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MA2002 Calculus

Solution to Tutorial 7

TUTORIAL PART I

1. (a)
$$\lim_{t \to -3} \frac{t^3 - 4t + 15}{t^2 - t - 12} = \lim_{t \to -3} \frac{(t^3 - 4t + 15)'}{(t^2 - t - 12)'} = \lim_{t \to -3} \frac{3t^2 - 4}{2t - 1} = \frac{3(-3)^2 - 4}{2(-3) - 1} = -\frac{23}{7}.$$

(b)
$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{8x^2}{\cos x - 1} = \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{(8x^2)'}{(\cos x - 1)'} = \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{16x}{-\sin x} = -16 \cdot \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{x}{\sin x} = -16.$$

(c)
$$\lim_{t \to 0} \frac{t(1-\cos t)}{t-\sin t} = \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{[t(1-\cos t)]'}{(t-\sin t)'} = \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{1-\cos t + t\sin t}{1-\cos t} = \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{(1-\cos t + t\sin t)'}{(1-\cos t)'}$$
$$= \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{2\sin t + t\cos t}{\sin t} = 2 + \lim_{t \to 0} \cos t \cdot \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{t}{\sin t} = 2 + 1 \cdot 1 = 3.$$

(d)
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{\sqrt{9x+1}}{\sqrt{x+1}} = \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{\sqrt{9+\frac{1}{x}}}{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{x}}} = \frac{\sqrt{9+0}}{\sqrt{1+0}} = 3.$$

(e)
$$\lim_{x \to (\pi/2)^{-}} \frac{\sec x}{\tan x} = \lim_{x \to (\pi/2)^{-}} \frac{1/\cos x}{\sin x/\cos x} = \lim_{x \to (\pi/2)^{-}} \frac{1}{\sin x} = \frac{1}{\sin(\pi/2)} = 1.$$

(f)
$$\lim_{x \to 1} \frac{\sqrt{3-x} - \sqrt{1+x}}{x^2 + x - 2} = \lim_{x \to 1} \frac{(\sqrt{3-x} - \sqrt{1+x})'}{(x^2 + x - 2)'} = \lim_{x \to 1} \frac{\frac{-1}{2\sqrt{3-x}} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+x}}}{2x + 1}$$
$$= \frac{\frac{-1}{2\sqrt{3-1}} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1+1}}}{2 \cdot 1 + 1} = -\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{6}.$$

(g)
$$\lim_{x \to a} \frac{x^m - a^m}{x^n - a^n} = \lim_{x \to a} \frac{(x^m - a^m)'}{(x^n - a^n)'} = \lim_{x \to a} \frac{mx^{m-1}}{nx^{n-1}} = \frac{ma^{m-1}}{na^{n-1}} = \frac{m}{n} a^{m-n}.$$

(h)
$$\lim_{x \to \pi/2} (\sec x - \tan x) = \lim_{x \to \pi/2} \left(\frac{1}{\cos x} - \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right) = \lim_{x \to \pi/2} \frac{(1 - \sin x)'}{(\cos x)'} = \lim_{x \to \pi/2} \frac{-\cos x}{-\sin x} = \frac{-\cos(\pi/2)}{-\sin(\pi/2)} = 0.$$

2. Divide [0, a] into n equal subintervals: $[x_0, x_1], [x_1, x_2], ..., [x_{n-1}, x_n]$.

The length of each subinterval is $\Delta x = \frac{a}{n}$, and $x_i = i \cdot \Delta x = \frac{ia}{n}$ for i = 0, 1, 2, ..., n.

Let $f(x) = x^3$. The Riemann sum is given by

$$S_n = [f(x_1) + f(x_2) + \dots + f(x_n)] \Delta x = \left[\left(\frac{a}{n} \right)^3 + \left(\frac{2a}{n} \right)^3 + \dots + \left(\frac{na}{n} \right)^3 \right] \frac{a}{n}$$
$$= \frac{a^4}{n^4} (1^3 + 2^3 + \dots + n^3) = \frac{a^4}{n^4} \cdot \left[\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right]^2 = \frac{a^4(n+1)^2}{4n^2}.$$

Therefore,

$$\int_0^a x^3 dx = \lim_{n \to \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{a^4}{4} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^2 = \frac{a^4}{4}.$$

3.
$$\int_{3}^{1} h(r) dr = \int_{-1}^{1} h(r) dr - \int_{-1}^{3} h(r) dr = 0 - 6 = -6.$$

4. (a) Let
$$u = x^2$$
. Then $\frac{du}{dx} = 2x$, and

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \int_0^{x^2} \cos(t^{1/3}) dt = \frac{du}{dx} \frac{d}{du} \int_0^u \cos(t^{1/3}) dt$$
$$= 2x \cdot \cos(u^{1/3}) = 2x \cos(x^{2/3}).$$

(b) Let
$$u = \sqrt{x}$$
. Then $\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$, and

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \int_{\pi}^{\sqrt{x}} \sin t \, dt = \frac{du}{dx} \frac{d}{du} \int_{\pi}^{u} \sin t \, dt$$
$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \sin u = \frac{\sin \sqrt{x}}{2\sqrt{x}}.$$

(c) Let
$$u = \tan x$$
. Then $\frac{du}{dx} = \sec^2 x$, and

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^{\tan x} \frac{dt}{(1+t^2)^2} = -\frac{du}{dx} \frac{d}{du} \int_0^u \frac{dt}{(1+t^2)^2}$$
$$= -\sec^2 x \cdot \frac{1}{(1+u^2)^2} = -\sec^2 x \cdot \frac{1}{(1+\tan^2 x)^2}$$
$$= -\sec^2 x \cdot \frac{1}{\sec^4 x} = -\cos^2 x.$$

5. Let u = g(x) and v = h(x). Then for any $a \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\frac{d}{dx}F(x) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\int_{a}^{v} f(t) dt - \int_{a}^{u} f(t) dt\right)$$

$$= \frac{dv}{dx}\frac{d}{dv}\int_{a}^{v} f(t) dt - \frac{du}{dx}\frac{d}{du}\int_{a}^{u} f(t) dt$$

$$= h'(x)f(v) - g'(x)f(u)$$

$$= h'(x)f(h(x)) - g'(x)f(g(x)).$$

Then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{\cos x}^{5x} \cos(t^2) dt = (5x)' \cos((5x)^2) - (\cos x)' \cos((\cos x)^2)$$
$$= 5\cos(25x^2) + \sin x \cos(\cos^2 x).$$

6.
$$F(x) = x \int_{a}^{x} f(t) dt - \int_{a}^{x} t f(t) dt. \text{ Then}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} F(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(x \int_{a}^{x} f(t) dt \right) - \frac{d}{dx} \int_{a}^{x} t f(t) dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{x} f(t) dt + x \cdot f(x) - x f(x) = \int_{a}^{x} f(t) dt.$$

Therefore,

$$F''(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \int_a^x f(t) dt = f(x).$$

TUTORIAL PART II

1. (a)
$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x - x - x^3/3}{\sin^5 x} = \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{x^5}{\sin^5 x} \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x - x - x^3/3}{x^5}$$

$$= \left(\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{x}{\sin x}\right)^5 \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{(\tan x - x - x^3/3)'}{(x^5)'} = 1^5 \cdot \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\sec^2 x - 1 - x^2}{5x^4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan^2 x - x^2}{x^4} = \frac{1}{5} \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x - x}{x^3} \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\tan x + x}{x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{(\tan x - x)'}{(x^3)'} \lim_{x \to 0} \left(\frac{\tan x}{x} + 1\right) = \frac{1}{5} \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\sec^2 x - 1}{3x^2} \cdot (1 + 1)$$

$$= \frac{2}{15} \lim_{x \to 0} \left(\frac{\tan x}{x}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{15} \cdot 1^2 = \frac{2}{15}.$$

(b)
$$\lim_{x \to \infty} (\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} - \sqrt{x^2 - x}) = \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{(\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} - \sqrt{x^2 - x})(\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \sqrt{x^2 - x})}{\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \sqrt{x^2 - x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{(x^2 + x + 1) - (x^2 - x)}{\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \sqrt{x^2 - x}} = \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{2x + 1}{\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \sqrt{x^2 - x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{2 + \frac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}} + \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{x}}} = \frac{2 + 0}{\sqrt{1 + 0 + 0} + \sqrt{1 - 0}} = 1.$$

2. i) Divide the interval [*a*, *b*] into *n* equal subintervals

$$[x_0, x_1], [x_1, x_2], \dots, [x_{n-1}, x_n].$$

The length of each subinterval is $\Delta x = x_i - x_{i-1}$, i = 1, ..., n, $x_0 = a$ and $x_n = b$.

ii) Choose the sample points $x_i^* = \sqrt{x_{i-1} \cdot x_i} \in [x_{i-1}, x_i], i = 1, ..., n$.

iii) Then the Riemann sum is given by

$$S_n = \sum_{n=1}^n (x_i^*)^{-2} \Delta x = \sum_{i=1}^n (\sqrt{x_{i-1} x_i})^{-2} (x_i - x_{i-1})$$
$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i - x_{i-1}}{x_{i-1} x_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{x_{i-1}} - \frac{1}{x_i} \right) = \frac{1}{x_0} - \frac{1}{x_n} = \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b}.$$

iv) Therefore, the definite integral can be evaluated as

$$\int_{a}^{b} x^{-2} dx = \lim_{n \to \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b} \right) = \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b}.$$

3. Define
$$F(x) = \int_{x}^{x+T} f(t) dt$$
. Then $\frac{d}{dx}F(x) = f(x+T) - f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

It follows that F is constant on \mathbb{R} . So F(a) = F(0) for all $a \in \mathbb{R}$. Therefore,

$$\int_{a}^{a+T} f(t) dt = \int_{0}^{T} f(t) dt, \text{ for all } a \in \mathbb{R}.$$