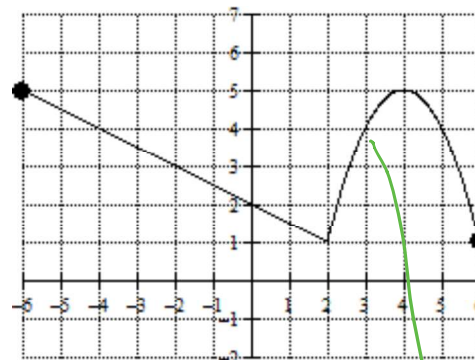


Homework 3.7

Use the graph of $H(x)$, pictured to the right, to complete exercises 1 – 4.



1. The graph of $H(x)$ is continuous on its domain but not differentiable at all values on its domain. At what value on $-6 < x < 6$ is $H(x)$ not differentiable. Give a graphical reason for your answer.

$H(x)$ is not differentiable at $x=2$
 b/c the graph has a cusp at $x=2$.

2. Write an equation of $H(x)$ and show analytically that $H(x)$ is, in fact, continuous at the x – value that you identified in exercise 1. Show and explain your work.

$H(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{2}x + 2, & -6 \leq x \leq 2 \\ -(x-4)^2 + 5, & 2 < x \leq 6 \end{cases}$

$\text{I. } H(2) = 1 \therefore H(2) \text{ is defined}$ $\text{III. } H(2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} H(x) = 1$

$\text{II. } \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} H(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(2) + 2 = 1$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} H(x) = -(2-4)^2 + 5 = 1$

$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} H(x) = 1$ and therefore exists

$\therefore H(x)$ is continuous at $x=2$ by the three part definition of continuity.

3. Show analytically that $H(x)$ is, in fact, not differentiable at the x – value that you identified in exercise 1. Show and explain your work.

$H'(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{2}, & -6 \leq x \leq 2 \\ -2(x-4), & 2 < x \leq 6 \end{cases}$

I. $H(x)$ is continuous at $x=2$

II. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} H'(x) = -\frac{1}{2}$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} H'(x) = -2(2-4) = 4$

Since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} H'(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} H'(x)$,

$H(x)$ is not differentiable at $x=2$.

4. Given the graph of $H(x)$ pictured above, find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of $P(x) = \sqrt{H(x)}$ when $x = 3$.

PoT: (3, 2)

SOT: $m = \frac{1}{2}$

Tangent Line

$P(3) = \sqrt{H(3)}$
 $= \sqrt{4}$

$P(3) = 2$

$P'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [H(x)]^{-1/2} \cdot H'(x)$
 $P'(x) = \frac{H'(x)}{2\sqrt{H(x)}}$

$P'(3) = \frac{H'(3)}{2\sqrt{H(3)}}$
 $= \frac{-2(3-4)}{2\sqrt{4}}$

$= \frac{-2(-1)}{2 \cdot 2}$

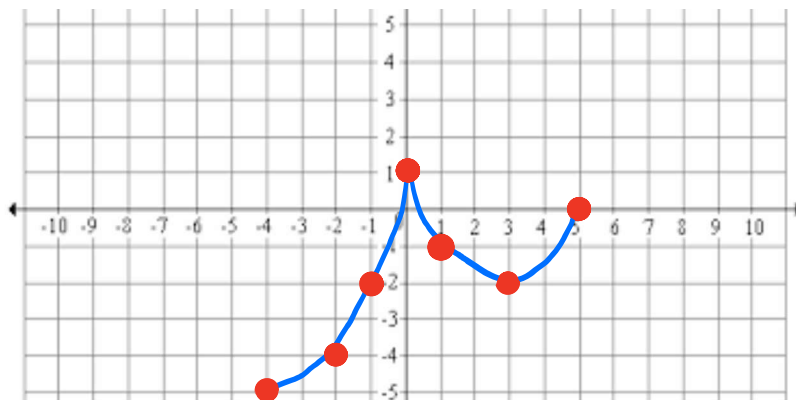
$P'(3) = \frac{1}{2}$

$y - 2 = \frac{1}{2}(x - 3)$

A continuous function on the interval $-4 < x < 5$, $h(x)$, is described in the table below. Use the information to complete exercises 5 – 8.

x	-4	-2	-1	0	$-4 < x < 0$	1	3	$0 < x < 3$	$3 < x < 5$	5
$h(x)$	-5	-4	-2	1	Increasing & Concave Up	-1	-2	Decreasing & Concave Up	Increasing & Concave Up	0

5. Sketch a graph of $h(x)$.



6. Estimate the value of $h'(-2)$. Does this value support the claim that $h(x)$ is increasing on the interval $-4 < x < 0$? Give a reason for your answer.

$$h'(-2) \approx \frac{h(-4) - h(-1)}{(-4) - (-1)} = \frac{-5 - (-2)}{-3} = \frac{-3}{-3} = 1$$

$h'(-2) \approx 1$ supports the claim that $h(x)$ is increasing on $(-4, 0)$ because $h'(x) > 0$ on $(-4, 0)$

7. There are three x – values in the domain of h at which $h(x)$ is not differentiable. What are these three values and give a reason for why $h(x)$ is not differentiable at these values.

- $h(x)$ is not differentiable at $x = -4, 0,$ or 5 .
- $h(x)$ is not continuous at $x = -4$ and $x = 5$.
- $h(x)$ has a cusp at $x = 0$

8. On what interval(s) of x is $h'(x) > 0$? Give a reason for your answer.

$h' > 0$ on $(-4, 0) \cup (3, 5)$ because $h(x)$ is increasing on these intervals.

9. At what value(s) of x will the graph of $f(x) = 2e^{2x} - 3x$ have a tangent line whose slope is 1?

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{f}(x) &= 2e^{2x} \cdot (2) - 3 \\ \dot{f}(x) &= 4e^{2x} - 3 \end{aligned}$$

At $\dot{f}(x) = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= 4e^{2x} - 3 \\ 4 &= 4e^{2x} \\ 1 &= e^{2x} \\ e^0 &= e^{2x} \\ 0 &= 2x \end{aligned}$$

Answer $\rightarrow 0 = x$

10. The graph of $x - 2y = 9$ is parallel to the normal line to the graph of $f(x)$ when $x = 5$. What is the value of $f'(5)$? Justify your answer.

$$\begin{aligned} x - 2y &= 9 \\ -2y &= -x + 9 \\ y &= \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{9}{2} \end{aligned}$$

So M = $\frac{1}{2}$
So T = -2

The value of $f'(5) = -2$ because $f'(5)$ is the slope of the tangent line which is \perp to the slope of the normal line at $x=5$. The slope of the normal line is the same as the slope of $x - 2y = 9$ because they are parallel with a slope of $\frac{1}{2}$.

11. Let f be defined by the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3-x, & x < 1 \\ ax^2 + bx, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$

a. If the function is continuous at $x = 1$, what is the relationship between a and b ? Explain your reasoning using limits.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) \\ 3 - (1) &= a(1)^2 + b(1) \\ 2 &= a + b \end{aligned}$$

b. Find the unique values of a and b that will make f both continuous and differentiable at $x = 1$. Show your analysis using limits.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f'(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f'(x) \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} -1 &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} (2ax + b) \\ -1 &= 2a(1) + b \\ -1 &= 2a + b \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{cases} 2 = a + b \\ -1 = 2a + b \end{cases} &\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 2 &= a + b \\ 1 &= -2a - b \end{aligned} \\ &\quad \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ &\quad 3 = -a \\ &\quad -3 = a \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= (-3) + b \\ 5 &= b \end{aligned}$$

$a = -3, b = 5$

