# **Arkansas Council of Teachers of Mathematics**

### 2013 State Contest

#### **Calculus Exam**

In each of the following choose the BEST answer and shade the corresponding letter on the Scantron Sheet. Answer all 24 multiple choice questions before attempting the tie-breaker questions. The tie-breaker questions at the end are to be used to resolve any ties between  $1^{st}$ ,  $2^{nd}$ , and/or  $3^{rd}$  place. Be sure that your name is printed on each of the tiebreaker pages. The figures are not necessarily drawn to scale. You may use a scientific graphing calculator such as a TI-84. Good Luck!

1. Let H(x) = F(x)G(3x + 1), where F and G are the functions whose graphs are shown.







- 3. Suppose f(1) = 7 and  $f'(x) \le 3$  for all values of x. How large can f(3) possibly be? A. 10
  - **B**. 4
  - C. 21
  - D. 13E. 11
  - E. II
- $4. \quad \int_a^b f'(x) dx =$ 
  - A. f(b)-f(a)
  - B. f'(b) f'(a)
  - C. f(a)-f(b)
  - D. f'(a) f'(b)
  - E. f'(a) + f'(b)
- 5. A particle moves along the curve  $y = \sqrt{1 + x^3}$ . As it reaches the point (2,3), the *y*-coordinate is increasing at a rate of 4 *cm/s*. How fast is the *x*-coordinate of the point changing at that instant?
  - A. 2 *cm*/*s*
  - B. 6 cm/s
  - C. 3 cm/s
  - D. 24 cm/s
  - E. 8 cm/s
- 6. The figure shows the graphs of three functions. One is the position function of a car, one is the velocity function of the car, and one is the acceleration function of the car.



Determine the valid statement.

- A. *a* is the position function.
- B. *c* is the velocity function.
- C. *c* is the acceleration function.
- D. *b* is the position function.
- E. *b* is the velocity function.

- 7. A canister is dropped from a helicopter at a height of 490 m. Its parachute does not open, but it is designed to withstand an impact velocity of 100 m/s. If we use 9.8  $m/s^2$  for the acceleration due to gravity and ignore wind resistance, then how fast is it going when it hits the ground?
  - A. 0 m/s
  - B. 98 m/s
  - C. 9.8 m/s
  - D. 980 m/s
  - E. 10 m/s
- 8. A trough is 12 feet long and its cross-section has the shape of an isosceles triangle that is 3 feet at the top and has a height of 1 foot. If the trough is being filled with water at a rate of 12 ft<sup>3</sup>/min, then how fast is the water level rising when the water is 6 inches deep?

A. 
$$3 ft / min$$
  
B.  $\frac{2}{3} ft / min$   
C.  $6 ft / min$   
D.  $\frac{1}{6} ft / min$   
E.  $\frac{2}{9} ft / min$ 

- 9. Find the area of the largest rectangle that can be inscribed in a right triangle with legs of lengths *a* and *b* if the two sides of the rectangle lie along the legs.
  - A.  $\frac{ab}{2}$ B.  $\frac{2ab}{3}$ C.  $\frac{3ab}{2}$ D.  $\frac{3ab}{4}$ E.  $\frac{ab}{4}$
- 10. Suppose that we approximate a definite integral with a Left Riemann Sum. Which of the following statements is true?
  - A. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is increasing on the interval.
  - B. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is decreasing on the interval.
  - C. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is concave up on the interval.
  - D. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is concave down on the interval.
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

11. Evaluate the limit by recognizing the expression as a limit of a Riemann sum for a function defined on [0,1] and applying the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

$\lim_{n\to\infty}\frac{1}{n}\left(,\right)$	$\sqrt{\frac{1}{n}} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{n}}$	$\frac{2}{n} + \sqrt{2}$	$\frac{3}{n} + \dots +$	$-\sqrt{\frac{n}{n}}$

D. 2

A. 1

B.  $\frac{5}{9}$ 

C.  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

- E.  $\frac{2}{3}$
- 12. Suppose that we approximate a definite integral with the Trapezoidal Rule. Which of the following statements is true?
  - A. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is increasing on the interval.
  - B. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is decreasing on the interval.
  - C. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is concave up on the interval.
  - D. The estimate is lower than the actual integral if the function is concave down on the interval.
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.
- 13. Approximate  $\int_{1}^{9} x^{5} dx$  using the Trapezoidal Rule with 4 intervals. Round your answer to the nearest whole number.
  - A. 40,352
  - B. 49,700
  - C. 88,573
  - D. 99,400
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.
- 14. Evaluate the following:  $\int 3x \sin(x^2) dx$ .
  - A.  $-3x\cos(x^2) + C$
  - B.  $-\frac{3}{2}x^2\cos(x^2) + C$
  - C.  $-\frac{3}{2}x^2\cos(\frac{1}{3}x^3) + C$
  - D.  $-\frac{3}{2}\cos(x^2) + C$
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

15. 
$$\lim_{x \to 4} \left( \frac{3x^2 - 3x - 36}{x - 4} \right) = 21.$$
 By the definition of a limit, there is a positive real number  $\delta$  such that  

$$\left| \left( \frac{3x^2 - 3x - 36}{x - 4} \right) - 21 \right| < 0.09 \text{ if } 0 < |x - 4| < \delta.$$
 The largest valid value of  $\delta$  is  
A. 0.01  
B. 0.03  
C. 0.3  
D. 0.4  
E. 0.07  
16. Compute  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( e^{\tan(3x^2)} \right)$   
A.  $e^{\tan(6x)}$   
B.  $e^{\tan(6x)}$   
B.  $e^{\tan(6x)}$   
C.  $6xe^{\sec^2(3x^2)}$   
D.  $6xe^{\tan(3x^2)} \sec^2(6x)$   
E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

17. 
$$\lim_{x \to 0} \left( \frac{4x}{\sin(3x)} \right)$$
  
A.  $\frac{4}{3}$   
B.  $\frac{3}{4}$   
C. 1  
D. 0

E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

18. Find and simplify a formula for the difference quotient where  $f(x) = x^3$ .

- A.  $3x^2$
- B.  $3x^2 + \Delta x$
- C.  $3x^2 + \Delta x^2$
- D.  $3x^2 + 3x\Delta x + \Delta x^2$
- E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

# 19. Let $f(x) = \cos(2x)$ . $f^{(16)}(0) =$

- A. 0
- **B**. 1
- C. -1
- D. -65,536
- E. 65,536

20. The probability of an event  $x \in [a, b]$  for a continuous probability distribution is the area between the graph of the probability density function (pdf) for the distribution and the *x*-axis over that interval. The wait time for starting service at a checkout line has probability distribution

$$pdf(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5e^{-0.5x} & \text{if } x \ge 0\\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

(x is measured in minutes.) What is the probability that the wait time will be between 1 and 3 minutes?

- A. 0.15
- B. 0.23
- C. 0.38
- D. 0.42
- E. 0.53

21. The mean of a continuous probability distribution is  $\mu = E[x] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x \, p df(x) \, dx$ . What is the mean wait time for the distribution from the previous question?

- A. 2.0 minutes
- B. 4.0 minutes
- C. 5.2 minutes
- D. 1.4 minutes
- E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

For questions 22-24 let *R* be the region bounded by the curves  $y = \sin(\frac{\pi}{4}x)$  and  $y = \frac{1}{4}x^2$ .

- 22. Approximate the area of the region *R*. Round your answer to four decimal places.
  - A. 0.2732
  - B. 0.3333
  - C. 0.6066
  - D. 1.2252
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.
- 23. Approximate the volume of the solid formed by revolving the region R about the <u>x-axis</u>. Round your answer to four decimal places.
  - A. 1.1556
  - B. 1.8850
  - C. 3.8108
  - D. 3.9027
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.
- 24. Approximate the volume of the solid formed by revolving the region R about the <u>y-axis</u>. Round your answer to four decimal places.
  - A. 1.1556
  - B. 1.8850
  - C. 3.8108
  - D. 3.9027
  - E. Each of the other answers is incorrect.

# **Tie-Breaker Questions**

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In each of the following you must show supporting work for your answers to receive credit. The questions will be used in the order given to resolve ties for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and/or 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Be sure that your name is printed on each of the tiebreaker pages.

1. For a continuous probability distribution the probability that the random variable x is in the interval [a, b] is the area bounded by the x-axis, x = a, x = b and the graph of the probability density function (pdf). The cumulative density function (cdf) for the distribution gives as its output the cumulative probability, i.e.  $cdf(k) = P(x \le k)$ .

For a particular probability distribution we have

$$pdf(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{8}(x-7) & x \in [3,7] \\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$$

• Find the formula for cdf(*x*).



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2. State the Sum Rule for calculating the derivative of a sum of two differentiable functions *f* and *g*:

 $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x)+g(x)) = \underline{\qquad}$ 

Prove this result.

# **Tie-Breaker Questions**

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3. The rate of change of the number of coyotes N(t) in a population is directly proportional to 650-N(t), where t is the time in years. When t = 0 the population is 300, and when t = 2 the population has increased to 500. Find the population when t = 3.

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#### Answers:

1. A 2. C

- 2. C 3. D
- 4. A
- 5. A
- 6. E 7. B
- 7. D 8. B
- 9. E
- 10. A
- 11. E 12. D
- 13. D
- 14. D
- 15. B 16. D
- 17. A
- 18. D
- 19. E
- 20. C
- 21. A
- 22. C
- 23. B
- 24. D

Tie Breaker #1

Name Key

For a continuous probability distribution, the probability that the random variable *x* is in the interval [*a*, *b*] is the area bounded by the *x*-axis, x = a, x = b and the graph of the probability density function (pdf). The cumulative density function (cdf) for the distribution gives as its output the cumulative probability, i.e.  $cdf(k) = P(x \le k)$ .

For a particular probability distribution we have

$$pdf(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{8}(x-7) & x \in [3,7] \\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$$

• Find the formula for cdf(*x*).

We see from the explanation above that in general the cdf is an antiderivative of the pdf. Specifically,

$$cdf(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{x} pdf(t) dt$$

Notice that for x < 3  $cdf(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{x} 0 dt = 0$  and note that  $\int_{7}^{x} pdf(x) dt = \int_{7}^{x} 0 dt = 0$  for x > 7. For  $x \in [3, 7]$ 

$$cdf(x) = \int_{3}^{x} -\frac{1}{8}(t-7) dt$$

$$= -\frac{1}{8} (\frac{1}{2}t^{2} - 7t) \Big]_{3}^{x}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (t^{2} - 14t) \Big]_{3}^{x}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x^{2} - 14x) - ((3)^{2} - 14(3))) \quad OR$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x^{2} - 14x + 33)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x - 7)^{2} - (3 - 7)^{2})$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x - 11) (x - 3)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x - 7)^{2} + 1$$

$$cdf(x) = \int_{3}^{x} -\frac{1}{8}(t-7) dt \qquad [u = t - 7 \Rightarrow du = dt]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (t - 7)^{2} \Big]_{3}^{x}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} ((t - 7)^{2})^{x}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x - 7)^{2} - (3 - 7)^{2})$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} (x - 7)^{2} + 1$$

(Any of the last four versions on the left are good in this interval and can be used for the middle piece below.)



Tie Breaker #2

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State the Sum Rule for calculating the derivative of a sum of two differentiable functions f and g:

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(f(x)+g(x)\right)=f'(x)+g'(x)$$

Prove this result.

$$\frac{d}{dx}(f(x)+g(x)) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{(f(x+h)+g(x+h))-(f(x)+g(x))}{h}$$
Definition of the derivative.  

$$= \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x+h)+g(x+h)-f(x)-g(x)}{h}$$
Distributive Property  

$$= \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x+h)-f(x)+g(x+h)-g(x)}{h}$$
Associative Property  

$$= \lim_{h \to 0} \left(\frac{f(x+h)-f(x)}{h} + \frac{g(x+h)-g(x)}{h}\right)$$
Distributive Property  

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Distributive Property  
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Tie Breaker #3

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The rate of change of the number of coyotes N(t) in a population is directly proportional to 650-N(t), where *t* is the time in years. When t = 0 the population is 300, and when t = 2 the population has increased to 500. Find the population when t = 3.

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = k (650 - N) \Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{650 - N} dN = k \int dt$$
  
-ln (650 - N) = kt + C  
ln (650 - N) = -kt - C  
650 - N = e^{-kt - C}  
650 - N = e^{-c} e^{-kt}  
650 - N = C\_2 e^{-kt}  
N = 650 - C\_2 e^{-kt}  
t = 0  $\rightarrow$  N = 300  
300 = 650 - C\_2  
C\_2 = 350  
N = 650 - 350 e^{-kt}  
t = 20  $\rightarrow$  N = 500  
500 = 650 - 350 e^{-k2}  
-150 = -350 e^{-2k}  
 $e^{-2k} = \frac{3}{7}$   
-2k = ln  $(\frac{3}{7})$   
k =  $-\frac{1}{2} \ln(\frac{3}{7})$   
N = 650 - 350  $e^{\frac{1}{2} \ln(\frac{3}{7})^{t}}$  = 650 - 350  $(\frac{3}{7})^{\frac{1}{2}}$   
N(3) = 650 - 350  $e^{\frac{1}{2} \ln(\frac{3}{7})^{3}}$  = 650 - 350  $(\frac{3}{7})^{\frac{3}{2}}$  = 551.802

When t = 3 the population is 552.