

5. [6 points] For each of the following statements, circle True if the statement is always true and circle False otherwise. No justification is necessary.

- a. [2 points] If the function  $f(x)$  is continuous on the interval  $(0, 100)$ , then  $f(x)$  has a global maximum and a global minimum on that interval.

True

 False

- b. [2 points] If  $f(x)$  is a differentiable function with a critical point at  $x = c$ , then the function  $g(x) = e^{f(x)}$  also has a critical point at  $x = c$ .

 True

False

- c. [2 points] If  $f'(x)$  is continuous and  $f'(x) \neq 0$  for all  $x$ , then  $f(0) \neq f(5)$ .

 True

False

6. [8 points] This problem concerns the implicit curve

$$x^2 + xy + y^2 = 7$$

for which

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-y - 2x}{x + 2y}.$$

- a. [3 points] Find an equation for the tangent line to the curve at the point  $(1, 2)$ .

*Solution:*

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(1,2)} = \frac{-2 - 2(1)}{1 + 2(2)} = -\frac{4}{5}$$

So the tangent line at  $(1, 2)$  is  $y = -\frac{4}{5}(x - 1) + 2$ .

- b. [5 points] Find the  $x$ - and  $y$ -coordinates of all points on the curve at which the tangent line is vertical.

*Solution:* If the tangent line is vertical, the slope will be undefined. The derivative  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is undefined when  $x + 2y = 0$  which means  $x = -2y$ . Plugging this into the equation for the curve, we get

$$(-2y)^2 + (-2y)y + y^2 = 7$$

$$y^2 = \frac{7}{3}$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}$$

Since  $x = -2y$  this gives two points  $\left(2\sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}, -\sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}\right)$  and  $\left(-2\sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}, \sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}\right)$ .