

Practice Final Exam (a) with answers

Math 142

PART I

1. (28 points total) Evaluate the following integrals.

(a)

$$\int x^2 e^{-x^3} dx$$

SOLUTION: Substitute $u = -x^3$ and get

$$\int x^2 e^{-x^3} dx = \frac{-e^{-x^3}}{3}$$

(b)

$$\int_1^e \frac{\sqrt{\ln x}}{x} dx$$

SOLUTION: Substitute $u = \ln x$ and get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^e \frac{\sqrt{\ln x}}{x} dx &= \left. \frac{2 \log(x)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3} \right|_1^e \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\int_1^3 x (x^2 + 1)^{3/2} dx$$

SOLUTION: Substitute $u = -x^2 + 1$ and get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^3 x (x^2 + 1)^{3/2} dx &= \left. \frac{\sqrt{1+x^2} \left(\frac{2}{5} + \frac{4x^2}{5} + \frac{2x^4}{5} \right)}{2} \right|_1^3 \\ &= \frac{-4\sqrt{2}}{5} + 20\sqrt{10}. \end{aligned}$$

(d)

$$\int \frac{\sin t}{(\cos t + 1)^2} dt$$

SOLUTION: Substitute $u = \cos t + 1$ and get

$$\int \frac{\sin t}{(\cos t + 1)^2} dt = \frac{2 \cos(\frac{t}{2})^2}{(1 + \cos(t))^2}.$$

2. (8 points) Find the average value of $f(x) = x^3 + x$ on the interval $[1, 3]$.

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{3-1} \int_1^3 x^3 + x dx &= \left. \frac{\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{4}}{2} \right|_1^3 \\ &= 12. \end{aligned}$$

3. (26 points) Let R be the region in the first quadrant bounded by the curves $y = x^2$ and $y = 4x - x^2$. Calculate:

(a) The area of R .

SOLUTION: The curves intersect at $(0, 0)$ and $(2, 4)$, so we must integrate from 0 to 2. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 (4x - x^2) - x^2 dx &= \left. 2x^2 - \frac{2x^3}{3} \right|_0^2 \\ &= \frac{8}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) The volume obtained by rotating R about the x -axis (slice method is recommended).

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \pi \int_0^2 (4x - x^2)^2 - (x^2)^4 dx \\ &= \pi \left(\frac{16x^3}{3} - 2x^4 \right) \Big|_0^2 \\ &= \frac{32\pi}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

(c) The volume obtained by rotating R about the y -axis (shell method is recommended).

$$\begin{aligned} V &= 2\pi \int_0^2 x \left((4x - x^2) - x^2 \right) dx \\ &= \left. \frac{4x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{2} \right|_0^2 \\ &= \frac{8}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

4. (12 points) A rectangular swimming pool is 50 m long, 15 m wide, and 3 m deep. The depth of the water is 2 m. How much work is required to pump all of the water out over the side ? (Use $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$ for the density of the water and $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ for the acceleration of gravity.)

SOLUTION:

$$W = \int_1^3 7500x \, dx = 3750x^2 \Big|_1^3 = 30000 \text{ joules.}$$

5. (10 points) A particle moves along a line with velocity function $v(t) = t^2 - 2t - 8$. Find:

(a) The displacement during the time interval $[1, 6]$;

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^6 t^2 - 2t - 8 \, dt &= \left. -8t - t^2 + \frac{t^3}{3} \right|_1^6 \\ &= -\frac{10}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) The distance traveled during the time interval $[1, 6]$.

SOLUTION: The velocity is negative for $t < 4$ and positive for $t > 4$, so the distance travelled is

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^6 |t^2 - 2t - 8| \, dt &= -\int_1^4 t^2 - 2t - 8 \, dt + \int_4^6 t^2 - 2t - 8 \, dt \\ &= 18 + \frac{44}{3} = \frac{98}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

6. (16 points) If $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 5$,

(a) Find the intervals on which $f(x)$ is increasing.

SOLUTION: $(-\infty, 0)$ and $(2, \infty)$.

(b) Find the intervals on which $f(x)$ is decreasing. SOLUTION: $(0, 2)$.

(c) Find the local maxima of $f(x)$. SOLUTION: $x = 0, y = 5$.

(d) Find the local minima of $f(x)$. SOLUTION: $x = 2, y = 1$.

(e) Find the intervals on which $f(x)$ is concave up. SOLUTION: $(1, \infty)$.

(f) Find the intervals on which $f(x)$ is concave down . SOLUTION: $(-\infty, 1)$.

(g) Find the inflection points of $f(x)$. SOLUTION: $x = 1, y = 3$.

(h) Sketch the graph of $f(x)$.

PART II

7. (32 points) Evaluate the following integrals:

(a)

$$\int x^2 \sin 4x \, dx = \frac{-((-1 + 8x^2) \cos(4x))}{32} + \frac{x \sin(4x)}{8}$$

(b)

$$\int_1^e x^5 \ln x \, dx = \frac{1 + 5e^6}{36}$$

(c)

$$\int_3^4 \frac{1}{x^2 - 3x + 2} \, dx = 2 \log(2) - \log(3)$$

(d)

$$\int \frac{1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)} \, dx = \frac{-\arctan(x)}{2} + \frac{\log(-1+x)}{2} - \frac{\log(1+x^2)}{4}$$

8. (16 points) Evaluate the following integrals:

(b) (use a trigonometric substitution)

$$\int \sqrt{9+x^2} \, dx = \frac{\frac{2x\sqrt{9+x^2}}{9} - \log(-1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{9+x^2}}) + \log(1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{9+x^2}})}{4}$$

9. (16 points) Evaluate the following integrals or show that they are divergent:

(a)

$$\int_2^{10} \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x-2}} \, dx = 6$$

(b)

$$\int_0^\infty x e^{-2x} \, dx = \frac{1}{4}$$

10. (8 points) Set up Simpson's Rule sum with $n = 4$ subdivisions for the integral:

$$\int_0^4 \sqrt{1+x^3} dx.$$

SOLUTION: Let $f(x) = \sqrt{1+x^3}$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 \sqrt{1+x^3} dx &\approx \frac{1}{3} (f(0) + 4f(1) + 2f(2) + 4f(3) + f(4)) \\ &= \frac{7 + 4\sqrt{2} + 8\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{65}}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

11. (12 points) Find the length of the curve $y = \frac{4}{3}x^{3/2}$, $0 \leq x \leq 2$.

SOLUTION: Let $f(x) = \frac{4}{3}x^{3/2}$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} s &= \int_0^2 \sqrt{1+f'(x)^2} dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \sqrt{1+4x} dx \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{2x}{3}\right) \sqrt{1+4x} \\ &= \frac{13}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

12. (16 points) Find the area of the surface obtained by rotating the curve $y = x^3$, $0 \leq x \leq 1$ about the x -axis.

SOLUTION: Let $f(x) = x^3$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \int_{x=0}^{x=1} 2\pi y ds \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^1 x^3 \sqrt{1+9x^4} dx \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^1 x^3 \sqrt{1+9x^4} dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left. \frac{\pi \left(\frac{2}{27} + \frac{2x^4}{3} \right) \sqrt{1+9x^4}}{2} \right|_0^1 \\
&= 2 \left(-\left(\frac{1}{54} \right) + \frac{5\sqrt{10}}{27} \right) \pi.
\end{aligned}$$