

## Formula sheets 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  $x = (-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})/(2a)$ . If a right triangle has sides of length  $a, b, c$ , where the side of length  $c$  is opposite the right angle, then the **Pythagorean theorem** says  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$ .

**Basic trig identities:**  $\sin(0) = 0$ ,  $\cos(0) = 1$ ,  $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$ ,  $\sin(-x) = -\sin x$ ,  $\cos(-x) = \cos x$ ,  $\sin(x + 2\pi) = \sin x$ ,  $\cos(x + 2\pi) = \cos x$ ,  $\tan x = (\sin x)/(\cos x)$ ,  $\cot x = (\cos x)/(\sin x)$ ,  $\sec x = 1/(\cos x)$ ,  $\csc x = 1/(\sin x)$ .

**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:**  $e^{\ln x} = x$ ,  $\ln(e^x) = x$ ,  $\ln(ab) = \ln a + \ln b$ ,  $\ln(a/b) = \ln a - \ln b$ ,  $\ln(a^b) = b \ln a$ ,  $\ln 1 = 0$ ,  $\ln e = 1$ ,  $e^a e^b = e^{a+b}$ ,  $e^a/e^b = e^{a-b}$ ,  $(e^a)^b = e^{ab}$ ,  $e^0 = 1$ ,  $e^1 = e$ .

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

**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  $S$ ,  $\Delta S$  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.

**Integrals:** 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  $\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C$ . 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  $y = f(x)$  on  $[a, b]$ . If  $a < c < b$  then  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx$ . 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:** Assume that  $a < b$  and the interval  $[a, b]$  is partitioned into  $n$  subintervals  $[x_{k-1}, x_k]$  of width  $\Delta x_k = x_k - x_{k-1}$ , where  $a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_{n-1} < x_n = b$ . Assume also that  $x_k^*$  is chosen from  $[x_{k-1}, x_k]$  as the  $k$ th interval representative. Then  $\sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k^*)\Delta x_k$  is the Riemann sum associated with the function  $f(x)$  and with this partition and this choice of representatives.

### 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

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