

## Midterm 1 Review Problems

## Math 142

These are suggested review problems similar to what might be on Midterm 1. Included with each problem is a link to a video where you can see how the problem is solved. I didn't make the videos, they are all available on YouTube.

1. Calculate  $\int_0^1 x^2 2^{x^3} dx$ .

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<https://youtu.be/1ct7LUx23io>

2. Use logarithmic differentiation to find the derivative of  $f(x) = (2x - 3)^2(5x^2 + 2)^3$ .

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<https://youtu.be/SqB-MaegTkY>

3. Evaluate  $\log_4(12) - \log_4(36) + \log_4(192)$  without a calculator.

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[https://youtu.be/H3F5yFJTk\\_4](https://youtu.be/H3F5yFJTk_4)

4. Calculate  $\frac{d}{dx} e^{\cos x} \cos(e^x)$ .

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<https://youtu.be/UXQGzgPf1LE>

5. Find the derivative of  $f(x) = \ln(x^4 + x + 2)$ .

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<https://youtu.be/-m7gPlGooMk>

6. Simplify  $\tan(\sin^{-1}(x))$ .

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<https://youtu.be/Zud3aCeSLRs>

7. Compute the following without a calculator.

(a)  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

(b)  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$

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<https://youtu.be/irVcADwXihw>

8. Find the inverse of  $f(x) = \frac{2x + 5}{4 - 3x}$ .

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<https://youtu.be/YI30Ecfl4tc>

9. Set up a Riemann sum with 500 rectangles for the area under the curve  $y = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$  from  $x = -1$  to  $x = 1$ .

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<https://youtu.be/wLnhngRWtNU>

10. Solve the differential equation  $\frac{du}{dt} = \frac{2t + \sec^2 t}{2u}$  with initial condition  $u(0) = -5$ .

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<https://youtu.be/2HeM3gyaUaQ>

11. Solve the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} - x = xy^2$ .

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<https://youtu.be/irtzsCr6k8M>

12. An  $80^\circ$  C bowl of oatmeal is placed in a room that is  $20^\circ$  C. After 2 minutes, the oatmeal is  $60^\circ$  C. Use Newton's law of cooling  $T(t) = Ce^{-kt} + T_s$  to find out how long it takes the oatmeal to cool down to  $40^\circ$  C. Hint: First you'll have to find the constants  $C$  and  $k$ .

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<https://youtu.be/jH5qf1Ae3C8>