Answers to Worksheet on the Mean Value Theorem

1. x = 3

- 2. $-\frac{4}{5}$
- 3. B
- 4. x = 0 and x = 2
- 5. g is differentiable, so g is continuous on [-5, -3], and $\frac{g(-3) g(-5)}{-3 (-5)} = \frac{2 10}{2} = -4$. Therefore, by the

Mean Value Theorem, there is at least one c, -5 < c < -3, such that g'(c) = -4.

- 6. Because *H* is differentiable on $3 \le t \le 5$, *H* is continuous on $3 \le t \le 5$, and $\frac{H(5) H(3)}{5 3} = \frac{6 2}{2} = 2$. Therefore, by the Mean Value Theorem, there exists a value *c*, 3 < c < 5, such that H'(c) = 2.
- 7. $f'(x) = x^2 2x 3$ 8. Sketch 9. – 1 and 3 10. - 1 and 3 11. $(-\infty, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$ 12. $(-\infty, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$ 13. -1 < x < 314. -1 < x < 315. $f'(x) = \frac{2}{3(x-1)^{\frac{1}{3}}}$ 16. Sketch 17.1 18.1 19. (1, ∞) 20. (1,∞) 21. $(-\infty, 1)$ 22. (−∞, 1) 23. f'(x) = 0 or f'(x) is undefined 24. f'(x) > 025. f'(x) < 0