MAT132, Paper Homework 1

due in recitation on 9/12, 9/13, or 9/14

1. Let

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < 0\\ x & \text{if } 0 \le x \le 1\\ 2 - x & \text{if } 1 < x \ge 2\\ 0 & \text{if } x > 2 \end{cases}$$

and define a new function $g(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$.

- (a) Find an expression for g(x) similar to the one for f(x).
- (b) Sketch the graphs of f and g.
- 2. In the problem below, the identities $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} x\right) = \sin(x)$ and $\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) = 1$ will be useful.
 - (a) Use substitution to show that $\int_0^{\pi/2} f(\sin x) \, dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\cos x) \, dx$ for any continuous function f.
 - (b) Using part (a) and the second identity above, calculate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2(x) dx$ and $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2(x) dx$.