

## Math.Econ.Anal.Test.1. 15.oct.20.

1.  $(4+(1+1+2+1+1))$  points)

(a)  $\bar{m} = (4, 4)^T$ ,  $\bar{p} = (-4, 4)^T$ . Solve the equation  $\alpha\bar{m} + \beta\bar{p} = (5, 9)^T$  for  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  !

(b)  $y = f(x) = 4 - 2x$ .

- i. Where are the intersections of this line with the  $x$  and  $y$  axes?
- ii. What is the slope of this function?
- iii. Express  $x$  with  $y$  !
- iv. What is the  $f^{-1}$  inverse of the function  $f$  ?
- v. Plot  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  together!

2.  $((2+3)+(3+1+1))$  points)

(a) Let  $f(x) = 1.2 \cdot x - 5$ . Find the fixed point of  $f$ !

If  $a_0 = 99$  and  $a_{n+1} = f(a_n) = 1.2a_n - 5$ , then how much is  $a_n$  ?

(b) Let  $a_n = \frac{2n+3}{4n+5}$ . Is  $a_n$  increasing or decreasing? (Prove it!)

Is  $a_n$  convergent as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ?

If the answer is yes, what is the limit of  $a_n$  ?

3.  $(3+(2+2+3))$  points)

(a) Let  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 4x$ ,  $x_0 = 3$ . What is the prediction of the linear approximation of  $f$  around  $x_0$  for the value of  $f(x_0 + \Delta x)$  ?

(b) i. Compute  $(x^{-2} \cos(4x))'$  !

ii. Compute  $(\sin(4x^3 + 3))'$  !

iii. Compute  $\left(\sqrt[5]{3x^2} + \frac{4}{(3x)^6} + \ln(3x)\right)'$  !

4.  $(7+3)$  points)

(a) Study the monotonicity, convexity and the local extremal values of the function  $f(x) = x - x^3$  !  
Draw the graphs of  $f$  and  $f'$  in the same coordinate system!