

Practice Midterm 2 (corrected)

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No notes, books or calculators.

You must show your reasoning, not just the answer. Answers without justification will get only partial credit.

Please cross out anything that is not part of your solution — e.g., some preliminary computations that you didn't need.

All answers should be simplified if possible — e.g., $\sin(0)$ should be replaced by 0. However, unless instructed, do not replace exact answers by approximate ones — e.g. do not replace $\sqrt{2}$ by 1.41

Each problem is worth 10 pts.

1. Find the derivative of the following function:

$$s(x) = \int_{\frac{1}{2} \sin(x)}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{dt}{\sqrt{1-t^2}}$$

Solution

Let

$$f(x) = \int_x^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{dt}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} = - \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^x \frac{dt}{\sqrt{1-t^2}}$$

By FTC, $f'(x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$.

Since $s(x) = f\left(\frac{1}{2} \sin(x)\right)$, chain rule gives

$$s'(x) = f'\left(\frac{1}{2} \sin(x)\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cos(x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\frac{1}{4} \sin^2(x)}} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cos(x)$$

2. Evaluate the following indefinite integrals:

(a)

$$\int x^5 \ln(x) dx$$

(b)

$$\int \frac{\cos^3(x)}{\sin(x)} dx$$

Solution

(a) Integration by parts, with $f = \ln(x)$, $g(x) = \frac{1}{6}x^6$ (so that $g'(x) = x^5$):

$$\begin{aligned} \int x^5 \ln(x) dx &= \frac{1}{6}x^6 \ln(x) - \int \frac{1}{6}x^6 \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{6}x^6 \ln(x) - \int \frac{1}{6}x^5 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{6}x^6 \ln(x) - \frac{1}{36}x^6 + C \end{aligned}$$

(b) Use the substitution $u = \sin(x)$, $du = \cos(x) dx$. Then:

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{\cos^3(x)}{\sin(x)} dx &= \int \frac{\cos^2(x)}{\sin(x)} \cos(x) dx = \int \frac{1 - \sin^2(x)}{\sin(x)} \cos(x) dx \\ &= \int \frac{1 - u^2}{u} du = \int (u^{-1} - u) du \\ &= \ln(|u|) - \frac{1}{2}u^2 + C \\ &= \ln(|\sin(x)|) - \frac{1}{2}\sin^2(x) + C \end{aligned}$$

3. Evaluate the following definite integrals:

(a)

$$\int_{1/\pi}^{2/\pi} \frac{\sin(1/x)}{x^3} dx$$

(b)

$$\int_0^2 x^2 \sqrt{4-x^2} dx$$

(c)

$$\int_1^{e^\pi} \frac{\cos(\ln x) \sin^2(\ln x)}{x} dx$$

(d)

$$\int_{1/\pi}^{2/\pi} \frac{\sin(1/x)}{x^2} dx$$

Solution

(a) Substitution $u = 1/x$, $du = -\frac{1}{x^2} dx$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{1/\pi}^{2/\pi} \frac{\sin(1/x)}{x^3} dx &= \int_{1/\pi}^{2/\pi} \frac{\sin(1/x)}{x} \frac{dx}{x^2} \\ &= \int_{\pi}^{\pi/2} -u \sin u du \end{aligned}$$

Now use integration by parts: since $-\sin(u) = \cos'(u)$,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\pi}^{\pi/2} -u \sin u du &= u \cos(u) \Big|_{\pi}^{\pi/2} - \int_{\pi}^{\pi/2} \cos(u) du \\ &= (u \cos(u) - \sin(u)) \Big|_{\pi}^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \cos(\pi/2) - \sin(\pi/2) - (\pi \cos(\pi) - \sin(\pi)) = -1 + \pi = \pi - 1 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Rewrite

$$\sqrt{4-x^2} = \sqrt{4(1-x^2/4)} = 2\sqrt{1-(\frac{x}{2})^2}.$$

Now, use trigonometric substitution $\frac{x}{2} = \sin(t)$, so

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{1-(\frac{x}{2})^2} &= \sqrt{1-\sin^2(t)} = \cos(t) \\ dx &= 2 \cos(t) dt \end{aligned}$$

This gives

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 x^2 \sqrt{4-x^2} dx &= \int_0^{\pi/2} (2 \sin(t))^2 (2 \cos(t)) (2 \cos(t) dt) \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} 16 \sin^2(t) \cos^2(t) dt = \int_0^{\pi/2} 16(\sin(t) \cos(t))^2 dt \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sin(t) \cos(t) = \frac{1}{2} \sin(2t)$, we get

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} 4 \sin^2(2t) dt$$

Using trigonometric identity $\sin^2(a) = \frac{1 - \cos(2a)}{2}$, this can be rewritten as

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} 2(1 - \cos(4t)) dt = 2t - \frac{\sin(4t)}{2} \Big|_0^{\pi/2} = \pi.$$

(c) Let $u = \sin(\ln(x))$. Then $du = \cos(\ln(x)) \cdot \frac{1}{x}$, and $x = 1$ gives $u = \sin(0) = 0$, and $x = e^\pi$ gives $u = \sin(\pi) = 0$, so

$$\int_1^{e^\pi} \frac{\cos(\ln x) \sin^2(\ln x)}{x} dx = \int_0^0 u^2 du = 0$$

(d) Same substitution as in part (a):

$$\int_{1/\pi}^{2/\pi} \frac{\sin(1/x)}{x^2} dx = \int_{1/\pi}^{2/\pi} \sin(1/x) \frac{dx}{x^2} = \int_\pi^{\pi/2} -\sin u du = \cos(u) \Big|_\pi^{\pi/2} = 1$$

4. Evaluate the integrals

(a)

$$\int_0^1 \frac{9}{x^2 + 3} dx$$

(b)

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x + 1}{x^2 - 9} dx$$

Solution(a) Use substitution $x = \sqrt{3}u$, $u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x$:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{9}{x^2 + 3} dx &= \int_0^{1/\sqrt{3}} \frac{9\sqrt{3}du}{3u^2 + 3} = \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{3} \int_0^{1/\sqrt{3}} \frac{du}{u^2 + 1} \\ &= 3\sqrt{3} \tan^{-1}(u) \Big|_0^{1/\sqrt{3}} = 3\sqrt{3} \tan^{-1}(1/\sqrt{3}) \\ &= 3\sqrt{3} \cdot \pi/6 = \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(b) Use partial fractions: $x^2 - 9 = (x - 3)(x + 3)$, so we can write

$$\frac{x + 1}{(x - 3)(x + 3)} = \frac{A}{x - 3} + \frac{B}{x + 3}$$

We now solve for A, B :

$$\begin{aligned} x + 1 &= A(x + 3) + B(x - 3) = (A + B)x + 3A - 3B \\ A + B &= 1 \\ 3A - 3B &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Solving the last system of 2 equations in two variables, we get $A = 2/3$, $B = 1/3$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{x + 1}{x^2 - 9} dx &= \int_0^1 \left(\frac{2/3}{x - 3} + \frac{1/3}{x + 3} \right) dx = \left(\frac{2}{3} \ln(|x - 3|) + \frac{1}{3} \ln(|x + 3|) \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &= \left(\frac{2}{3} \ln|1 - 3| + \frac{1}{3} \ln(1 + 3) \right) - \left(\frac{2}{3} \ln|0 - 3| + \frac{1}{3} \ln|0 + 3| \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \ln(2) + \frac{1}{3} \ln(4) - \frac{2}{3} \ln(3) - \frac{1}{3} \ln(3) \\ &= \frac{4}{3} \ln(2) - \ln(3) \end{aligned}$$

(since $\ln(4) = 2\ln(2)$).

5. (a) Decompose the rational function into partial fractions

$$\frac{x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 5x + 6}$$

- (b) Compute the integral

$$\int \frac{x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 5x + 6} dx$$

Solution

- (a) Doing the long division gives

$$\frac{x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 5x + 6} = x + 3 + \frac{2x - 8}{x^2 - 5x + 6}$$

Factoring gives $x^2 - 5x + 6 = (x - 2)(x - 3)$, so we now use partial fractions:

$$\frac{2x - 8}{(x - 2)(x - 3)} = \frac{A}{x - 2} + \frac{B}{x - 3}$$

$$2x - 8 = A(x - 3) + B(x - 2) = (A + B)x - 3A - 2B$$

$$A + B = 2$$

$$-3A - 2B = -8$$

Solving the last system gives $A = 4, B = -2$, so the final answer is

$$\frac{x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 5x + 6} = x + 3 + \frac{4}{x - 2} - \frac{2}{x - 3}$$

- (b) Using part (a), we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x + 10}{x^2 - 5x + 6} dx &= \int x + 3 + \frac{4}{x - 2} - \frac{2}{x - 3} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 3x + 4 \ln(|x - 2|) - 2 \ln(|x - 3|) + C \end{aligned}$$