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Math 101 - 2 & 7  
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First Major Exam

Semester 031

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**Q1. (10 Points) (Suggested time: 10 minutes)** State if each of the following statements is TRUE or FALSE:

1. The function  $f(x) = \frac{x^2-1}{x^2+x-2}$  has a removable discontinuity at  $x = 1$ .
2. If  $f(x)$  and  $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$  are continuous at  $x = c$ , then  $g(x)$  is also continuous at  $x = c$ .
3. If  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are defined everywhere and continuous at  $x = c$ , then  $f \circ g$  is also continuous at  $x = c$ .
4. There is no  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  that makes  $f(x)$  continuous everywhere:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{4-x^2}{x-2}, & x < 2 \\ cx^2 & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

5. The equation  $x^3 - x - 2 = 0$  has at least one solution in  $[-1, 2]$ .

**Q2. (48 Points) (Suggested time: 30 minutes)** Find the following limits (if they exist). Show all details:

1.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{2+x}{x^3+8}$

$$2. \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} \frac{1}{[x^2 - 2]}$$

$$3. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (2x \cdot \csc(3x))$$

$$4. \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 + x^2 - x^3}{1 + 2x^2 + x^5}$$

5.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{|x^3 - 3x + 2|}{-5x^3 + 2}$

6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 1}}{3 - x}$

**Q3. (5 Points) (Suggested time: 10 minutes)** Show that there exists some  $c \in [0, \frac{\pi}{2}]$ , such that  $\frac{\sin(c)}{c} = \frac{8}{10}$ .

**Q4. (15 Points) (Suggested time: 10 minutes)** Draw a graph of a function  $f(x)$  satisfying the following properties:

1.  $f(-2) = -3$ .
2.  $f(0) = 0$ .
3.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$ .
4.  $f(x)$  has vertical asymptotes  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$ .
5.  $f(x)$  has horizontal asymptotes  $y = 2$  and  $y = -2$ .
6.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 3$ .
7.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = 1$ .

**Q5. (10 Points) (Suggested time: 10 minutes)** Use definition, to show that:

1.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{x^2 - 1} = \infty$ .

2.  $f(x) = x^3 + 1$  is continuous at  $x = 1$ .

**Q6. (12 Points) (Suggested time: 10 minutes)** Give a *counter example* to each of the following **false** statements:

1. If  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and  $k$  is a real number between  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$ , then there exists exactly one  $c \in [a, b]$  with  $f(c) = k$ .

2. If  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are defined on  $(a, \infty)$  for some real number  $a$  with  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) = \infty$ , then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (f - g)(x) = 0$ .

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