

Formula sheet for the final exam in Math 135

Preliminaries: The line through the point (h, k) with slope m is given by the equation $y - k = m(x - h)$. If $a \neq 0$ and $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ then $x = (-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})/(2a)$.

Basic trig identities: $\sin(0) = 0$, $\cos(0) = 1$, $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$, $\sin(-x) = -\sin x$, $\cos(-x) = \cos x$

$$\sin(x + 2\pi) = \sin x \quad \cos(x + 2\pi) = \cos x \quad 360 \text{ degrees} = 2\pi \text{ radians}$$

$$\tan x = (\sin x)/(\cos x) \quad \cot x = (\cos x)/(\sin x) \quad \sec x = 1/(\cos x) \quad \csc x = 1/(\sin x)$$

Limits: $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$ is equivalent to $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = L$.

Continuity: f is continuous at a when all of the following conditions are satisfied:

1. $f(a)$ is defined,
2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ exists,
3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$.

Derivatives: f is differentiable at x when $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (f(x+h) - f(x))/h$ exists.

The number $f'(a)$ is the slope of the tangent to the graph of $y = f(x)$ at $x = a$. The **sum and product rules** say $(f + g)' = f' + g'$ and $(fg)' = fg' + gf'$, respectively. The **quotient rule** says $(f/g)' = (gf' - fg')/(g^2)$. The **chain rule** says $\frac{d}{dx}[f(g(x))] = f'(g(x))\frac{d}{dx}[g(x)]$. $f'(c)/f(c)$ is the relative rate of change of $y = f(x)$ at $x = c$. $f'(c)$ is the instantaneous rate of change. If $s(t)$ is the position function then $s'(t)$ is the velocity, $s''(t)$ is the acceleration and $|s'(t)|$ is the speed.

Basic log and exp laws: $e^{\ln x} = x$ for $x > 0$ $\ln(e^x) = x$ for all x

$$\ln(ab) = \ln a + \ln b \quad \ln(a/b) = \ln a - \ln b \quad \ln(a^b) = b \ln a \quad \ln 1 = 0 \quad \ln e = 1$$

$$e^a e^b = e^{a+b} \quad e^a / e^b = e^{a-b} \quad (e^a)^b = e^{ab} \quad e^0 = 1 \quad e^1 = e$$

Exponential growth is given by the formula $P(t) = P_0 e^{kt}$. **Continuous compounding** of interest leads to the formula $A(t) = Pe^{rt}$, where r is the interest rate.

Calculus in economics: $C(x)$ is the **cost** of producing x units of a product. The **marginal cost** is $C'(x)$; the **average cost** is $C(x)/x$. If x units are available then $p(x)$ is the **price** consumers are willing to pay for each unit. $R(x) = xp(x)$ is the **revenue** from x units. $R'(x)$ is the **marginal revenue**. The **profit function** is $P(x) = R(x) - C(x)$.

Approximation: The **linearization** of $f(x)$ at $x = a$ is $L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$. If $y = f(x)$ then its **differential** is $dy = f'(x)dx$. This differential is approximately equal to $\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$ when $dx = \Delta x$. For any variable S , ΔS is the **error**, $(\Delta S)/S$ is the **relative error** and $100((\Delta S)/S)\%$ is the **percentage error**.

Graphing and optimization: If $f'(x) > 0$ on an interval then f is **increasing** on that interval. If $f'(x) < 0$ on an interval then f is **decreasing** on that interval. If $f''(x) > 0$ on an interval then f is **concave up** on that interval. If $f''(x) < 0$ on an interval then f is **concave down** on that interval. **Relative max and min** of a function f can occur only at **critical numbers** (numbers x in the domain of f where $f'(x) = 0$ or $f'(x)$ does not exist). **Absolute max and min** occur only at critical points or endpoints. **Inflection points** are points where the concavity of f changes sign. The line $x = a$ is a **vertical asymptote** of $y = f(x)$ if either $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = \pm\infty$ or $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = \pm\infty$. The line $y = b$ is a **horizontal asymptote** of $y = f(x)$ if either $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = b$ or $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = b$.

L'Hôpital's Rule: If $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ is a form of type $\frac{0}{0}$ or $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$ when the second limit exists.

The indefinite integral: If $F'(x) = f(x)$ then F is an **antiderivative** of f . $\int f(x) dx$ is the set of all antiderivatives of f . $F'(x) = f(x)$ is equivalent to $\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C$, where C is a constant.

The definite integral: If f is continuous and $f(x) \geq 0$ on $[a, b]$ then $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ is the **area** under the curve $y = f(x)$ over $[a, b]$. If $f(x) < 0$ occurs for some x then $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ is the area above $[a, b]$ minus the area below $[a, b]$. The **first fundamental theorem of calculus** says $\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$, where F is any antiderivative of f .

Riemann sums are of the form $\sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*) \Delta x_k$ where $a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_{n-1} < x_n = b$, $\Delta x_k = x_k - x_{k-1}$ and x_k^* is chosen from $[x_{k-1}, x_k]$. They approximate $\int_a^b f(x) dx$.

Differentiation rules

$$\frac{d}{dx}(kx) = k \text{ for constant } k$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[kf(x)] = kf'(x) \text{ for constant } k$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^k) = kx^{k-1} \text{ for constant } k$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) \pm g(x)] = f'(x) \pm g'(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\ln x) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) = \cos x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) = -\sin x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sec x) = \sec x \tan x$$

Integration rules

$$\int k dx = kx + C \text{ for constant } k$$

$$\int kf(x) dx = k \int f(x) dx \text{ for constant } k$$

$$\int x^k dx = \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} + C \text{ for constant } k \neq -1$$

$$\int [f(x) \pm g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx \pm \int g(x) dx$$

$$\int e^x dx = e^x + C$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln |x| + C$$

$$\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$$

$$\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$$

$$\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C$$

$$\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x + C$$

Integration by substitution: If $u = u(x)$ then $\int f(u(x))u'(x) dx = \int f(u) du$ and

$$\int_a^b f(u(x))u'(x) dx = \int_{u(a)}^{u(b)} f(u) du.$$