

HW13

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Question 1

Use integration by substitution to solve the integral below.

$$\int 4e^{-7x} dx$$

Answer 1

$$-\frac{4}{7}e^{-7x} + C$$

Steps using substitution:

$$U = -7x, dU = -7dx, dx = \frac{dU}{-7} \text{ so,}$$

$$4 \int e^U \frac{dU}{-7} = \frac{4}{-7} \int e^U dU = -\frac{4}{7}e^U + C \text{ thus, } -\frac{4}{7}e^{-7x} + C$$

Question 2

Biologists are treating a pond contaminated with bacteria. The level of contamination is changing at a rate of $\frac{dN}{dt} = -\frac{3150}{t^4} - 220$ bacteria per cubic centimeter per day, where t is the number of days since treatment began. Find a function $N(t)$ to estimate the level of contamination if the level after 1 day was 6530 bacteria per cubic centimeter.

Answer 2

To find a function, take the integral of the rate:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \left(\frac{-3150}{t^4} - 220 \right) dt \\ & \int (-3150t^{-4} - 220) dt \\ & \int -3150t^{-4} dt - \int -220 dt \\ & -3150 \int t^{-4} dt - 220 \int dt \\ & -3150 \frac{-1}{3} t^{-3} - 220t \end{aligned}$$

$$N(t) = \frac{1050}{t^3} - 220t + c$$

Solve for c using the initial condition at day 1: $N(1) = 6530$,

$$6530 = \frac{1050}{1^3} - 220(1) + c$$

$$6530 = 1050 - 220 + c$$

$$6530 - 1050 + 220 = c$$

$$5700 = c$$

Result:

$$N(t) = \frac{1050}{t^3} - 220t + 5700$$

Question 3

Find the total area of the red rectangles in the figure below, where the equation of the line is $f(x) = 2x - 9$

Answer 3

Using the equation of the line and reading from the graph we estimate that the lower bound is 4.5 and upper is 8.5. Thus,

```
library(stats)
# If start and end points are truly 4.5 and 8.5 then
f <-function(x)(2*x-9)
integrate(f, lower = 4.5, upper = 8.5)
```

```
## 16 with absolute error < 1.8e-13
```

The area is 16. This is validated by counting the squares of the image which we assume has an area of 1 and width of 1.

Question 4

Find the area of the region bounded by the graphs of the given equations $y_1 = x_1^2 - 2x_1 - 2$ and $y_2 = x_2 + 2$.

Enter your answer below.

Answer 4

Given:

$$y = x^2 - 2x - 2$$

$$y = x + 2$$

Solve for x to find the bounds:

$$x^2 - 2x - 2 = x + 2$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 4 = 0$$

$$(x - 4)(x + 1) = 0$$

Thus, $x = -1$ and $x = 4$.

Using this equation we find the top and bottoms with integration.

$$\int_a^b (top - bottom) dx$$

So far we have $\int_{-1}^4 (x + 2) - (x^2 - 2x - 2) dx$ which simplified becomes $\int_{-1}^4 (-x^2 + 3x + 4) dx$.

```
## define the integrated function
integrand <- function(x)
{
  -x^{2}+3*x+4
}
## integrate the function from 0 to infinity
integrate(integrand, lower = -1, upper = 4)
```

```
## 20.83333 with absolute error < 2.3e-13
```

Which we can use to calculate the area:

```
area_fun <- function(x) {
  -x^2 + 3 * x + 4
}
integrate(area_fun, -1, 4)
```

```
## 20.83333 with absolute error < 2.3e-13
```

The area is about 20.83.

Question 5

A beauty supply store expects to sell 110 flat irons during the next year. It costs \$3.75 to store one flat iron for one year. There is a fixed cost of \$8.25 for each order. Find the lot size and the number of orders per year that will minimize inventory costs.

Answer 5

Consider that x is the number of irons to order and we have the following variables:

C_{order} – Cost per order

C_{year} – Yearly cost of ordering

R_{year} – Yearly cost of storage

R_{iron} – Storage rate of one flat iron for one year

$$\begin{aligned}
 n_{expected} &= \text{Expected number of orders in year} \\
 \bar{x}_{iron} &= \text{Average number of irons} \\
 I_{cost} &= \text{Cost of inventory}
 \end{aligned}$$

Our equations:

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{year} &= R_{iron} * \bar{x}_{iron} \\
 C_{year} &= C_{order} \frac{n_{expected}}{x} \\
 I_{cost} &= R_{year} + C_{order}
 \end{aligned}$$

Which, when we enter what we have becomes:

$$\begin{aligned}
 3.75 * \frac{x}{2} \quad \text{or simply} \quad 1.875 * x \\
 8.25 \times \frac{110}{x} \quad \text{or simply} \quad \frac{907.5}{x} \\
 f(x) = 1.875 * x + \frac{907.5}{x}
 \end{aligned}$$

Calculate the minimized value by setting to zero and solving:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= 1.875 - \frac{907.5}{x^2} \\
 f'(x) &= 0 \\
 1.875 - \frac{907.5}{x^2} &= 0 \\
 1.875 &= \frac{907.5}{x^2} \\
 1.875x^2 &= 907.5 \\
 x^2 &= \frac{907.5}{1.875} \\
 x &= \sqrt{\frac{907.5}{1.875}} \\
 x &= \sqrt{484} \\
 x &= 22 \\
 \text{quantity of irons} &= 22 \\
 110/22 \\
 \text{quantity of orders} &= 5
 \end{aligned}$$

The order should have 22 irons with a total of 5 orders.

Question 6

Use integration by parts to solve the integral below.

$$\int \ln(9x) * x^6 dx$$

Answer 6

Formula: $uv - \int v du$, $u = \ln(9x)$, $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$, $dv = x^6$, $v = \frac{1}{7}x^7$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{x^7 \ln(9x)}{7} - \int \frac{1}{7} x^7 \frac{1}{x} dx \\ \frac{x^7 \ln(9x)}{7} - \frac{1}{7} \int \frac{x^7}{x} dx \\ \frac{x^7 \ln(9x)}{7} - \frac{1}{7} \int x^6 dx \\ \frac{x^7 \ln(9x)}{7} - \frac{1}{7} \left(\frac{x^7}{7} \right) + C \\ \frac{x^7 \ln(9x)}{7} - \frac{x^7}{49} + C\end{aligned}$$

Question 7

Determine whether $f(x)$ is a probability density function on the interval $[1, e^6]$. If not, determine the value of the definite integral.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{6x}$$

Answer 7

$$\begin{aligned}\int_1^{e^6} \frac{1}{6x} dx &= \frac{1}{6} \ln(x) \Big|_1^{e^6} \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \ln(e^6) - \frac{1}{6} \ln(1) \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \times 6 - \frac{1}{6} \times 0 \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

The definite integral is 1 on the interval $[1, e^6]$.