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1. (20) The definite integral of f from a to b , $\int_a^b f(x) dx$, is defined as a limit of a sequence of Riemann sums.

a. Define what a Riemann sum of f over the interval $[a, b]$ is.

Let $\{x_i\}_{i=0}^n$ be a partition of $[a, b]$. That is, $a = x_0 < x_1 < \cdots < x_n = b$. Let t_i be any point in the i^{th} subinterval. That is, $x_{i-1} \leq t_i \leq x_i$ for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. Then a Riemann sum is

$$\sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) (x_i - x_{i-1}) .$$

b. Using the definition of a definite integral show that if $g(x) \leq f(x)$ for $a \leq x \leq b$, then

$$\int_a^b g(x) dx \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx .$$

Consider two Riemann sums, one for f and one for g , both of which use the same partition and the same points t_i . We then have

$$\sum_{i=1}^n g(t_i) (x_i - x_{i-1}) \leq \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) (x_i - x_{i-1}) .$$

Suppose P_n is a sequence of partitions with the norms of the partitions going to zero as $n \rightarrow \infty$. We have the above inequality for each of the partitions, and as $n \rightarrow \infty$ the Riemann sums converge to the integrals of g and f respectively. Thus, giving us the desired inequality.

2. (30) Calculate the following integrals:

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

First make the substitution $x = 3u$.

$$\int_0^3 \frac{1}{9+x^2} = \int_0^1 \frac{3 du}{9+9u^2} = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^1 \frac{du}{1+u^2} = \frac{1}{3} \tan^{-1} u \Big|_0^1 = \frac{\pi}{12}$$

- b. $\int \frac{x dx}{(1-x)(1+x^2)}$. Find the partial fraction decomposition of the integrand. That is, find constants a, b, c such that

$$\frac{x}{(1-x)(1+x^2)} = \frac{a}{1-x} + \frac{bx+c}{1+x^2}.$$

This leads to the equations:

$$\begin{aligned}x &= a(1+x^2) + (1-x)(bx+c) = (a-b)x^2 + (b-c)x + (a+c) \implies \\0 &= a-b, \quad 1=b-c, \quad 0=a+c \implies \\a &= \frac{1}{2}, \quad b = \frac{1}{2}, \quad c = -\frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{x dx}{(1-x)(1+x^2)} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int \frac{dx}{1-x} + \int \frac{x-1}{1+x^2} dx \right) \\&= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int \frac{dx}{1-x} + \int \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx - \int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \right) \\&= -\frac{1}{2} \ln|1-x| + \frac{1}{4} \ln(1+x^2) - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x + c.\end{aligned}$$

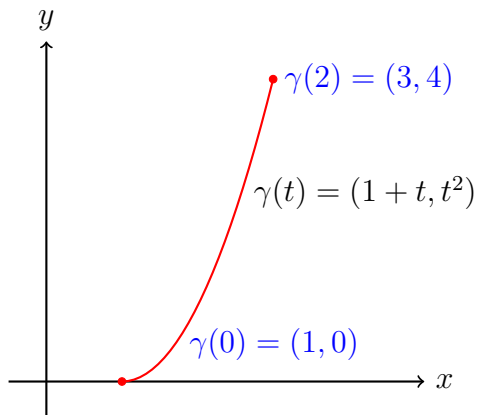
c. $\int_0^{\ln 2} x e^{2x} dx$

This is handled using integration by parts. Set $u = x$ and $dv = e^{2x} dx$. Then we have

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

3. (30) Let $\gamma(t) = (1 + t, t^2)$, for $0 \leq t \leq 2$. In parts b. through d. express your answer as an integral. You do not have to evaluate it.

a. Graph the curve γ ,



b. What is the length of the curve γ ,

$$\text{Length of } \Gamma = \int_0^2 (1 + (2t)^2)^{1/2} dt$$

c. What is the surface area of the surface generated by rotating the curve γ about the y -axis.

$$\text{Surface area} = 2\pi \int_0^2 (1 + t) (1 + (2t)^2)^{1/2} dt$$

d. What is the volume of the region obtained by rotating the curve γ about the x -axis.

$$\text{Volume of region} = \int_0^2 \pi(t^2)^2 dt$$

4. (20) Let $f(x) = \sqrt{1+x}$.

a. What is the third order (degree) Taylor polynomial of f about $x = 0$.

We first need to calculate the first 3 derivatives of f and evaluate them at $x = 0$.

$$f(x) = (1+x)^{1/2}, f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1+x)^{-1/2}, f''(x) = -\frac{1}{4}(1+x)^{-3/2}, f^{(3)}(x) = \frac{3}{8}(1+x)^{-5/2}$$

$$f(0) = 1, f'(0) = \frac{1}{2}, f''(0) = -\frac{1}{4}, f^{(3)}(0) = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T_{f,0}^3(x) &= f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f^{(3)}(0)}{3!}x^3 \\ &= 1 + \frac{x}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{x^3}{16}. \end{aligned}$$

b. Use your answer to part a. to approximate $\sqrt{1.1}$.

$$\sqrt{1.1} = f(0.1) \approx T_{f,0}^3(0.1) = 1 + \frac{0.1}{2} - \frac{(0.1)^2}{8} + \frac{(0.1)^3}{16} \approx 1.048812500$$

As an aside, the square root of 1.1, correct to a large number of places, is

$$1.048808848170151546991454.$$

5. (25) State the integral test, which is used to determine the convergence or divergence of certain types of infinite series. Then use it to decide if the series $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}$ converges or diverges.

Suppose the terms a_n of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ are given by a function $f(x)$. That is $a_n = f(n)$.

Suppose that $f(x) > 0$ and is a decreasing function of x on the interval $[1, \infty)$. Then the integral of f converges if and only if the series converges. That is,

$$\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx < \infty \text{ if and only if } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n < \infty$$

To see if the series $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}$ converges, set $f(x) = \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^3}$. f is positive and decreasing on the interval $(1, \infty)$, and we have

$$\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^3} = \int_{\ln 2}^{\infty} \frac{du}{u^3} = \frac{-1/2}{u^2} \Big|_{\ln 2}^{\infty} = \frac{1}{2 \ln 2} < \infty$$

Since the integral is finite so is the series, i.e., the series converges.

6. (25) Find the radius and interval of convergence of the following power series:

a. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} (x-3)^n,$

Use the ratio test.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\frac{(x-3)^{n+1}}{2^{n+1}}}{\frac{(x-3)^n}{2^n}} \right| = \frac{|x-3|}{2}$$

Since this ratio needs to be less than 1, we see that $|x-3| < 2$. So the radius of convergence is 2. The endpoints of the interval of convergence are 1 and 5. Setting $x=1$ and 5 in the series we get respectively

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} (-2)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n, \text{ which diverges.}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} (2)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 1, \text{ which also diverges.}$$

Thus, the interval of convergence is $(1, 5)$.

b. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x+1)^n}{n}.$

The ratio test is used again.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\frac{(x+1)^{n+1}}{n+1}}{\frac{(x+1)^n}{n}} \right| = |x+1| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+1} = |x+1|$$

The radius of convergence is 1, and the endpoints of the interval of convergence are -2 and 0 . Putting those values into the series we have

Setting $x = -2$ in the sum, we get $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n}$, which converges.

Setting $x = 0$ in the sum, we get $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$, which diverges.

Thus, the interval of convergence is $[-2, 0)$.