

# Math 131 Day 1 Hand In. Name: Answers

Warm up exercises. Work neatly and in pencil.

1. State the Mean Value Theorem (MVT) and draw a picture (different than the one in the text) which illustrates its meaning. Note: the MVT is the single most important theorem in Calculus I and we will use it again this term.

The Mean Value Theorem: Assume that

1.  $f$  is continuous on the closed interval  $[a, b]$ ;
2.  $f$  is differentiable on the open interval  $(a, b)$ .

Then there is some point  $c$  between  $a$  and  $b$  so that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}.$$

This is equivalent to saying  $f(b) - f(a) = f'(c)(b - a)$ .

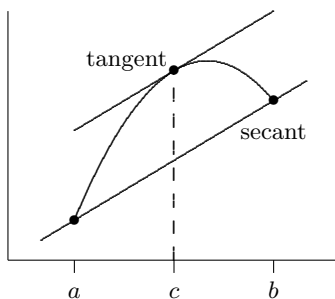


Figure 1: Parallel secant and tangent lines exist when the Mean Value Theorem applies.

2. State the **derivatives** of the following functions. Review if necessary.

a)  $f(x) = 2 \cos x + \arcsin x$ ;  $f'(x) = -2 \sin x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$

b)  $h(t) = t^2 \tan t$ ;  $h'(t) = 2t \tan t + t^2 \sec^2 t$

3. Determine these **antiderivatives**.

a)  $\int \sin x + 2 \sec x \tan x \, dx = -\frac{1}{3} \cos x + 2 \sec x + c$

b)  $\int \sqrt{x} - 4e^x + 1 \, dx = \frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - 4e^x + x + c$

4.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{\ln(x+1)} \stackrel{\text{l'Hô}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x}{\frac{1}{x+1}} = \frac{e^0}{1} = 1.$