ΔΙΑΓΩΝΙΣΜΟΣ ΕΠΙΛΟΓΗΣ 2

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1. For an integer $n \ge 1$, denote by

$$T_n(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k-1} \frac{x^{2k-1}}{(2k-1)!},$$

the (2n-1)-th Taylor polynomial of the sine function at 0, and let

$$I_n = \int_0^\infty \frac{T_n(x) - \sin(x)}{x^{2n+1}} dx$$

- a) Prove that $I_n = \frac{1}{2n(2n-1)}I_{n-1}, n \ge 1$
- b) Calculate I_n .
- 2. Let $A \in M_n(\mathbb{R})$ be non-zero fixed matrix. Define the function

$$f_A: M_n(\mathbb{R}) \to M_n(\mathbb{R})$$

$$f_A(X) = AX - XA$$

- a) Show that $f_A = 0$ if and only if $A = \lambda I_n$.
- b) Show that $f_A(f_B) = f_B(f_A)$ if and only if AB = BA.
- c) If A is a matrix with n distinct real eigenvalues, find the dimension of $\ker(f_A)$.