

This is the **SOLUTION** of our final exam. ASK ME for help if you are confused on any part of it.

Problem 1. (15 points) Evaluate the following integrals. Make sure your notation is perfectly correct.

$$(a) \int (\sec(x) + \tan(x))^2 dx \quad (b) \int_0^{1/2} \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

Solution. (a) We can expand the integrand:

$$(\sec(x) + \tan(x))^2 = \sec^2(x) + 2 \sec(x) \tan(x) + \tan^2(x)$$

Then we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int (\sec(x) + \tan(x))^2 dx &= \int (\sec^2(x) + 2 \sec(x) \tan(x) + \tan^2(x)) dx \\ &= \int \sec^2(x) dx + 2 \int \sec(x) \tan(x) dx + \int \tan^2(x) dx \\ &= \tan(x) + 2 \sec(x) + \tan(x) - x + C \\ &= 2 \sec(x) + 2 \tan(x) - x + C \end{aligned}$$

(b) Observe that the denominator of the integrand consists of $1 - x^2$, which is in the form of $a^2 - x^2$. We can use a trigonometric substitution and let $x = \sin(\theta)$. Then we obtain $x^3 = \sin^3(\theta)$ and

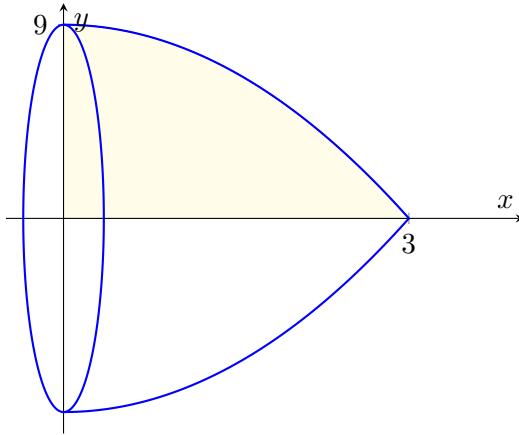
$$\sqrt{1-x^2} = \sqrt{1-\sin^2(\theta)} = \sqrt{\cos^2(\theta)} = \cos(\theta)$$

Also, $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \cos(\theta)$, which implies that $dx = \cos(\theta) d\theta$. When $x = 0$, $\theta = \sin^{-1}(0) = 0$; when $x = \frac{1}{2}$, $\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$. Using this substitution, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{1/2} \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \frac{\sin^3(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} \cdot \cos(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \sin^3(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \left(-\cos(\theta) + \frac{\cos^3(\theta)}{3} \right) \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \\ &= \left(-\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \frac{\cos^3\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}{3} \right) - \left(-\cos(0) + \frac{\cos^3(0)}{3} \right) \\ &= -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{24} + 1 - \frac{1}{3} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8} \\ &\approx 0.01715 \end{aligned}$$

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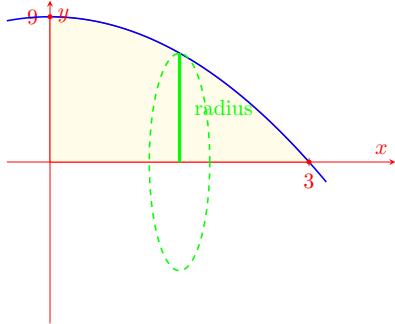
Problem 2. (14 points) Let \mathcal{R} be the region under $x^2 + y = 9$ in the first quadrant. The graph is shown below. Let \mathcal{S} be the solid obtained by rotating \mathcal{R} about the x -axis.



- Set up an expression to find the volume of \mathcal{S} using the **Disk Method**. You do NOT need to evaluate this integral.
- Set up an expression to find the volume of \mathcal{S} using the **Shell Method**. You do NOT need to evaluate this integral.

Solution. A sketch of the solid \mathcal{S} is shown on the graph above.

- A typical disk obtained from the rotation is shown below.



The radius of a disk, marked as radius on the graph, is

$$r = 9 - x^2$$

Hence, the volume of the solid \mathcal{S} is

$$V = \pi \int_0^3 (9 - x^2)^2 dx$$

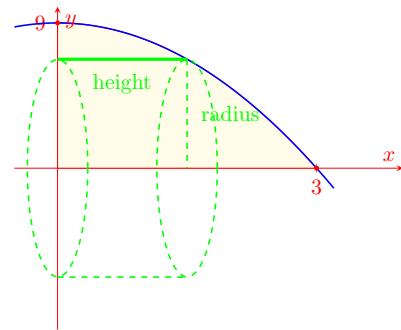
- A typical cylindrical shell obtained from the rotation is shown below.

The radius of a cylindrical shell, marked as radius on the graph, is $r = y$ and the height of a cylindrical shell, marked as height on the graph, is

$$h = \sqrt{9 - y}$$

Hence, the volume of the solid \mathcal{S} is

$$V = 2\pi \int_0^9 y \sqrt{9 - y} dy$$



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Problem 3. (14 points) Evaluate the following integrals. Also, check the box that best describes the solution.

(a) $\int_1^\infty \frac{\ln(x)}{x^3} dx$ the integral **converges**. the integral **diverges**.

(b) $\int_0^3 \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} dx$ the integral **converges**. the integral **diverges**.

Solution. (a) We can evaluate this integral using the integration by parts. Let

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \ln x & dv &= \frac{1}{x^3} dx \\ du &= \frac{1}{x} dx & v &= -\frac{1}{2x^2} \end{aligned}$$

Using the formula for the Integration by parts, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^\infty \frac{\ln x}{x^3} dx &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{\ln x}{x^3} dx \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(\ln x \cdot -\frac{1}{2x^2} \Big|_1^b - \int_1^b -\frac{1}{2x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{\ln x}{2x^2} - \frac{1}{4x^2} \Big|_1^b \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{2 \ln b + 1}{4b^2} \right) + \frac{1}{4} \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{1}{4b^2} \right) + \frac{1}{4} && \text{by the L'Hôpital's rule} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Notice that $f(x) = \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)}$ is NOT a continuous function on $[0, 3]$. More specifically, f is NOT continuous at $x = 3$. So we will need to swap out $x = 3$ with a variable (and then take the limit, of course).

$$\int_0^3 \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow 3^-} \int_0^b \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} dx$$

We can decompose the fraction $\frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)}$ using partial fraction decomposition. That is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} &= \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{x-3} \\ 5x &= A(x-3) + B(x+2) \end{aligned}$$

If $x = -2$, then $-10 = A(-2-3) + B(-2+2) = -5A$. Hence, $A = 2$.

If $x = 3$, then $15 = A(3-3) + B(3+2) = 5B$. Hence, $B = 3$.

Hence, we have $\frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} = \frac{2}{x+2} + \frac{3}{x-3}$. So we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^3 \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} dx &= \lim_{b \rightarrow 3^-} \int_0^b \frac{5x}{(x+2)(x-3)} dx \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow 3^-} \left(\int_0^b \frac{2}{x+2} dx + \int_0^b \frac{3}{x-3} dx \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow 3^-} (2 \ln|x+2| + 3 \ln|x-3|) \Big|_0^b \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow 3^-} (2 \ln|b+2| + 3 \ln|b-3| - 2 \ln(2) - 3 \ln(3)) \\ &= 2 \ln(5) + 3 \lim_{b \rightarrow 3^-} \ln|b-3| - 2 \ln(2) - 3 \ln(3) \\ &= -\infty \end{aligned}$$

This shows that the integral $\int_0^3 \frac{5x}{x^2 - x - 6} dx$ diverges.

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Problem 4. (15 points) Approximate the integral $\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{dx}{(5 + 3 \sin(x))^2}$ using the following approximation methods:

(a) M_4 (b) T_4 (c) S_4

Solution. (a) Given that $N = 4$, we know that $\Delta x = \frac{2\pi - 0}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2}$. Using the formula for the *Midpoint rule*, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} M_4 &= \Delta x \left(f\left(\frac{0 + \frac{\pi}{2}}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{\frac{\pi}{2} + \pi}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{\pi + \frac{3\pi}{2}}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{\frac{3\pi}{2} + 2\pi}{2}\right) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \left(f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} (0.019719 + 0.019719 + 0.120674 + 0.120674) \\ &\approx 0.4411 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Given that $N = 4$, we know that $\Delta x = \frac{2\pi - 0}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2}$. Using the formula for the *Trapezoid rule*, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} T_4 &= \frac{\Delta x}{2} \left(f(0) + 2f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 2f(\pi) + 2f\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) + f(2\pi) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \left(\frac{1}{25} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{64} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{25} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{25} \right) \\ &\approx 0.5429 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Given that $N = 4$, we know that $\Delta x = \frac{2\pi - 0}{4} = \frac{\pi}{2}$. Using the formula for the *Simpson's rule*, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} S_4 &= \frac{\Delta x}{3} \left(f(0) + 4f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 2f(\pi) + 4f\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) + f(2\pi) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{3} \left(\frac{1}{25} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{64} + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{25} + 4 \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{25} \right) \\ &\approx 0.6401 \end{aligned}$$

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Problem 5. (14 points) Let $f(x) = xe^{-x}$ if $x \geq 0$ and $f(x) = 0$ if $x < 0$.

(a) Verify that f is a probability density function.

Hint: Recall the two conditions for a function to be a probability density function based on the definition. You will need to argue why $f(x)$ satisfies BOTH conditions.

(b) Find $P(1 \leq X \leq 2)$. Round your answer to six decimal places.

Solution. (a) Notice that $e^{-x} > 0$ for all real number x . That is, $f(x) = xe^{-x} \geq 0$ for all $x \geq 0$. Since $f(x) = 0$ for all $x < 0$, then $f(x) \geq 0$ for all real values of x . Also,

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 f(x) dx + \int_0^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 0 dx + \int_0^{\infty} xe^{-x} dx = \int_0^{\infty} xe^{-x} dx$$

So we want to verify that $\int_0^{\infty} xe^{-x} dx = 1$, using the method of integration by parts with the following substitution:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= x & dv &= e^{-x} dx \\ du &= dx & v &= -e^{-x} \end{aligned}$$

We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\infty} xe^{-x} dx &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^b xe^{-x} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-xe^{-x} \Big|_0^b - \int_0^b -e^{-x} dx \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-xe^{-x} \Big|_0^b + \int_0^b e^{-x} dx \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-xe^{-x} \Big|_0^b - e^{-x} \Big|_0^b \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(((-be^{-b}) - (-0 \cdot e^0)) - ((-e^{-b}) - (e^0)) \right) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, f is a probability density function.

(b) We know that $P(1 \leq X \leq 2) = \int_1^2 xe^{-x} dx$, and we can also use the antiderivative we came up with in part (a). That is,

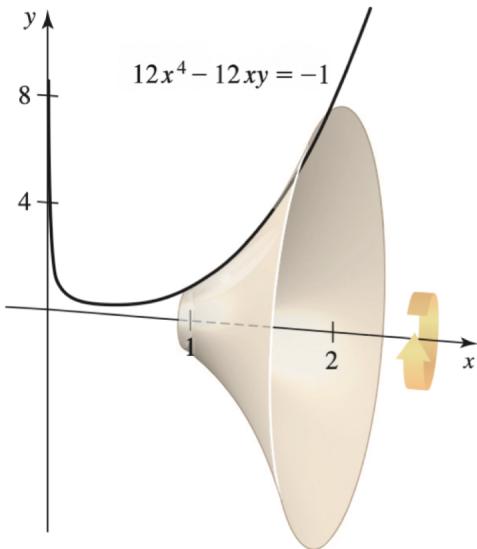
$$\begin{aligned} P(1 \leq X \leq 2) &= \int_1^2 xe^{-x} dx = \left(-xe^{-x} - e^{-x} \right) \Big|_1^2 && \text{from Part (a)} \\ &= (-2e^{-2} - e^{-2}) - (-e^{-1} - e^{-1}) \\ &\approx 0.329753 \end{aligned}$$

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Problem 6. (14 points) The curved surface of a funnel is generated by revolving the graph of

$$12x^4 - 12xy = -1$$

on the interval $[1, 2]$ about the x -axis (see the figure below). Set up an expression to find the **surface area** of the funnel. You do NOT need to evaluate this integral.



Solution. Recall that the formula to find the surface area of a solid obtained by rotating a region around the x -axis is

$$SA = 2\pi \int_a^b f(x) \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx$$

We can obtain $f(x)$ by isolating y in the equation given. Then $f(x) = x^3 + \frac{1}{12x}$. This implies that

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - \frac{1}{12x^2}$$

Hence, the surface area of this funnel is

$$SA = 2\pi \int_1^2 \left(x^3 + \frac{1}{12x} \right) \sqrt{1 + \left(3x^2 - \frac{1}{12x^2} \right)^2} dx$$

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Problem 7. (14 points) Approximate the integral $\int_0^1 x \cos(x^3) dx$ using a Maclaurin polynomial in the following steps.

- Find the 4th-degree Maclaurin polynomial for $\cos(x)$ using the definition of Maclaurin polynomial.
- Find the 13th-degree Maclaurin polynomial for $x \cos(x^3)$ using the result you obtained in part (a).
- Approximate the integral using the Maclaurin polynomial you found in part (b). Round your answer to six decimal places.

Solution. (a) Let $f(x) = \cos(x)$. Notice that

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \cos(x) & f(0) &= \cos(0) = 1 \\ f'(x) &= -\sin(x) & f'(0) &= -\sin(0) = 0 \\ f''(x) &= -\cos(x) & f''(0) &= -\cos(0) = -1 \\ f'''(x) &= \sin(x) & f'''(0) &= \sin(0) = 0 \\ f^{(4)}(x) &= \cos(x) & f^{(4)}(0) &= \cos(0) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Using the Maclaurin polynomial formula, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) = \cos(x) &\approx f(0) + \frac{f'(0)}{1!}x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f'''(0)}{3!}x^3 + \frac{f^{(4)}(0)}{4!}x^4 \\ &= 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Observe that $x \cos(x^3) = xf(x^3)$. To obtain the Maclaurin polynomial for $x \cos(x^3)$, we can plug in x^3 to the Maclaurin polynomial we obtained in part (a) and then multiply it by x . That is,

$$\begin{aligned} x \cos(x^3) = xf(x^3) &\approx x \left(1 - \frac{(x^3)^2}{2} + \frac{(x^3)^4}{24} \right) \\ &= x - \frac{x^7}{2} + \frac{x^{13}}{24} \end{aligned}$$

- (c) We can approximate this integral using the Maclaurin polynomial we got in part (b).

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 x \cos(x^3) dx &\approx \int_0^1 \left(x - \frac{x^7}{2} + \frac{x^{13}}{24} \right) dx \\ &= \left(\frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^8}{16} + \frac{x^{14}}{336} \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{336} \\ &= \frac{37}{84} \\ &\approx 0.440476 \end{aligned}$$

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Bonus. (10 points) Determine whether the following statements are true. If so, justify it; if not, provide a counterexample to show what breaks down (for example, what value for m does not work).

- (a) If m is a positive integer, then $\int_0^\pi \sin^m(x) dx = 0$.
- (b) If m is a positive integer, then $\int_0^\pi \cos^{2m+1}(x) dx = 0$.

Hint: Notice that the power of $2m + 1$ on cosine is always an odd number since $2m$ is always divisible by 2 and we added 1 to it. What do we do if we see an odd power on cosine?

Solution. (a) This is a **FALSE** statement. You can verify using a calculator easily that no m value will make the statement true. A counterexample will be let $m = 1$. Then

$$\int_0^\pi \sin(x) dx = 2 \neq 0$$

- (b) This is a **TRUE** statement. You should be able to guess this statement is true by plugging in some values for m using a calculator. I will provide a brief justification on why the statement is true.

Notice that

$$\int_0^\pi \cos^{2m+1}(x) dx = \int_0^\pi \cos^{2m}(x) \cos(x) dx = \int_0^\pi (\cos^2(x))^m \cos(x) dx = \int_0^\pi (1 - \sin^2(x))^m \cos(x) dx$$

Let $du = \cos(x) dx$. Then $u = \sin(x)$. Using u -sub, the upper limit becomes $u(\pi) = \sin(\pi) = 0$ and the lower limit becomes $u(0) = \sin(0) = 0$. So we obtain

$$\int_0^\pi (1 - \sin^2(x))^m \cos(x) dx = \int_0^0 (1 - u^2)^m du = 0$$

since the upper limit and the lower limit are the same. □