

Calculus AB Formulas

1) Definition of the _____: $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

$$f'(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

2) Definition of Continuous Functions at Point $x=a$

1. $f(a)$ _____

2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ _____. ($\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x)$) (_____ matches _____)

3. $f(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$

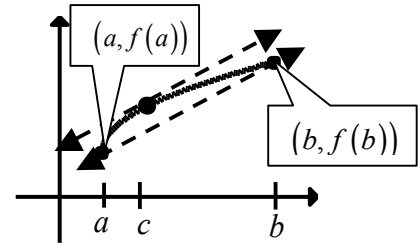
3) Odd functions: $f(-x) = -f(x)$, Symmetric to _____

Even functions: $f(-x) = f(x)$, Symmetric to _____.

4) Mean Value Theorem Equation: $f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$

for $a < c < b$ (for $f(x)$ continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable on (a, b))

$$\text{_____} = \text{_____}$$



6) First Fundamental Theorem of Calculus:

$$\int_a^b f'(x) dx = \text{_____}$$

7) Second Fundamental Theorem of Calculus:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_a^x f(t) dt = \text{_____}$$

When Chain Rule applies: $\frac{d}{dx} \int_a^u f(t) dt = f(u) \frac{du}{dx}$

8) Approximation of the Area Under a Curve

a) Riemann Sum: Draw a figure and add up the rectangle areas

a. Midpoint, Right-Hand, Left-Hand

(with equal width) width= _____

b) Trapezoids: (with unequal widths) add up areas of all trapezoids $A = \text{_____}$

$$\text{(with } n \text{ equal widths)} \quad A \approx \frac{1}{2} \frac{b-a}{n} (f(x_1) + 2f(x_2) + 2f(x_3) + \dots + 2f(x_n) + f(x_{n+1}))$$

12) Growth and Decay Equation _____

13) Trig Limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = \text{_____}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\sin x} = \text{_____}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cosh h - 1}{h} = \text{_____}$$

** Remember that we can now use L'Hopital's rule for these limits too

14) Derivative of an Inverse

$$g'(y) = \frac{1}{f'(g(y))} = \frac{1}{f'(x)} \text{ (Easier to just memorize that "Image points have _____ slopes.")}$$

15) Finding Asymptotes

Horizontal Asymptotes: B _____ o B _____ 0, B _____ o T _____ N _____, E _____
a _____ t _____ s _____ D _____ C _____

(Can also use this for limits towards _____.)

Vertical Asymptotes: Factor _____ and set equal to _____.

16) Finding Zeros

Set _____ equal to zero

17) Position – Velocity – Acceleration

$$s(t) \text{ or } x(t) - v(t) - a(t)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} s(t) = v(t) \quad \int a(t) dt = v(t) + C$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} v(t) = a(t) \quad \int v(t) dt = s(t) + C$$

$v(t) = 0$ implies particle at _____.

$v(t) > 0$ implies particle moving to _____ $v(t) < 0$ implies particle moving to _____

$$|v(t)| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Particle _____ if velocity and acceleration have the same sign. Particle _____ if velocity and acceleration have opposite signs.

18) Intermediate Value Theorem

If f is continuous on a closed interval $[a, b]$ and c is any number between $f(a)$ and $f(b)$ then there is at least one number x in the interval $[a, b]$ such that $f(x) = c$

19) Trig Identities

$$\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1 \quad \tan^2 x + 1 = \sec^2 x \quad 1 + \cot^2 x = \csc^2 x$$

20) Average Rate of Change vs. Instantaneous Rate of Change

Average rate of change of a function on $[a, b]$: $m = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$ (this is just slope between two points)

Instantaneous Rate of Change: use the derivative (finds slope at one point)

21) Tangent – Normal Lines

Tangent: $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ use the derivative to find m

$$\text{Normal: } y - y_1 = \frac{-1}{m}(x - x_1)$$

22) Curve Sketching for $y = f(x)$:

$f(x)$	$f'(x)$	$f''(x)$
Increasing		
Decreasing		
Concave Up		
Concave Down		

Max. or Min. Points: Relative: $f'(x) = 0$ or $f'(x)$ undefined. **Make an f' number line.**

Absolute:

Extreme Value Theorem: If a function is continuous on a closed interval $[a,b]$, then f has both a max value and a min value on $[a,b]$.

The candidates for absolute extrema are relative extrema **or endpoints** of a closed interval.

Justifications for Relative Max: f' changes from positive to negative

Justifications for Relative Min: f' changes from negative to positive

Points of Inflection: $f''(x) = 0$ or $f''(x)$ undefined **Make an f'' number line.**

Justifications for Points of Inflection: f' changes from decreasing to increasing, f' changes from increasing to decreasing, f'' changes from positive to negative or negative to positive.

23) Squeeze Theorem

The Squeeze Theorem	
<p>If $f(x) \leq g(x) \leq h(x)$ when x is near a (except possibly at a) and</p> $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(x)$ <p>then $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = L$</p>	

24) Derivatives to Memorize

_____ Rule: $\frac{d}{dx} x^n = nx^{n-1}$

_____ Rule: $\frac{d}{dx} (f(x)g(x)) = f'(x)g(x) + g'(x)f(x)$

_____ Rule $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right) = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{g(x)^2}$

_____ Rule $\frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = f'(g(x))g'(x)$

Log Rules: $\frac{d}{dx} \ln x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} \log_b x =$ _____

Exponential Rules: $\frac{d}{dx} e^x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} b^x =$ _____

Trig Rules: $\frac{d}{dx} \sin x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} \cos x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} \tan x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} \cot x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} \sec x =$ _____

$\frac{d}{dx} \csc x =$ _____

Inverse Trig Rules: $\frac{d}{dx} [\arcsin^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ $\frac{d}{dx} [\arccos^{-1} x] = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$
 $\frac{d}{dx} [\arctan^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ $\frac{d}{dx} [\operatorname{arccot}^{-1} x] = \frac{-1}{1+x^2}$
 $\frac{d}{dx} [\operatorname{arcsec}^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2-1}}$ $\frac{d}{dx} [\operatorname{arccsc}^{-1} x] = \frac{-1}{x\sqrt{x^2-1}}$

** IMPLICIT DIFFERENTIATION can be used when it is inconvenient to solve for y .

25) Integrals to Memorize:

** Use u-substitution if x is not a singular variable.

Power Rule $\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C, n \neq -1$

Trig Rules
 $\int \cos x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Log Rules $\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\int \sin x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Exponential Rules
 $\int e^x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 $\int b^x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\int \sec^2 x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\int \sec x \tan x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\int \csc^2 x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$\int \csc x \cot x dx = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Inverse Trig Rules $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} x + c$

$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + c$

$\int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \tan^{-1} x + c$

$\int \frac{1}{a^2+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + c$

$\int \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2-1}} dx = \sec^{-1} x + c$

$\int \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2-a^2}} dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + c$

26) Geometry Formulas:

Triangles

-Know how to set up proportions for similar triangles

-Area: $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

-Area of Equilateral Triangle: $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Rectangles

-Area: $A = l \cdot w$

-Perimeter: $P = 2l + 2w$

Circles

-Area: $A = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

-Relationship between radius and diameter: $2r=d$

-Circumference: $C = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Rectangular Prism/Box

-Volume: $V = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

-Surface Area: $SA = 2(lw + lh + hw)$

Cylinder

-Volume: $V = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Sphere

-Volume: $V = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

-Surface Area: $SA = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Cone

-Volume: $V = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$