

Ques:

If the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} \log_e \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right), & x < 0 \\ k, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x - 1}{(\sqrt{x^2+1}) - 1}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$ is continuous at $x=0$,

then $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{4}{k}$ is equal to?

Sol:- If $f(x)$ is continuous at $x=0$, $RHS = LHS = f(0)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x - 1}{(\sqrt{x^2+1}) - 1}$$

or $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\cos^2 x - 1}{\{\sqrt{x^2+1} - 1\} \{\sqrt{x^2+1} + 1\}} \cdot \{\sqrt{x^2+1} + 1\} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{-2 \sin^2 x}{x^2} \cdot (\sqrt{x^2+1} + 1)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = -4$$

and $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{1}{x} \left(\log_e \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right) \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{\ln \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right)}{\left(\frac{x}{a} \right) \cdot a} + \frac{\ln \left(\frac{1-x}{1-x} \right)}{\left(\frac{-x}{b} \right) \cdot b}$
$$= \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b}$$

So, $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = -4 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = k$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{4}{k} = -4 - 1 = -5}$$

$$\text{Ans} = -5$$

Q. Let $f: [-1, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined as $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ for all $x \in [-1, 1]$ where $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $f(-1) = 2$, $f'(1) = 1$ for $x \in (-1, 1)$ the maximum value of $f'(x)$ is $\frac{1}{2}$. If $f(x) \leq \alpha$, $x \in [-1, 1]$, then the least value of α is equal to _____

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Sol: $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$

$$f'(x) = 2ax + b$$

$$f''(x) = 2a$$

given that, $f''(1) = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 2a = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \boxed{a = \frac{1}{4}}$

again $f'(1) = 1 \Rightarrow b - 2a = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{b = \frac{3}{2}}$ $\boxed{b = \frac{3}{2}}$

again $f(-1) = a - b + c = 2 \Rightarrow \boxed{c = \frac{13}{4}}$

Now, $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}(x^2 + 6x + 13)$, $x \in [-1, 1]$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{4}(2x + 6) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -3 \notin [-1, 1]$$

$$f(1) = 5 ; f(-1) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) \leq 5 \quad \text{So } \boxed{\alpha_{\min} = 5} \quad \underline{\text{Ans}}$$

Q. The number of points, at which the $f^u f(x) = |2x+1| - 3|x+2| + |x^2+x-2|$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$ is not differentiable is _____

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Sol:- $f(x) = |2x+1| - 3|x+2| + |x^2+x-2|$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 7, & x > 1 \\ -x^2 - 2x - 3, & -\frac{1}{2} < x < 1 \\ -x^2 - 6x - 5, & -2 < x < -\frac{1}{2} \\ x^2 + 2x + 3, & x < -2 \end{cases}$$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & x > 1 \\ 2x - 3, & -\frac{1}{2} < x < 1 \\ -2x - 6, & -2 < x < -\frac{1}{2} \\ 2x + 2, & x < -2 \end{cases}$$

checking at $x=1, -2$ and $-\frac{1}{2}$

Thus, Non-differentiable at $x=1$ and $-\frac{1}{2}$ Ans