

Mathematics 122

Quiz 9

Name: Key

You must show your work to get full credit.

1. The quantities are related by

t	10	12	14	16
P	100	95	90	85

(a) Write some sentences explaining why the relation between t and P is linear showing all the calculations supporting your claim.

$$\text{slope at } \textcircled{1} = \frac{\Delta P}{\Delta t} = \frac{95-100}{12-10} = -\frac{5}{2} = -2.5$$

$$\text{slope at } \textcircled{2} = \frac{\Delta P}{\Delta t} = \frac{90-95}{14-12} = -\frac{5}{2} = -2.5$$

$$\text{slope at } \textcircled{3} = \frac{\Delta P}{\Delta t} = \frac{85-90}{16-14} = -\frac{5}{2} = -2.5$$

The slopes are constant, so it is linear.

(b) Write P as a function of t .

$$P = 100 - 2.5(t-10)$$

$$\frac{\Delta P}{\Delta t} = \frac{P-100}{t-10} = -2.5$$

or

$$P = -2.5t + 125$$

(either form is OK)

$$P-100 = -2.5(t-10)$$

$$P = 100 - 2.5(t-10)$$

$$= 100 - 2.5t + 25$$

(c) If $P = 87$ what is the value of t ?

$$t = \underline{16}$$

$$P = 85 = 100 - 2.5(t-10)$$

$$-15 = -2.5(t-10)$$

$$t-10 = \frac{-15}{-2.5} = 6$$

$$t = 16$$

2. Assume the revenue of a vending machine in the t -th week after it is set up is

$$R(t) = \frac{500t^2}{1+t^2} \text{ dollars.}$$

What is the average revenue between $t = 2$ and $t = 4$. Give the units on your answer.

$$\frac{\Delta R}{\Delta t} = \frac{R(4)-R(2)}{4-2} = \frac{470.58-400}{2} = 35.29$$

used calculator

The average rate is 35.29 dollars/week

3. Let P and t be related by

	①	②	③	
t	0	1	2	3
P	5.1	6.63	8.619	11.205

(a) Write a couple of sentences explaining why is an exponential relation showing the calculations you used.

$$\text{Ratio at ①} = \frac{6.63}{5.1} = 1.3$$

$$\text{Ratio at ②} = \frac{8.619}{6.63} = 1.3$$

$$\text{Ratio at ③} = \frac{11.205}{8.619} = 1.3$$

The ratio is constant
so it is exponential.

(b) What is P as a function of t ?

$$P = 5.1(1.3)^t$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(t) &= P_0 a^t \\ &= (\text{initial value})(\text{ratio})^t \\ &= 5.1(1.3)^t \end{aligned}$$

(c) What is the value of t when $P = 200$?

$$t = 13.985$$

$$P = 200 = 5.1(1.3)^t$$

$$(1.3)^t = \frac{200}{5.1}$$

$$t \ln(1.3) = \ln\left(\frac{200}{5.1}\right)$$

$$t = \ln(200/5.1) / \ln(1.3) = 13.985$$

4. A municipal bond pays 6% annual interest for 30 years. You wish to have \$100,000 in 30 years. How much should you invest in the bonds now to have the \$100,000 in 30 years.

Let P_0 = initial investment.

The amount is \$17,411.01

Then after t years the principal is

$$P(t) = P_0(1.06)^t$$

we want

$$P(30) = P_0(1.06)^{30} = 100000$$

$$P_0 = \frac{100000}{(1.06)^{30}} = 17,411.01$$

5. A radioactive element decays exponentially. It initially weights 12 grams and 10 years latter weights 8.3 grams.

(a) Give a formula for $A(t)$, the amount left after t years.

$$A(t) = A_0 a^t = 12 a^t$$

$$A(t) = \underline{12 (.9638)^t}$$

We know

$$A(10) = 12 a^{10} = 8.3$$

$$a^{10} = \frac{8.3}{12}$$

$$a = (8.3/12)^{\frac{1}{10}} = .9638$$

(b) How long until only %1 of the ordinal amount is left?

We want to solve

$$t = \underline{281.961 \text{ years}}$$

$$A(t) = 12 (.9638)^t = .01(12) \quad (=1\% \text{ of ordinal amount})$$

$$(.9638)^t = .01$$

$$t \ln(.9638) = \ln(.01)$$

$$t = \ln(.01) / \ln(.9638) = 281.961$$

6. Let $g(t) = \frac{t^2 + 3}{t^4 + 5}$. Use your calculator to compute $g'(1.2)$ to four decimal places.

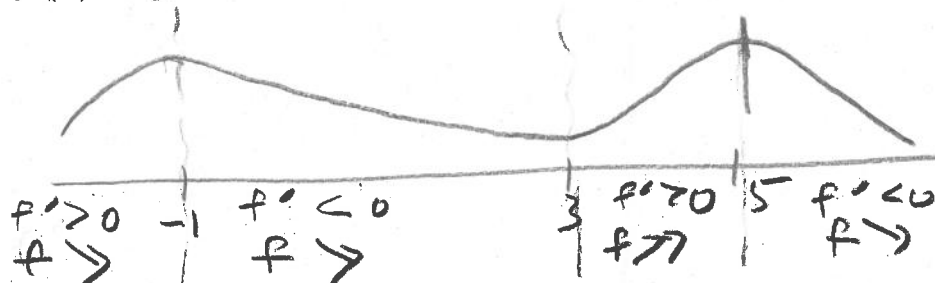
$$g'(1.2) = \underline{-0.2741}$$

In calculator it is
math 8 then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^2 + 3}{x^4 + 5} \right) \Big|_{x=1.2}$$

7. Draw a graph of a function that satisfies

- $f'(x) > 0$ for $x < -1$ or $3 < x < 5$,
- $f'(x) < 0$ for $-1 < x < 3$ or $5 < x$.



8. If $R(10) = 12.3$ and $R'(10) = .45$ estimate the following

$$R(10.2) \approx$$

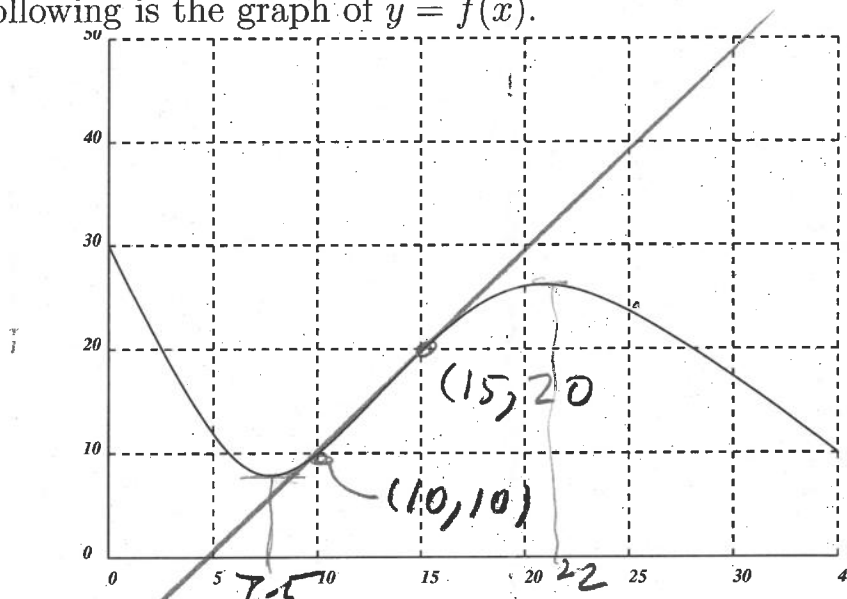
$$R(9.9) \approx \underline{12.255}$$

$$R(a+\Delta x) \approx R(a) + R'(a) \Delta x$$

$$\begin{aligned} R(10.2) &\approx R(10 + .2) \approx R(10) + R'(10)(.2) \\ &= 12.3 + .45(.2) \\ &= 12.39 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R(9.9) &= R(10 + (-.1)) \\ &\approx R(10) + R'(10)(-.1) \\ &= 12.3 - .45(.1) \\ &= 12.255 \end{aligned}$$

9. For the following is the graph of $y = f(x)$.



(a) Draw the tangent line at the point where $x = 15$, choose and label two points on the tangent line and use them to estimate $f'(15)$.

$$f'(15) = \text{slope of tangent line} \quad f'(15) \approx \underline{2}$$

$$= \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \approx \frac{20 - 10}{15 - 10} = \frac{10}{5} = 2$$

(b) What is the equation of the tangent line to the graph at $x = 15$.

Equation is

The equation is

$$y - 20 = 2(x - 15)$$

$$y - y_0 = f'(x_0)(x - x_0)$$

$$\text{or } y = 2x - 10$$

$$\text{in our case } y - 20 = 2(x - 15)$$

equation is OK

(c) At the point where $x = 25$ is the second derivative $f''(25)$ positive or negative?

At $x = 25$ concave down

negative

$$\text{so } f''(25) < 0$$

(d) At the point where $x = 25$ is the derivative $f'(25)$ positive or negative?

The function is decreasing

negative.

$$\text{so } f' < 0$$

(e) Make an estimate for the values of x where $f'(x) = 0$.

The x values are 7.5, 22