

MIDTERM

1. Find the following limits. Show all work.

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{1 + 4x^2}}{1 + 4x}$

b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (x^4 \sin \frac{5}{x})$

2. Use the ϵ, δ definition of limit to prove that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (3x - 2) = 4$.

3. State the intermediate value theorem and use it to decide whether there exists a number whose cube is exactly one more than its square.

4. Use the definition of the derivative to find the derivatives of the following functions:

a) $f(x) = 1$

b) $f(x) = x^3$

5. Find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1$ at the point $(1, 4)$. At which point on this graph, if any, does the tangent line make a 45° angle with the x -axis.

6. Let $f(x) = |x|$. Find a formula for $f'(x)$ when $x \neq 0$, and show that $f'(0)$ does not exist.

7. Which of the functions mentioned in this exam are even?

Problem 7 is worth 5 points, problem 1 is worth 20 points, and the rest are worth 15 points each.