Quiz: 30

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

Name	Score	30 minutes
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Suppose that the position functions of two particles,  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ , in motion along the same line are

$$s_1 = \frac{1}{2}t^2 - t + 3$$
 and  $s_2 = -\frac{1}{4}t^2 + t + 1$ 

respectively, for  $t \ge 0$ .

- (a) Prove that  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  do not collide.
- (b) How close do  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  get to each other?
- (c) During what intervals of time are they moving in opposite directions?

## 2.

What is the smallest possible area of the triangle that is cut off by the first quadrant and whose hypotenuse is tangent to the parabola  $y = 4 - x^2$  at some point?

## 3.

Show that the equation  $x^4 + 4x + c = 0$  has at most two real roots.

## 4.

Give at least three distinct examples of graphs of functions that fail each of the hypotheses of Rolle's Theorem but satisfy its conclusion.