

Department of Mathematics

MAC2311 Calculus I Mid-Term Topic Outline

- 1. Determine the limit of a given function [as $x \rightarrow a$, $x \rightarrow a^{-}$, $x \rightarrow a^{+}$, $x \rightarrow \infty$, the function may be a polynomial, rational, piecewise, or trigonometric]
- 2. Apply the ε - δ definition of the limit [to find δ given ε or to prove a given limit], this includes limits as $x \rightarrow a$ and $x \rightarrow \infty$.
- 3. Determine the continuity of a given function [removable or essential]; be able to re-define a function to make it continuous.
- 4. Determine a constant *k* that will make a piecewise function continuous.
- 5. Find the derivative by the limit definition.
- 6. Sketch the graph of a function given information about the function & derivative [but not the function itself].
- 7. Find the derivative of a given function utilizing the basic differentiation techniques [3.2 3.5].
- 8. Find the slopes of tangent lines of given functions.
- 9. Find equations of tangent & normal lines of given functions.
- 10. Solve given related rate applications.
- 11. Solve associated applications of the derivatives found thus far.

Chapter Practice Exercises

Ch. 2	p. 111	1 - 33a, 41 - 56
Add'l Exer.	p. 113	3, 20, 22, generalized limits a & b, 25 - 30
Ch. 3	p. 206	1 – 64 eeo*, 85 – 86, 93 – 107 odd, 119 – 120
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And study your Take-home and In-class quizzes