

MA113 Homework #5
Due Monday, September 17, 2001

Problems to do, but not turn in:

See the problems listed in the Calendar, September 10

Problems to turn in:

1. Exercises 1.6, #2, 6, 8, 12, 14, 16, 18.
2. Write a few sentences about the following formula:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

Where does it come from? What does it have to do with secant and tangent lines?
Why?