

1. For the following power series, find the radius and interval of convergence. Give a complete justification for your solution. (20 points)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-4)^n}{(n+1)3^{2n}}$$

Ratio test: $a_n = \frac{1}{(n+1)3^{2n}}$, $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \frac{\frac{1}{(n+2)3^{2n+2}}}{\frac{1}{(n+1)3^{2n}}} = \frac{n+1}{n+2} \cdot \frac{1}{9}$ 4 points

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \frac{1}{9} \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

Then $R = 9$ (radius of convergence) 2 points

The series converges for $x \in (4-9, 4+9) = (-5, 13)$ 2 points

For $x = -5$, we have $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-9)^n}{(n+1)9^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n+1}$ 2 points
is convergent 1 point
by the alternating series test. 1 point

For $x = 13$, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{9^n}{(n+1)9^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n+1}$ 2 points

Since $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n+1}}{\frac{1}{n}} = 1$, by limit comparison with the harmonic series, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n+1} = \infty$ 1 point

Interval of convergence: $[-5, 13)$ 2 points

2. (a) Compute the Taylor polynomial of order 3 generated by the function $f(x) = \sqrt{2} \sin x$, centered at $a = \frac{\pi}{4}$. (13 points)

$$f'(x) = \sqrt{2} \cos x, \quad f''(x) = -\sqrt{2} \sin x, \quad f'''(x) = -\sqrt{2} \cos x \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 1$$

$$a_0 = 1 \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

$$f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 1$$

$$a_1 = 1 \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

$$f''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = -1$$

$$a_2 = -\frac{1}{2} \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

$$f'''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = -1$$

$$a_3 = \frac{-1}{3!} = -\frac{1}{6} \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

$$P_3(x) = 1 + (x - \frac{\pi}{4}) - \frac{1}{2}(x - \frac{\pi}{4})^2 - \frac{1}{6}(x - \frac{\pi}{4})^3 \quad 3 \text{ points}$$

- (b) Find a bound for the error of the approximation for $x \in [\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{3}]$.

(10 points)

$$R_3(x) = \frac{f^{(4)}(c)(x - \frac{\pi}{4})^4}{4!} \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

$$f^{(4)}(c) = \sqrt{2} \sin c, \quad \text{then} \quad |f^{(4)}(c)| \leq \sqrt{2} \quad 2 \text{ points}$$

2 points

Then

$$|R_3(x)| \leq \frac{|f^{(4)}(c)| |x - \frac{\pi}{4}|^4}{4!} \leq \frac{\sqrt{2} \left|\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right|^4}{4!}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right)^4}{24} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \pi^4}{12^4 \cdot 24} \quad 4 \text{ points}$$

3. Find the Maclaurin series expansion for the following functions. Write them in sum notation.

(a) $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{3+2x}$. $= x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{3+2x} = x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{3(1+\frac{2}{3}x)}$ 2 points (11 points)

$= \frac{x^2}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{1-(\frac{2}{3}x)} = \frac{x^2}{3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)^n$ 3 points

$= \frac{x^2}{3} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 2^n}{3^n} x^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 2^n}{3^{n+1}} x^{n+2}$ 4 points

(b) $g(x) = \frac{1}{x} \ln(1+x^3)$.

(11 points)

$= \frac{1}{x} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} (x^3)^n}{n}$ 5 points

$= \frac{1}{x} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n} x^{3n}$ 3 points

$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n} x^{3n-1}$ 3 points

(Since $\ln(1+y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n} y^n$)

* half wrong
formula -3

* wrong method,
looks OK, wrong ans
+5

undef.
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4. Consider the following vectors and matrix

$$\vec{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}; \quad \vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}; \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix};$$

Compute the following

(a) $A^T \vec{u}$.

(8 points)

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 & 5 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + 5 \cdot (-1) \\ -1 \cdot 1 + 0 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot (-1) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b) $\vec{u} \times \vec{v}$.

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = \hat{i}(2 \cdot 4 - 0 \cdot (-1)) - \hat{j}(1 \cdot 4 - (-3) \cdot (-1)) + \hat{k}(1 \cdot 0 - (-3) \cdot 2)$$

$$= 8\hat{i} - \hat{j} + 6\hat{k} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

(c) $\text{proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{u})$ (Projection of \vec{u} onto \vec{v}).

(8 points)

$$= \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|^2} \vec{v}$$

$$\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 1 \cdot (-3) + 2 \cdot 0 + (-1) \cdot 4 = -7$$

$$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 0^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{proj}_{\vec{v}}(\vec{u}) = \frac{-7}{25} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{21}{25} \\ 0 \\ \frac{-28}{25} \end{pmatrix}$$

5. Compute the following determinant, by using row operations and properties of determinants to reduce it to an upper triangular matrix. (12 points)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 & 8 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} r_3 \rightarrow r_3 + r_1 \\ r_4 \rightarrow r_4 - 3r_1 \end{array} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 2 & 7 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \quad 4 \text{ points}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} r_3 \rightarrow r_3 - r_2 \\ r_4 \rightarrow r_4 - 2r_2 \end{array} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} \quad 4 \text{ points}$$

$$r_3 \leftrightarrow r_4 = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad 3 \text{ points}$$

$$= -1 \cdot 1 \cdot (-3) \cdot 1 = 3 \quad 1 \text{ point}$$

By cofactors

$$1 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 & 4 \\ 2 & 8 & 5 \\ -1 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} - (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 5 & 4 \\ -1 & 8 & 5 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

4 points 4 points 4 points

6. [Bonus] Use Taylor series to evaluate the limit

(5 points)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1+x^2)}{2 - e^{x^2} - \cos x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - \frac{x^4}{2} + \frac{x^6}{3} - \frac{x^8}{4} + \dots}{2 - (1 + x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots) - (1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} - \dots)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - \frac{x^4}{2}}{2 - 1 - x^2 - 1 + \frac{x^2}{2}}$$

3 points
(series)

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 - \frac{x^4}{2}}{-x^2 + \frac{x^2}{2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2(1 - \frac{x^2}{2})}{x^2(-1 + \frac{1}{2})}$$

1 point

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \frac{x^2}{2}}{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= -2.$$

1 point