

Midterm Exam MATH 205
Differential and Integral Calculus II

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SOLUTIONS

Problem 1.

(b) Use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to calculate the derivative of

$$F(x) = \int_{-x^2}^0 (t-1) \cos^4(t+1) dt$$

and determine whether F is increasing or decreasing at $x = 1/2$?

Solution.

By the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

$$\begin{aligned} F'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_{-x^2}^0 (t-1) \cos^4(t+1) dt \right) = -\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^{-x^2} (t-1) \cos^4(t+1) dt \right) = \\ &= -(-x^2 - 1) \cos^4(-x^2 + 1) \frac{d}{dx}(-x^2) = -2x(x^2 + 1) \cos^4(1 - x^2). \end{aligned}$$

Since $F'(1/2) = -2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{5}{4} \cos^4(\frac{3}{4}) < 0$, then F decreases at $x = 1/2$.

Problem 2.

Find $G(x)$ if $G'(x) = \sec^3(x) \tan^3(x)$ and $G(0) = 1$.

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} G(x) &= \int \sec^3(x) \tan^3(x) dx = \int \sec^2(x) \tan^2(x) (\sec(x) \tan(x)) dx = \\ &= \int \sec^2(x) (\sec^2(x) - 1) (\sec(x) \tan(x)) dx = \int u^2(u^2 - 1) du, \end{aligned}$$

where $u = \sec(x)$, $du = \sec(x) \tan(x) dx$.

Therefore,

$$G(x) = \int u^2(u^2 - 1) du = \int (u^4 - u^2) du = \frac{1}{5}u^5 - \frac{1}{3}u^3 + C = \frac{1}{5} \sec^5(x) - \frac{1}{3} \sec^3(x) + C.$$

From $G(0) = \frac{1}{5} \sec^5(0) - \frac{1}{3} \sec^3(0) + C = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{3} + C = C - \frac{2}{15} = 1$ we get $C = 1 + \frac{2}{15} = \frac{17}{15}$ and

$$G(x) = \frac{1}{5} \sec^5(x) - \frac{1}{3} \sec^3(x) + \frac{17}{15}.$$

Problem 3.

Calculate the following indefinite integrals

(a) $\int \ln \sqrt{x} dx$

Solution.

By the integration by parts

$$\begin{aligned} \int \ln \sqrt{x} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int \ln x dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(x \ln x - \int x d(\ln x) \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(x \ln x - \int x \frac{1}{x} dx \right) = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(x \ln x - \int dx \right) = \frac{1}{2} (x \ln x - x) + C \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\int \frac{x+1}{x^3+x} dx$

Solution.

We write the integrand as a sum of partial fractions

$$\frac{x+1}{x^3+x} = \frac{x+1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$$

with unknown coefficients A , B and C which we find from the following identity

$$A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)x \equiv x+1$$

From

$$(A+B)x^2 + Cx + A \equiv x+1$$

we get system of three linear algebraic equations for A , B and C

$$A+B=0, \quad C=1, \quad A=1$$

Therefore, $A=1$, $B=-1$ and $C=1$ and

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

Problem 4.

Find the exact value of the following definite integrals (do not approximate)

(a) $\int_0^a x\sqrt{a-x}dx$, where parameter $a > 0$

Solution.

By substitution $u = a - x$, $du = -dx$, $u(0) = a$, $u(a) = 0$ and $x = a - u$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^a x\sqrt{a-x}dx &= -\int_a^0 (a-u)\sqrt{u}du = \int_0^a (au^{1/2} - u^{3/2})du = \\ &= \left(\frac{2}{3}au^{3/2} - \frac{2}{5}u^{5/2}\right)\Big|_0^a = \frac{2}{3}a^{5/2} - \frac{2}{5}a^{5/2} = \frac{4}{15}a^{5/2} \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\int_0^{\pi/2} (2 - \sin(x))^2 dx$

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/2} (2 - \sin(x))^2 dx &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (4 - 4\sin(x) + \sin^2(x))dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(4 - 4\sin(x) + \frac{1 - \cos(2x)}{2}\right) dx = \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\frac{9}{2} - 4\sin(x) - \frac{1}{2}\cos(2x)\right) dx = \left(\frac{9}{2}x + 4\cos(x) - \frac{1}{4}\sin(2x)\right)\Big|_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{9}{4}\pi - 4 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 5.

Sketch the region bounded by the graph $f(x) = 4x - x^2$ and the x -axis, and find the volume of a solid obtained by revolution of this region about the axis $y = -2$.

Solution.

Points of intersection the graph with the x -axis $f(x) = 4x - x^2 = x(4 - x) = 0$, i.e. $x = 0$ and $x = 4$. Distance from the parabola to the axis of rotation is $R(x) = f(x) - (-2) = 4x - x^2 + 2$, distance from the x -axis to the axis of rotation is $r(x) = 0 - (-2) = 2$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^4 \pi(R^2(x) - r^2(x))dx = \pi \int_0^4 ((2 + 4x - x^2)^2 - 2^2)dx = \\ &= \pi \int_0^4 (4 + 8x - 2x^2 + 8x + 16x^2 - 4x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x^3 + x^4 - 4)dx = \pi \int_0^4 (16x + 12x^2 - 8x^3 + x^4)dx = \\ &= \pi(8x^2 + 4x^3 - 2x^4 + \frac{1}{5}x^5)\Big|_0^4 = \frac{384\pi}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 6.

Find the average value of the function $f(x) = (x - 3)^2$ on the interval $[2, 5]$. Sketch the graph of f , and draw the rectangle whose base is the interval $[2, 5]$ and whose height is the average value of f on that interval

Solution.

$$f_{AV} = \frac{1}{5-2} \int_2^5 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int_2^5 (x-3)^2 dx = \frac{1}{9} (x-3)^3 \Big|_2^5 = \frac{1}{9} ((5-3)^3 - (2-3)^3) = 1$$

Bonus.

Evaluate the limit by recognizing it as a Riemann sum for a function $f(x)$ on the interval $[0, 1]$ and then using integration.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{i^4}{n^5} + \frac{i}{n^2} \right)$$

Solution.

$\Delta x = \frac{1-0}{n} = \frac{1}{n}$ and partition $x_i = 0 + i\Delta x = \frac{i}{n}$, where $i = \overline{0, n}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{i^4}{n^5} + \frac{i}{n^2} \right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{i^4}{n^4} + \frac{i}{n} \right) \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{i^4}{n^4} + \frac{i}{n} \right) \Delta x = \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i^4 + x_i) \Delta x = \int_0^1 (x^4 + x) dx = \left(\frac{1}{5} x^5 + \frac{1}{2} x^2 \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{10} \end{aligned}$$