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Practice Exam

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Warning: For the most part, I've only given answers, not solutions—this is BOB (back-of-book) fashion. Of course, for your exam you will need to **show your work**.

- 1. Define a region Q of the xy-plane by $Q = \{(x, y) | 0 \le y \le x \sin(x), 0 \le x \le \pi\}$
 - (a) Find area(Q).

Solution:

$$\operatorname{area}(Q) = \int_0^{\pi} x \sin(x) \, \mathrm{d}x = \pi.$$

(b) Find the x coordinate of the centroid of *Q*.

Solution:

$$\operatorname{area}(Q)\overline{x} = \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \sin(x) \, \mathrm{d}x = \pi^2 - 4.$$

So
$$\overline{x} = \frac{\pi^2 - 4}{\pi} \approx 1.868353108854631$$
.

2. Find the value of each indefinite or definite integral.

(a)
$$\int x e^{x^2} \, \mathrm{d}x =$$

Solution:

$$\int x e^{x^2} dx = \frac{e^{x^2}}{2}$$

(b)
$$\int_0^1 \frac{x}{(1+x^2)^{3/2}} \, \mathrm{d}x =$$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x}{\left(1+x^2\right)^{3/2}} \, \mathrm{d}x = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

(c)
$$\int x\sqrt{1-x^2} \, \mathrm{d}x =$$

$$\int x\sqrt{1-x^2} \, \mathrm{d}x = -\frac{\left(1-x^2\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3}$$

(d)
$$\int \tan^{-1}(x) \, \mathrm{d}x =$$

Solution:

$$\int \tan^{-1}(x) \, \mathrm{d}x = x \tan^{-1}(x) - \frac{\ln(x^2 + 1)}{2}$$

(e)
$$\int x \ln(x) \, \mathrm{d}x =$$

Solution:

$$\int x \ln(x) \, dx = \frac{x^2 \ln(x)}{2} - \frac{x^2}{4}$$

$$(f) \int_0^1 x e^{-x} dx =$$

Solution:

$$\int_0^1 x e^{-x} \, \mathrm{d}x = 1 - 2e^{-1}$$

(g)
$$\int \frac{1}{(x+5)(x+9)} dx =$$

$$\int \frac{1}{(x+5)(x+9)} \, \mathrm{d}x = \frac{\ln|x+5|}{4} - \frac{\ln|x+9|}{4}$$

(h)
$$\int \cos^2(x) \, \mathrm{d}x =$$

$$\int \cos^2(x) \, \mathrm{d}x = \frac{\sin(2x)}{4} + \frac{x}{2}$$

(i) $\int \cos^3(x) \sin(x) \, \mathrm{d}x =$

Solution: The easy way is to substitute z = cos(x). Doing so, an antiderivative is

$$\int \cos^3(x)\sin(x)\,\mathrm{d}x = -\frac{\cos(x)^4}{4}$$

If you peel off one factor of cos(x) and use the Pythagorean identity on the rest, then make the substitution z = sin(x), your answer will be

$$\int \cos^3(x)\sin(x) \, dx = \frac{1}{2}\sin(x)^2 - \frac{1}{4}\sin(x)^4.$$

Replacing $\sin(x)^2$ by $1 - \cos(x)^2$ in this gives (after some algebra)

$$\int \cos^3(x) \sin(x) \, dx = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{\cos(x)^4}{4}.$$

Of course, antiderivatives are undetermined up to an additive constant, so this is equivalent to

$$\int \cos^3(x)\sin(x)\,\mathrm{d}x = -\frac{\cos(x)^4}{4}.$$

- 3. Find the numerical value of each improper integral.
 - (a) $\int_0^\infty x e^{-x^2} dx$

$$\int_0^\infty x \mathrm{e}^{-x^2} \, \mathrm{d}x = \frac{1}{2}.$$

(b)
$$\int_0^\infty x e^{-x} dx$$

$$\int_0^\infty x e^{-x} dx = 1.$$

(c)
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 + 9} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

Solution:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 + 9} \, \mathrm{d}x = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

(d)
$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^{9/10}} dx$$

Solution:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^{9/10}} \, \mathrm{d}x = 10.$$

4. When Morwenna graduates from UNK and starts her first job, she expects to earn a starting annual salary of \$42,000. She plans to work for 42 years and she expects to earn a 3% raise each year. Thus, in her n^{th} year of work, her salary is $42,000 \times 1.03^{n-1}$. During Morwenna's 42 years of labor, how much will she earn?

Solution:

$$42000 \sum_{k=0}^{41} 1.03^k = 3,444,974.25$$

5. Given a formula for a sequence *b*, find its limit. Show all of your work.

[2] (a)
$$b_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k$$
.

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} b_n = 3. \tag{1}$$

[2] (b)
$$b_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^k$$
.

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}b_n=\infty.$$

6. Show that the sequence whose formula is $a_k = \sqrt{k^2 + 3k + 1} - k$ converges. Show all of your work.

Solution: We'll use the trick of moving the radicals to the denominator. We have

$$\begin{split} \lim_{k \to \infty} \left(\sqrt{k^2 + 3k + 1} - k \right) &= \lim_{k \to \infty} \left(\sqrt{k^2 + 3k + 1} - k \right) \times \frac{\sqrt{k^2 + 1} + k}{\sqrt{k^2 + 1} + k}, \\ &= \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{(k^2 + 3k + 1) - k^2}{\sqrt{k^2 + 1} + k}, \\ &= \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{3k + 1}{\sqrt{k^2 + 3k + 1} + k}, \\ &= \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{3k}{2k}, \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \end{split}$$

2 7. Determine if the sequence whose formula is $b_k = k \ln \left(1 + \frac{8}{k}\right)$ converges. If it does, find its limit. As always, show your work.

Solution: We need the limit of a product. Since $\lim_{k\to\infty} k = \infty$ and $\lim_{k\to\infty} \ln\left(1+\frac{8}{k}\right) = 0$, we have an indeterminate form of the type $0\times\infty$. By rearranging this to $\frac{\ln\left(1+\frac{8}{k}\right)}{\frac{1}{k}}$, we have an indeterminate form of the type $\frac{0}{0}$. And maybe the l'Hôpital rule will help. We have

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \ln\left(1 + \frac{8}{k}\right) = \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{\ln\left(1 + \frac{8}{k}\right)}{\frac{1}{k}},$$

$$= \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{-\frac{8}{\left(\frac{8}{k} + 1\right)k^2}}{-\frac{1}{k^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{8}{\frac{8}{k} + 1},$$

$$= 8.$$

Actually, until we've determined that the limit of the quotient of derivatives is a real number, equality between the first and second lines is not certain. Notionally, we could use $\stackrel{?}{=}$ To mean equality as long as the right side is a real number, but that notation (I didn't invent it) is nonstandard.

8. A sequence *c* is defined recursively by

$$c_n = \begin{cases} 2 & n = 0 \\ 5 & n = 1 \\ 5c_{n-1} - 6c_{n-2} & n = 2, 3, 4, \dots \end{cases}$$

[2] (a) Find the numeric values of c_2 , c_3 , and c_4 .

$$c_2 = 5c_1 - 6c_0 = 5 \times 5 - 6 \times 2 = 25 - 12 = 13,$$

 $c_3 = 5c_2 - 6c_1 = 5 \times 13 - 6 \times 5 = 65 - 30 = 35,$
 $c_4 = 5c_3 - 6c_2 = 5 \times 35 - 6 \times 13 = 25 - 12 = 97.$

2 9. Find the *numeric value* of the integral $\int_0^\infty \frac{x}{1+x^4} dx$. **Hint:** To find an antiderivative of $\int \frac{x}{1+x^4} dx$, use the substitution $z = x^2$.

Solution: Let's begin by finding an antiderivative; once we found it, we'll use the FTC along with a limit to find the value of the improper integral. We have

$$\int \frac{x}{1+x^4} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{1+(x^2)^2} dx^2, \qquad \left(x dx = \frac{1}{2} dx^2\right),$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{1+z^2} dz, \qquad \text{(replace } x^2 \text{ by } z\text{)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \arctan(z), \qquad \text{(standard antiderivative)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \arctan(x^2) \qquad \text{(replace } z \text{ by } x^2\text{)}.$$

Second, we take on the improper integral:

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{x}{1+x^4} dx = \lim_{a \to \infty} \int_0^a \frac{x}{1+x^4} dx,$$

$$= \lim_{a \to \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan(x^2) \Big|_0^a,$$

$$= \lim_{a \to \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan(a^2) - \frac{1}{2} \arctan(0) \right),$$

$$= \lim_{a \to \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} \arctan(a^2) \right),$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4}$$

1 10. Show that $\int_0^\infty \frac{28 + \cos(x)}{1 + x^2} dx$ converges. To do this, use a comparison test with $\frac{\alpha}{1 + x^2}$, where α is a number that you cleverly choose.

Solution: For all real numbers x, we have $27 \le 28 + \cos(x) \le 29$. Let's (cleverly) choose α to be 29. Then for all real numbers x, we have

$$0 \le \frac{28 + \cos(x)}{1 + x^2} \le \frac{29}{1 + x^2}.\tag{2}$$

But $\int_0^\infty \frac{29}{1+x^2} dx$ converges, so $\int_0^\infty \frac{28+\cos(x)}{1+x^2} dx$ converges.

Be careful We only know that $\int_0^\infty \frac{28 + \cos(x)}{1 + x^2} dx$ is a real number, but the comparison test **doesn't** tell us its value. We'll it does tell us that

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{28 + \cos(x)}{1 + x^2} \, \mathrm{d}x \le \int_0^\infty \frac{29}{1 + x^2} \, \mathrm{d}x = \frac{29\pi}{2} \approx 45.553093477052.$$

Numerical integration gives us the approximation $\int_0^\infty \frac{28 + \cos(x)}{1 + x^2} dx \approx 44.560$

1 11. Show that $\int_1^\infty \frac{107 + e^{-x}}{1 + x^2} dx$ converges. To do this, use a limit comparison test.

Solution: We know that $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$ converges. And for all real $x \ge 1$ we have $\frac{107+e^{-x}}{1+x^2} > 0$ and $\frac{1}{1+x^2} > 0$. Finally, everything in sight is continuous; so look at

$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{1+x^2}}{\frac{107 + e^{-x}}{1+x^2}} = \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{1}{107 + e^{-x}},$$
$$= \frac{1}{107}.$$

So $\int_1^\infty \frac{107 + e^{-x}}{1 + x^2} dx$ converges.

12. Use the integral test to show that the series $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+k^2}$ converges.