

Quiz 5B, Calculus I
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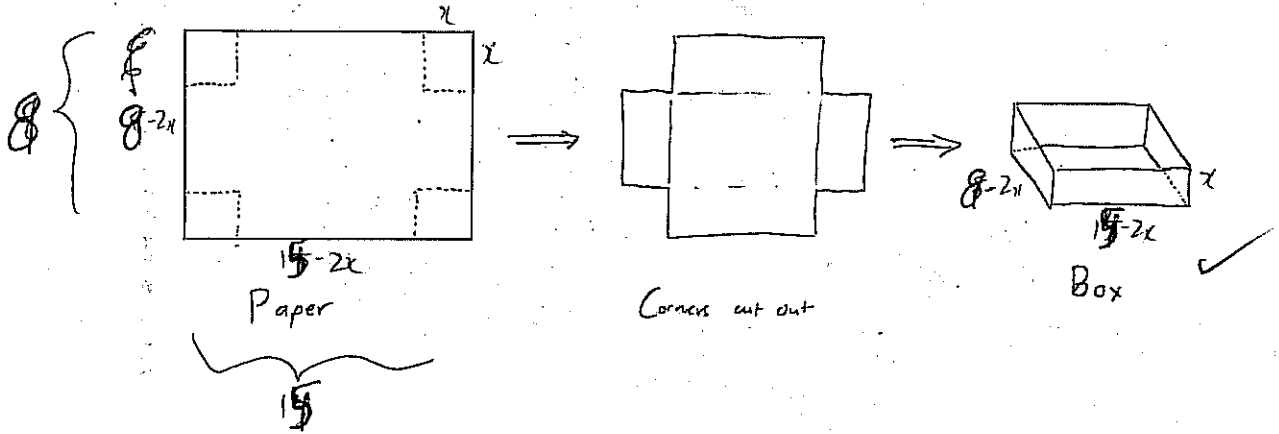
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8 min

→ give 25 min. in class.

Name: Key

1. (4 points) A rectangular piece of paper of size ~~14x9~~ ^{15x8} inches is given. You want to cut out identical squares from each corner and then fold up the edges to make an open-topped box of *maximum* volume (see diagram). Use calculus to find out what will be the dimensions of the box that has the maximum volume. Make sure to confirm that your solution is a maximum.



$$\text{Volume} = x(8-2x)(15-2x) \checkmark$$

$$V(x) = x(120 - 30x - 18x + 4x^2)$$

$$V(x) = 120x - 48x^2 + 4x^3$$

$$V'(x) = 120 - 96x + 12x^2 \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$0 = 120 - 96x + 12x^2 \checkmark$$

$$x = \frac{92 \pm \sqrt{92^2 - 4(120)(12)}}{24} \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{92 \pm 52}{24} = \frac{40}{24} \text{ or } 6$$

6 is too long $\Rightarrow x = \frac{5}{3} = 1.67$



dimensions are

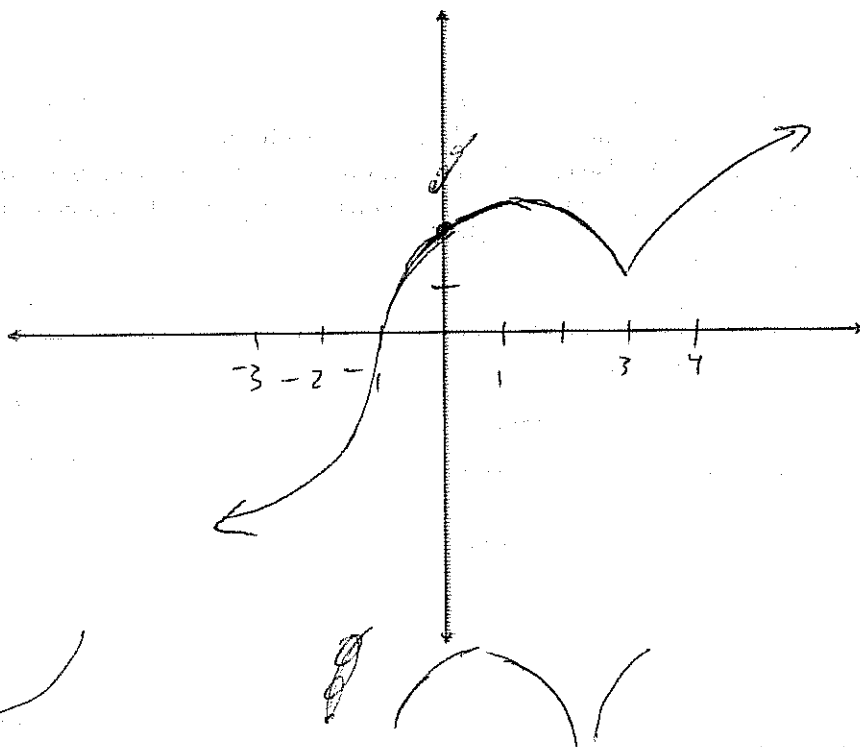
$$\text{length} = 15 - \frac{10}{3} = \frac{35}{3}$$

$$\text{width} = 8 - \frac{10}{3} = \frac{14}{3}$$

$$\text{height} = \frac{5}{3}$$

2. (3 points) Sketch the graph of a continuous function $f(x)$ that satisfies the following:

- $f(0) = 2$
- $f'(x) > 0$ on intervals $(-\infty, 1)$ and $(3, \infty)$
- $f'(x) < 0$ on $(1, 3)$.
- $f''(x) > 0$ on the intervals $(-\infty, -1)$
- $f''(x) < 0$ on $(-1, 3)$ and $(3, \infty)$.



3. (3 points) Use calculus to find the absolute maximum and absolute minimum of the function $f(x) = 2x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x^2 - 1$ on the interval $[-1, 1]$.

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 5x = x(6x - 5)$$

$$0 = x(6x - 5) \text{ at } x = 0, \quad 0 = 6x - 5$$

$$\frac{5}{6} = x$$

Check $f(-1) = -5.5$ → Abs. min

$f(0) = -1$ → Abs. Max

$f(\frac{5}{6}) = -1.57$

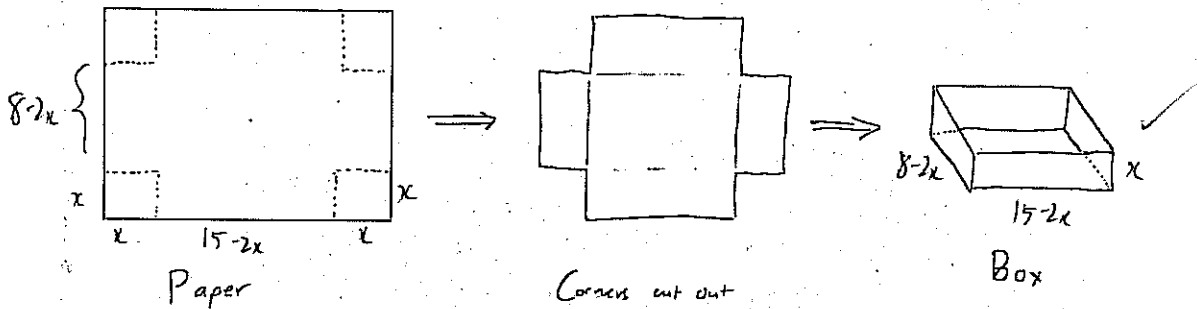
$f(1) = -1.5$

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1. (4 points) A rectangular piece of paper of size 15×8 inches is given. You want to cut out identical squares from each corner and then fold up the edges to make an open-topped box of *maximum* volume (see diagram). Use calculus to find out what will be the dimensions of the box that has the maximum volume. Make sure to confirm that your solution is a maximum.



$$\text{Volume} = x(8-2x)(15-2x)$$

$$V(x) = x(120 - 46x + 4x^2)$$

$$V(x) = 120x - 46x^2 + 4x^3$$

$$V'(x) = 120 - 92x + 12x^2$$

$$0 = \frac{120 - 92x + 12x^2}{4}$$

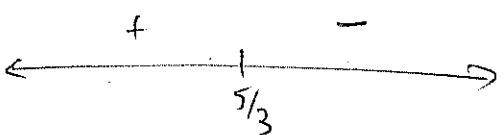
$$0 = 30 - 23x + 3x^2$$

$$0 = (3x - 5)(x - 6)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x - 5 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 6$$

→ too big, x can be at most 4.

$$x = \frac{5}{3}$$



$$f'(1) = +$$

$$f'(2) = -$$

Dimensions: height = $\frac{5}{3} = 1.67$
 length = $15 - 2(\frac{5}{3}) = 11.67$
 width = $8 - 2(\frac{5}{3}) = 4.67$

2. (3 points) Use calculus to find the absolute maximum and absolute minimum of the function $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{7}{2}x^2 + 3$ on the interval $[-1, 4]$.

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 7x \quad \checkmark$$

$$0 = x(3x - 7) \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 3x - 7 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = \frac{7}{3}$$

check: $f(-1) = -1.5$

$$f(0) = 3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$f\left(\frac{7}{3}\right) = -3.35 \quad \checkmark$$

$$f(4) = 64 - 56 + 3 = 11 \quad \checkmark$$

abs. min

abs. max

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