Tutorial 1 – Questions

1). Let $f(x) = 3x^4 - 2x^2 + 4\sin(x)$, $g(x) = e^{2x^3 - 4x}$ and $h(x) = e^x/\cos(x)$. Compute the derivatives f'(x), g'(x) and h'(x) of these functions.

2). A student can select one of 6 different mathematics books, one of 3 different chemistry books and one of 4 different science books. In how many different ways can a student select a book of mathematics, a book of chemistry and a book of science?

3). Let $f(x) = 4x^7 - 2x^3 + 1$, $g(x) = \sin(3x)$ and $h(x) = x/(1+x^2)$. Compute the integrals

$$\int_0^2 f(x) \, dx$$
, $\int_0^{\pi} g(x) \, dx$, and $\int_0^4 h(x) \, dx$.

4). There are 3 different roads from city A to city B and 2 different roads from city B to city C. In how many ways can someone go from city A to city C passing by city B?

5). Let

$$f(x) = x^2 \cos(2x + x^3), \ g(x) = xe^{-x^2 + \sin(2x)}, \ h(x) = \frac{\sin(e^{3x - x^4})}{3x^5 - 2x^3 + 2}.$$

In each case, find the derivatives f'(x), g'(x) and h'(x) of these functions.

6). In a company, ID cards have 5 digit numbers.

- a) How many ID cards can be formed if repetition of the digit is allowed?
- b) How many ID cards can be formed if repetition of the digit is not allowed?

7). Let $f(x) = e^{-2x}$, $g(x) = x \sin(2\pi x^2)$, and $h(x) = x \cos(2\pi x)$. Compute

$$\int_0^1 f(x)dx, \int_0^1 g(x)dx, \text{ and } \int_0^1 h(x)dx.$$

8). Three coins are tossed and a die is rolled. What is the total number of all possible outcomes?

9)*. (Extra question; please try to solve it at home before looking at the solutions.) Consider a function f(x,y) given by

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} e^{-x/2} y & \text{if } 0 \leqslant x \text{ and } 1 \leqslant y \leqslant 3, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Compute $\int \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} f(x,y) dx dy$.
- (b) Compute the integral of f(x, y) over the domain x < 2y.

Hint: You may find that one order of integration is better than the other.