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There are 25 points possible on this quiz. No aids (book, calculator, etc.) are permitted. **Show all work for full credit.**

1. [8 points] Use the **limit definition of the derivative** to find the derivative of  $g(x) = 10 - \frac{1}{x}$ . No credit will be awarded a solution that does not use the definition below.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$g'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(10 - \frac{1}{x+h}) - (10 - \frac{1}{x})}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\frac{1}{x+h} + \frac{1}{x}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \left( \frac{-x + x+h}{(x+h)(x)} \right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \left( \frac{h}{(x+h)(x)} \right) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{(x+h)(x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(x+0)(x)} = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

2. [6 points] The distance in feet that a remote controlled car moves along a straight sidewalk is modeled by the function  $s(t) = 5t^2 + t$ , where  $t$  is measured in seconds after the car begins moving.

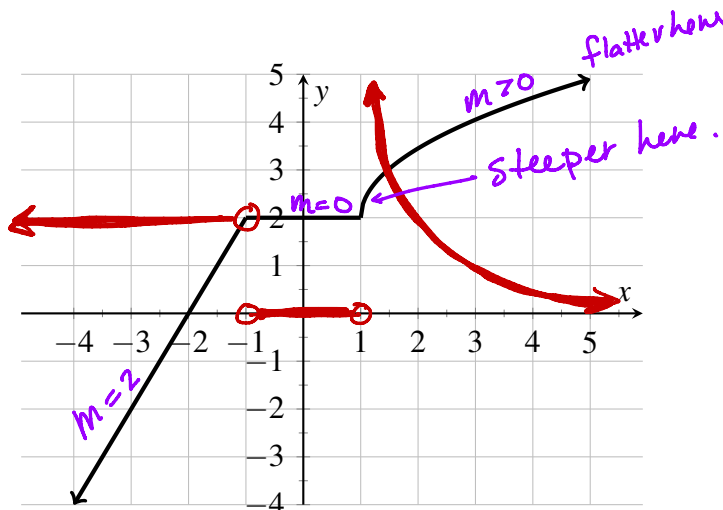
- a. Find the average velocity of the car over the time interval from  $t = 1$  to  $t = 3$ . Include units with your answer.

$$\text{average velocity} = \frac{\Delta s}{\Delta t} = \frac{s(3) - s(1)}{3 - 1} = \frac{(5 \cdot 3^2 + 3) - (5 \cdot 1^2 + 1)}{2} = \frac{48 - 6}{2} = 21 \text{ ft/s}$$

- b. Find the instantaneous velocity of the car when  $t = 1$ . Include units with your answer.

$$s'(t) = v(t) = 10t + 1 ; \quad v(1) = 10 \cdot 1 + 1 = 11 \text{ ft/s}$$

3. [5 points] The graph of  $f(x)$  is below. On the same set of axes, make a rough sketch of the graph of  $f'(x)$ .



4. [6 points] Find the derivative for each function below. You do not need to simplify.

a.  $g(x) = 4 \cos(x) + \frac{9}{x^2} + \sqrt{x} + 2 = 4 \cos(x) + 9x^{-2} + x^{1/2} + 2$

$$g'(x) = -4 \sin(x) + 9(-2x^{-3}) + \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} + 0$$

$$= 4 \sin(x) - 18x^{-3} + \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2}$$

b.  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}(x^2 + 1) = x^{1/2}(x^2 + 1) = x^{5/2} + x^{1/2}$

$f'$  using product rule

$f'$  after distributing

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} (x^2 + 1) + x^{1/2} (2x)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{5}{2} x^{3/2} + \frac{1}{2} x^{1/2}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + 1}{2\sqrt{x}} + 2x^{3/2}$$

Note these are the same

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{x^2}{2\sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} + 2x^{3/2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x^{3/2} + \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} + 2x^{3/2} \\ &= \frac{5}{2} x^{3/2} + \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} \end{aligned}$$