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UWO Calculus 1000 Quiz 5

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(1) Evaluate $g''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$, where $g(x) = \tan x$.

$$g'(x) = \tan'(x) = \sec^2(x); \quad g''(x) = (g')'(x) =$$

$$= (\sec^2)'(x) \stackrel{\text{Chain Rule}}{=} 2\sec(x) [\sec(x)\tan(x)] =$$

$$= 2\sec^2(x)\tan(x). \quad \text{Since } \sec\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 2 \text{ and}$$

$$\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \sqrt{3}, \text{ we obtain}$$

$$g''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot \sqrt{3} = 8\sqrt{3}.$$

Answers:

(A) $g''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 16\sqrt{3}$

(B) $g''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 8\sqrt{3}$

(C) $g''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -8\sqrt{3}$

(D) $g''\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -4\sqrt{3}$

(E) None of these

(2) Evaluate the limit

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sin(\sqrt{x}-1)}{x-1}$$

Note that $x-1 = (\sqrt{x}-1)(\sqrt{x}+1)$, hence $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sin(\sqrt{x}-1)}{x-1} =$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{\sin(\sqrt{x}-1)}{\sqrt{x}-1} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}+1} \right], \text{ Denoting } \theta = \sqrt{x}-1,$$

we have $\theta \rightarrow 0$ when $x \rightarrow 1$, so $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sin(\sqrt{x}-1)}{\sqrt{x}-1} =$

Answers:

(A) 1

(B) 2

(C) $\frac{1}{2}$

(D) Limit does not exist

(E) None of the above

$$= \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = \boxed{1}. \text{ Also, } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}+1} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Since both limits exist, we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{\sin(\sqrt{x}-1)}{\sqrt{x}-1} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}+1} \right] = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left(\frac{\sin(\sqrt{x}-1)}{\sqrt{x}-1} \right) \cdot$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}+1} = 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

(3) Find equation of the tangent line to the graph of the function below at $x = 0$.

$$y = e^{x+\cos x}.$$

We need to find the equation of a line $y = mx + n$, where m is the slope of the line and n gives the y -axis intercept. Since our line is tangent to the function above, at 0, we have $m = y'(0)$, so we first compute the derivative:

Answers:

(A) $y = x + e$

(B) $y = ex + 2e$

(C) $y = 2ex + e$

(D) $y = ex + e$

(E) None of these

$$y'(x) = (e^{x+\cos x})' \quad \text{the derivative:}$$

chain rule

$$= e^{x+\cos x} (x+\cos x)' = e^{x+\cos x} (1-\sin x).$$

$$\text{So, } m = y'(0) = e^{0+\cos 0} (1-\sin 0) = \boxed{e}$$

$$\text{Also, for } x=0 \text{ we get } n = y(0) = e^{0+\cos 0} = \boxed{e}$$

Therefore, the equation of the line we were looking for is given by

$$\boxed{y = ex + e}.$$