{Note: } 0/2 \text{ if integral not of form} \\ \qquad c\int_a^b \left(R^2(x) - r^2(x)\right) dx \\ 1: \text{answer} \end{cases}$
(c) Volume $= \int_0^1 (h(x) - g(x))^2\,dx$ $\int_0^1 \left(kx(1-x) - 3(x-1)\sqrt{x}\right)^2 dx = 15$	$3: \begin{cases} 2: \text{integrand} \\ 1: \text{answer} \end{cases}$

Question 3

An object moving along a curve in the xy-plane has position $(x(t),\, y(t))$ at time $t \ge 0$ with $\frac{dx}{dt} = 3 + \cos\left(t^2\right)$. The derivative $\frac{dy}{dt}$ is not explicitly given. At time $t = 2$, the object is at position $(1, 8)$.

(a) Find the x-coordinate of the position of the object at time $t = 4$.

(b) At time $t = 2$, the value of $\frac{dy}{dt}$ is -7. Write an equation for the line tangent to the curve at the point $(x(2),\, y(2))$.

(c) Find the speed of the object at time $t = 2$.

(d) For $t \ge 3$, the line tangent to the curve at $(x(t),\, y(t))$ has a slope of $2t + 1$. Find the acceleration vector of the object at time $t = 4$.

(a) $x(4) = x(2) + \int_2^4 \left(3 + \cos\left(t^2\right)\right) dt$ $= 1 + \int_2^4 \left(3 + \cos\left(t^2\right)\right) dt = 7.132$ or 7.133	$3 : \begin{cases} 1 : \int_2^4 \left(3 + \cos\left(t^2\right)\right) dt \\ 1 : \text{handles initial condition} \\ 1 : \text{answer} \end{cases}$
(b) $\left.\frac{dy}{dx}\right\rvert_{t=2} = \left.\frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}\right\rvert_{t=2} = \frac{-7}{3 + \cos 4} = -2.983$ $y - 8 = -2.983(x - 1)$	$2 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{finds } \left.\frac{dy}{dx}\right\rvert_{t=2} \\ 1 : \text{equation} \end{cases}$
(c) The speed of the object at time $t = 2$ is $\sqrt{(x'(2))^2 + (y'(2))^2} = 7.382$ or 7.383.	1 : answer
(d) $x''(4) = 2.303$ $y'(t) = \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} = (2t + 1)\left(3 + \cos\left(t^2\right)\right)$ $y''(4) = 24.813$ or 24.814 The acceleration vector at $t = 4$ is $\langle 2.303, 24.813 \rangle$ or $\langle 2.303, 24.814 \rangle$.	$3 : \begin{cases} 1 : x''(4) \\ 1 : \frac{dy}{dt} \\ 1 : \text{answer} \end{cases}$

Question 4

Consider the curve given by $x^2 + 4y^2 = 7 + 3xy$.

(a) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3y - 2x}{8y - 3x}$.

(b) Show that there is a point P with x-coordinate 3 at which the line tangent to the curve at P is horizontal. Find the y-coordinate of P.

(c) Find the value of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ at the point P found in part (b). Does the curve have a local maximum, a local minimum, or neither at the point P? Justify your answer.

(a)
$$2x + 8yy' = 3y + 3xy'$$
$$(8y - 3x)y' = 3y - 2x$$
$$y' = \frac{3y - 2x}{8y - 3x}$$

$2 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{implicit differentiation} \\ 1 : \text{solves for } y' \end{cases}$

(b) $\frac{3y - 2x}{8y - 3x} = 0;\ 3y - 2x = 0$

When $x = 3,\ 3y = 6$
$y = 2$

$3^2 + 4 \cdot 2^2 = 25$ and $7 + 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 25$

Therefore, $P = (3, 2)$ is on the curve and the slope is 0 at this point.

$3 : \begin{cases} 1 : \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \\ 1 : \text{shows slope is 0 at } (3, 2) \\ 1 : \text{shows } (3, 2) \text{ lies on curve} \end{cases}$

(c) $$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(8y - 3x)(3y' - 2) - (3y - 2x)(8y' - 3)}{(8y - 3x)^2}$$

At $P = (3, 2)$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(16 - 9)(-2)}{(16 - 9)^2} = -\frac{2}{7}$.

Since $y' = 0$ and $y'' < 0$ at P, the curve has a local maximum at P.

$4 : \begin{cases} 2 : \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \\ 1 : \text{value of } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \text{ at } (3, 2) \\ 1 : \text{conclusion with justification} \end{cases}$

Question 5

A population is modeled by a function P that satisfies the logistic differential equation

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{P}{5}\left(1 - \frac{P}{12}\right).$$

(a) If $P(0) = 3$, what is $\lim_{t \to \infty} P(t)$?

If $P(0) = 20$, what is $\lim_{t \to \infty} P(t)$?

(b) If $P(0) = 3$, for what value of P is the population growing the fastest?

(c) A different population is modeled by a function Y that satisfies the separable differential equation

$$\frac{dY}{dt} = \frac{Y}{5}\left(1 - \frac{t}{12}\right).$$

Find $Y(t)$ if $Y(0) = 3$.

(d) For the function Y found in part (c), what is $\lim_{t \to \infty} Y(t)$?

(a) For this logistic differential equation, the carrying capacity is 12. If $P(0) = 3$, $\lim_{t \to \infty} P(t) = 12$. If $P(0) = 20$, $\lim_{t \to \infty} P(t) = 12$.	$2 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{answer} \\ 1 : \text{answer} \end{cases}$
(b) The population is growing the fastest when P is half the carrying capacity. Therefore, P is growing the fastest when $P = 6$.	1 : answer
(c) $\frac{1}{Y}\,dY = \frac{1}{5}\left(1 - \frac{t}{12}\right)dt = \left(\frac{1}{5} - \frac{t}{60}\right)dt$ $\ln\lvert Y\rvert = \frac{t}{5} - \frac{t^2}{120} + C$ $Y(t) = Ke^{\frac{t}{5} - \frac{t^2}{120}}$ $K = 3$ $Y(t) = 3e^{\frac{t}{5} - \frac{t^2}{120}}$	$5 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{separates variables} \\ 1 : \text{antiderivatives} \\ 1 : \text{constant of integration} \\ 1 : \text{uses initial condition} \\ 1 : \text{solves for } Y \\ \quad 0/1 \text{ if } Y \text{ is not exponential} \end{cases}$ Note: max $2/5$ [1-1-0-0-0] if no constant of integration Note: $0/5$ if no separation of variables
(d) $\lim_{t \to \infty} Y(t) = 0$	1 : answer $0/1$ if Y is not exponential

Question 6

Let f be the function given by $f(x) = \sin\left(5x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$, and let $P(x)$ be the third-degree Taylor polynomial for f about $x = 0$.

(a) Find $P(x)$.

(b) Find the coefficient of x^{22} in the Taylor series for f about $x = 0$.

(c) Use the Lagrange error bound to show that $\left| f\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) - P\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) \right| < \frac{1}{100}$.

(d) Let G be the function given by $G(x) = \int_0^x f(t)\,dt$. Write the third-degree Taylor polynomial for G about $x = 0$.

(a) $f(0) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$f'(0) = 5\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$f''(0) = -25\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{25\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$f'''(0) = -125\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{125\sqrt{2}}{2}$

$$P(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}x - \frac{25\sqrt{2}}{2(2!)}x^2 - \frac{125\sqrt{2}}{2(3!)}x^3$$

4 : $P(x)$

$\langle -1 \rangle$ each error or missing term

deduct only once for $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ evaluation error

deduct only once for $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ evaluation error

$\langle -1 \rangle$ max for all extra terms, $+\cdots$, misuse of equality

(b) $\frac{-5^{22}\sqrt{2}}{2(22!)}$

$2 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{magnitude} \\ 1 : \text{sign} \end{cases}$

(c)
$$\left| f\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) - P\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) \right| \le \max_{0 \le c \le \frac{1}{10}} \left| f^{(4)}(c) \right| \left(\frac{1}{4!}\right)\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^4$$
$$\le \frac{625}{4!}\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^4 = \frac{1}{384} < \frac{1}{100}$$

1 : error bound in an appropriate inequality

(d) The third-degree Taylor polynomial for G about $x = 0$ is $\int_0^x \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}t - \frac{25\sqrt{2}}{4}t^2 \right) dt$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}x + \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{4}x^2 - \frac{25\sqrt{2}}{12}x^3$$

2 : third-degree Taylor polynomial for G about $x = 0$

$\langle -1 \rangle$ each incorrect or missing term

$\langle -1 \rangle$ max for all extra terms, $+\cdots$, misuse of equality