

Chapter 18 (Derivatives) IB Questions Solution

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#1.  $B \ln x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{By}{x} - 4x + By \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x - \frac{By}{x}}{B \ln x + By}$$

When  $x=1$

$$By \cdot \ln(1) - 2 + 4y^2 = 7$$

$$4y^2 = 9 \quad y = \pm \frac{3}{2}$$

①  $(x=1 \quad y = \frac{3}{2})$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4 - B(\frac{3}{2})}{0 + B(\frac{3}{2})} = \frac{-8}{12} = \boxed{\frac{-2}{3}}$$

②  $(x=1 \quad y = -\frac{3}{2})$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4 + B(\frac{3}{2})}{0 + B(-\frac{3}{2})} = \frac{16}{-12} = \boxed{\frac{-4}{3}}$$

#2.  $f(x) = [\ln(x-2)]^2$

$$\frac{df}{dx} = \frac{2 \ln(x-2)}{x-2}$$

$$\frac{d^2f}{dx^2} = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{x-2}\right)(x-2) - 2 \ln(x-2)(1)}{(x-2)^2} = \boxed{\frac{2 - 2 \ln(x-2)}{(x-2)^2}}$$

#3.  $f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x} \quad \frac{df}{dx} = \frac{\frac{1}{x} \cdot x - \ln x}{x^2} = \frac{1 - \ln x}{x^2}$

$$\frac{d^2f}{dx^2} = \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)(x^2) - 2x(1 - \ln x)}{x^4} = \frac{-x - 2x(1 - \ln x)}{x^4} = \frac{-1 - 2(1 - \ln x)}{x^3} = 0$$

continue

$$\Rightarrow -1 - 2(1 - \ln x) = 0$$

$$1 - \ln x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$+\ln x = +\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\boxed{x = e^{3/2} = \sqrt{e^3}}$$

#4.  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{e^x} \Rightarrow$  solve for  $x$  &  $y$  for  $\frac{df}{dx} = 0$ .

$$\frac{df}{dx} = \frac{2x e^x - x^2 \cdot e^x}{(e^x)^2} = \frac{2x - x^2}{e^x} = 0 \Rightarrow x[2-x] = 0$$

$$\boxed{x=0 \quad x=2} \text{ for } x \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{(0, 0); (2, \frac{4}{e^2})}$$

#5.  $f(x) = e^x - x^e \quad x \geq 0$

(a) (i)  $\boxed{f'(x) = e^x - e x^{e-1}}$

(ii)  $e^x - e x^{e-1} = 0$

solve by Guess and check

OR use a Graphing Cal.

$$\boxed{x=1, x=e}$$

#6.  $f(x) = e^x \sin x$

(a)  $f'(x) = e^x \sin x + e^x \cos x = e^x (\sin x + \cos x)$

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= e^x (\sin x + \cos x) + e^x (\cos x - \sin x) \\ &= e^x \sin x + e^x \cos x + e^x \cos x - e^x \sin x \\ &= 2e^x \cos x = \boxed{2e^x \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$

continue

#6 (b)  $f''(x) = 2e^x \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})$

$f^3(x) = 2e^x \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2}) + 2e^x \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{2})$   
 $= 2e^x [\sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2}) + \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{2})]$

$f^4(x) = 2e^x [\cancel{\sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})} + \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{2})] + 2e^x [\cos(x + \frac{\pi}{2}) - \cancel{\sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})}]$   
 $= 4e^x \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{2}) = -4e^x \sin x$

$\cos(x + \frac{\pi}{2}) = -\sin x$

#7. (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} (2x-1) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (ax^2+bx-5)$

$3 = 4a + 2b - 5 \Rightarrow 4a + 2b = 8$   
 $2a + b = 4$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (2x-1)' = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (ax^2+bx-5)'$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} 2 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} (2ax+b)$

$\Rightarrow 2 = 4a + b$

$4a + b = 2$   
 $2a + b = 4$   
 $2a = -2$   
 $a = -1$   
 $b = 6$

$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x-1 & \text{Domain } x \leq 2 \Rightarrow \text{Range } y \leq 3 \\ -x^2+6x-5 & 2 < x < 3 \Rightarrow 3 < y < 4 \end{cases}$

$-4 + 12 - 5 = 3$   
 $-9 + 18 - 5 = 4$

$x = 2y - 1 \Rightarrow y = \frac{x+1}{2} \text{ for } x \leq 3$

$-y^2 + 6y - 5 = x$

$y^2 - 6y + 5 = -x$

$y^2 - 6y + 9 = -x - 5 + 9$

$(y-3)^2 = -x + 4 \Rightarrow y = \sqrt{4-x} + 3 \text{ for } 3 < x < 4$

$$f^{-1} = \begin{cases} \frac{x+2}{2} & x \leq 3 \\ -\sqrt{4-x} + 3 & 3 < x < 4 \end{cases}$$

#8. (a)  $(x+h)^3 = x^3 + 3x^2h + 3h^2x + h^3$

$$(b) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^3 - x^3}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 + 3x^2h + 3h^2x + h^3 - x^3}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h[3x^2 + 3hx + h^2]}{h} = 3x^2$$

#9.  $y(x) = xe^{3x} \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$

(a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{3x} + 3xe^{3x}$

(b) Induction  $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = n 3^{n-1} e^{3x} + x 3^n e^{3x}$  for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

1) When  $n=1$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{3x} + 3xe^{3x} = (1)3^{1-1}e^{3x} + x \cdot 3^1 \cdot e^{3x}$$

$$= e^{3x} + 3xe^{3x} \Rightarrow \text{The statement is true.}$$

2) When  $n=k \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

Assume  $\frac{d^k y}{dx^k} = k 3^{k-1} e^{3x} + x 3^k e^{3x}$  is true.

3) When  $n = k+1$

$$\frac{d^{k+1} y}{dx^{k+1}} = k \cdot 3^{k-1} \cdot 3 e^{3x} + 3^k e^{3x} + x 3^k \cdot 3 e^{3x}$$

$$= k 3^k e^{3x} + 3^k e^{3x} + x 3^{k+1} e^{3x} = \boxed{(k+1) 3^{(k+1)-1} e^{3x} + x 3^{k+1} e^{3x}}$$

The statement is true for  $n=k+1$ .

$\therefore \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = n 3^{n-1} e^{3x} + x 3^n e^{3x}$  will be true for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

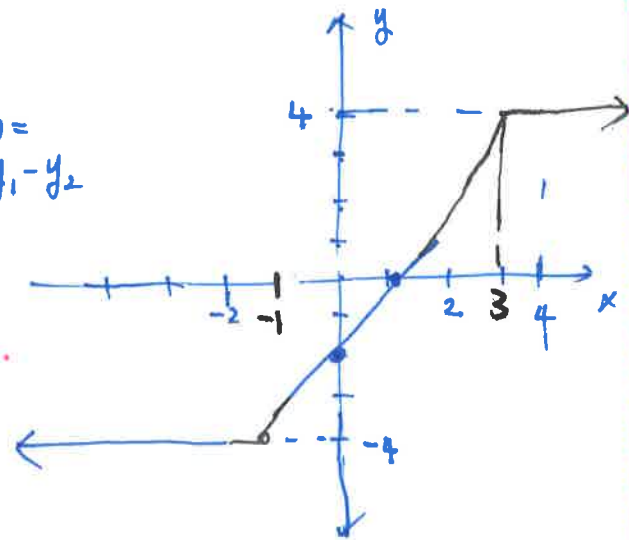
#10.

$y_1 = |x+1|$   
 $y_2 = |x-3|$

x	y <sub>1</sub>	y <sub>2</sub>	y <sub>1</sub> -y <sub>2</sub>
-4	3	7	-4
-2	1	5	-4
-1	0	4	-4
0	1	3	-2
1	2	2	0
2	3	1	2
3	4	0	4
4	5	1	4
6	7	3	4

$f(x) = y_1 - y_2$

$\Rightarrow$  plot.



(i)  $f'(-3) = 0$

(ii)  $f'(2.7) = \frac{8}{4} = 2$

#11.  $f(x) = \left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$\frac{df}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{(1-x) - x(-1)}{(1-x)^2}\right)$

$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1-x}{x}} \cdot \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$

$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{(1-x)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{x^{\frac{1}{2}}} \cdot \frac{1}{(1-x)^2} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(1-x)\sqrt{1-x}} = \frac{\sqrt{1-x}}{2(1-x)^2} = 0$   
 $x \neq 1$

No solution.

$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \left(\frac{1}{2} \cdot x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (1-x)^{-\frac{3}{2}}\right)' = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) x^{-\frac{3}{2}} (1-x)^{-\frac{3}{2}} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(+\frac{3}{2}\right) (1-x)^{-\frac{5}{2}}$   
 $= -\frac{1}{4} x^{-\frac{3}{2}} (1-x)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \left[(1-x) - 3x\right] = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 1 - 4x = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{4}$