

Course:

Advanced Placement Calculus AB

A. Functions

1. Properties of functions

- a. Definition, domain, and range
- b. Sum, product, quotient, and composition
- c. Absolute value (See Figure # 1)
- d. Inverse
- e. Odd and even
- f. Periodicity
- g. Graphs; symmetry and asymptotes
- h. Zeros of a function

$$|f(x)| \text{ and } f(|x|)$$

Figure # 1

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = e$$

Figure # 2

2. Limits

- a. Statement and applications of properties
- b. The number e (See Figure # 2)
- c. The limit of the ratio of $\sin x$ to x as x gets small. (See figure # 3)
- d. Nonexistent limits; including reasoning
- e. Continuity
- f. Statements and applications involving continuity

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$$

Figure # 3

B. Differential Calculus

1. The derivative

- a. Both definitions (See Figure # 4)
- b. Derivatives of elementary functions
- c. Derivatives of sum, product, and quotient
- d. Derivatives of a composite functions (Chain Rule)
- e. Derivatives of an implicitly defined function
- f. Derivative of the invers of a function
- g. Logarithmic Differentiation
- h. Derivatives of higher order
- i. Application and graphical illustraitons of Mean Value Thm
- j. Relation between differentiability and continuity
- k. Use of l'Hopital's rule (quoteint indeterminate forms)

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

Figure # 4

(continued below)

2. Applications of the derivative

- a. Slope of a curve; tangent and normal lines to a curve (including linear approx)
- b. Curve sketching
 1. Increasing and decreasing functions
 2. Critical points, rel and abs max and min points
 3. Concavity
 4. Points of inflection
- c. Extreme value problems
- d. Velocity and acceleration of a particle moving along a line
- e. Average and instantaneous rates of change
- f. Related rates of change
- g. Newton's Method of solving for roots of equations

C. Integral Calculus

1. Antiderivatives
2. Applications of antiderivatives
 - a. Distance and velocity from acceleration with initial conditions
 - b. Solutions of $y' = ky$ and applications to growth and decay
 - c. Solutions of $f(y)dy = g(x) dx$ (variables separable)
3. Techniques of integration
 - a. Basic integration formulas
 - b. Integration by substitution
 - c. Simple integration by parts
4. The definite integral
 - a. Concept of the definite integral as an area
 - b. Approximations to the definite integral by using rectangles or trapezoids
 - c. Definition of the definite integral as a limit of a sum
 - d. Properties of the definite integral
 - e. Fundamental theorems (See Figure # 5)
5. Applications of the integral
 - a. Average value of a function on an interval
 - b. Area between curves
 - c. Volume of a solid of revolution (disc, washer, and shell methods about either axis).

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_a^x f(t) dt = f(x) \quad \text{and}$$
$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

where $F'(x) = f(x)$

Figure # 5