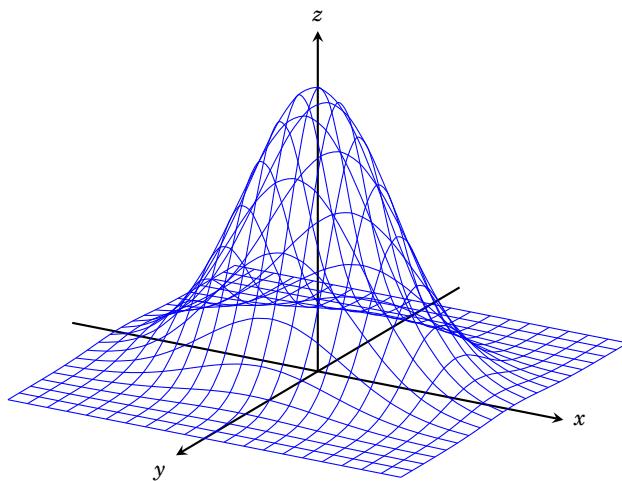


Bridging Course Mathematics

Solutions to Problems

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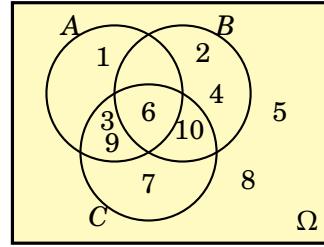
Solutions

1.1. (a) no subset;

- (b) no subset, set equals $\{-11, 11\}$;
- (c) subset;
- (d) no subset.

1.2. (a) $\{1, 3, 6, 7, 9, 10\}$;

- (b) $\{6\}$;
- (c) $\{1\}$;
- (d) $\{2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10\}$;
- (e) $\{6, 10\}$;
- (f) $\{2, 4, 5, 8\}$;
- (g) $\{2, 4\}$;
- (h) $\{5, 8\}$;
- (i) $\{3, 6, 9\}$.



1.3. A.

1.4. A.

1.5. (a) $\overline{A} \cap \overline{B}$;

- (b) A;
- (c) \emptyset ;
- (d) C.

1.6. (a) the straight line segment between $(0, 2)$ and $(1, 2)$ in \mathbb{R}^2 ;

- (b) the closed cube $[0, 1]^3$ in \mathbb{R}^3 ;
- (c) the half-open cube $[0, 1] \times (0, 1)^2$ in \mathbb{R}^3 ;
- (d) cylinder in \mathbb{R}^3 ;
- (e) unbounded stripe in \mathbb{R}^2 ;
- (f) the closed cube $[0, 1]^4$ in \mathbb{R}^4 .

1.7. function: φ ;

domain: $[0, \infty)$;

codomain: \mathbb{R} ;
 image (range): $[0, \infty)$;
 function term: $\varphi(x) = x^\alpha$;
 independent variable (argument): x ;
 dependent variable: y .

1.8. (a) no map;

- (b) bijective map;
- (c) map, neither one-to-one nor onto;
- (d) one-to-one map, not onto.

1.9. (a) one-to-one;

- (b) no map, as 0^{-2} is not defined;
- (c) bijective;
- (d) one-to-one, but not onto;
- (e) bijective;
- (f) no map, as $\{y \in [0, \infty) : x = y^2\}$ is a set and not an element of \mathbb{R} .

1.10. (a) map, neither one-to-one ($5' = 3' = 0$) nor onto;

- (b) map, onto but not one-to-one;
- (c) no map, as $(x^n)' = nx^{n-1} \notin \mathcal{P}_{n-2}$.

2.1. (b) and (d).

2.2. (a) $b^5 + ab^4 + a^2b^3 + a^3b^2 + a^4b + a^5$;
 (b) $a_1 - a_6$;
 (c) $a_1 - a_{n+1}$.

2.3. (a) $2\sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i$;
 (b) 0;
 (c) $2\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i^2 + y_i^2)$;
 (d) $x_0 - x_n$.

2.4. (a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & ((x_1 - \bar{x})^2 + (x_2 - \bar{x})^2) - ((x_1^2 + x_2^2) - 2\bar{x}^2) \\
 &= x_1^2 - 2x_1\bar{x} + \bar{x}^2 + x_2^2 - 2x_2\bar{x} + \bar{x}^2 - x_1^2 - x_2^2 + 2\bar{x}^2 \\
 &= -2x_1\bar{x} + \bar{x}^2 - 2x_2\bar{x} + \bar{x}^2 + 2\bar{x}^2 \\
 &= -2(x_1 + x_2)\bar{x} + 4\bar{x}^2 \\
 &= -2(2\bar{x})\bar{x} + 4\bar{x}^2 = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 - (\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 - 2 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \bar{x} + n\bar{x}^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + n\bar{x}^2 \\
&= -2(n\bar{x})\bar{x} + 2n\bar{x}^2 = 0
\end{aligned}$$

2.5.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \mu)^2 - (\sigma^2 + (\bar{x} - \mu)^2) \\
&= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n ((x_i - \bar{x}) + (\bar{x} - \mu))^2 - \sigma^2 - (\bar{x} - \mu)^2 \\
&= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\bar{x} - \mu)^2 \\
&\quad - \frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(\bar{x} - \mu) - \sigma^2 - (\bar{x} - \mu)^2 \\
&= -\frac{2}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(\bar{x} - \mu) \\
&= -\frac{2}{n}(\bar{x} - \mu) \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x}) \\
&= -2(\bar{x} - \mu) \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i - \frac{n}{n} \bar{x} \right) \\
&= -2(\bar{x} - \mu)(\bar{x} - \bar{x}) \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

2.6. (a) $x^2 + 1$;(b) x^4 if $x \geq 0$ and $-x^4$ if $x < 0$;(c) $x|x|$;(d) $x|x|^{\alpha-1}$.**2.7.** (a) $x^{\frac{1}{6}}y^{-\frac{1}{3}}$;(b) $x^{\frac{3}{4}}$;(c) $|x|$.**2.8.** (a) monomial (polynomial) of degree 2;

(b) neither monomial nor polynomial;

(c) polynomial of degree 2;

(d) polynomial of degree 4;

(e) polynomial of degree 3;

(f) neither monomial nor polynomial;

(g) monomial (polynomial) of degree 0, i.e., a constant;

(h) polynomial of degree 1.

2.9. (a) $x^4 + 4x^3y + 6x^2y^2 + 4xy^3 + y^4$;(b) $x^5 + 5x^4y + 10x^3y^2 + 10x^2y^3 + 5xy^4 + y^5$.

2.10. $2^n = (1+1)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} 1^{n-k} 1^k = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k}$

2.11. (a) $4xh$;

- (b) $a(c-1)$;
- (c) $A^3 - B^3$;
- (d) $8xy(x^2 + y^2)$.

2.12. All polynomials of degree 4 with these roots have the form $c(x+1)(x-2)(x-3)(x-4)$ with $c \neq 0$.

It cannot have more than 4 roots.

2.13. (a) $\frac{2x}{x^2-1}$;

- (b) $\frac{1}{st}$;
- (c) $\frac{1}{xyz}$;
- (d) $\frac{(x^2+y^2)(x+y)}{xy(x-y)}$.

2.14. (a) $1+x$;

- (b) $\frac{1+x^2}{1-x}$ (cannot be simplified);
- (c) x^3 ;
- (d) $x^3(1+x) = x^3 + x^4$;
- (e) $x^2(1+x)(1+x^2) = x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + x^5$;
- (f) $1+x+x^2$.

2.15. (a) xy ;

- (b) $\frac{(x^2+y)(2x+y)}{(2x+1)2xy}$;
- (c) $\frac{x(a-b)+a}{x(a+b)+b}$;
- (d) x .

2.16. (a) $x^{\frac{1}{8}} - y^{\frac{1}{6}}$;

- (b) $x^{\frac{1}{4}} + 2$;
- (c) $2x^{\frac{51}{14}}$.

2.17. (a) $(1 + \frac{y}{\sqrt{x}})^{\frac{1}{3}}$;

- (b) $\frac{1}{3x-\frac{1}{3}}$;
- (c) $\frac{1}{(xy)^{\frac{1}{6}} + 3}$;
- (d) $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$.

2.18. (a) 1;

- (b) 2;

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- (c) 4;
 (d) not defined;
 (e) 0;
 (f) -2;
 (g) $\frac{1}{2}$;
 (h) $-\frac{1}{2}$;
 (i) not real.

2.19. (a) 2.47712;

- (b) 4.7712.

2.20. (a) 10000;

- (b) -4;
 (c) 27;
 (d) $-\frac{\log_{10}(2)}{4} - \frac{1}{2}$;
 (e) -3;
 (f) -4.

2.21. (a) $y = \frac{1}{10} e^{x \ln 10}$;

- (b) $y = 16 e^{x \ln 4}$;
 (c) $y = e^{x(\ln 3 + \ln 25)}$;
 (d) $y = e^{x \ln \sqrt{1.08}}$;
 (e) $y = 0.9 e^{x \frac{1}{10} \ln 1.1}$;
 (f) $y = \sqrt{q} e^{x \ln \sqrt{2}}$.

3.1. (a) $\{1 - \sqrt{2}, 1, 1 + \sqrt{2}\}$;

- (b) $\{-\sqrt{2}, 0, \sqrt{2}\}$;
 (c) $\{3\}$ (-1 not in domain).

3.2. (a) $x = \frac{\ln 3}{\ln 3 - \ln 2} \approx 2.710$;

- (b) $x = \frac{\ln 9}{\ln 6} \approx 1.226$;
 (c) $x = \frac{\ln 100}{\ln 5} \approx 2.861$;
 (d) $x = \frac{\ln 50}{4 \ln 10} \approx 0.425$;
 (e) $x = -\frac{\ln 2 + 4 \ln 10}{\ln 0.4} \approx 10.808$;
 (f) $x = \frac{\ln 4}{\ln 9 - \ln 125} \approx -0.527$.

3.3. $x = \ln \left(a \pm \sqrt{a^2 - 1} \right)$

3.4. $x_1 = 0$,

$$x_2 = \frac{27}{32} + \frac{\sqrt{217}}{32} \approx 1.304,$$

$$x_3 = \frac{27}{32} - \frac{\sqrt{217}}{32} \approx 0.383.$$

- 3.5.** (a) 1, (-2 does not satisfy the equation);
 (b) 3.

- 3.6.** (a) $(x+1)(x+3)$;
 (b) $3\left(x - \frac{9+\sqrt{57}}{6}\right)\left(x - \frac{9-\sqrt{57}}{6}\right)$;
 (c) $x(x+1)(x-1)$;
 (d) $x(x-1)^2$;
 (e) $(x+1)(x-1)^3$.

- 3.7.** We get most of the solutions by means of the solution formula for quadratic equations or by factorizing the equation (displayed in square brackets [...]).

- (a) $x = \frac{y}{y+1}$, $y = \frac{x}{1-x}$,
 $[x(y+1) = y \text{ and } y(x-1) = -x, \text{ resp.}]$;
 (b) $x = \frac{4y+1}{3y+2}$, $y = \frac{1-2x}{3x-4}$,
 $[x(3y+2) = 1+4y \text{ and } y(3x-4) = 1-2x, \text{ resp.}]$;
 (c) $x = y-1$ and $x = -y$; $y = x+1$ and $y = -x$,
 $[(x-y+1)(x+y) = 0]$;
 (d) $x = -y$ and $x = \frac{1}{y}$; $y = -x$ and $y = \frac{1}{x}$,
 $[(x+y) \cdot (xy-1) = 0]$;
 (e) $x = 2-y$ and $x = -2-y$; $y = 2-x$ and $y = -2-x$,
 $[(x+y)^2 = 4]$;
 (f) $x = -\frac{1}{3}y + \frac{5}{3}$ and $x = -\frac{1}{3}y - \frac{5}{3}$; $y = 5-3x$ and $y = -5-3x$,
 $[(3x+y)^2 = 25]$;
 (g) $x = \pm \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{4-y^2}$, $y = \pm \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{9-x^2}$;
 (h) $x = \pm \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{4+y^2}$, $y = \pm \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{x^2-9}$;
 (i) $x = y - 2\sqrt{y} + 1$, $y = x - 2\sqrt{x} + 1$.

- 3.8.** We get most of the solutions by means of the solution formula for quadratic equations or by factorizing the equation (displayed in square brackets [...]).

- (a) $x = -\frac{1}{2}y \pm \frac{1}{2y} \sqrt{y^4 + 24y}$, $y = -\frac{1}{2}x \pm \frac{1}{2x} \sqrt{x^4 + 24x}$;
 (b) $x = -y$ and $x = \frac{1}{y}$, $y = -x$ and $y = \frac{1}{x}$,
 $[(x+y) \cdot (xy-1) = 0]$;
 (c) $x = (1 \pm \sqrt{2})y$, $y = \frac{1}{1 \pm \sqrt{2}}x$,
 $[x^2 - 2xy - y^2 = 0]$;
 (d) $x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-y, \pm\sqrt{-y}\}$ arbitrary if $y = -1$ and $x = 0$ else, $y \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-x, -x^2\}$ arbitrary if $x = 0$ and $y = -1$ else,
 $[x^2(1+y) = 0]$;
 (e) $x = \frac{1+3y-y^2}{y-1}$, $y = \frac{1}{2}(3-x) \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(x-3)^2 + 4(x+1)}$,
 $[y^2 - 3y + xy - x - 1 = 0]$;

- (f) $x = \frac{y}{y^2 - 1}$, $y = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+4x^2}}{2x}$,
 $[x(y^2 - 1) = y \text{ and } xy^2 - y - x = 0, \text{ resp.}]$;
- (g) $x = -\frac{1}{8}(y + 4) \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{64}(y + 4)^2 - \frac{1}{4}\left(y + \frac{1}{y}\right)}$, $y = -2x \pm \sqrt{4x^2 + \frac{1}{x+1}}$,
 $[4x^2y + 4xy + xy^2 + y^2 - 1 = 0]$;
- (h) $x = \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}$ and $x = y - 1$, $y = 2x - 1$ and $y = y + 1$,
 $[(2x - y - 1) \cdot (x - y + 1) = 0]$;
- (i) $x = \frac{-3+\sqrt{17}}{4}y$ and $x = \frac{-3-\sqrt{17}}{4}y$, $y = \frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2}x$ and $y = \frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2}x$,
 $[2x^2 + 3xy - y^2 = 0]$.

3.9. (a) $a = 1, b = 0, c = 1$;

(b) $a = 3, b = 1, c = 3$.

3.10. (a) $L = [-1, 0] \cup [3, \infty)$;

(b) $L = (-1, 0) \cup (3, \infty)$;

(c) $L = \{1\}$;

(d) $L = \mathbb{R}$;

(e) $L = \emptyset$.

3.11. (a) $(-\infty, -\frac{2}{3}] \cup [\frac{1}{2}, \infty)$;

(b) $(-\infty, -2) \cup (0, \infty)$;

(c) $(-\infty, \frac{22}{5}] \cup (5, \infty)$;

(d) $\left[\frac{3}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{25}{2}}, -1\right) \cup \left(4, \frac{3}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{25}{2}}\right]$;

(e) $(-\frac{13}{2}, -4] \cup [3, \frac{11}{2})$;

(f) $[-14, -9] \cup [1, 6]$.

4.1. (a) increasing but neither alternating nor bounded;

(b) decreasing and bounded but not alternating;

(c) bounded but neither alternating nor monotone;

(d) increasing but neither alternating nor bounded;

(e) alternating and bounded but not monotone.

4.2. (a) $(2, 6, 12, 20, 30)$;

(b) $(0.333, 0.583, 0.783, 0.95, 1.093)$;

(c) $(1.072, 2.220, 3.452, 4.771, 6.185)$.

4.3. $a_n = 2 \cdot 1.1^{n-1}$;

$a_7 = 3.543$.

4.4. (a) $(s_n) = \left(\frac{n(n-1)}{2}\right) = (0, 1, 3, \dots, 45)$;

(b) $(s_n) = (n^2) = (1, 4, 9, \dots, 100)$.

4.5. (a) $s_7 = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{3^7 - 1}{3 - 1} = 364.33$;

(b) $s_7 = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{(-1/4)^7 - 1}{-1/4 - 1} = -0.400$.

5.1. (a) $D_h = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{2\}$;

(b) $D_D = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{1\}$;

(c) $D_f = [2, \infty)$;

(d) $D_g = (\frac{3}{2}, \infty)$;

(e) $D_f = [-3, 3]$;

(f) $D_f = \mathbb{R}$;

(g) $D_f = \mathbb{R}$.

5.2. (a) $D_f = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{3\}$;

(b) $D_f = (-1, \infty)$;

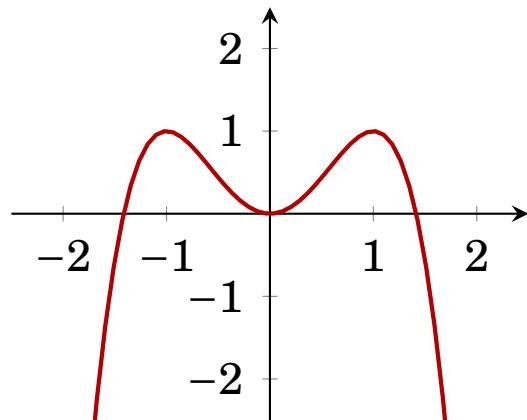
(c) $D_f = \mathbb{R}$;

(d) $D_f = (-1, 1)$;

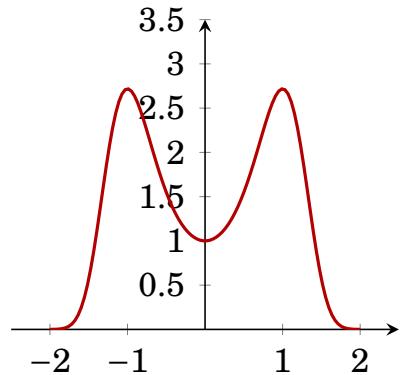
(e) $D_f = \mathbb{R}$;

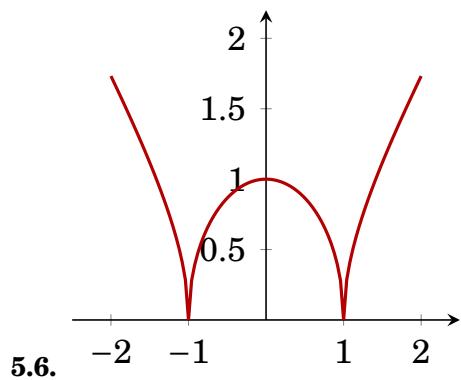
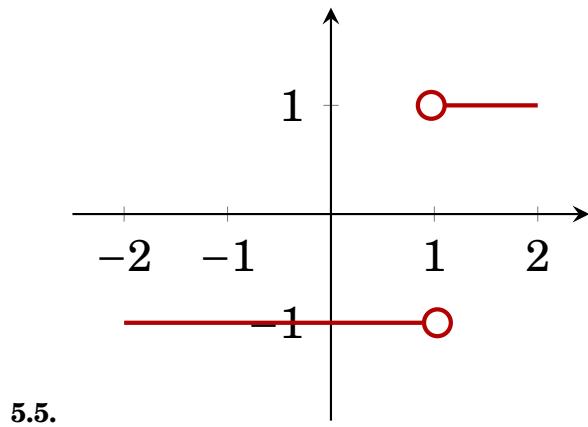
(f) $D_f = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$.

5.3.



5.4.





- 5.7. (a) one-to-one, not onto;
 (b) one-to-one, not onto;
 (c) bijective;
 (d) not one-to-one, not onto;
 (e) not one-to-one, onto;
 (f) bijective.

Beware! Domain and codomain are part of the function.

- 5.8. (a) $(f \circ g)(4) = f(g(4)) = f(9) = 98$;
 (b) $(f \circ g)(-9) = f(g(-9)) = f(28) = 839$;
 (c) $(g \circ f)(0) = g(f(0)) = g(-1) = 2$;
 (d) $(g \circ f)(-1) = g(f(-1)) = g(-2) \approx 3.828$.

- 5.9. (a) $(f \circ g)(x) = (1+x)^2$,
 $(g \circ f)(x) = 1+x^2$,
 $D_f = D_g = D_{f \circ g} = D_{g \circ f} = \mathbb{R}$;
 (b) $(f \circ g)(x) = |x| + 1$,
 $(g \circ f)(x) = (\sqrt{x} + 1)^2$,
 $D_f = D_{g \circ f} = [0, \infty)$, $D_g = D_{f \circ g} = \mathbb{R}$;
 (c) $(f \circ g)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+2}}$,

$$(g \circ f)(x) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{x+1}} + 1, \\ D_f = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1\}, D_g = D_{f \circ g} = [0, \infty), D_{g \circ f} = (-1, \infty);$$

$$(d) (f \circ g)(x) = 2 + |x - 2|, \\ (g \circ f)(x) = |x|, \\ D_f = D_{g \circ f} = [0, \infty), D_g = D_{f \circ g} = \mathbb{R};$$

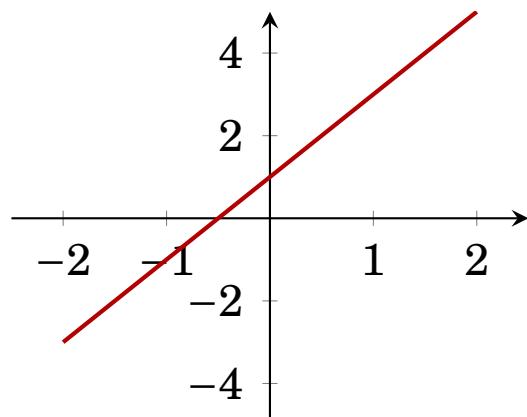
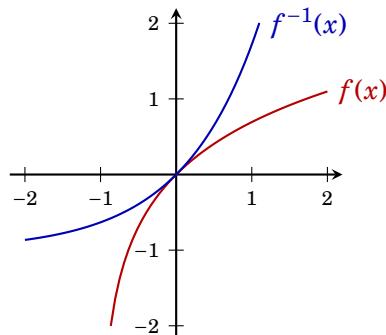
$$(e) (f \circ g)(x) = (x - 3)^2 + 2, \\ (g \circ f)(x) = x^2 - 1, \\ D_f = D_g = D_{f \circ g} = D_{g \circ f} = \mathbb{R};$$

$$(f) (f \circ g)(x) = \frac{1}{1+(\frac{1}{x})^2}, \\ (g \circ f)(x) = 1 + x^2, \\ D_f = D_{g \circ f} = \mathbb{R}, D_g = D_{f \circ g} = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\};$$

$$(g) (f \circ g)(x) = x^2, \\ (g \circ f)(x) = \exp(\ln(x)^2) = x^{\ln x}, \\ D_f = D_{g \circ f} = (0, \infty), D_g = D_{f \circ g} = \mathbb{R};$$

$$(h) (f \circ g)(x) = \ln(x^3), \\ (g \circ f)(x) = (\ln(x - 1))^3 + 1, \\ D_f = D_{g \circ f} = (1, \infty), D_g = \mathbb{R}, D_{f \circ g} = (0, \infty).$$

5.10. $f^{-1}(x) = e^x - 1$

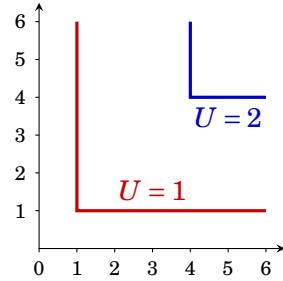
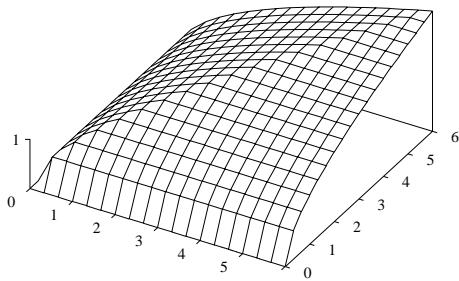


5.11.

5.16. (a) 18;

- (b) $\boxed{11}$;
 (c) $\boxed{1}$;
 (d) $\boxed{12}$;
 (e) $\boxed{9}$;
 (f) $\boxed{4}$;
 (g) $\boxed{6}$;
 (h) $\boxed{16}$;
 (i) $\boxed{10}$;
 (j) $\boxed{3}$;
 (k) $\boxed{8}$;
 (l) $\boxed{13}$;
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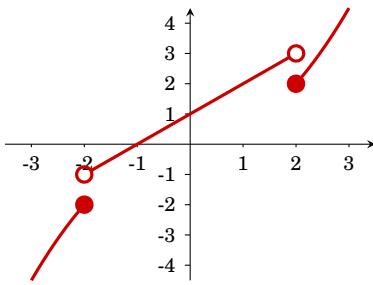
5.17.



- 6.1.** (a) 7;
 (b) $\frac{2}{7}$;
 (c) divergent;
 (d) divergent but tends to ∞ ;
 (e) 0.

- 6.2.** (a) e^x ;
 (b) e^x ;
 (c) $e^{1/x}$.

6.3.



$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = -1, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = -2, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) \text{ does not exist};$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 1;$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = 2, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = 3, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) \text{ does not exist.}$$

6.4. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$;

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{1}{x} = -\infty, \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{x} = \infty$;

(c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} x = 1$.

6.5. (a) 0;

(b) 0;

(c) ∞ ;

(d) $-\infty$;

(e) 1.

6.6. (a) $\frac{1}{2}$;

(b) -4;

(c) -1;

(d) 0.

6.7. (a) 5;

(b) -5;

(c) 0;

(d) $-\infty$;

(e) $-\frac{1}{5}$.

6.8. (a) 1;

(b) $2x$;

(c) $3x^2$;

(d) nx^{n-1} .

6.9. (a) $\frac{2}{7}$;

(b) $-\frac{1}{4}$;

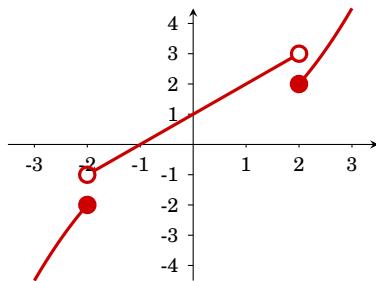
(c) $\frac{1}{3}$;

- (d) $\frac{1}{2}$;
 (e) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\ln x}{x^{-1}} = 0$;
 (f) ∞ .

In (b) and (f) we cannot apply l'Hôpital's rule.

6.10. Look at numerator and denominator.

6.11.



$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -2^+} f(x) = -1, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2^-} f(x) = -2, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} f(x) \text{ does not exist};$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 1;$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} f(x) = 2, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} f(x) = 3, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) \text{ does not exist};$$

f is continuous at 0 but not in -2 and 2 .

6.12. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = -1, \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$.

Not continuous at 0 and thus not differentiable.

6.13. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 2$.

Continuous at 1, but not differentiable.

6.14. The respective functions are continuous in

- (a) D ;
- (b) D ;
- (c) D ;
- (d) D ;
- (e) D ;
- (f) $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Z}$;
- (g) $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{2\}$.

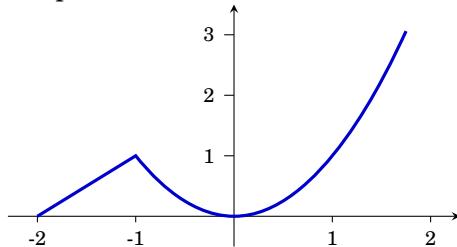
6.15. Yes.

6.16. $h = \frac{2}{5}$.

7.1. differentiable in

- (a) \mathbb{R} , (b) \mathbb{R} , (c) $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$, (d) $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1, 1\}$, (e) $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1, 1\}$, (f) $\mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1\}$.

Graph for (f):



7.2. (a) $f'(x) = 16x^3 + 9x^2 - 4x$, $f''(x) = 48x^2 + 19x - 4$;

(b) $f'(x) = -x e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$, $f''(x) = (x^2 - 1)e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$;

(c) = (b);

(d) $f'(x) = \frac{-2}{(x-1)^2}$, $f''(x) = \frac{4}{(x-1)^3}$.

7.3. (a) $f'(x) = -\frac{2x}{(1+x^2)^2}$, $f''(x) = \frac{6x^2 - 2}{(1+x^2)^3}$;

(b) $f'(x) = -\frac{2}{(1+x)^3}$, $f''(x) = \frac{6}{(1+x)^4}$;

(c) $f'(x) = \ln(x)$, $f''(x) = \frac{1}{x}$;

(d) $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x}$, $f''(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2}$.

7.4. (a) $f'(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(x)^2}$, $f''(x) = \frac{2\sin(x)}{\cos(x)^3}$;

(b) $f'(x) = \sinh(x)$, $f''(x) = \cosh(x)$;

(c) $f'(x) = \cosh(x)$, $f''(x) = \sinh(x)$;

(d) $f'(x) = -2x \sin(1+x^2)$, $f''(x) = -2 \sin(1+x^2) - 4x^2 \cos(1+x^2)$.

7.5.

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right)' &= (f(x) \cdot (g(x))^{-1})' \\ &= f'(x) \cdot (g(x))^{-1} + f(x) \cdot ((g(x))^{-1})' \\ &= f'(x) \cdot (g(x))^{-1} + f(x)(-1)(g(x))^{-2} g'(x) \\ &= \frac{f'(x)}{g(x)} - \frac{f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2} \\ &= \frac{f'(x) \cdot g(x) - f(x) \cdot g'(x)}{(g(x))^2} \end{aligned}$$

7.6. By means of the differential: $f(3.1) - f(3) \approx -0.001096$,

exact value: $f(3.1) - f(3) = -0.00124\dots$

7.7. (a) $\varepsilon_g(x) = \frac{3x^3 - 4x^2}{x^3 - 2x^2}$,

1-elastic for $x = 1$ and $x = \frac{3}{2}$,

elastic for $x < 1$ and $x > \frac{3}{2}$,

inelastic for $1 < x < \frac{3}{2}$.

(b) $\varepsilon_h(x) = \beta$,

the elasticity of $h(x)$ only depends on parameter β and is constant on the domain of h .

- 7.8.** (a) wrong;
 (b) approximately;
 (c) is correct;
 (d) wrong.

7.9. Derivatives:

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
f_x	1	y	$2x$	$2xy^2$	$\alpha x^{\alpha-1}y^\beta$
f_y	1	x	$2y$	$2x^2y$	$\beta x^\alpha y^{\beta-1}$
f_{xx}	0	0	2	$2y^2$	$\alpha(\alpha-1)x^{\alpha-2}y^\beta$
$f_{xy} = f_{yx}$	0	1	0	$4xy$	$\alpha\beta x^{\alpha-1}y^{\beta-1}$
f_{yy}	0	0	2	$2x^2$	$\beta(\beta-1)x^\alpha y^{\beta-2}$

Derivatives at point $(1, 1)$:

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
f_x	1	1	2	2	α
f_y	1	1	2	2	β
f_{xx}	0	0	2	2	$\alpha(\alpha-1)$
$f_{xy} = f_{yx}$	0	1	0	4	$\alpha\beta$
f_{yy}	0	0	2	2	$\beta(\beta-1)$

7.10. Derivatives:

$$\begin{aligned}f_x(x, y) &= 2x \exp(x^2 + y^2), \\f_y(x, y) &= 2y \exp(x^2 + y^2), \\f_{xx}(x, y) &= (2 + 4x^2) \exp(x^2 + y^2), \\f_{xy}(x, y) &= f_{yx}(x, y) = 4xy \exp(x^2 + y^2), \\f_{yy}(x, y) &= (2 + 4y^2) \exp(x^2 + y^2).\end{aligned}$$

Derivatives at point $(0, 0)$:

$$\begin{aligned}f_x(0, 0) &= 0, \\f_y(0, 0) &= 0, \\f_{xx}(0, 0) &= 2, \\f_{xy}(0, 0) &= f_{yx}(0, 0) = 0, \\f_{yy}(0, 0) &= 2.\end{aligned}$$

7.11. Derivatives:

	(a)
f_x	$x(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2}$
f_y	$y(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2}$
f_{xx}	$(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2} - x^2(x^2 + y^2)^{-3/2}$
$f_{xy} = f_{yx}$	$-xy(x^2 + y^2)^{-3/2}$
f_{yy}	$(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2} - y^2(x^2 + y^2)^{-3/2}$

	(b)
f_x	$x^2(x^3 + y^3)^{-2/3}$
f_y	$y^2(x^3 + y^3)^{-2/3}$
f_{xx}	$2x(x^3 + y^3)^{-2/3} - 2x^4(x^3 + y^3)^{-5/3}$
$f_{xy} = f_{yx}$	$-2x^2y^2(x^3 + y^3)^{-5/3}$
f_{yy}	$2y(x^3 + y^3)^{-2/3} - 2y^4(x^3 + y^3)^{-5/3}$
	(c)
f_x	$x^{p-1}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-p)/p}$
f_y	$y^{p-1}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-p)/p}$
f_{xx}	$(p-1)x^{p-2}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-p)/p}$ $-(p-1)x^{2(p-1)}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-2p)/p}$
$f_{xy} = f_{yx}$	$-(p-1)x^{p-1}y^{p-1}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-2p)/p}$
f_{yy}	$(p-1)y^{p-2}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-p)/p}$ $-(p-1)y^{2(p-1)}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-2p)/p}$

Derivatives at point (1, 1):

	(a)	(b)	(c)
f_x	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$	$2^{(1-p)/p}$
f_y	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$	$2^{(1-p)/p}$
f_{xx}	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$	$(p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p}$
$f_{xy} = f_{yx}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$	$-(p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p}$
f_{yy}	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}$	$(p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p}$

7.12. Gradient:

- (a) $\nabla f(x, y) = (1, 1)$,
- (b) $\nabla f(x, y) = (y, x)$,
- (c) $\nabla f(x, y) = (2x, 2y)$,
- (d) $\nabla f(x, y) = (2xy^2, 2x^2y)$,
- (e) $\nabla f(x, y) = (\alpha x^{\alpha-1} y^\beta, \beta x^\alpha y^{\beta-1})$,

Gradient at (1, 1):

- (a) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (1, 1)$,
- (b) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (1, 1)$,
- (c) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (2, 2)$,
- (d) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (2, 2)$,
- (e) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (\alpha, \beta)$.

7.13. Gradient:

- (a) $\nabla f(x, y) = (x(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2}, y(x^2 + y^2)^{-1/2})$,
- (b) $\nabla f(x, y) = (x^2(x^3 + y^3)^{-2/3}, y^2(x^3 + y^3)^{-2/3})$,
- (c) $\nabla f(x, y) = (x^{p-1}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-p)/p}, y^{p-1}(x^p + y^p)^{(1-p)/p})$,

Gradient at (1, 1):

- (a) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2})$,
- (b) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}})$,

(c) $\nabla f(1, 1) = (2^{(1-p)/p}, 2^{(1-p)/p})$.

7.14. (a) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$;

(b) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$;

(c) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$;

(d) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$;

(e) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha(\alpha-1) & \alpha\beta \\ \alpha\beta & \beta(\beta-1) \end{pmatrix}$.

7.15. (a) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{8}}{8} & -\frac{\sqrt{8}}{8} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{8}}{8} & \frac{\sqrt{8}}{8} \end{pmatrix}$;

(b) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt[3]{2}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt[3]{2}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt[3]{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt[3]{2}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$;

(c) $\mathbf{H}_f(1, 1) = \begin{pmatrix} (p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p} & -(p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p} \\ -(p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p} & (p-1)2^{(1-2p)/p} \end{pmatrix}$.

7.16. (a) $h'(t) = f'(\mathbf{g}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{g}'(t) = (2g_1(t), 2g_2(t)) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2t \end{pmatrix} = (2t, 2t^2) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2t \end{pmatrix} = 2t + 4t^3$.

(Composite function: $h(t) = f(\mathbf{g}(t)) = t^2 + t^4$.)

(b) $\mathbf{p}'(x, y) = \mathbf{g}'(f(x, y)) \cdot f'(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2(x^2 + y^2) \end{pmatrix} \cdot (2x, 2y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 4x(x^2 + y^2) \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2y \\ 4y(x^2 + y^2) \end{pmatrix}$

(Composite function: $\mathbf{p}(x, y) = \mathbf{g}(f(x, y)) = \begin{pmatrix} x^2 + y^2 \\ (x^2 + y^2)^2 \end{pmatrix}$)

7.17. $\mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 3x_1^2 & -1 \\ 1 & -3x_2^2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{g}'(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2x_2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$,

(a) $(\mathbf{g} \circ \mathbf{f})'(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{g}'(\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x})) \mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2(x_1 - x_2^3) \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3x_1^2 & -1 \\ 1 & -3x_2^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2(x_1 - x_2^3) & 6(-x_1 x_2^2 + x_2^5) \\ 3x_1^2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) $(\mathbf{f} \circ \mathbf{g})'(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{x})) \mathbf{g}'(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 3x_2^4 & -1 \\ 1 & -3x_1^2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2x_2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 6x_2^5 \\ -3x_1^2 & 2x_2 \end{pmatrix}$.

7.18. Let $\mathbf{s}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} K(t) \\ L(t) \\ t \end{pmatrix}$. Then

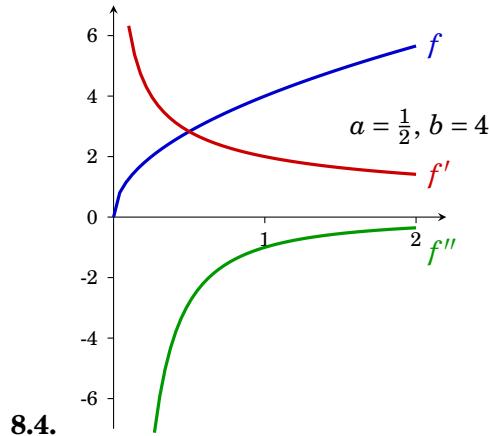
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dQ}{dt} &= \nabla Q(\mathbf{s}(t)) \cdot \mathbf{s}'(t) \\ &= (Q_K(\mathbf{s}(t)), Q_L(\mathbf{s}(t)), Q_t(\mathbf{s}(t))) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} K'(t) \\ L'(t) \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= Q_K K'(t) + Q_L L'(t) + Q_t.\end{aligned}$$

- 8.1.** (a) convex;
 (b) concave;
 (c) concave;
 (d) convex if $\alpha \geq 1$ and $\alpha \leq 0$, concave if $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$.

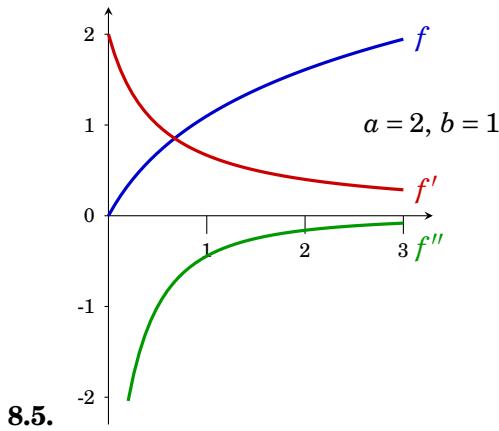
8.2. Monotonically decreasing in $[-1, 3]$,
 monotonically increasing in $(-\infty, -1]$ and $[3, \infty)$;

concave in $(-\infty, 1]$,
 convex in $[1, \infty)$.

- 8.3.** (a) monotonically increasing (in \mathbb{R}),
 concave in $(-\infty, 0]$, convex in $[0, \infty)$;
 (b) monotonically increasing $(-\infty, 0]$, decreasing in $[0, \infty)$,
 concave in $[-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}]$, and convex in $(-\infty, -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}]$ and $[\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \infty)$;
 (c) monotonically increasing $(-\infty, 0]$, decreasing in $[0, \infty)$,
 concave in $[-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}]$, and convex in $(-\infty, -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}]$ and $[\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, \infty)$.



8.4. Compute all derivatives and verify properties (1)–(3).



Compute all derivatives and verify properties (1)–(3).

$$\mathbf{8.6.} \left(\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}y\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}y^2\right) = \frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}xy + \frac{1}{4}y^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}y^2 = -\frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}xy - \frac{1}{4}y^2 = -\left(\frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}xy + \frac{1}{4}y^2\right) = -\left(\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}y\right)^2 < 0.$$

8.7. As f is concave, $f''(x) \leq 0$ for all x .

Hence $g''(x) = (-f(x))'' = -f''(x) \geq 0$ for all x , i.e., g is convex.

8.8. As f is concave we find for all $x, y \in D_f$ and all $h \in [0, 1]$,

$$f((1-h)x + h y) \geq (1-h)f(x) + h f(y).$$

But then

$$\begin{aligned} g((1-h)x + h y) &= -f((1-h)x + h y) \\ &\leq -((1-h)f(x) + h f(y)) \\ &= (1-h)(-f(x)) + h(-f(y)) \\ &= (1-h)g(x) + h g(y) \end{aligned}$$

i.e., g is convex by definition.

8.9. $h''(x) = \alpha f''(x) + \beta g''(x) \leq 0$, i.e., h is concave. If $\beta < 0$ then $\beta g''(x)$ is positive and the sign of $\alpha f''(x) + \beta g''(x)$ cannot be estimated any more.

8.10. Please find your own example.

8.11. Please find your own example.

8.12. (a) local maximum in $x = 0$;

(b) local minimum in $x = 1$, local maximum in $x = -1$;

(c) local minimum in $x = 3$.

8.13. (a) global minimum in $x = 1$, no global maximum;

(b) global maximum in $x = \frac{1}{4}$, no global minimum;

(c) global minimum in $x = 0$, no global maximum;

- (d) global minimum in $x = 1$, no global maximum;
 (e) global maximum in $x = 1$, no global minimum.

- 8.14.** (a) global maximum in $x = 12$, global minimum in $x = 8$;
 (b) global maximum in $x = 6$, global minimum in $x = 3$;
 (c) global maxima in $x = -2$ and $x = 2$,
 global minima in $x = -1$ and $x = 1$.

- 9.1.** (a) $2(x - 1)e^x + c$;
 (b) $-(x^2 + 2x + 2)e^{-x} + c$;
 (c) $\frac{1}{2}x^2 \ln(x) - \frac{1}{4}x^2 + c$;
 (d) $\frac{1}{4}x^4 \ln(x) - \frac{1}{16}x^4 + c$;
 (e) $\frac{1}{2}x^2(\ln(x))^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \ln(x) + \frac{1}{4}x^2 + c$;
 (f) $2x \sin(x) + (2 - x^2) \cos(x)$.

- 9.2.** (a) $z = x^2$: $\frac{1}{2}e^{x^2} + c$;
 (b) $z = x^2 + 6$: $\frac{2}{3}(x^2 + 6)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$;
 (c) $z = 3x^2 + 4$: $\frac{1}{6}\ln|3x^2 + 4| + c$;
 (d) $z = x + 1$: $\frac{2}{5}(x + 1)^{\frac{5}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}(x + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$;
 (e) $z = \ln(x)$: $\frac{1}{2}(\ln(x))^2 + c$.

- 9.3.** (a) $z = \ln(x)$: $\ln|\ln(x)| + c$;
 (b) $z = x^3 + 1$: $\frac{2}{9}(x^3 + 1)^{3/2} + c$;
 (c) $z = 5 - x^2$: $-\sqrt{5 - x^2} + c$;
 (d) $z = x - 3$: $7\ln|x - 3| + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2x + c$;
 (e) $z = x - 8$: $\frac{2}{5}(x - 8)^{5/2} + \frac{16}{3}(x - 8)^{3/2} + c$.

- 9.4.** (a) 39;
 (b) $3e^2 - 3 \approx 19.16717$;
 (c) 93;
 (d) $-\frac{1}{6}$ (use radian!);
 (e) $\frac{1}{2}\ln(8) \approx 1.0397$.

- 9.5.** (a) $\frac{1}{2}$;
 (b) $\frac{781}{10}$;
 (c) $\frac{8}{3}$;
 (d) $\frac{1}{2}\ln(5) - \frac{1}{2}\ln(2) \approx 0.4581$.

- 9.6.** (a) $1 - e^{-2} \approx 0.8647$;
 (b) $\frac{27}{4}$;

- (c) 1;
(d) $2e^2 - 2 \approx 12.778$;
(e) $\frac{8}{3}\ln(2) - \frac{7}{9} \approx 1.07061$.

9.7. $\int_{-2}^2 x^2 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{6}$.

9.8. $F(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{for } x \leq -1, \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2x+x^2}{2}, & \text{for } -1 < x \leq 0, \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2x-x^2}{2}, & \text{for } 0 < x \leq 1, \\ 1, & \text{for } x > 1. \end{cases}$