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# AP<sup>®</sup> Calculus AB

## Free-Response Questions

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CALCULUS AB  
SECTION II, Part A  
Time—30 minutes  
Number of questions—2

A GRAPHING CALCULATOR IS REQUIRED FOR THESE QUESTIONS.

1. Fish enter a lake at a rate modeled by the function  $E$  given by  $E(t) = 20 + 15 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6}\right)$ . Fish leave the lake at a rate modeled by the function  $L$  given by  $L(t) = 4 + 2^{0.1t^2}$ . Both  $E(t)$  and  $L(t)$  are measured in fish per hour, and  $t$  is measured in hours since midnight ( $t = 0$ ).

- (a) How many fish enter the lake over the 5-hour period from midnight ( $t = 0$ ) to 5 A.M. ( $t = 5$ )? Give your answer to the nearest whole number.
- (b) What is the average number of fish that leave the lake per hour over the 5-hour period from midnight ( $t = 0$ ) to 5 A.M. ( $t = 5$ )?
- (c) At what time  $t$ , for  $0 \leq t \leq 8$ , is the greatest number of fish in the lake? Justify your answer.
- (d) Is the rate of change in the number of fish in the lake increasing or decreasing at 5 A.M. ( $t = 5$ )? Explain your reasoning.

$E'(5) - L'(5) \approx -10.723$

The rate of number of fish in pond is decreasing since  $E'(5) - L'(5) < 0$

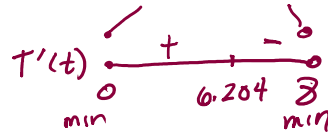
a.  $\int_0^5 E(t) dt \approx 153.458 = 153$  fish

b.  $\frac{1}{5} \int_0^5 L(t) dt \approx 6.059$  about 6 fish per hour

c. Let  $T(t) =$  total fish in the lake

$T'(t) = E(t) - L(t)$

$T(t) = \int_0^t T'(t) dt$



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$$\begin{array}{r} 0 \int T(t) \\ 0 \quad 0 \\ 6.204 \quad 8.92 \quad 0.15 \\ 8 \quad 8.92 \end{array}$$

The max and of fish is  $\approx 135$  @  $t = 6.204$  hours  
 b(c)  $E(t) - L(t)$  goes from  $+$  to  $-$  @  $t = 6.204$ .

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$t$ (hours)	0	0.3	1.7	2.8	4
$v_P(t)$ (meters per hour)	0	55	-29	55	48

2. The velocity of a particle,  $P$ , moving along the  $x$ -axis is given by the differentiable function  $v_P$ , where  $v_P(t)$  is measured in meters per hour and  $t$  is measured in hours. Selected values of  $v_P(t)$  are shown in the table above. Particle  $P$  is at the origin at time  $t = 0$ .

- (a) Justify why there must be at least one time  $t$ , for  $0.3 \leq t \leq 2.8$ , at which  $v_P'(t)$ , the acceleration of particle  $P$ , equals 0 meters per hour per hour. *since  $v_P(t)$  is continuous and differentiable. the mvt applies  $\therefore$  there is at least one time  $t$  where  $v_P'(t) = a_P(t) = 0$ .*  
*\*  $\frac{v_P(2.8) - v_P(0.3)}{2.8 - 0.3} = 0$*
- (b) Use a trapezoidal sum with the three subintervals  $[0, 0.3]$ ,  $[0.3, 1.7]$ , and  $[1.7, 2.8]$  to approximate the value of  $\int_0^{2.8} v_P(t) dt$ .  *$\frac{1}{2}(0.3)(55+0) + \frac{1}{2}(1.4)(55+(-29)) + \frac{1}{2}(1.1)(55+48) = 83.1$  meters*

- (c) A second particle,  $Q$ , also moves along the  $x$ -axis so that its velocity for  $0 \leq t \leq 4$  is given by  $v_Q(t) = 45\sqrt{t} \cos(0.063t^2)$  meters per hour. Find the time interval during which the velocity of particle  $Q$  is at least 60 meters per hour. Find the distance traveled by particle  $Q$  during the interval when the velocity of particle  $Q$  is at least 60 meters per hour.  *$t \approx 1.7616 = A$      $t \approx 3.519 = B$*   
*\* Abs. value isn't necessary since  $v_Q(t) > 0$      $\int_A^B |v_Q(t)| dt \approx 106.109$  m*
- (d) At time  $t = 0$ , particle  $Q$  is at position  $x = -90$ . Using the result from part (b) and the function  $v_Q$  from part (c), approximate the distance between particles  $P$  and  $Q$  at time  $t = 2.8$ .  *$-90 + \int_0^{2.8} v_Q(t) dt \approx 45.938$  meters    distance between 37.162m*  
*Particle Q is to left of particle P*

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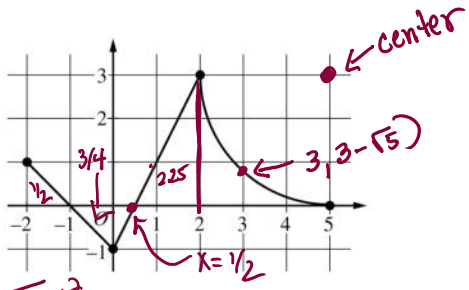
CALCULUS AB  
SECTION II, Part B

Time—1 hour

Number of questions—4

NO CALCULATOR IS ALLOWED FOR THESE QUESTIONS.

Circle equation  
 $(x-5)^2 + (y-3)^2 = 9$   
 $(y-3)^2 = 9 - (x-5)^2$   
 $y-3 = \sqrt{9 - (x-5)^2}$   
 $y = 3 + \sqrt{9 - (x-5)^2}$   
 $y = 3 - \sqrt{9 - (x-5)^2}$   
 lower part of circle



$y = 2x - 1$   
 $9 - \frac{1}{4}\pi(9)$   
 $9 - \frac{9\pi}{4}$

3. The continuous function  $f$  is defined on the closed interval  $-6 \leq x \leq 5$ . The figure above shows a portion of the graph of  $f$ , consisting of two line segments and a quarter of a circle centered at the point  $(5, 3)$ . It is known that the point  $(3, 3 - \sqrt{5})$  is on the graph of  $f$ .

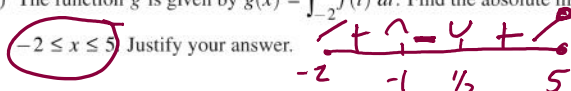
(a) If  $\int_{-6}^5 f(x) dx = 7$ , find the value of  $\int_{-6}^{-2} f(x) dx$ . Show the work that leads to your answer.

$\int_{-6}^5 f(x) dx - \int_{-2}^5 f(x) dx = \int_{-6}^{-2} f(x) dx$   
 $7 - (2 + 9 - 9\pi/4)$   
 $7 - 11 + 9\pi/4$   
 $-4 + 9\pi/4$

(b) Evaluate  $\int_3^5 (2f'(x) + 4) dx$ .

$2 \int_3^5 f'(x) dx + \int_3^5 4 dx$

(c) The function  $g$  is given by  $g(x) = \int_{-2}^x f(t) dt$ . Find the absolute maximum value of  $g$  on the interval  $-2 \leq x \leq 5$ . Justify your answer.



$x$	$g'(x)$
-2	0
-1	1/2
1/2	-1/4
5	11 - 9π/4

$g'(x) = f(x)$

(d) Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{10^x - 3f'(x)}{f(x) - \arctan x}$ .

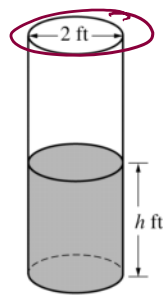
$\frac{10 - 3(2)}{1 - \pi/4} = \frac{4}{1 - \pi/4}$

b.  $2 \left[ 3 - \sqrt{9 - (x-5)^2} \right] \Big|_3^5 + 4(5-3)$

$2[0 - (3 - \sqrt{5})] + 8 = 2(-3 + \sqrt{5}) + 8 = -6 + 2\sqrt{5} + 8 = 2 + 2\sqrt{5}$

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fixed  
 $\therefore r = 1$  is fixed... it will never change no matter the height of water

4. A cylindrical barrel with a diameter of 2 feet contains collected rainwater, as shown in the figure above. The water drains out through a valve (not shown) at the bottom of the barrel. The rate of change of the height  $h$  of the water in the barrel with respect to time  $t$  is modeled by  $\frac{dh}{dt} = -\frac{1}{10}\sqrt{h}$ , where  $h$  is measured in feet and  $t$  is measured in seconds. (The volume  $V$  of a cylinder with radius  $r$  and height  $h$  is  $V = \pi r^2 h$ .)

- (a) Find the rate of change of the volume of water in the barrel with respect to time when the height of the water is 4 feet. Indicate units of measure.  $V = 1^2 \pi h \quad \frac{dV}{dt} = \pi \frac{dh}{dt} = \pi \left(-\frac{1}{10}\sqrt{4}\right) = -\frac{2}{5}\pi \text{ ft}^3/\text{sec}$
- (b) When the height of the water is 3 feet, is the rate of change of the height of the water with respect to time increasing or decreasing? Explain your reasoning.  $\frac{d^2h}{dt^2} = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{10} h^{-1/2} \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{-1}{20\sqrt{h}} \left(-\frac{1}{10}\sqrt{h}\right) = \frac{1}{200}$
- (c) At time  $t = 0$  seconds, the height of the water is 5 feet. Use separation of variables to find an expression for  $h$  in terms of  $t$ .  $(0, 5)$

$\frac{1}{200} > 0$  the rate of change of height is increasing.

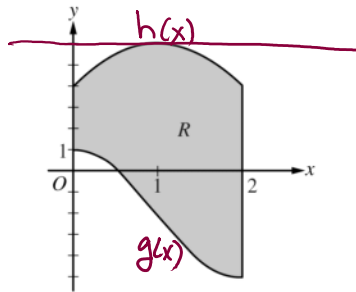
$$c. \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{h}} dh = -\frac{1}{10} dt \quad \rightarrow \quad h^{1/2} = -\frac{1}{20}t + C$$

$$\int h^{-1/2} dh = \int -\frac{1}{10} dt \quad \sqrt{5} = C$$

$$2h^{1/2} = -\frac{1}{10}t + C \quad h^{1/2} = -\frac{1}{20}t + \sqrt{5}$$

$$h = \left(-\frac{1}{20}t + \sqrt{5}\right)^2$$

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5. Let  $R$  be the region enclosed by the graphs of  $g(x) = -2 + 3 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$  and  $h(x) = 6 - 2(x-1)^2$ , the  $y$ -axis, and the vertical line  $x = 2$ , as shown in the figure above.

(a) Find the area of  $R$ .

$$\int_0^2 (h(x) - g(x)) dx = \int_0^2 [6 - 2(x-1)^2 - (-2 + 3 \cos \frac{\pi}{2}x)] dx$$

(b) Region  $R$  is the base of a solid. For the solid, at each  $x$  the cross section perpendicular to the  $x$ -axis has area  $A(x) = \frac{1}{x+3}$ . Find the volume of the solid.

$$\int_0^2 \frac{1}{x+3} dx = \ln|x+3| \Big|_0^2 = \ln 5 - \ln 3$$

(c) Write, but do not evaluate, an integral expression that gives the volume of the solid generated when  $R$  is rotated about the horizontal line  $y = 6$ .

$$\pi \int_0^2 [(\overset{\text{washer}}{6 - g(x)})^2 - (6 - h(x))^2] dx$$

→ a.  $\int_0^2 [8 - 2(x-1)^2 - 3 \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}x)] dx = \left( 8x - \frac{2}{3}(x-1)^3 - \frac{6}{\pi} \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}x) \right) \Big|_0^2$

$$= 16 - \frac{2}{3} - \frac{6}{\pi} - \sin \pi - \left( 0 + \frac{2}{3} - \frac{6}{\pi} \right) = 16 - \frac{2}{3} - \frac{6}{\pi} - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{6}{\pi}$$

$$16 - \frac{4}{3} = \boxed{\frac{44}{3}}$$

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6. Functions  $f$ ,  $g$ , and  $h$  are twice-differentiable functions with  $g(2) = h(2) = 4$ . The line  $y = 4 + \frac{2}{3}(x - 2)$  is tangent to both the graph of  $g$  at  $x = 2$  and the graph of  $h$  at  $x = 2$ .

(a) Find  $h'(2)$ .  $= \frac{2}{3}$

(b) Let  $a$  be the function given by  $a(x) = 3x^3h(x)$ . Write an expression for  $a'(x)$ . Find  $a'(2)$ .  
 $a'(x) = h(x)(9x^2) + 3x^3 \cdot h'(x)$   
 $a'(2) = h(2)(36) + 24 \cdot h'(2) = 4(36) + 24(\frac{2}{3}) = 144 + 16 = 160$

(c) The function  $h$  satisfies  $h(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{1 - (f(x))^3}$  for  $x \neq 2$ . It is known that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} h(x)$  can be evaluated using

L'Hospital's Rule. Use  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} h(x)$  to find  $f(2)$  and  $f'(2)$ . Show the work that leads to your answers.

$1 - (f(2))^3 = 0 \quad (f(2))^3 = 1 \quad f(2) = 1$

(d) It is known that  $g(x) \leq h(x)$  for  $1 < x < 3$ . Let  $k$  be a function satisfying  $g(x) \leq k(x) \leq h(x)$  for  $1 < x < 3$ . Is  $k$  continuous at  $x = 2$ ? Justify your answer.

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{2x}{-3(f(x))^2 f'(x)} = \frac{2(2)}{-3(f(2))^2 f'(2)} = \frac{4}{-3(1)^2 \cdot f'(2)} = \frac{4}{-3f'(2)}$

★ b/c  $h(x)$  is twice differentiable it implies continuity  
 $\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} h(x) = 4$

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$-3f'(2) = 1 \quad \boxed{f'(2) = -\frac{1}{3}}$

d.  $g(x) \leq k(x) \leq h(x) \quad \therefore \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} g(x) \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} k(x) \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} h(x)$   
 $g(2) \leq k(2) \leq h(2) \quad \therefore \quad 4 \leq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} k(x) \leq 4$   
 $4 \leq k(2) \leq 4$

so  $k(2) = 4 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} k(x) = k(2) = 4 \quad \therefore \quad k(x)$  is cont. @  $x = 2$