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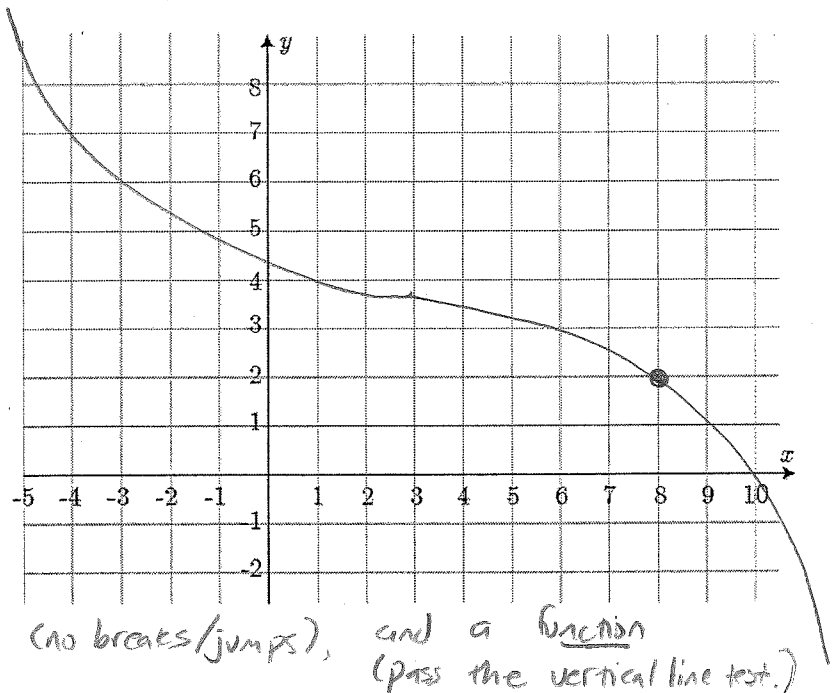
Spring 2015 Exam 3 Short Answer Questions

Write your answers on this page.

1. Sketch the graph of a **continuous** function  $y = f(x)$  which satisfies the following:

$$f(8) = 2, \quad f'(x) \leq 0 \text{ for all } x; \quad f''(x) > 0 \text{ for } x < 3; \quad f''(x) < 0 \text{ for } x > 3.$$

Conditions above  
require the graph  
to go through the  
point  $(8, 2)$ ,  
to be decreasing  
(never increasing),  
to be concave up  
for  $x < 3$ , and  
concave down for  $x > 3$ .



Also must be continuous (no breaks/jumps), and a function (pass the vertical line test.)

2. The area of a square is increasing at a rate of  $140 \text{ cm}^2/\text{min}$ . At what rate is the length of the side of the square increasing when the area is  $25 \text{ cm}^2$ ? You must show proper, appropriate, and legible work to be sure you will get full credit.

$$A = x^2$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2x \frac{dx}{dt}$$

when the area is 25,  $x = 5$ .

$$140 = 2(5) \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{140}{10} \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{min}}$$

$$14 \text{ cm/min}$$

Final answer:

## Multiple Choice Questions

Show all your work on the page where the question appears.  
Clearly mark your answer both on the cover page on this exam  
and in the corresponding questions that follow.

3. Where is the function  $f(t) = t^3 - 9t^2 - 48t + 1$  decreasing?

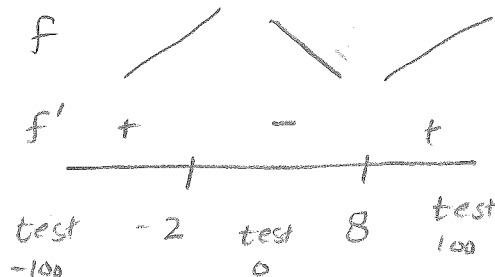
Possibilities:

- (a)  $-2 < t < 8$   
(b)  $t < 3$   
(c)  $t < -2$  and  $t > 8$   
(d)  $f(t)$  is always decreasing  
(e)  $t > 3$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(t) &= 3t^2 - 18t - 48 \\ &= 3(t^2 - 6t - 16) \\ &= 3(t - 8)(t + 2) \end{aligned}$$

$$f'(t) = 0 \text{ when } t = 8 \text{ or } t = -2.$$

(Test in the first  
derivative,  
caring only  
about sign)



$f$  is decreasing  
for  $t$  between  
 $-2$  and  $8$ .

4. Where is the function  $f(t) = t^3 - 9t^2 - 48t + 1$  concave up?

Possibilities:

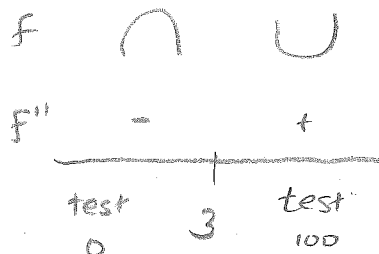
- (a)  $f(t)$  is always concave up  
(b)  $t > 3$   
(c)  $-2 < t < 8$   
(d)  $t < 3$   
(e)  $t < -2$  and  $t > 8$

$$f'(t) = 3t^2 - 18t - 48$$

$$f''(t) = 6t - 18 = 6(t - 3)$$

$$f''(t) = 0 \text{ when } t = 3.$$

(test in the  
second deriv.,  
caring only  
about sign)



$f$  is concave  
up for  $t > 3$ .

5. If  $g'(t) = 4 - t^2$ , where is the function  $g(t)$  decreasing?

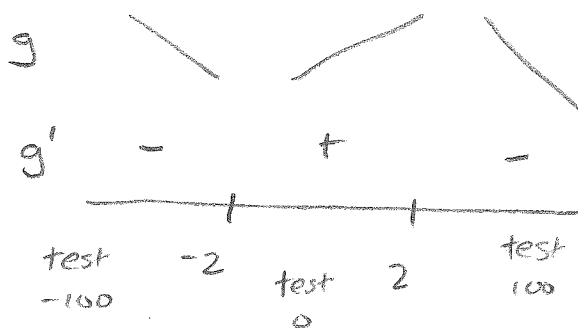
Possibilities:

- (a)  $t < 0$
- (b)  $-2 < t < 2$
- (c)  $t < -2$  and  $t > 2$
- (d)  $f(t)$  is always decreasing
- (e)  $t > 0$

$$g'(t) = 4 - t^2 = (2-t)(2+t)$$

$$g'(t) = 0 \text{ when } t = 2 \text{ or } t = -2$$

( $g$  is decreasing  
if  $g' < 0$ )



$g$  decreases for  $t < -2$  and  $t > 2$ .

6. If  $g'(t) = 4 - t^2$ , where is the function  $g(t)$  concave up?

Possibilities:

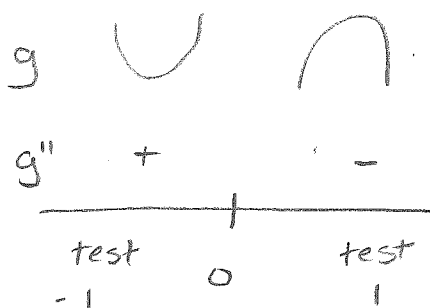
- (a)  $t < 0$
- (b)  $-2 < t < 2$
- (c)  $t < -2$  and  $t > 2$
- (d)  $f(t)$  is always concave up
- (e)  $t > 0$

$$g'(t) = 4 - t^2$$

$$g''(t) = 0 - 2t = -2t$$

$$g''(t) = 0 \text{ when } t = 0$$

( $g$  is concave up  
if  $g'' > 0$ )



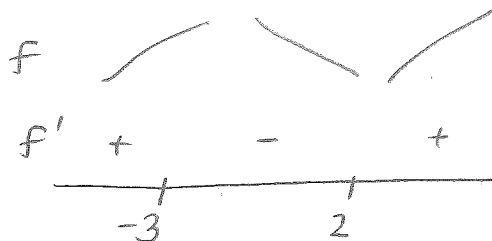
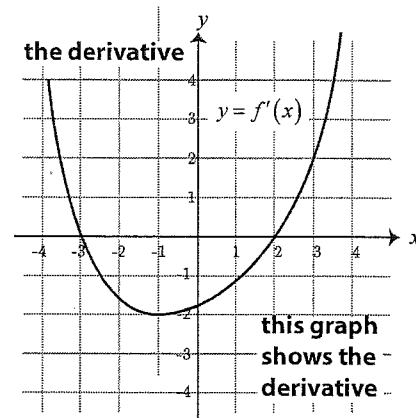
$g$  is  
concave up  
for  $t < 0$ .

7. The following is the graph of the derivative,  $f'(x)$ , of the function  $f(x)$ .  
Where is the regular function  $f(x)$  decreasing?

Possibilities:

- (a)  $(-2, \infty)$
- (b)  $(-\infty, -1)$
- (c)  $(-1, \infty)$
- (d)  $(-3, 2)$
- (e)  $(-\infty, -3)$  and  $(2, \infty)$

$f$  is decreasing  
where  $f'(x) < 0$ ,  
so we notice where  
this graph is  
above/below the axis.



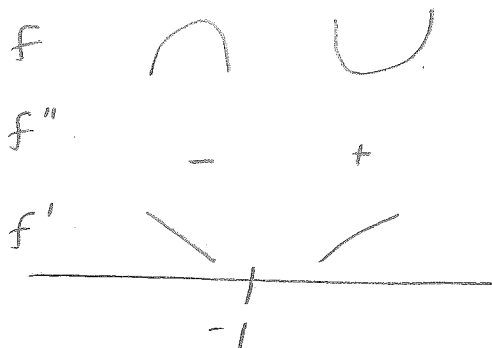
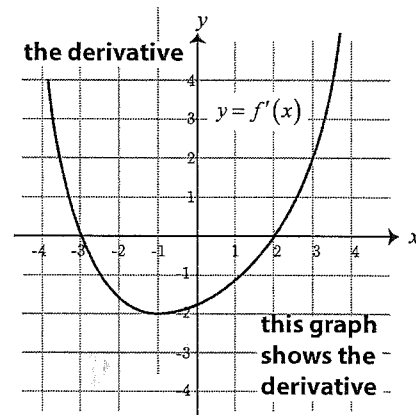
$f$  is decreasing  
for  $x$  between  
 $-3$  and  $2$ .

8. The following is the graph of the derivative,  $f'(x)$ , of the function  $f(x)$ .  
Where is the regular function  $f(x)$  concave up?

Possibilities:

- (a)  $(-2, \infty)$
- (b)  $(-\infty, -3)$  and  $(2, \infty)$
- (c)  $(-3, 2)$
- (d)  $(-\infty, -1)$
- (e)  $(-1, \infty)$

If  $f' > 0$ , then  $f$  is increas.  
 $\Rightarrow$  If  $f'' > 0$ , then  $f'$  is increas.  
So, we notice where  
this graph is increasing  
and decreasing.



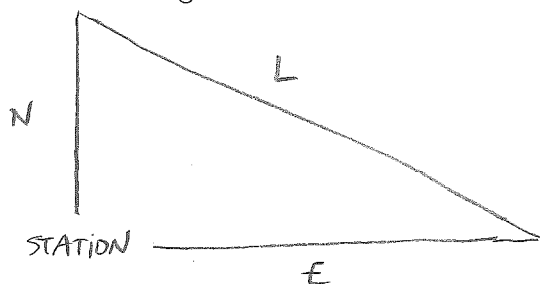
read this  
from graph  $\rightarrow$

$f$  is concave  
up for  $x > -1$ .

9. Two trains leave the same station at different times, one traveling due East, and the other traveling due North. At 2pm the eastbound train is traveling at 50 mph and is 400 miles from the station, while the northbound train is traveling at 60 mph and is 300 miles from the station. At what rate is the distance between the trains increasing?

Possibilities:

- (a) 76000 mph  
(b)  $10\sqrt{61}$  mph  
(c) 500 mph  
(d) 76 mph  
(e) 110 mph



Let  $N$  = distance between northbound train and station,  
 $E$  the distance between the eastbound train and station,  
and  $L$  the distance between the two trains.

At 2 pm, if  $E = 400$  and  $N = 300$ ,  
then  $L^2 = 400^2 + 300^2$   
 $\Rightarrow L = 500$

$$E^2 + N^2 = L^2$$

$$2E \frac{dE}{dt} + 2N \frac{dN}{dt} = 2L \frac{dL}{dt}$$

$$2(400)(50) + 2(300)(60) = 2(500) \frac{dL}{dt}$$

$$76000 = 1000 \frac{dL}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dL}{dt} = \frac{76000}{1000} = 76 \text{ miles/hour}$$

10. Find the area of the largest rectangle whose sides are parallel to the coordinate axes, whose bottom-left corner is at  $(0,0)$  and whose top-right corner is on the graph of  $y = 6x - x^2$ .

Possibilities:

- (a) 27  
(b) 3  
(c) 30  
(d) 32  
(e) 0

$$A = xy$$

$$y = 6x - x^2$$

$$A = x(6x - x^2)$$

$$= 6x^2 - x^3$$

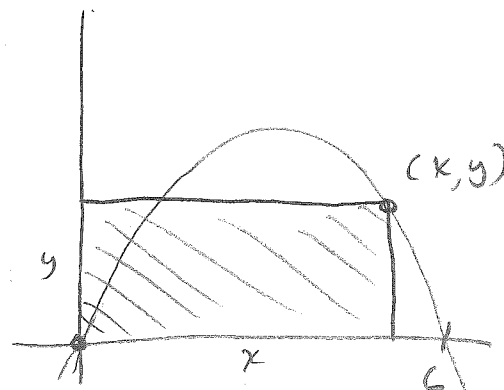
$$A' = 12x - 3x^2$$

$$A' = 0 \text{ when}$$

$$12x - 3x^2 = 0$$

$$3x(4 - x) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x = 4$$



Interval: smallest  $x = 0$ ,  
largest  $x = 6$ .

check orig. eqn:  $A = 6x^2 - x^3$

$$A(0) = 0$$

$$A(4) = 6 \cdot 4^2 - 4^3 = 32 \leftarrow \text{maximum}$$

$$A(6) = 0$$

11. A farmer builds a rectangular pen with 4 vertical partitions (5 vertical sides) using 600 feet of fencing. What is the maximum possible total area of the pen?

Possibilities:

- (a) 300
- (b) 7500
- (c) 9000
- (d) 600
- (e) 22500

$$A = xy$$

$$5x + 2y = 600$$

$$2y = 600 - 5x$$

$$y = 300 - \frac{5}{2}x$$

$$A = x(300 - \frac{5}{2}x) = 300x - \frac{5}{2}x^2$$

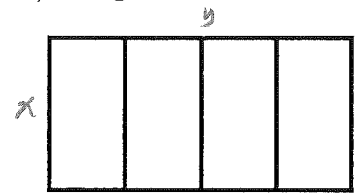
$$A' = 300 - 5x$$

$$A' = 0 \text{ when } 5x = 300 \Rightarrow x = 60.$$

check orig. function:  $A(0) = 0$

$$A(60) = 300(60) - \frac{5}{2} \cdot 60^2 = \underline{9000}$$

$$A(120) = 0.$$



Interval:

Smallest  $x = 0$ .

largest  $x$  when  $y = 0$ ,

$$\text{So } 5x = 600$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 120.$$

12. A farmer currently has harvested 130 bushels of collard greens that are currently worth \$12.74 per bushel. The way things are going, he expects to be harvesting 3.00 bushels per day, and expects the price to be increasing at \$0.75 per bushel per day. What is the instantaneous rate of change (measured in dollars per day) of the total value of his collard greens?

Possibilities:

- (a) \$135.72 per day
- (b) \$135.73 per day
- (c) \$135.74 per day
- (d) \$135.75 per day
- (e) \$135.76 per day

$$\text{Total value} = \text{number of bushels} \cdot \text{price per bushel}$$

$$V = NP \quad (\text{now differentiate, using product rule})$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = N \cdot \frac{dP}{dt} + P \cdot \frac{dN}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 130 \cdot (.75) + (12.74) \cdot 3$$

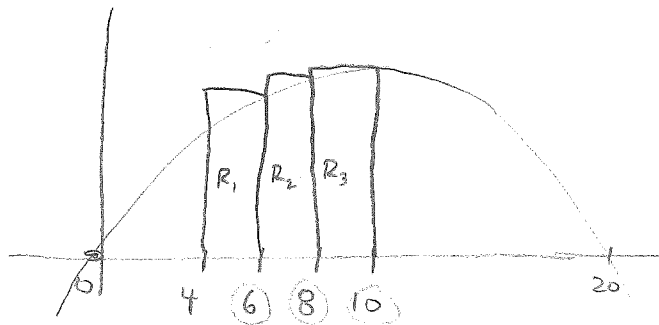
$$= \$135.72/\text{day}$$

13. Estimate the area under the graph of  $-x^2 + 20x$  for  $x$  between 4 and 10, by using a partition that consists of 3 equal subintervals of  $[4, 10]$  and use the right endpoint of each subinterval as a sample point.

$$\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{10-4}{3} = \frac{6}{3} = 2 \quad \text{height}$$

Possibilities:

- (a) 528
- (b) 688
- (c) 560
- (d) 280
- (e) 488



$$R_1: -6^2 + 20(6) = 84$$

$$R_2: -8^2 + 20(8) = 96$$

$$R_3: -10^2 + 20(10) = 100$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &\approx 84(2) + 96(2) + 100(2) \\ &= 2(84 + 96 + 100) = 560 \end{aligned}$$

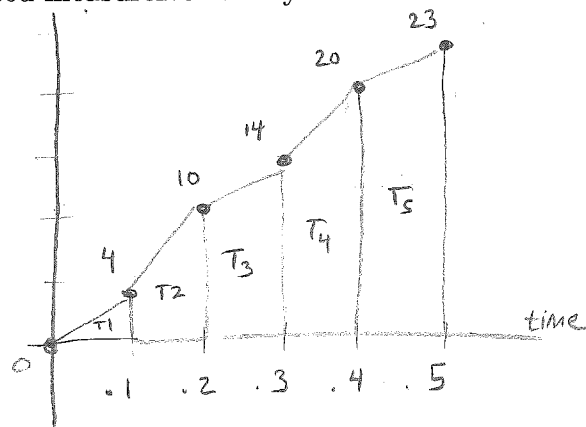
14. A train travels in a straight westward direction along a track. The speed of the train varies, but it is measured at regular time intervals of  $1/10$  hour. The measurements for the first half hour are:

time	0	.1	.2	.3	.4	.5
speed	0	4	10	14	20	23

Estimate the total distance (in miles) traveled by the train during the first half hour by assuming the speed is a linear function of  $t$  on the subintervals. The speed in the table is given in miles per hour. Use all six speed measurements in your estimate.

Possibilities:

- (a) 7.00 miles
- (b) 7.10 miles
- (c) 2.00 miles
- (d) 11.50 miles
- (e) 5.95 miles



$$T_1: \frac{1}{2}(4)(.1) = .2$$

$$T_2: \frac{4+10}{2}(.1) = .7$$

$$T_3: \frac{10+14}{2}(.1) = 1.2$$

$$T_4: \frac{14+20}{2}(.1) = 1.7$$

$$T_5: \frac{20+23}{2}(.1) = 2.15$$

(use trapezoid area formula on  $T_2-T_5$ , triangle area for  $T_1$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total area} &= 5.95 \\ &= \text{total distance} \end{aligned}$$



15. One way to approximate  $\int_A^{59} e^{19-2x} dx$  is with the sum  $\sum_{k=1}^{200} ((\Delta x) \cdot (e^{19-2(9+k\Delta x)}))$  where  $\Delta x = \frac{1}{4}$ .  
What is the best value of  $A$  to use?

Possibilities:

- (a) 9  
(b)  $\frac{1}{4}$   
(c) 1.359140914  
(d) 0.01  
(e) 200

$$\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n}$$

$\leftarrow a \text{ and } b \text{ are the limits of integration}$   
 $\leftarrow n \text{ is the \# of rectangles we add}$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{59-A}{200}$$

cross-multiply:  
divide by 4

$$4(59-A) = 200$$

$$59-A = 50$$

$$A = 9.$$

16. Suppose you estimate the area under the graph of  $f(x) = x^3$  from  $x = 5$  to  $x = 25$  by adding the areas of the rectangles as follows: partition the interval into 20 equal subintervals and use the right endpoint of each interval to determine the height of the rectangle. What is the area of the 7th rectangle?

Possibilities:

- (a) 25  
(b) 1728  
(c) 105400  
(d)  $\frac{6095}{4}$   
(e) 1331

$$\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{25-5}{20} = 1 = \text{width of each rectangle}$$

To find  $x$ -values used,  
start at 5 and add  $\Delta x$   
each time.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{1st rectangle: } 5 + \Delta x \\ = 5 + 1 = 6. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{2nd rectangle: } 5 + 2\Delta x \\ = 5 + 2(1) = 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vdots \\ \text{7th rectangle: } 5 + 7\Delta x \\ = 5 + 7(1) = 12 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{height of 7th rectangle} \\ f(12) = 12^3 \\ = 1728 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{width} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= 1728(1) \\ &= 1728. \end{aligned}$$

17. Evaluate the difference of sums

$$\left( \sum_{k=1}^{40000} (6k^3 + 5) \right) - \left( \sum_{k=3}^{40000} (6k^3 + 5) \right)$$

Possibilities:

- (a) 800020000
- (b) 3840000000000005
- (c) 64
- (d) 0
- (e)  $\infty$

↓  
we add  
40000 things,

↓  
then take away  
all but the 1st two of them.

All that remains are  $k=1$  and  $k=2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & \begin{array}{cc} k=1 & k=2 \end{array} \\ & 6 \cdot 1^3 + 5 \quad + \quad 6 \cdot 2^3 + 5 \\ & = 6 + 5 \quad + \quad 48 + 5 \\ & = 64 \end{aligned}$$

18. Evaluate the sum

$$\sum_{k=1}^N (11k^2)$$

Possibilities:

- (a)  $11N^2$
- (b)  $11N^2 - 11$
- (c)  $11 \frac{N(N+1)}{2}$
- (d)  $11N^2 + 11$

(e)  $11 \frac{N(N+1)(2N+1)}{6}$

$$= 11 \sum_{k=1}^N k^2$$

$$= 11 \cdot \frac{N(N+1)(2N+1)}{6}$$

19. Evaluate the sum  $5 + 10 + 15 + 20 + 25 + 30 + 35 + 40 + 45 + 50 + \dots + 370 + 375$ .

Possibilities:

(a) 14250

(b) 70500

(c) 717250

(d) 140625

(e) 1020

$$= 5(1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + 74 + 75)$$

$$= 5 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{75} k$$

$$= 5 \cdot \frac{75(76)}{2}$$

$$= 5(2850)$$

$$= 14250$$

20. Evaluate the sum  $\frac{1}{13} + \frac{4}{13} + \frac{9}{13} + \frac{16}{13} + \frac{25}{13} + \frac{36}{13} + \frac{49}{13} + \frac{64}{13} + \frac{81}{13} + \frac{100}{13} + \dots + \frac{841}{13} + \frac{900}{13}$ .

Possibilities:

(a)  $\frac{13515}{13}$

(b)  $\frac{810000}{169}$

(c)  $\frac{2126}{13}$

(d)  $\frac{9455}{13}$

(e)  $\frac{410850}{169}$

$$= \frac{1}{13} (1 + 4 + 9 + 16 + 25 + \dots + 900)$$

$$= \frac{1}{13} (1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2 + 5^2 + \dots + 30^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{13} \sum_{k=1}^{30} k^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{13} \cdot \frac{30(31)(61)}{6}$$

$$= \frac{56730}{13(6)} = \frac{9455}{13}$$

## Some Formulas

### 1. Summation formulas:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

### 2. Areas:

(a) Triangle  $A = \frac{bh}{2}$

(b) Circle  $A = \pi r^2$

(c) Rectangle  $A = lw$

(d) Trapezoid  $A = \frac{h_1 + h_2}{2} b$

### 3. Volumes:

(a) Rectangular Solid  $V = lwh$

(b) Sphere  $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

(c) Cylinder  $V = \pi r^2 h$

(d) Cone  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$

### 4. Distance:

(a) Distance between  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$

$$D = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$