

MATH 1B MIDTERM 1 (LEC 001)
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Formulae

$$\int \tan(x) dx = \ln |\sec(x)| + C \qquad \int \sec(x) dx = \ln |\sec(x) + \tan(x)| + C$$

$$\int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \arctan(x) + C \qquad \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \arcsin(x) + C$$

$$\frac{d \tan(x)}{dx} = \sec^2(x) \qquad \frac{d \sec(x)}{dx} = \tan(x) \sec(x)$$

$$1 = \sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) \qquad 1 + \tan^2(x) = \sec^2(x)$$

$$\cos^2(x) = \frac{1 + \cos(2x)}{2} \qquad \sin^2(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(2x)}{2}$$

$$|E_{M_n}| \leq \frac{K(b-a)^3}{24n^2} \qquad |E_{S_n}| \leq \frac{K(b-a)^5}{180n^4}$$

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This exam consists of 5 questions. Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

1. (30 points) Compute the following integrals:

(a)

$$\int \tan^3(x) \sec^3(x) dx$$

Solution:

$$\int \tan^3(x) \sec^3(x) dx = \int \sin^2(x) \cos^{-6}(x) dx$$

$$\text{Let } u = \cos(x) \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = -\sin(x) \Rightarrow dx = \frac{-du}{\sin(x)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \int \sin^2(x) \cos^{-6}(x) dx &= -\int (1-u^2) u^{-6} du = \frac{1}{5} u^{-5} - \frac{1}{3} u^{-3} + C \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \cos^{-5}(x) - \frac{1}{3} \cos^{-3}(x) + C \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\int x^3 \sin(x^2) dx$$

Solution:

$$\text{Let } u = x^2 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 2x \Rightarrow dx = \frac{du}{2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int x^3 \sin(x^2) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int u \sin(u) du$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} u \cos(u) + \frac{1}{2} \int \cos(u) du = -\frac{1}{2} u \cos(u) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(u) + C$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} x^2 \cos(x^2) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(x^2) + C$$

2. (30 points) By doing a suitable **trigonometric substitution**, compute the following integral

$$\int \frac{x^5}{(\sqrt{4x^2-1})^3} dx$$

Carefully justify your answer. You should simplify your final answer using an appropriate right triangle.

Solution:

$$x = \frac{\sec(\theta)}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \tan(\theta) \sec(\theta) \Rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{2} \tan(\theta) \sec(\theta) d\theta$$

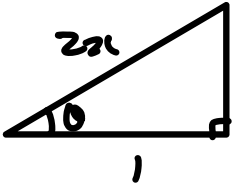
$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{x^5}{(\sqrt{4x^2-1})^3} dx = \frac{1}{2^6} \int \frac{\sec^5(\theta)}{\tan^3(\theta)} \tan(\theta) \sec(\theta) d\theta = \frac{1}{2^6} \int \tan^{-2}(\theta) \sec^6(\theta) d\theta$$

$$u = \tan(\theta) \Rightarrow \frac{du}{d\theta} = \sec^2(\theta) \Rightarrow d\theta = \frac{du}{\sec^2(\theta)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \tan^{-2}(\theta) \sec^6(\theta) d\theta = \int u^{-2} (1+u^2)^2 du = \int u^{-2} + 2 + u^2 du$$

$$= -u^{-1} + 2u + \frac{1}{3}u^3 + C = -\tan^{-1}(\theta) + 2\tan(\theta) + \frac{1}{3}\tan^3(\theta) + C$$

$$x = \frac{\sec(\theta)}{2} \Rightarrow 2x = \sec(\theta) \Rightarrow \cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{2x}$$



$$\Rightarrow \tan(\theta) = \sqrt{4x^2-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{x^5}{(\sqrt{4x^2-1})^3} dx = \frac{1}{2^6} \left(-(\sqrt{4x^2-1})^{-1} + 2\sqrt{4x^2-1} + \frac{1}{3}(\sqrt{4x^2-1})^3 \right) + C$$

3. (30 points) (a) Write down the general form of the partial fraction decomposition of the function

$$\frac{r(x)}{(x^2 + 1)^2(x + 1)}$$

where $r(x)$ is a polynomial with $\deg(r(x)) < 5$.

Solution:

$$\frac{r(x)}{(x^2+1)^2(x+1)} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2+1} + \frac{Cx+D}{(x^2+1)^2} + \frac{E}{x+1}$$

- (b) In the case that $r(x) = x^4 + 4x^2 + 2x + 1$, show that function can actually be written as

$$\frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

Use this to compute the integral

$$\int \frac{x^4 + 4x^2 + 2x + 1}{(x^2 + 1)^2(x + 1)} dx$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^4 + 4x^2 + 2x + 1}{(x^2+1)^2(x+1)} &= \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{A(x^2+1)^2 + Bx(x+1)}{(x+1)(x^2+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{Ax^4 + (2A+B)x^2 + Bx + A}{(x+1)(x^2+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \quad A &= 1 \\ 2A+B &= 4 \quad \Rightarrow \quad A=1 \\ B &= 2 \\ A &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \int \frac{x^4 + 4x^2 + 2x + 1}{(x^2+1)^2(x+1)} dx &= \int \frac{1}{x+1} dx + \int \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)^2} dx \\ &= \ln|x+1| - \frac{1}{x^2+1} + C \end{aligned}$$

4. (30 points) Determine if the following improper integrals are convergent or divergent. Justify your answers.

(a)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x}{(x^2-1)^3} dx \quad \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} x^2-1=0 \\ \Leftrightarrow x=\pm 1 \end{array}$$

Solution:

Consider $\int_1^2 \frac{x}{(x^2-1)^3} dx$ \leftarrow If divergent then so is $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x}{(x^2-1)^3} dx$

$$u = x^2 - 1 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 2x \Rightarrow dx = \frac{du}{2x} \Rightarrow \int \frac{x}{(x^2-1)^3} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u^3} du$$

$$\int_1^2 \frac{x}{(x^2-1)^3} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow 1^+} \left. \frac{-1}{4(x^2-1)^2} \right|_t^2 = \lim_{t \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{-1}{4 \cdot 9} + \frac{1}{4(t^2-1)^2} = \frac{-1}{4} \frac{1}{u^2} + C = \frac{-1}{4(x^2-1)^2} + C$$

$$= \infty \Rightarrow \underline{\text{divergent}}$$

(b)

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x) + \sin(x) + 3}{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1} dx$$

Solution:

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x) + \sin(x) + 3}{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{\cos(x) + \sin(x) + 3}{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1} dx + \int_1^{\infty} \frac{\cos(x) + \sin(x) + 3}{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1} dx$$

$$0 < \cos(x) + \sin(x) + 3 < 5 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 < \frac{1}{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1} < \frac{1}{x^3} \quad \text{on } (1, \infty)$$

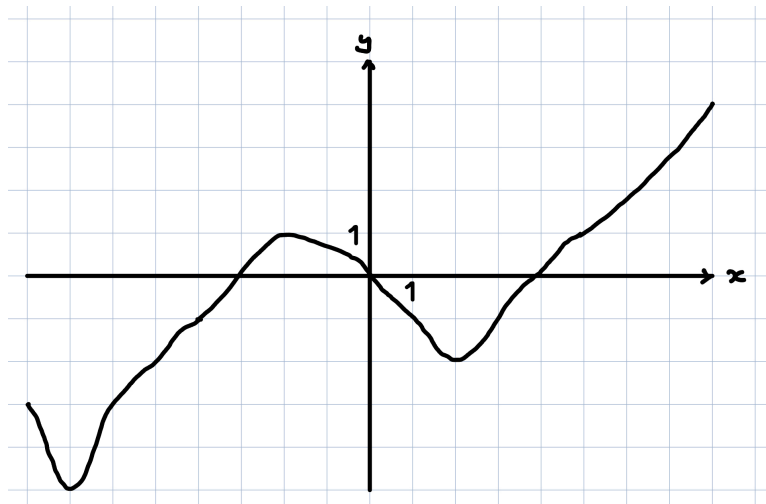
$$\Rightarrow 0 < \frac{\cos(x) + \sin(x) + 3}{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1} < \frac{5}{x^3} \quad \text{on } [1, \infty)$$

$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{5}{x^3} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left. \frac{-5}{2x^2} \right|_1^t = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-5}{2t^2} + \frac{5}{2} = \frac{5}{2}$$

\Rightarrow Convergent

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5. (30 points) Let f be a function whose **fourth derivative** has the following graph.



Consider the integral $\int_{-4}^4 f(x) dx$.

Assume that the *eighth* Simpson's approximation to this integral is $S_8 = \frac{93}{45}$.

Given this information, is it possible that $\int_{-4}^4 f(x) dx = \frac{98}{45}$? Carefully justify your answer.

Solution:

$$\text{Graph} \Rightarrow |f^{(4)}(x)| \leq 2 \text{ for all } x \text{ in } [-4, 4]$$

$$\Rightarrow |E_{S_8}| \leq \frac{2(4 - (-4))^5}{180 \cdot 8^4} = \frac{16}{180} = \frac{4}{45}$$

$$\text{However if } \int_{-4}^4 f(x) dx = \frac{98}{45} \Rightarrow |E_{S_8}| = \left| \frac{98}{45} - \frac{93}{45} \right| = \frac{5}{45}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{5}{45} > \frac{4}{45}$$

$$\text{Conclusion} : \text{No! } \int_{-4}^4 f(x) dx \neq \frac{98}{45}$$

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