

Present neatly on separate paper. Justify for full credit. No Calculators.

Name SHUBLEKA / KEY. Score \_\_\_\_\_ ~10 minutes

1. Use the definition of the derivative to find a slope-measuring rule for the function  $y = \sqrt{9-4x}$ . [5 points]

2.

$$\text{Suppose that } f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1, & x \leq 1 \\ k(x-1), & x > 1. \end{cases}$$

For what values of  $k$  is  $f$

(a) continuous?

(b) differentiable?

[5 points]

$$\textcircled{1} f(x) = \sqrt{9-4x}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{9-4(x+h)} - \sqrt{9-4x}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\sqrt{9-4(x+h)} - \sqrt{9-4x}) (\sqrt{9-4(x+h)} + \sqrt{9-4x})}{h (\sqrt{9-4(x+h)} + \sqrt{9-4x})}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(9-4x-4h) - (9-4x)}{h [\sqrt{9-4(x+h)} + \sqrt{9-4x}]} =$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4h}{h (\sqrt{9-4(x+h)} + \sqrt{9-4x})} = \frac{-4}{2\sqrt{9-4x}} = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{9-4x}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ a) } \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} k(x-1) = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$= f(1) = 0 \quad \text{Cont. for all } k.$$

$$\text{b) } f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2x & x < 1 \\ k \text{ (slope)} & x > 1 \end{cases} \quad f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - 1 - (x^2 - 1)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - x^2}{h} = 2x.$$

$$\text{near } x=1: 2x|_{x=1} = k|_{x=1} \Rightarrow 2 \cdot 1 = k$$

$k=2$  → makes it differentiable.