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MATH-I ■ Assignment #7

(Improper Integral, Taylor's Theorem)

1. Test the convergence/divergence of the following improper integrals:

$$\begin{array}{llll} (a) \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\log(1+\sqrt{x})} & (b) \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x - \log(1+x)} & (c) \int_0^1 \frac{\log x}{\sqrt{x}} dx & (d) \int_0^1 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) dx \\ (e) \int_1^\infty \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{x} dx & (f) \int_0^\infty e^{-x^2} dx & (g) \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dx}{x - \sin x} & (h) \int_0^{\pi/2} \operatorname{cosec} x dx. \end{array}$$

2. In each case, determine the values of p for which the following improper integrals converge

$$(a) \int_0^\infty \frac{1 - e^{-x}}{x^p} \quad (b) \int_0^\infty \frac{t^{p-1}}{1+t} dt.$$

3. Show that the integrals $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$ and $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ converge. Further, prove that

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx = \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x} dx.$$

4. Show that $\int_0^\infty \frac{x \log x}{(1+x^2)^2} dx = 0$.

5. Prove that $\int_1^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x^p} dx$ converges conditionally for $0 < p \leq 1$ and absolutely for $p > 1$.

6. Show that $\int_0^s \frac{1+x}{1+x^2} dx$ and $\int_{-s}^0 \frac{1+x}{1+x^2} dx$ do not approach a limit as $s \rightarrow \infty$. However $\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-s}^s \frac{1+x}{1+x^2} dx$ exists.

7. For $x > -1$, $x \neq 0$ prove that

- (a) $(1+x)^\alpha > 1+\alpha x$ whenever $\alpha < 0$, or $\alpha > 1$
(b) $(1+x)^\alpha < 1+\alpha x$ whenever $0 < \alpha < 1$.

8. Using Taylor's theorem, for any $k \in \mathbb{N}$ and for all $x > 0$, show that

$$x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \dots + \frac{1}{2k}x^{2k} < \log(1+x) < x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \dots + \frac{1}{2k+1}x^{2k+1}.$$