

MAT 1332, Winter 2015, Assignment 2

Due Wednesday February 4 in the math department dropboxes by 4:00pm.

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QUESTION 1. For each of the following integrals do the following:

(i) Explain in one sentence why the integral is an improper integral.

(ii) Decide whether the integral is convergent or divergent. Justify your answer.

$$(a) \int_1^3 \frac{1}{(t-3)^{4/3}} dt$$

$$(b) \int_{-1}^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx.$$

[1]

(i) (a) $\int_1^3 \frac{1}{(t-3)^{4/3}} dt$ is an improper integral since $f(t) = \frac{1}{(t-3)^{4/3}}$ is continuous on $[1, 3)$ but not continuous on $[1, 3]$.

(i) (b) $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$ is an improper integral since $y(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ is continuous on $(-1, 1)$ but discontinuous on $[-1, 1]$.

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(ii) (a)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^x \frac{1}{(t-3)^{4/3}} dt &= \int_1^x (t-3)^{-4/3} dt \\ &= \left[-3(t-3)^{-1/3} \right]_1^x \\ &= -3(x-3)^{-1/3} + 3(-2)^{-1/3} \\ &= -3(x-3)^{-1/3} - \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{2}} \end{aligned}$$

for all $x \geq 1$. Taking the limit, we have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \left(-3(x-3)^{-1/3} - \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{2}} \right) = -3 \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} (x-3)^{-1/3} - \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{2}} = \infty$$

since $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \sqrt[3]{x-3} = 0^-$ (i.e., approaches zero from below). It follows that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} \int_1^x \frac{1}{(t-3)^{4/3}} dt$$

does not exist and hence the improper integral is divergent.

(ii) (b)

$$\int_{-1}^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \underbrace{\int_{-1}^0 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx}_{(1)} + \underbrace{\int_0^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx}_{(2)}$$

First we have

$$(1) \quad \int_t^0 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \int_{1-t^2}^1 \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{y}} dy \quad \begin{array}{l} y = 1 - x^2 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} = -2x \end{array}$$

$$= -\sqrt{y} \Big|_{1-t^2}^1 = -[\sqrt{1} - \sqrt{1-t^2}] = -1 + \sqrt{1-t^2}$$

Hence

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow -1} \int_t^0 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow -1} [-1 + \sqrt{1-t^2}] = -1$$

Next we have

$$(2) \quad \int_0^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \int_1^{1-t^2} \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{y}} dy \quad \begin{array}{l} y = 1 - x^2 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} = -2x \end{array}$$

$$= -\sqrt{y} \Big|_1^{1-t^2} = -[\sqrt{1-t^2} - 1] = 1 - \sqrt{1-t^2}$$

Hence

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \int_0^t \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} [1 - \sqrt{1-t^2}] = 1$$

Since both (1) and (2) are convergent, it follows that $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$ is convergent and

$$\int_{-1}^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = -1 + 1 = 0$$

QUESTION 2. Evaluate the following indefinite integrals:

$$(a) \int \frac{x^3 + x^2 + 5}{x^2 + 4} dx \qquad (b) \int \frac{x^4 - 8x^2 - 10}{x^2 - 3x - 10} dx$$

(a)

Since the degree of the numerator is larger than the degree of the denominator, we need to do long division

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 1 \\ x^2 + 4 \overline{) x^3 + x^2 + 5} \\ \underline{x^3 + 4x} \\ x^2 - 4x + 5 \\ \underline{x^2 + 4} \\ -4x + 1 \end{array}$$

Hence $x^3 + x^2 + 5 = (x + 1)(x^2 + 4) - 4x + 1$ and so

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^3 + x^2 + 5}{x^2 + 4} &= \frac{(x + 1)(x^2 + 4) - 4x + 1}{x^2 + 4} \\ &= x + 1 + \frac{1 - 4x}{x^2 + 4} \end{aligned}$$

Note that $x^2 + 4$ cannot be factored and hence

$$x + 1 + \frac{1}{x^2 + 4} - \frac{4x}{x^2 + 4}$$

is the partial fraction decomposition. We thus have

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^3 + x^2 + 5}{x^2 + 4} dx &= \int (x + 1) dx + \int \frac{1}{x^2 + 4} dx - \int \frac{4x}{x^2 + 4} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2}x^2 + x + \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - 2 \ln(x^2 + 4) + C \end{aligned}$$

(Note that we don't need the absolute value signs in the logarithm because $x^2 + 4$ is automatically positive.)

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(b)

Once again, we need to do long division:

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 3x + 11 \\ x^2 - 3x - 10 \overline{) x^4 - 8x^2 - 10} \\ \underline{x^4 - 3x^3 - 10x^2} \\ 3x^3 + 2x^2 - 10 \\ \underline{3x^3 - 9x^2 - 30x} \\ 11x^2 + 30x - 10 \\ \underline{11x^2 - 33x - 110} \\ 63x + 100 \end{array}$$

Hence $x^4 - 8x^2 - 10 = (x^2 - 3x - 10)(x^2 + 3x + 11) + 63x + 100$, so we have

$$\frac{x^4 - 8x^2 - 10}{x^2 - 3x - 10} = x^2 + 3x + 11 + \frac{63x + 100}{x^2 - 3x - 10}$$

Note that the denominator factors as $x^2 - 3x - 10 = (x + 2)(x - 5)$. Hence, using partial fractions, we have

$$\frac{63x + 100}{x^2 - 3x - 10} = \frac{A}{x + 2} + \frac{B}{x - 5}$$

$$63x + 100 = A(x - 5) + B(x + 2)$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} x = 5 & 415 = B(7) & B = \frac{415}{7} \\ x = -2 & -26 = A(-7) & A = \frac{26}{7} \end{array}$$

Thus

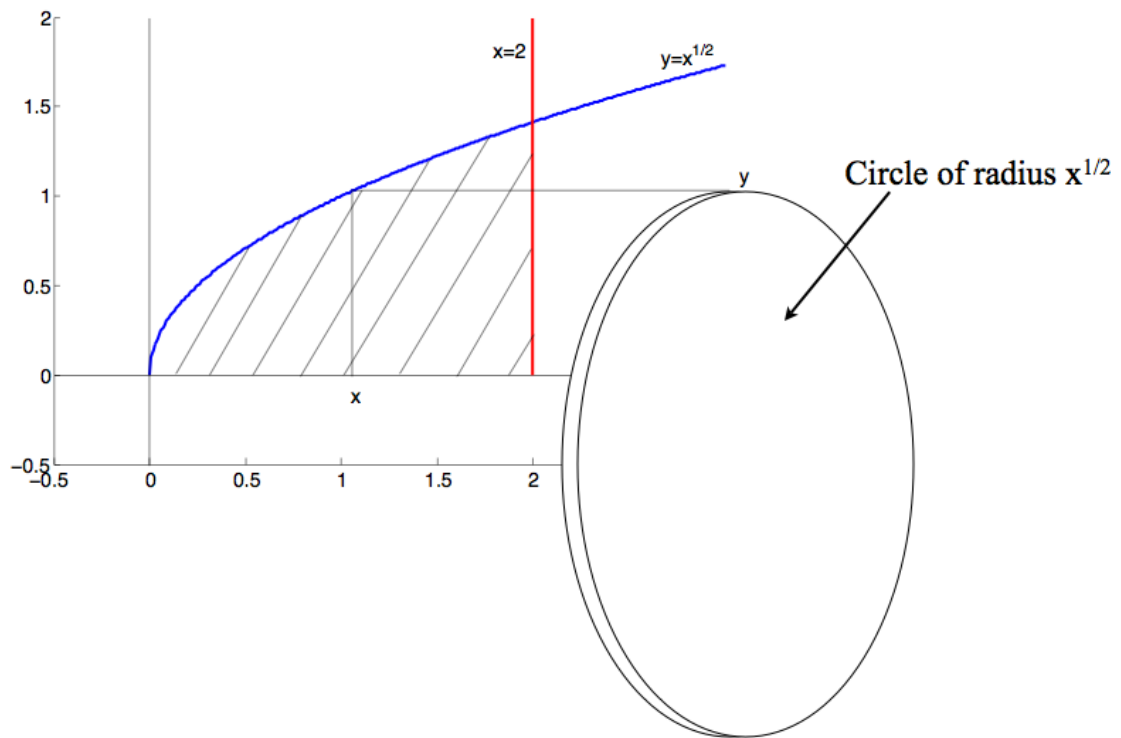
$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^4 - 8x^2 - 10}{x^2 - 3x - 10} dx &= \int (x^2 + 3x + 11) dx + \int \frac{26}{7(x + 2)} + \int \frac{415}{7(x - 5)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{3}{2}x^2 + 11x + \frac{26}{7} \ln|x + 2| + \frac{415}{7} \ln|x - 5| + C \end{aligned}$$

[Note: you lose half a mark each time you forget the absolute value signs in a logarithm and another half a mark if you forget the $+C$.]

QUESTION 3. Find the volume of the solid obtained by rotating the region bounded by the curves $y = \sqrt{x}$, $x = 2$ and $y = 0$ about the x -axis. Include a sketch of the region and a typical cross-section with a plane orthogonal to the x -axis. Leave your answer in exact form (not a decimal approximation).

The volume is

$$V = \int_0^2 \pi f(x)^2 dx = \int_0^2 \pi (\sqrt{x})^2 dx = \int_0^2 \pi x dx = \frac{\pi}{2} x^2 \Big|_0^2 = \frac{\pi}{2} (4 - 0) = 2\pi \text{ units}^3$$



QUESTION 4.

- a) Find the area of the region bounded by the curves $y = 2 - x$, $y = x^2$ and the line $y = 0$. (You may assume $x \geq 0$.) Include a sketch of the area. Leave your answers in exact form (not a decimal approximation).
- b) Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the area in part (a) around the x -axis. Leave your answer in exact form.

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(a)

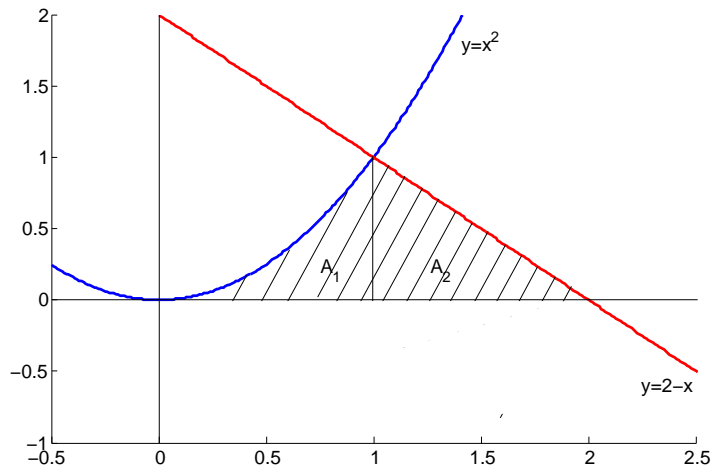
The curves $y = x^2$ and $y = 2 - x$ intersect at $(x, y) = (1, 1)$. Thus the area is

$$A = A_1 + A_2$$

$$\text{where } A_1 = \int_0^1 x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}x^3 \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$A_2 = \int_1^2 (2 - x) dx = \left[2x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right]_1^2 = \left[4 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 - 2 + \frac{1}{2} \right] = \frac{8 - 4 - 4 + 1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore A = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{2 + 3}{6} = \frac{5}{6} \text{ units}^2$$



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(b)

The volume is

$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \pi \int f(x)^2 dx \\
 &= \pi \int_0^1 (x^2)^2 dx + \pi \int_1^2 (2-x)^2 dx \\
 &= \pi \int_0^1 x^4 dx + \pi \int_1^2 (4-4x+x^2) dx \\
 &= \pi \frac{x^5}{5} \Big|_0^1 + \pi \left[4x - 2x^2 + \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^2 \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{5} + \pi \left[\left(8 - 8 + \frac{8}{3} \right) - \left(4 - 2 + \frac{1}{3} \right) \right] \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{5} + \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{8\pi}{15} \text{ units}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

QUESTION 5. A bacterial culture contains 500 units at the beginning. The culture grows at a rate proportional to the size of the culture. After 3 hours, the bacterial culture has grown to 800 units.

- Find the amount of bacteria as a function of time (in hours).
- How many units of bacteria are there after 4 hours?
- How long does it take until the amount of bacteria reaches 30,000 units?

(a)

The differential equation that describes this phenomenon is

$$\frac{dB}{dt} = kB$$

Separating variables, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dB}{B} &= kdt \\ \int \frac{dB}{B} &= \int kdt \\ \ln B &= kt + c \\ B &= B_0 e^{kt} \quad (\text{where } B_0 = e^c)\end{aligned}$$

Applying the initial condition, we have

$$\begin{aligned}500 &= B_0 e^0 \\ B &= 500 e^{kt}\end{aligned}$$

After 3 hours, we have

$$\begin{aligned}800 &= 500 e^{3k} \\ 3k &= \ln \frac{8}{5} \\ k &= \frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{8}{5} \\ B(t) &= 500 e^{\frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{8}{5} t}\end{aligned}$$

(b)

After 4 hours, we have

$$B(4) = 500 e^{\frac{4}{3} \ln \frac{8}{5}} = 500 \left(\frac{8}{5} \right)^{4/3} = 935.69 \text{ units}$$

(c)

We have

$$\begin{aligned}30,000 &= 500 e^{\frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{8}{5} \bar{t}} \\ 60 &= e^{\frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{8}{5} \bar{t}} \\ \frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{8}{5} \bar{t} &= \ln 60 \\ \ln \frac{8}{5} \bar{t} &= 3 \ln 60 \\ \bar{t} &= \frac{3 \ln 60}{\ln \frac{8}{5}} = 26.13 \text{ hours}\end{aligned}$$

[Note: you lose half a mark if you don't specify the units.]