

Calculus I, Mathematics 1210-90

Examination 1, February 12,14, 2004

**You may use graphing calculators. Each problem is worth 20 points. You MUST show your work. Just the correct answer is not sufficient for any points.**

1. Find the value of  $x$  where the graphs of these two functions have parallel tangent lines:

$$f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2, \quad g(x) = 2x^2 - 11x - 17.$$

2. Find the derivatives of the following functions:

a) 
$$f(x) = (x + 1)\left(\frac{1}{x} + 1\right)$$

b) 
$$g(x) = (\tan(3x) - 1)^2$$

3. Find the slope of the line tangent to the curve

$$y = x^2 - 3x + 1/x$$

at the point  $(3, 1/3)$ .

4. Let  $y = x^3 - 48x + 1$ . Find the  $x$  coordinate of the points at which the graph has a horizontal tangent line.

2. On the planet Garbanzo in the Weirdots solar system, the equation of motion of a falling body is

$$s = s_0 + v_0t - 10t^3$$

where  $s_0$  is the initial height above ground level and  $v_0$  is the initial velocity. Distance is measured in garbanzofeet. If a ball is thrown upwards from ground level at an initial velocity of 120 garbanzofeet/second, how high does the ball rise?