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Problem A Give a tight bound of the form $f(n) \in \Delta(g(n))$ for the following pairs of functions, knowing that $(\log_b(f(x)))' = \frac{f'(x)}{f(x) \ln b}$:

1. (4 points) $f(x) = x^2 \log x$ and $g(x) = x^3$
2. (4 points) $f(x) = x^4 + \log(3x^8 + 7)$ and $g(x) = (x^2 + 17x + 3)^2$
3. (4 points) $f(x) = \log(x^2 + 1)$ and $g(x) = \log(x)$.
4. (4 points) $f(x) = 2^{2^x}$ and $g(x) = 2^{x^2}$

Problem B Suppose that $f(x)$, $g(x)$ and $h(x)$ are positive functions such that $f(x) \in \mathcal{O}(g(x))$ and $g(x) \in \mathcal{O}(h(x))$. Show that $f(x) \in \mathcal{O}(h(x))$. Write your proof as formally and neatly as possible.

Problem	Page	Points	Score
Problem A	above	16	
Problem B	above	6	
2.4.2 (Find a_0 , a_1 , a_2 and a_3 instead of a_8)	160	8	
2.4.4	161	8	
2.4.6 (a–d)	161	8	
2.4.10 (a–d)	161	12	
2.4.14	161	8	
2.4.16	161	8	
2.4.18	162	8	
2.4.20	162	5	
2.4.22 (Bonus)	162	8	
2.4.28 Bonus (Hint: Look at Exercise 27)	162	2	
Total	87 + 10		
Typesetting in L ^A T _E X (Bonus)	10		

General instructions Follow instructions carefully, failure to do so may result in points being deducted.

- The homework can be submitted on paper or via handin. Homework neatly formatted in L^AT_EX will receive a 10 point bonus. You will not receive the 10 points bonus if you work with a partner (see below).

- Clearly label each problem and submit the answers in order.
- Staple this cover page to the front of your assignment for easier grading.
- Late submissions will not be accepted.
- Show sufficient work to justify your answer(s). *Sloppy, hard to read papers will not be graded* (please have mercy...).
- When you are asked to prove something, you must give as formal, rigorous, and complete a proof as possible.
- You are to work individually, and all work should be your own. Check partner policy below.
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3. You may not discuss problems with other groups or individuals.
4. Hand in only one hard copy under the first authors name.