

# MATH 101- QUIZ QUESTIONS SAMPLE: ENJOY!

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Q 1. The line  $y = 2x + 5$  is normal (perpendicular) to the tangent of the curve

$$f(x) = a \cos(\tan^{-1}(x^2))$$

at  $x = 1$ . Find the value of  $a$ . **Answer:**  $a = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ . **Hint:** study Example 5, page 173.

Q 2: Find

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{-2\cos(\frac{\pi x}{2}) + 1}{x^2 - 1}.$$

**Answer:**  $\frac{\pi \ln 2}{4}$ . **Hint:** after factoring the denominator, this limit can be expressed as a derivative of a function.

Q 3: Let  $g$  be a differentiable function that is implicitly expressed as

$$g(x) + x \sin g(x) = x^2 + 3x + \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Find  $g'(0)$ . **Answer:**  $g'(0) = 2$ . **Hint:** use the above equation to find  $g(0)$ .

Q 4: At which point  $P(a, b)$  does the curve  $y = \ln(3x)$  have a tangent that passes through the origin. **Answer:**  $P(\frac{e}{3}, 1)$ . **Hint:** study Example 5, page 139.

Q 5: If

$$\frac{y'}{y} = \frac{\sqrt{x+y}}{x(1+y)^2},$$

then find  $y''$  at the point  $P(1,1)$ . **Answer:**  $\frac{1-6\sqrt{2}}{32}$ . **Hint:** use logarithmic differentiation.

Q 6: Let

$$T(w) = \sin^4\left(\frac{\pi w}{8}\right) - \cos^4\left(\frac{\pi w}{8}\right).$$

Find the third derivative of  $T$  at  $w = 6$ . **Answer:**  $\frac{\pi^3}{64}$ . **Hint:** factor first.