

# MAT195S CALCULUS II

## Midterm Test #2

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1) Test the series for convergence or divergence:

a)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k^2}{e^k}$

b)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{6^k}{5^k - 1}$

c)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k (\sqrt{k+1} - \sqrt{k})$

(8 marks)

a) ratio test:  $\left| \frac{(k+1)^2}{e^{k+1}} \cdot \frac{e^k}{k^2} \right| \longrightarrow \frac{1}{e} < 1 \quad \therefore \text{convergent}$

b) let  $b_n = \frac{6^n}{5^n} = \left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^n$  which diverges ( $b_n \not\rightarrow 0$ )

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = 1 \quad \therefore a_n \text{ diverges by limit comparison test}$

c)  $|a_k| = \sqrt{k+1} - \sqrt{k} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{k+1} + \sqrt{k}}{\sqrt{k+1} + \sqrt{k}} = \frac{k+1-k}{\sqrt{k+1} + \sqrt{k}} < \frac{1}{2\sqrt{k}} \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} 0$

$|a_{k+1}| = \sqrt{k+2} - \sqrt{k+1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+2} + \sqrt{k+1}} < \frac{1}{\sqrt{k} + \sqrt{k+1}} = |a_k| \quad \therefore \text{decreasing}$

$\therefore \text{convergent by alt series test}$

2) a) Find the radius and interval of convergence of the following power series:  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n}}{n(\ln n)^2}$

(4 marks)

ratio test:  $\left| \frac{x^{2n+2}}{(n+1)(\ln(n+1))^2} \cdot \frac{n(\ln n)^2}{x^{2n}} \right| = \left( \frac{n}{n+1} \right) \left( \frac{\ln n}{\ln(n+1)} \right)^2 \cdot |x|^2 \rightarrow |x|^2$

$\therefore$  convergent for  $|x| < 1$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln x}{\ln(x+1)} \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{x}}{\frac{1}{x+1}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x+1}{x} = 1$

endpoints:  $x = \pm 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^2}$

Integral test:  $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^2}$  let  $u = \ln x$   
 $du = dx/x$

$= \int_{\ln 2}^{\infty} \frac{du}{u^2} = \left[ -\frac{1}{u} \right]_{\ln 2}^{\infty} = \frac{1}{\ln 2} \therefore$  convergent

$\Rightarrow$  interval of convergence  $[-1, 1]$

b) If  $k$  is a positive integer, find the radius of convergence of the series:  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n!)^k}{(kn)!} x^n$

(4 marks)

ratio test:  $\left| \frac{((n+1)!)^k x^{n+1}}{(k(n+1))!} \cdot \frac{(kn)!}{(n!)^k x^n} \right| = |x| (n+1)^k \frac{(kn)!}{(k(n+1))!}$

$= |x| \frac{(n+1)(n+1)(n+1) \dots (n+1)}{(kn+1)(kn+2)(kn+3) \dots (kn+k)} \rightarrow \frac{|x|}{k^k}$

$\Rightarrow |x| < k^k$

3) a) Evaluate  $\int e^{x^2} dx$  as an infinite series. For what values of  $x$  is this result valid?

(4 marks)

$$e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} \rightarrow e^{x^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n}}{n!} = 1 + \frac{x^2}{1!} + \frac{x^4}{2!} + \frac{x^6}{6!}$$

$$\int e^{x^2} dx = \int \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n}}{n!} dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int \frac{x^{2n}}{n!} dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)n!} + C$$

Convergence: As the series for  $e^x$  converges for all  $x$ , the series for  $e^{x^2}$  converges for all  $x$ . Thus the series for  $\int e^{x^2}$  also converges for all  $x$ .

b) Use the binomial series to find the series expansion of  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ . Write out the first 5 terms of the series.

(4 marks)

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = (1-x^2)^{-1/2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{-1/2}{n} x^n (-1)^n$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)x^4}{2!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)x^6}{3!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{7}{2}\right)x^8}{4!} + \dots$$

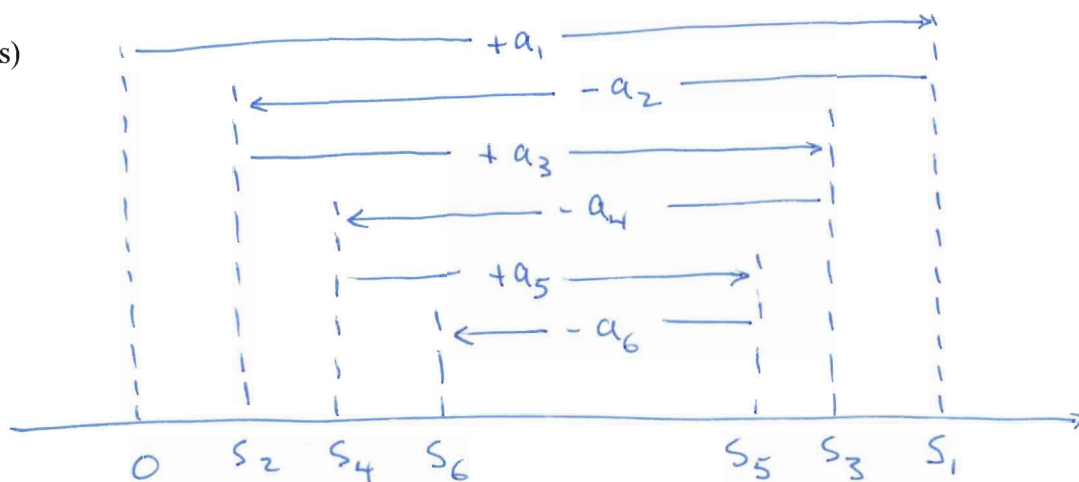
$$= 1 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{3}{8}x^4 + \frac{15}{48}x^6 + \frac{105}{192}x^8 + \dots$$

4) Prove the Alternating Series Test for series convergence:

Let  $\{a_n\}$  be a sequence of positive numbers. If  $a_{k+1} < a_k$  and  $a_k \rightarrow 0$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$ , then

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{k-1} a_k \text{ converges.}$$

(10 marks)



Consider even partial sums:

$$S_2 = a_1 - a_2 > 0$$

$$S_4 = S_2 + (a_3 - a_4) > S_2$$

$\vdots$

$$S_{2n} = S_{2n-2} + (a_{2n-1} - a_{2n}) > S_{2n-2}$$

Note  $a_{n+1} < a_n$

$\Leftrightarrow \{S_{2n}\}$  is monotonic increasing

$$\text{Also: } S_{2n} = a_1 - \underbrace{(a_2 - a_3)}_{+ve} - \underbrace{(a_4 - a_5)}_{+ve} - \dots - \underbrace{(a_{2n-2} - a_{2n-1})}_{+ve} - \underbrace{a_{2n}}_{+ve}$$

$\therefore < a_1$  for all  $n \Rightarrow \{S_{2n}\}$  is bounded above by  $a_1$

$\Rightarrow \{S_{2n}\}$  is monotonic and bounded,  $\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_{2n} = L$  exists

Consider odd partial sums:

$$S_{2n+1} = S_{2n} + a_{2n+1}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_{2n+1} = \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_{2n}}_{=L} + \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{2n+1}}_{=0} = L$$

$\Rightarrow$  Given  $a_{n+1} < a_n$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ : both odd and even partial sums converge to the same limit, thus we conclude the series converges.

5) Find, from first principles, the Taylor series expansion for  $f(x) = 2^x$  about  $a = 0$ .

Prove that  $f$  is equal to the sum of this series by showing that the Taylor remainder,  $R_n(x)$ , goes to zero as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Recall, the Taylor remainder theorem which states that

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x-a|^{n+1} \text{ where } |f^{(n+1)}(x)| \leq M.$$

(10 marks)

$$f(x) = 2^x$$

$$f'(x) = 2^x \ln 2$$

$$f''(x) = 2^x (\ln 2)^2$$

$\vdots$

$$f^{(n)}(x) = 2^x (\ln 2)^n$$

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f'(0) = \ln 2$$

$$f''(0) = (\ln 2)^2$$

$$f^{(n)}(0) = (\ln 2)^n$$

$$\therefore 2^x = 1 + x \ln 2 + \frac{x^2}{2} (\ln 2)^2 + \frac{x^3}{3!} (\ln 2)^3 + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x \ln 2)^n}{n!}$$

$$\text{Now } f^{(n+1)}(x) = 2^x (\ln 2)^{n+1}$$

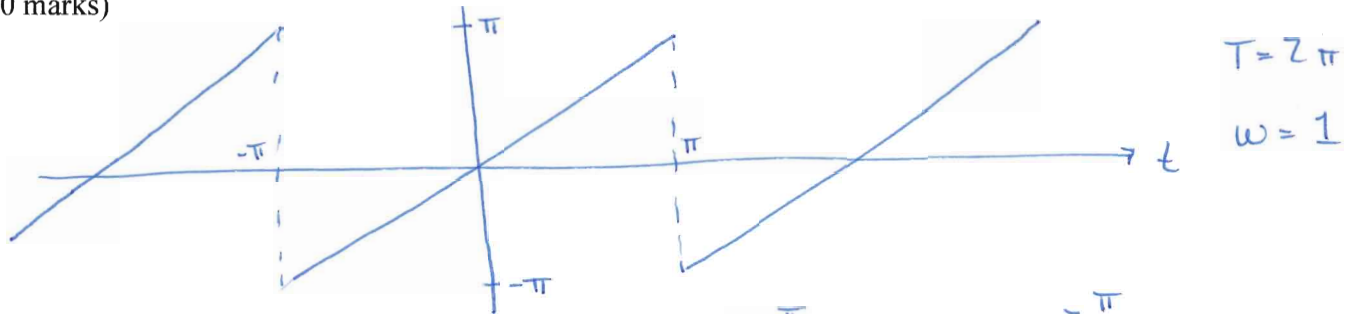
$$\therefore R_n(x) \leq \frac{2^x |x|^{n+1} (\ln 2)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \swarrow \ln 2 < 1 \\ < \frac{2^x |x|^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \end{array}$$

$$\therefore 2^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n (\ln 2)^n}{n!}$$

6) Find the Fourier series, ie., evaluate the Fourier coefficients, for the function  $f(t) = t$ ,  $-\pi \leq t \leq \pi$ .

(10 marks)



$$a_n = \frac{2}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(t) \cos(n\omega t) dt \quad \Rightarrow \quad a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t dt = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{t^2}{2} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t \cos(n\omega t) dt \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{let } u=t \quad du=dt \\ \quad \quad \quad dv=\cos nt \quad v=\frac{1}{n} \sin nt \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{t}{n} \sin nt \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{1}{n} \sin nt dt = 0$$

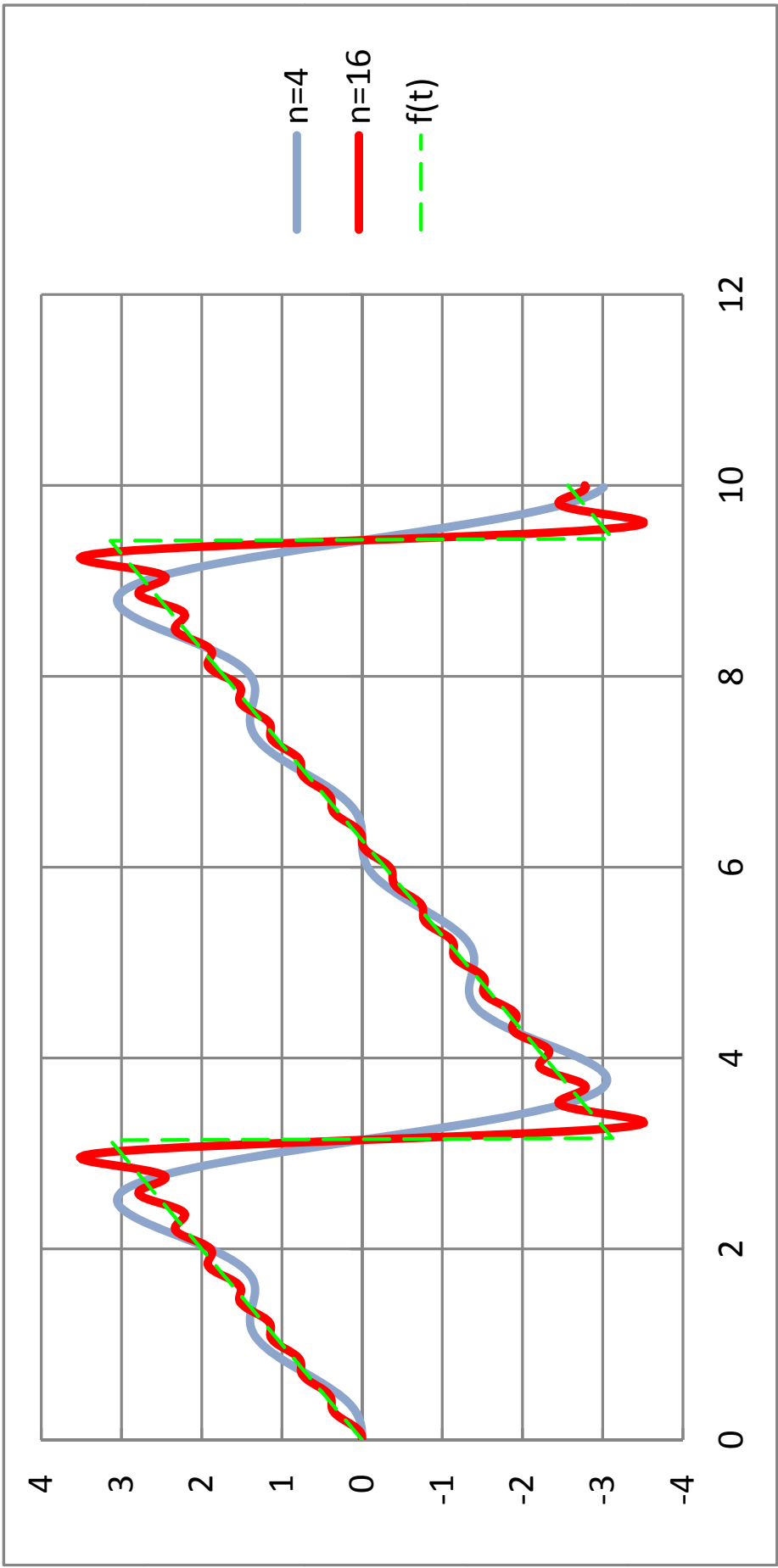
(Alternatively, one can note that  $f(t)$  is an odd function and thus all  $a_n = 0$ )

$$b_n = \frac{2}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(t) \sin(n\omega t) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t \sin(nt) dt \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{let } u=t \quad du=dt \\ \quad \quad \quad dv=\sin nt \quad v=-\frac{1}{n} \cos nt \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ -\frac{t}{n} \cos nt \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{1}{n} \cos nt dt = \begin{cases} -\frac{2}{n} & n \text{ even} \\ \frac{2}{n} & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{n} \sin(nt)$$





- 7) Find the unit tangent vector, the principal normal vector and an equation in  $x, y, z$  for the osculating plane at the point  $(1, 2, 2)$  on the curve:  $\vec{r}(t) = t^2 \hat{i} + (t+1) \hat{j} + 2t \hat{k}$

(12 marks)

$$\vec{r}(t) = (t^2, t+1, 2t) \Rightarrow \vec{r}(1) = (1, 2, 2) \Rightarrow t=1$$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = (2t, 1, 2) \Rightarrow \|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{4t^2 + 1 + 4} = \sqrt{5 + 4t^2}$$

$$\therefore \vec{T} = \frac{\vec{r}'}{\|\vec{r}'\|} = \left( \frac{2t}{\sqrt{5+4t^2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5+4t^2}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5+4t^2}} \right) \Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{T}(1) = \left( \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right)}$$

$$\vec{T}' = \left( -\frac{1}{2}(5+4t^2)^{-3/2} \cdot 8t \cdot 2t + 2(5+4t^2)^{-1/2}, -\frac{1}{2}(5+4t^2)^{-3/2} \cdot 8t, -\frac{1}{2}(5+4t^2)^{-3/2} \cdot 8t \cdot 2 \right)$$

$$\vec{T}'(t=1) = \left( -\frac{8}{27} + \frac{2}{3}, \frac{-4}{27}, \frac{-8}{27} \right) = \frac{1}{27} (10, -4, -8)$$

$$\|\vec{T}'(1)\| = \frac{2}{27} \sqrt{25 + 4 + 16} = \frac{2\sqrt{45}}{27} = \frac{2\sqrt{5}}{9}$$

$$\therefore \vec{N}(1) = \frac{\vec{T}'(1)}{\|\vec{T}'(1)\|} = \frac{2}{27} (5, -2, -4) \cdot \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} = \boxed{\frac{1}{3\sqrt{5}} (5, -2, -4)}$$

$$\vec{T}(1) \times \vec{N}(1) = \frac{1}{3} (2, 1, 2) \times \frac{1}{3\sqrt{5}} (5, -2, -4) = \frac{1}{9\sqrt{5}} (0, 18, -9)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} (0, 2, -1)$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 5 & -2 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = (-4+4, 10+8, -4-5) = (0, 18, -9)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Osculating Plane: point: } (1, 2, 2) \\ \text{normal: } (0, 2, -1) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 0(x-1) + 2(y-2) - (z-2) = 0 \\ \text{or } 2y - z = 2 \end{array}$$

8) a) Show that the following limit does not exist:  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^8 y^2}{x^{16} + y^4}$   
(3 marks)

$$\text{let } y=0 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{x^{16}} = 0$$

$$y=x^4 \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^8 x^8}{x^{16} + x^{16}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Approaching (0,0) along different paths gives a different result:  $\therefore \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^8 y^2}{x^{16} + y^4}$  DNE

b) Find the limit:  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 16} - 4}$

(3 marks)

$$\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 + y^2}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 16} - 4} \times \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 16} + 4}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 16} + 4}$$

$$= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{(x^2 + y^2) \cdot (\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 16} + 4)}{x^2 + y^2 + 16 - 16}$$

$$= \lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + 16} + 4 = 8$$