Calculus III Exam 2, Summer 2003

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. The relation

$$\sqrt{y} + xy^2 = 34$$

determines a curve in the x-y plane. Find the slope of the line tangent to the curve at the point (2,4).

2. Let

$$y = \frac{x}{x^2 + 1}.$$

a) Find the *x* coordinate of the points of local maxima and minima of *y*.

b) Find the *x* coordinate of the points of inflection of the curve so defined.

3. A monument to the mathematicians of Utah is to be built in a cylindrical form so as to enclose 6000 cu. ft. The bottom and top are to be faced with copper, costing \$30 a sq. ft., and the side surfaces of the cylinder are to be faced with stone, costing \$12 a sq. ft. What should the radius of the base of the cylinder be so as to minimize the total cost of the facing? Recall: A cylinder of base radius *r* and height *h* has volume $\pi r^2 h$, the area of the cylindrical side is $2\pi rh$, and the areas of the base and top are each πr^2 .

4. Let $y = x^6 - 3x^4$. Find the intervals in which the function is increasing and decreasing, and where it is concave up and concave down.

5. Graph the function $y = x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$

showing clearly all asymptotes and local maxima and minima.