

MATH 223  
Some Notes on Assignment 23  
Exercises A, B, C and D

**A** Give a careful argument that the limit of a function whose values are all non-negative can not be negative.

*Solution:* Suppose to the contrary that there is a function  $f$  and a point  $\mathbf{a}$  such that  $f(\mathbf{x}) \geq 0$  for all  $\mathbf{x}$  but

$$\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} f(x) = B$$

where  $B$  is a negative number.

Let  $r = |B|/2$  and  $\mathcal{N}$  be the  $r$ -neighborhood of  $B$ . Note that this neighborhood is just the interval from  $B - |B|/2$  to  $B + |B|/2$ . [Example: if  $B = -4$ , then  $\mathcal{N}$  is open interval  $-6 < t < -2$ ]. Observe that every number in  $\mathcal{N}$  is negative. Since the limit exists, there is some neighborhood  $\mathcal{M}$  of  $\mathbf{a}$  such that if  $x$  is in  $\mathcal{M}$  (and different from  $\mathbf{a}$ ), then  $f(x)$  must lie in  $\mathcal{N}$ . That would make  $f(x)$  negative, contradicting our assumption that all values of the function are non-negative.

**B** Verify that Leibniz's Rule is correct for each of the following:

1.  $\int_3^9 (x^2 + y^2) dy$

*Solution:*  $F(x) = \int_3^9 (x^2 + y^2) dy = \left[ x^2 y + \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{y=3}^{y=9} = \left( 9x^2 + \frac{9^3}{3} \right) - \left( 3x^2 + \frac{3^3}{3} \right) = 6x^2 + \frac{9^3}{3} - \frac{3^3}{3}$

so  $F'(x) = 12x$ . Leibniz's Rule gives  $F'(x) = \int_3^9 (x^2 + y^2)_x dy = \int_3^9 2x dy = [2xy]_{y=3}^{y=9} = 18x - 6x = 12x$ .

2.  $\int_2^5 x + y^{-3} dy$

*Solution:* Let  $F(x) = \int_2^5 (x + y^{-3}) dy$ .

Then direct calculation gives  $F(x) = \left[ xy - \frac{1}{2} y^{-2} \right]_{y=2}^{y=5} = \left( 5x - \frac{1}{50} \right) - \left( 2x - \frac{1}{8} \right) = 3x + \frac{21}{200}$

so  $F'(x) = 3$ .

Leibniz's Rule gives  $F'(x) = \int_2^5 (x + y^{-3})_x dy = \int_2^5 1 dy = 3$

3.  $F(x) = \int_1^e xy + \ln y - \arctan y dy$

*Solution:* A direct calculation involves using integration by parts to show that  $\int \ln y dy = y \ln y - y$  and integration by parts again to show that  $\int \arctan y dy = y \arctan y - \frac{\ln(1+y^2)}{2}$

Thus

$$\int_1^e (xy + \ln y - \arctan y) dy = \left[ \frac{xy^2}{2} + y \ln y - y - y \arctan y + \frac{\ln(1+y^2)}{2} \right]_{y=1}^{y=e}$$

which equals

$$\frac{e^2 x}{2} - e \arctan e + \frac{\ln(1+e^2)}{2} + \frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\ln 2}{2} - 1$$

whose derivative with respect to  $x$  is  $\frac{e^2 - 1}{2}$

Leibniz's Rule gives  $F'(x) = \int_1^e (xy + \ln y - \arctan y)_x dy = \int_1^e y dy = \left[ \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_1^e = \frac{e^2 - 1}{2}$

**C** Use Leibniz's Rule to determine  $F'(x)$  if  $F(x) = \int_0^1 2 \frac{\sin xy}{y} dy$ .

*Solution:* By Leibniz's Rule

$$F'(x) = \int_0^1 2 \left( \frac{\sin xy}{y} \right)_x dy = \int_0^1 \frac{2}{y} \cos(xy) dy = \int_0^1 2 \cos(xy) dy = \left[ \frac{2}{x} \sin(xy) \right]_{y=0}^{y=1} = \frac{2 \sin x}{x}$$

**D** Use Leibniz's Rule to determine  $G'(y)$  if  $G(y) = \int_{-5}^5 \frac{1 - e^{-xy}}{x} dx$ .

*Solution:* By Leibniz's Rule

$$G'(y) = \int_{-5}^5 \left( \frac{1 - e^{-xy}}{x} \right)_y dx = \int_{-5}^5 \frac{1}{x} (-e^{-xy})(-x) dx = \int_{-5}^5 e^{-xy} dx = \left[ \frac{e^{-xy}}{-y} \right]_{x=-5}^{x=5} = \frac{e^{5y} - e^{-5y}}{y}$$