

MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS 1
HOMEWORK 12

- (1) Recall the *Fundamental Theorem of Integral Calculus*:

$$F_{x_0}(x) = \int_{x_0}^x f(y) dy \quad \Rightarrow \quad F'_{x_0}(x) = f(x).$$

(a) Prove the following:

Corollary. Let $G(x)$ be any antiderivative of $f(x)$. Then $F_{x_0}(x) = G(x) - G(x_0)$.

(b) Prove the following:

Corollary. Let f be continuous on $[a, b]$ and let G be any antiderivative of f . Then

$$(\star) \quad \int_a^b f(x) dx = G(b) - G(a).$$

For the following problems we shall use the formula (\star) :

- (2) **Calculation of Definite Integrals (I).** Compute the following integrals.

$\text{(a)} \int_0^2 (3x^2 - 4x + 1) dx.$	$\text{(d)} \int_0^{\ln 3} 2e^x dx.$	$\text{(g)} \int_0^\pi \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) dx.$
$\text{(b)} \int_1^4 \left(\sqrt{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) dx.$	$\text{(e)} \int_1^e \frac{1}{x} dx.$	$\text{(h)} \int_0^1 (4x - e^{2x}) dx.$
$\text{(c)} \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2(x) dx.$	$\text{(f)} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx.$	

- (3) **Calculation of Definite Integrals (II).** Compute the following integrals.

$\text{(a)} \int_0^1 \frac{x^3+x^2+1}{x+1} dx.$	$\text{(d)} \int_2^4 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} dx.$	$\text{(f)} \int_{-1}^1 (e^{2x} - e^{-2x}) dx.$
$\text{(b)} \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{1+\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} dx.$	$\text{(e)} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx.$	$\text{(g)} \int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} (3 \sin x + 2 \tan x) dx.$
$\text{(c)} \int_{1/e}^e \frac{x^2+x^3+x}{x^4} dx.$		$\text{(h)} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2+4} dx.$

- (4) **Mean value of a function.**

(i) Compute the average $m(f; a, b)$ of $f(x)$ over the given interval $[a, b]$.

(ii) Write the equation for a point $z \in [a, b]$ such that $f(z) = m(f; a, b)$ (if there is such a z). If possible, write z explicitly.

$\text{(a)} f(x) = 2x + 1 \text{ on } [0, 4].$	$\text{(e)} f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \text{ on } [1, e^2].$	$\text{(h)} f(x) = \sqrt{x+1} \text{ on } [3, 8].$
$\text{(b)} f(x) = 3x^2 - 4x \text{ on } [1, 3].$	$\text{(f)} f(x) = \sin(x) \text{ on } [0, \pi].$	$\text{(i)} f(x) = \frac{x^2-1}{x^4} \text{ on } [1, 2].$
$\text{(c)} f(x) = (x-2)^2 \text{ on } [0, 5].$	$\text{(g)} f(x) = \sec^2(x) \text{ on } [0, \frac{\pi}{4}].$	$\text{(j)} f(x) = x \cdot e^{-x^2} \text{ on } [0, 1].$
$\text{(d)} f(x) = e^{2x} \text{ on } [0, \ln 3].$		

- (5) Compute the following integral:

$$\int_{\frac{2}{41\pi}}^{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \right) dx.$$

- (6) Compute the following integral:

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\sin x + x^3}{2 + \cos x + e^{x^2}} dx.$$

- (7) (a) Compute the integral $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} dx$

(b) Use the previous result to prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left(\frac{1}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

HOMEWORK 12 SOLUTIONS

(1) **Fundamental Theorem of Integral Calculus**

- (a) **Proof of Corollary:** $F_{x_0}(x) = G(x) - G(x_0)$.

We are given the function defined by the integral:

$$F_{x_0}(x) = \int_{x_0}^x f(y) dy.$$

By the Fundamental Theorem of Integral Calculus, the derivative of $F_{x_0}(x)$ is $f(x)$:

$$F'_{x_0}(x) = f(x).$$

Since $G(x)$ is defined as any antiderivative of $f(x)$, we have $G'(x) = f(x)$. Since $F'_{x_0}(x) = G'(x)$, we conclude that $F_{x_0}(x)$ and $G(x)$ must differ by a constant C :

$$F_{x_0}(x) = G(x) + C.$$

To find C , we evaluate $F_{x_0}(x)$ at $x = x_0$:

$$F_{x_0}(x_0) = \int_{x_0}^{x_0} f(y) dy = 0.$$

Substituting this into the equation above:

$$0 = G(x_0) + C \quad \Rightarrow \quad C = -G(x_0).$$

Therefore,

$$F_{x_0}(x) = G(x) - G(x_0).$$

- (b) **Proof of Corollary:** $\int_a^b f(x) dx = G(b) - G(a)$.

Using the definition from the previous part, let $x_0 = a$. Then the integral is:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F_a(b).$$

From the previous corollary, $F_a(x) = G(x) - G(a)$. Substituting $x = b$ into this result yields:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F_a(b) = G(b) - G(a).$$

(2) **Calculation of Definite Integrals (I).**

- (a) $\int_0^2 (3x^2 - 4x + 1) dx$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 (3x^2 - 4x + 1) dx &= [x^3 - 2x^2 + x]_0^2 \\ &= (2^3 - 2(2^2) + 2) - (0^3 - 2(0^2) + 0) \\ &= (8 - 8 + 2) - 0 \\ &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) \int_1^4 \left(\sqrt{x} + \frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^4 \left(x^{1/2} + x^{-2} \right) dx &= \left[\frac{x^{3/2}}{3/2} + \frac{x^{-1}}{-1} \right]_1^4 \\ &= \left[\frac{2}{3}x\sqrt{x} - \frac{1}{x} \right]_1^4 \\ &= \left(\frac{2}{3}(4\sqrt{4}) - \frac{1}{4} \right) - \left(\frac{2}{3}(1) - \frac{1}{1} \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{16}{3} - \frac{1}{4} \right) - \left(\frac{2}{3} - 1 \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{16}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \right) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{4} \right) \\ &= \frac{14}{3} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{56+9}{12} = \frac{65}{12}. \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2(x) dx.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2(x) dx &= [\tan x]_0^{\pi/4} \\ &= \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) - \tan(0) \\ &= 1 - 0 = \mathbf{1}. \end{aligned}$$

$$(d) \int_0^{\ln 3} 2e^x dx.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\ln 3} 2e^x dx &= [2e^x]_0^{\ln 3} \\ &= 2e^{\ln 3} - 2e^0 \\ &= 2(3) - 2(1) \\ &= 6 - 2 = \mathbf{4}. \end{aligned}$$

$$(e) \int_1^e \frac{1}{x} dx.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^e \frac{1}{x} dx &= [\ln|x|]_1^e \\ &= \ln e - \ln 1 \\ &= 1 - 0 = \mathbf{1}. \end{aligned}$$

$$(f) \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx &= [\arctan x]_0^1 \\ &= \arctan(1) - \arctan(0) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4} - 0 = \frac{\pi}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

$$(g) \int_0^\pi \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) dx.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\pi \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) dx &= \left[-2 \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right]_0^\pi \\ &= -2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - \left(-2 \cos\left(\frac{0}{2}\right) \right) \\ &= -2(0) + 2 \cos(0) \\ &= 0 + 2(1) = \mathbf{2}. \end{aligned}$$

(h) $\int_0^1 (4x - e^{2x}) dx$.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 (4x - e^{2x}) dx &= \left[2x^2 - \frac{1}{2}e^{2x} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left(2(1)^2 - \frac{1}{2}e^2 \right) - \left(2(0)^2 - \frac{1}{2}e^0 \right) \\ &= \left(2 - \frac{e^2}{2} \right) - \left(0 - \frac{1}{2} \right) \\ &= 2 - \frac{e^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5 - e^2}{2}.\end{aligned}$$

(3) Calculation of Definite Integrals (II).

(a) $\int_0^1 \frac{x^3+x^2+1}{x+1} dx$. We simplify the integrand: $\frac{x^3+x^2+1}{x+1} = \frac{x^2(x+1)+1}{x+1} = x^2 + \frac{1}{x+1}$.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 \left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x+1} \right) dx &= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} + \ln|x+1| \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{3} + \ln 2 \right) - \left(\frac{0}{3} + \ln 1 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{3} + \ln 2.\end{aligned}$$

(b) $\int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{1+\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} dx$. We simplify the integrand using $\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} = \sec^2 x$ and $\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = \tan^2 x$, followed by the identity $\tan^2 x = \sec^2 x - 1$:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1 + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} &= \sec^2 x + \tan^2 x \\ &= \sec^2 x + (\sec^2 x - 1) \\ &= 2 \sec^2 x - 1.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^{\pi/4} (2 \sec^2 x - 1) dx &= [2 \tan x - x]_0^{\pi/4} \\ &= \left(2 \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \right) - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) - (2 \tan(0) - 0) \\ &= 2(1) - \frac{\pi}{4} = 2 - \frac{\pi}{4}.\end{aligned}$$

(c) $\int_{1/e}^e \frac{x^2+x^3+x}{x^4} dx$. We simplify the integrand by term-by-term division: $\frac{x^2+x^3+x}{x^4} = x^{-2} + x^{-1} + x^{-3}$.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{1/e}^e (x^{-2} + x^{-1} + x^{-3}) dx &= \left[-x^{-1} + \ln|x| - \frac{1}{2}x^{-2} \right]_{1/e}^e \\ &= \left[-\frac{1}{x} + \ln|x| - \frac{1}{2x^2} \right]_{1/e}^e \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{e} + \ln e - \frac{1}{2e^2} \right) - \left(-\frac{1}{1/e} + \ln(1/e) - \frac{1}{2(1/e)^2} \right) \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{e} + 1 - \frac{1}{2e^2} \right) - \left(-e - 1 - \frac{e^2}{2} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{e} + 1 - \frac{1}{2e^2} + e + 1 + \frac{e^2}{2} \\ &= 2 + e - \frac{1}{e} + \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2e^2}.\end{aligned}$$

(d) $\int_2^4 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} dx$. We have: $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-a^2}} dx = \ln|x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}|$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_2^4 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} dx &= \left[\ln|x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}| \right]_2^4 \\ &= \ln|4 + \sqrt{4^2 - 1}| - \ln|2 + \sqrt{2^2 - 1}| \\ &= \ln(4 + \sqrt{15}) - \ln(2 + \sqrt{3}) \\ &= \ln\left(\frac{4 + \sqrt{15}}{2 + \sqrt{3}}\right). \end{aligned}$$

(e) $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$. We have: $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} dx = \arcsin\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$. Here $a = 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx &= \left[\arcsin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right]_0^1 \\ &= \arcsin\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - \arcsin(0) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{6} - 0 = \frac{\pi}{6}. \end{aligned}$$

(f) $\int_{-1}^1 (e^{2x} - e^{-2x}) dx$. Let $f(x) = e^{2x} - e^{-2x}$. This function is odd because $f(-x) = e^{-2x} - e^{-(-2x)} = e^{-2x} - e^{2x} = -f(x)$. The integral of an odd function over a symmetric interval $[-a, a]$ is zero.

$$\int_{-1}^1 (e^{2x} - e^{-2x}) dx = 0.$$

(Direct calculation: $\left[\frac{1}{2}e^{2x} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x}\right]_{-1}^1 = \left(\frac{e^2}{2} + \frac{e^{-2}}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{e^{-2}}{2} + \frac{e^2}{2}\right) = 0$).

(g) $\int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} (3 \sin x + 2 \tan x) dx$. Let $f(x) = 3 \sin x + 2 \tan x$. Both $\sin x$ and $\tan x$ are odd functions, so $f(x)$ is an odd function. The integral of an odd function over a symmetric interval $[-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}]$ is zero.

$$\int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} (3 \sin x + 2 \tan x) dx = 0.$$

(h) $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2+4} dx$. We have: $\int \frac{1}{x^2+a^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$. Here $a = 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2+4} dx &= \left[\frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right]_0^1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{2} \arctan(0) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{1}{2}\right). \end{aligned}$$

(4) **Mean value of a function.** $\left(m(f; a, b) = \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(x) dx\right)$.

(a) $f(x) = 2x + 1$ on $[0, 4]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 0, 4) &= \frac{1}{4-0} \int_0^4 (2x+1) dx = \frac{1}{4} [x^2 + x]_0^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{4} [(16+4) - 0] = \frac{20}{4} = 5. \end{aligned}$$

$$f(z) = 5 \Rightarrow 2z + 1 = 5 \Rightarrow 2z = 4 \Rightarrow z = 2.$$

(b) $f(x) = 3x^2 - 4x$ on $[1, 3]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 1, 3) &= \frac{1}{3-1} \int_1^3 (3x^2 - 4x) dx = \frac{1}{2} [x^3 - 2x^2]_1^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [(27 - 18) - (1 - 2)] = \frac{1}{2} [9 - (-1)] = 5. \end{aligned}$$

$$f(z) = 5 \Rightarrow 3z^2 - 4z = 5 \Rightarrow 3z^2 - 4z - 5 = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{-(-4) \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(3)(-5)}}{2(3)} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 + 60}}{6} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{76}}{6} \\ z &= \frac{4 \pm 2\sqrt{19}}{6} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{19}}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sqrt{19} \approx 4.36$, $z_1 = \frac{2+\sqrt{19}}{3} \approx 2.12 \in [1, 3]$ and $z_2 = \frac{2-\sqrt{19}}{3} \approx -0.79 \notin [1, 3]$. **The point is $\mathbf{z} = \frac{2+\sqrt{19}}{3}$.**

(c) $f(x) = (x - 2)^2$ on $[0, 5]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 0, 5) &= \frac{1}{5-0} \int_0^5 (x - 2)^2 dx = \frac{1}{5} \left[\frac{(x-2)^3}{3} \right]_0^5 \\ &= \frac{1}{15} [(5-2)^3 - (0-2)^3] = \frac{1}{15} [3^3 - (-2)^3] \\ &= \frac{1}{15} [27 + 8] = \frac{35}{15} = \frac{7}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{7}{3} \Rightarrow (z-2)^2 = \frac{7}{3} \Rightarrow z-2 = \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{3}} \\ \Rightarrow z &= 2 \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sqrt{7/3} \approx 1.527$, $z_1 = 2 + 1.527 = 3.527 \in [0, 5]$ and $z_2 = 2 - 1.527 = 0.473 \in [0, 5]$. **The points are $\mathbf{z} = 2 \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{3}}$.**

(d) $f(x) = e^{2x}$ on $[0, \ln 3]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 0, \ln 3) &= \frac{1}{\ln 3} \int_0^{\ln 3} e^{2x} dx = \frac{1}{\ln 3} \left[\frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \right]_0^{\ln 3} \\ &= \frac{1}{2 \ln 3} [e^{2 \ln 3} - e^0] = \frac{1}{2 \ln 3} [e^{\ln 9} - 1] \\ &= \frac{9-1}{2 \ln 3} = \frac{8}{2 \ln 3} = \frac{4}{\ln 3}. \\ f(z) &= \frac{4}{\ln 3} \Rightarrow e^{2z} = \frac{4}{\ln 3} \Rightarrow 2z = \ln \left(\frac{4}{\ln 3} \right) \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{z} &= \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{4}{\ln 3} \right). \end{aligned}$$

(e) $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ on $[1, e^2]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 1, e^2) &= \frac{1}{e^2 - 1} \int_1^{e^2} \frac{1}{x} dx = \frac{1}{e^2 - 1} [\ln|x|]_1^{e^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{e^2 - 1} [\ln(e^2) - \ln 1] = \frac{2-0}{e^2 - 1} = \frac{2}{e^2 - 1}. \\ f(z) &= \frac{2}{e^2 - 1} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{z} = \frac{2}{e^2 - 1} \Rightarrow \mathbf{z} = \frac{e^2 - 1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

(f) $f(x) = \sin(x)$ on $[0, \pi]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 0, \pi) &= \frac{1}{\pi - 0} \int_0^\pi \sin x \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} [-\cos x]_0^\pi \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} [-\cos(\pi) - (-\cos(0))] = \frac{1}{\pi} [-(-1) + 1] = \frac{2}{\pi}. \\ f(z) = \frac{2}{\pi} \Rightarrow \sin(z) &= \frac{2}{\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $2/\pi \approx 0.6366 < 1$, there are two solutions in $[0, \pi]$. $\mathbf{z}_1 = \arcsin\left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)$ and $\mathbf{z}_2 = \pi - \arcsin\left(\frac{2}{\pi}\right)$.

(g) $f(x) = \sec^2(x)$ on $[0, \frac{\pi}{4}]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 0, \pi/4) &= \frac{1}{\pi/4 - 0} \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2 x \, dx = \frac{4}{\pi} [\tan x]_0^{\pi/4} \\ &= \frac{4}{\pi} \left[\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) - \tan(0) \right] = \frac{4}{\pi} [1 - 0] = \frac{4}{\pi}. \\ f(z) = \frac{4}{\pi} \Rightarrow \sec^2(z) &= \frac{4}{\pi} \Rightarrow \cos^2(z) = \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow \cos(z) = \pm\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{4}}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $z \in [0, \pi/4]$, $\cos z$ must be positive. $\mathbf{z} = \arccos\left(\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}\right)$.

(h) $f(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$ on $[3, 8]$.

$$\begin{aligned} m(f; 3, 8) &= \frac{1}{8-3} \int_3^8 (x+1)^{1/2} \, dx = \frac{1}{5} \left[\frac{2}{3}(x+1)^{3/2} \right]_3^8 \\ &= \frac{2}{15} \left[(8+1)^{3/2} - (3+1)^{3/2} \right] = \frac{2}{15} \left[9^{3/2} - 4^{3/2} \right] \\ &= \frac{2}{15} [27 - 8] = \frac{2(19)}{15} = \frac{38}{15}. \\ f(z) = \frac{38}{15} \Rightarrow \sqrt{z+1} &= \frac{38}{15} \Rightarrow z+1 = \left(\frac{38}{15}\right)^2 \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{z} = \frac{1444}{225} - 1 &= \frac{1219}{225}. \end{aligned}$$

$(1219/225 \approx 5.418 \in [3, 8]).$

(i) $f(x) = \frac{x^2-1}{x^4}$ on $[1, 2]$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^2 (x^{-2} - x^{-4}) \, dx &= \left[-x^{-1} + \frac{1}{3}x^{-3} \right]_1^2 = \left[-\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{3x^3} \right]_1^2 \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{24} \right) - \left(-1 + \frac{1}{3} \right) = \left(-\frac{11}{24} \right) - \left(-\frac{2}{3} \right) \\ &= -\frac{11}{24} + \frac{16}{24} = \frac{5}{24}. \\ m(f; 1, 2) &= \frac{1}{2-1} \cdot \frac{5}{24} = \frac{5}{24}. \\ f(z) = \frac{5}{24} \Rightarrow \frac{z^2-1}{z^4} &= \frac{5}{24} \Rightarrow 24(z^2 - 1) = 5z^4. \end{aligned}$$

Let $u = z^2$. $5u^2 - 24u + 24 = 0$. Using the quadratic formula: $u = \frac{24 \pm \sqrt{24^2 - 4(5)(24)}}{10} = \frac{24 \pm \sqrt{576 - 480}}{10} = \frac{24 \pm \sqrt{96}}{10} = \frac{12 \pm 2\sqrt{6}}{5}$. $u_1 \approx 3.379$ and $u_2 \approx 1.421$. Since $u = z^2$ and $z \in [1, 2]$, $u \in [1, 4]$. Both are possible. $\mathbf{z} = \sqrt{\frac{12 \pm 2\sqrt{6}}{5}}$. (Two positive roots).

(j) $f(x) = xe^{-x^2}$ on $[0, 1]$. We use substitution $u = -x^2$, so $du = -2x dx$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 xe^{-x^2} dx &= -\frac{1}{2} \int_0^{-1} e^u du = -\frac{1}{2} [e^u]_0^{-1} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2}(e^{-1} - e^0) = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{e} - 1 \right) = \frac{e-1}{2e}. \\ m(f; 0, 1) &= \frac{1}{1-0} \cdot \frac{e-1}{2e} = \frac{\mathbf{e}-\mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{2}\mathbf{e}}. \\ f(z) &= \frac{e-1}{2e} \Rightarrow \mathbf{z}\mathbf{e}^{-\mathbf{z}^2} = \frac{\mathbf{e}-\mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{2}\mathbf{e}}. \end{aligned}$$

(This is a transcendental equation; it cannot be solved explicitly for z).

(5) **Compute** $\int_{\frac{2}{41\pi}}^{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \right) dx$.

The integrand is the derivative of $f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$: $\frac{d}{dx} [\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)] = -\frac{1}{x^2} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\frac{2}{41\pi}}^{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \right) dx &= \left[\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \right]_{\frac{2}{41\pi}}^{\frac{2}{\pi}} \\ &= \sin\left(\frac{1}{\frac{2}{\pi}}\right) - \sin\left(\frac{1}{\frac{2}{41\pi}}\right) \\ &= \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - \sin\left(\frac{41\pi}{2}\right). \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1$ and $\frac{41\pi}{2} = 20\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}$, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \sin\left(\frac{41\pi}{2}\right) &= \sin\left(20\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1. \\ \int_{\frac{2}{41\pi}}^{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2} \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \right) dx &= 1 - 1 = \mathbf{0}. \end{aligned}$$

(6) **Compute** $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\sin x + x^3}{2 + \cos x + e^{x^2}} dx$.

Let the integrand be $f(x)$. We check the parity of the numerator and the denominator.

- **Numerator** $N(x) = \sin x + x^3$. Since $\sin(-x) = -\sin x$ and $(-x)^3 = -x^3$, $N(-x) = -\sin x - x^3 = -N(x)$. $N(x)$ is odd.
- **Denominator** $D(x) = 2 + \cos x + e^{x^2}$. Since $\cos(-x) = \cos x$ and $e^{(-x)^2} = e^{x^2}$, $D(-x) = D(x)$. $D(x)$ is even.

The entire integrand $f(x) = N(x)/D(x)$ is an $\frac{\text{odd}}{\text{even}}$ function, which means $f(x)$ is an odd function. Since the integral is over a symmetric interval $[-\pi, \pi]$, the value of the integral is zero.

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{\sin x + x^3}{2 + \cos x + e^{x^2}} dx = \mathbf{0}.$$

(7) **Integral and Limit of Sum.**

(a) **Compute the integral** $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} dx$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} dx &= \int_0^1 (x+1)^{-2} dx \\ &= \left[-(x+1)^{-1} \right]_0^1 = \left[-\frac{1}{x+1} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{1+1} \right) - \left(-\frac{1}{0+1} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} + 1 = \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) **Prove the limit of the sum is $\frac{1}{2}$.**

The sum can be rewritten by factoring n from the denominators:

$$S_n = n \left(\frac{1}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \right)$$

We rewrite the general term $\frac{1}{(n+k)^2}$ (where k runs from 1 to n) as:

$$\frac{1}{(n+k)^2} = \frac{1}{n^2(1+k/n)^2} = \frac{1}{n^2} \frac{1}{(1+k/n)^2}.$$

The sum is:

$$S_n = n \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{n^2} \frac{1}{(1+k/n)^2} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{(1+k/n)^2}.$$

This is a Riemann sum for the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}$ over the interval $[0, 1]$, where the interval is partitioned into n subintervals of width $\Delta x = \frac{1}{n}$, and the sample points are $x_k = \frac{k}{n}$. The limit of the Riemann sum is the definite integral:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right) \Delta x \\ &= \int_0^1 f(x) dx = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} dx. \end{aligned}$$

From part (a), we know the value of the integral is $\frac{1}{2}$.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left(\frac{1}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \right) = \frac{1}{2}.$$