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MATH 172

Exam 2

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Sections 502

Solutions

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Multiple Choice: (5 points each. No part credit. Circle your answers.)

1. Find the general partial fraction expansion of  $f(x) = \frac{(x+2)^2}{(x^4-16)(x-2)}$ .

- a.  $\frac{A}{(x-2)^2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4}$
- b.  $\frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{(x-2)^2} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+4}$     Correct
- c.  $\frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4}$
- d.  $\frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4} + \frac{Dx+E}{x^2-4}$
- e.  $\frac{A}{(x-2)^2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2+4)^2}$

**Solution:** We factor  $x^4 - 16 = (x^2 + 4)(x + 2)(x - 2)$  and cancel the  $(x + 2)$ . Then there are linear denominators for  $(x - 2)$  and  $(x - 2)^2$  and a quadratic denominator for  $(x^2 + 4)$ . The linears get a constant on top and the quadratic gets a linear on top:

$$f(x) = \frac{(x+2)^2}{(x^2+4)(x+2)(x-2)^2} = \frac{(x+2)}{(x^2+4)(x-2)^2} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{(x-2)^2} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+4}$$

2. Given the partial fraction expansion:

$$\frac{x^2 + 32x - 4}{x^4 - 16} = \frac{2}{x-2} + \frac{2}{x+2} + \frac{-4x+1}{x^2+4}$$

which term in the following integral is INCORRECT?

$$\int \frac{x^2 + 32x - 4}{x^4 - 16} dx = \underbrace{\ln|x-2|^2}_A + \underbrace{\ln|x+2|^2}_B - \underbrace{\ln|x^2+4|^2}_C + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}_D$$

- a. A
- b. B
- c. C
- d. D
- e. They are all correct.    Correct

**Solution:** Simplify using a log identity and then differentiate:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln|x-2|^2 = \frac{d}{dx} 2 \ln|x-2| = \frac{2}{x-2} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \ln|x+2|^2 = \frac{d}{dx} 2 \ln|x+2| = \frac{2}{x+2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} -\ln|x^2+4|^2 = \frac{d}{dx} -2 \ln|x^2+4| = \frac{-2(2x)}{x^2+4} = \frac{-4x}{x^2+4}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4+x^2} \quad \text{They are all correct.}$$

$$3. \int \frac{1}{(x^2 - 9)^{3/2}} dx =$$

a.  $\frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}$

b.  $\frac{1}{3} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}$

c.  $\frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}$

d.  $\frac{1}{9} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}$

e.  $-\frac{1}{9} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}$  Correct

**Solution:** We use a sec substitution, because  $x > 3$ . So we substitute  $x = 3 \sec \theta$  and  $dx = 3 \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{1}{(x^2 - 9)^{3/2}} dx &= \int \frac{1}{(9 \sec^2 \theta - 9)^{3/2}} 3 \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{9} \int \frac{1}{(\tan^2 \theta)^{3/2}} \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{9} \int \frac{1}{\tan^2 \theta} \sec \theta d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{9} \int \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} d\theta = \frac{1}{9} \int \frac{1}{u^2} du = -\frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{u} = -\frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = -\frac{1}{9} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}} \quad (\text{Draw a triangle.}) \end{aligned}$$

$$4. \int_0^4 \frac{1}{(9 + x^2)^{3/2}} dx =$$

a.  $\frac{1}{15}$

b.  $\frac{1}{45}$

c.  $\frac{4}{45}$  Correct

d.  $\frac{4}{135}$

e.  $\frac{4}{225}$

**Solution:** We use a tan substitution, because of the plus sign. So we substitute  $x = 3 \tan \theta$  and  $dx = 3 \sec^2 \theta d\theta$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 \frac{1}{(9 + x^2)^{3/2}} dx &= \int \frac{1}{(9 + 9 \tan^2 \theta)^{3/2}} 3 \sec^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{9} \int \frac{1}{(\sec^2 \theta)^{3/2}} \sec^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{9} \int \frac{1}{\sec \theta} d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{9} \int \cos \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{9} \sin \theta = \frac{1}{9} \frac{x}{\sqrt{9 + x^2}} \Big|_0^4 \quad (\text{Draw a triangle.}) \\ &= \frac{1}{9} \frac{4}{\sqrt{9 + 16}} = \frac{4}{45} \end{aligned}$$

5.  $\int_0^4 \frac{1}{x^2 - 25} dx =$

a.  $-\frac{1}{5} \ln 3$     Correct

b.  $\frac{1}{5} \ln 3$

c.  $\frac{1}{5} \ln 4 - \frac{1}{5}$

d.  $-\frac{1}{5} \ln 4 + \frac{1}{5}$

e.  $\frac{1}{5} \ln 4$

**Solution:** We use a  $\sin$  substitution, because the limits say  $x < 5$ . So we substitute  $x = 5 \sin \theta$  and  $dx = 5 \cos \theta d\theta$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 \frac{1}{x^2 - 25} dx &= \int \frac{1}{25 \sin^2 \theta - 25} 5 \cos \theta d\theta = -\frac{1}{5} \int \frac{1}{\cos \theta} d\theta = -\frac{1}{5} \int \sec \theta d\theta = -\frac{1}{5} \ln |\sec \theta + \tan \theta| \\ &= \left[ -\frac{1}{5} \ln \left| \frac{5}{\sqrt{25-x^2}} + \frac{x}{\sqrt{25-x^2}} \right| \right]_0^4 \quad (\text{Draw a triangle.}) \\ &= -\frac{1}{5} \ln \left| \frac{5}{\sqrt{9}} + \frac{4}{\sqrt{9}} \right| + \frac{1}{5} \ln \left| \frac{5}{\sqrt{25}} \right| = -\frac{1}{5} \ln \frac{9}{5} = -\frac{1}{5} \ln 3 \end{aligned}$$

Alternatively, we could use the partial fraction expansion  $\frac{1}{x^2 - 25} = \frac{1}{10(x-5)} - \frac{1}{10(x+5)}$ .

6. Consider the integrals:

$$A = \int_3^4 \frac{1}{(x-3)^{2/3}} dx \quad B = \int_3^4 \frac{1}{(x-3)^{4/3}} dx \quad C = \int_4^\infty \frac{1}{(x-3)^{2/3}} dx \quad D = \int_4^\infty \frac{1}{(x-3)^{4/3}} dx$$

Which are finite? Which are infinite?

a.  $A$  and  $B$  are finite.  $C$  and  $D$  are infinite.

b.  $B$  and  $C$  are finite.  $A$  and  $D$  are infinite.

c.  $B$  and  $D$  are finite.  $A$  and  $C$  are infinite.

d.  $A$  and  $D$  are finite.  $B$  and  $C$  are infinite.    Correct

e.  $A$  and  $C$  are finite.  $B$  and  $D$  are infinite.

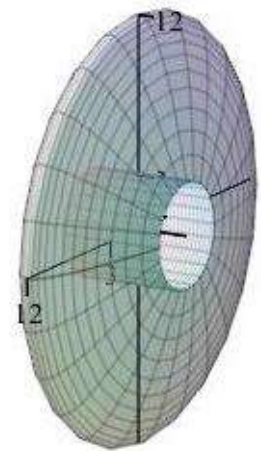
**Solution:** For large  $x$ , notice  $\frac{1}{(x-3)^{4/3}}$  is more damped than  $\frac{1}{x-3}$ . So  $D$  is finite.

For large  $x$ , notice  $\frac{1}{(x-3)^{2/3}}$  is less damped than  $\frac{1}{x-3}$ . So  $C$  is infinite.

Near  $x = 3$ , the behavior is reversed. So  $B$  is infinite and  $A$  is finite.

7. The region between  $y = 12 - x^2$  and  $y = 3$  is rotated about the  $x$ -axis.

Which integral gives the volume swept out?



- a.  $V = \pi \int_{-3}^3 (x^4 - 24x^2 + 135) dx$  Correct  
 b.  $V = 2\pi \int_{-3}^3 (x^4 - 24x^2 + 135) dx$   
 c.  $V = \pi \int_0^3 (9x - x^3) dx$   
 d.  $V = 2\pi \int_0^3 (9x - x^3) dx$   
 e.  $V = 2\pi \int_{-3}^3 (9x - x^3) dx$

**Solution:** Each  $y$  is a function of  $x$ . So we do an  $x$ -integral. They intersect when

$$12 - x^2 = 3 \Rightarrow x^2 = 9 \Rightarrow x = \pm 3$$

The slices are vertical and rotate about the  $x$ -axis into washers.

The inner radius is  $r = 3$  and the outer radius is  $R = 12 - x^2$ .

So the volume is

$$V = \int_{-3}^3 \pi R^2 - \pi r^2 dx = \pi \int_{-3}^3 (12 - x^2)^2 - (3)^2 dx = \pi \int_{-3}^3 (x^4 - 24x^2 + 135) dx$$

8. The region between  $y = 12 - x^2$  and  $y = 3$  is rotated about the  $y$ -axis.

Find the volume swept out.



- a.  $\frac{81\pi}{4}$   
 b.  $\frac{81\pi}{2}$  Correct  
 c.  $18\pi$   
 d.  $36\pi$   
 e.  $81\pi$

**Solution:** Each  $y$  is a function of  $x$ . So we do an  $x$ -integral.

The slices are vertical and rotate about the  $y$ -axis into cylinders.

The radius is  $r = x$  and the height is  $h = (12 - x^2) - 3 = 9 - x^2$ .

The functions intersect when

$$12 - x^2 = 3 \Rightarrow x^2 = 9 \Rightarrow x = \pm 3$$

However, if we integrate from  $x = -3$  to  $x = 3$ , we are double counting the volume.

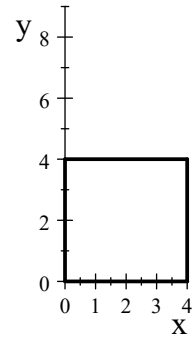
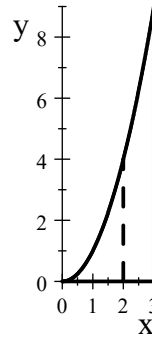
So we integrate from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 3$ . So the volume is

$$V = \int_0^3 2\pi r h dx = 2\pi \int_0^3 x(9 - x^2) dx = 2\pi \int_0^3 (9x - x^3) dx = 2\pi \left[ 9 \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^3 = \frac{81\pi}{2}$$

9. The base of a solid is the region between  $y = x^2$  and the  $x$ -axis for  $0 \leq x \leq 3$ . The cross sections perpendicular to the  $x$ -axis are squares. Find the volume of the solid.
- 9
  - 27
  - 81
  - $\frac{3^5}{5}$  Correct
  - $\frac{3^4}{4}$

**Solution:** Here are plots of the base, with a slice perpendicular to the  $x$ -axis and a cross section. The area of the cross section is  $A = y^2 = (x^2)^2 = x^4$ . So the volume is

$$V = \int_0^3 A \, dx = \int_0^3 x^4 \, dx = \left[ \frac{x^5}{5} \right]_0^3 = \frac{3^5}{5}$$



10. A spring has a rest length of  $x_0 = 5$  m. It requires 12 N of force to hold the spring at  $x = 7$  m. Find the work done to stretch the spring from  $x = 6$  m to  $x = 8$  m.
- 6
  - 8
  - 12
  - 18
  - 24 Correct

**Solution:**  $F = k(x - x_0)$        $12 = k(7 - 5)$        $k = 6$        $F = 6(x - 5)$

$$W = \int_6^8 F \, dx = \int_6^8 6(x - 5) \, dx = 3(x - 5)^2 \Big|_6^8 = 3(3)^2 - 3(1)^2 = 24$$

11. A 20 ft rope hangs from the top of a building. It's linear weight density is  $\rho = 3$  lb/ft. How much work is done to lift the rope to the top of the building?
- 600 ft-lb Correct
  - 450 ft-lb
  - 300 ft-lb
  - 200 ft-lb
  - 150 ft-lb

**Solution:** The piece of rope of length  $dy$  which is  $y$  ft from the top of the building is lifted  $D = y$  ft and has weight  $dF = 3 \, dy$ . So the work is

$$W = \int D \, dF = \int_0^{20} y \cdot 3 \, dy = 3 \frac{y^2}{2} \Big|_0^{20} = 3 \frac{20^2}{2} = 600 \text{ ft-lb}$$

Work Out: (Points indicated. Part credit possible. Show all work.)

12. (16 points) Find the coefficients in the partial fraction expansion

$$\frac{10}{(x^2 + 4)(x^2 - 1)} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 4} + \frac{C}{x + 1} + \frac{D}{x - 1}$$

**Solution:** Clear the denominator:

$$10 = (Ax + B)(x^2 - 1) + C(x^2 + 4)(x - 1) + D(x^2 + 4)(x + 1)$$

Plug in  $x = 1$ :  $10 = (A + B)(0) + C(1 + 4)(0) + D(1 + 4)(1 + 1) = 10D$

$$\Rightarrow D = 1$$

Plug in  $x = -1$ :  $10 = (-A + B)(0) + C(1 + 4)(-2) + D(1 + 4)(0) = -10C$

$$\Rightarrow C = -1$$

Plug in  $x = 0$ :  $10 = B(-1) + C(4)(-1) + D(4)(1) = -B - 4C + 4D = -B + 8$

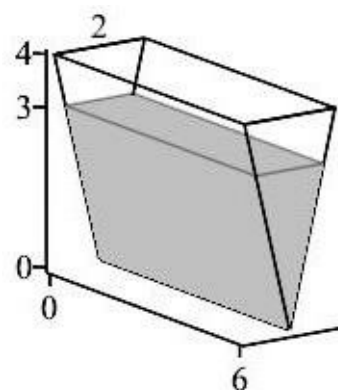
$$\Rightarrow B = -2$$

Coeff of  $x^3$ :  $0 = A + C + D = A - 1 + 1 = A$

$$\Rightarrow A = 0$$

$A = 0$
$B = -2$
$C = -1$
$D = 1$

13. (16 points) The tank shown is 6 m long, 2 m wide at the top and 4 m high. It is filled with water to a depth of 3 m. How much work is done to pump the water out the top of the tank? Take the density of water to be  $\rho$  kg/m<sup>3</sup> and the acceleration of gravity to be  $g$  m/sec<sup>2</sup>. (You don't need numbers for  $\rho$  and  $g$ .)



**Solution:** Put the 0 of the  $y$ -axis at the bottom of the tank and measure  $y$  upward.

The slice at height  $y$  has to be lifted a distance  $D = 4 - y$ .

The slice at height  $y$  is a rectangle of length 6 and width  $w$ , and so area  $A = 6w$ .

By similar triangles  $\frac{w}{y} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$ . So  $w = \frac{y}{2}$  and  $A = 6\frac{y}{2} = 3y$ .

The slice at height  $y$  with thickness  $dy$  has volume  $dV = A dy = 3y dy$  and weight  $dF = \rho g dV = 3\rho g y dy$ .

There is water for  $0 \leq y \leq 3$ . (This is the tricky part.) So the work is:

$$W = \int_0^3 D dF = \int_0^3 (4 - y) 3\rho g y dy = \rho g \left[ 6y^2 - y^3 \right]_0^3 = \rho g (54 - 27) = 27\rho g$$

14. (18 points) Consider the integral  $\int_1^9 (x-4)^2 dx$ . The exact value is  $\frac{152}{3}$ .  
Use each of the following numerical techniques to approximate the integral.

a. Left Riemann Sum with 4 intervals

**Solution:**  $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{9-1}{4} = 2$ . The evaluation points are  $x_i = 1, 3, 5, 7$ .  
The function values are  $f(x_i) = 9, 1, 1, 9$ . The Left Riemann Sum is  
 $L_4 = (9 + 1 + 1 + 9)2 = 40$

b. Right Riemann Sum with 4 intervals

**Solution:**  $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{9-1}{4} = 2$ . The evaluation points are  $x_i = 3, 5, 7, 9$ .  
The function values are  $f(x_i) = 1, 1, 9, 25$ . The Right Riemann Sum is  
 $R_4 = (1 + 1 + 9 + 25)2 = 72$

c. Midpoint Riemann Sum with 4 intervals

**Solution:**  $\Delta x = \frac{b-a}{n} = \frac{9-1}{4} = 2$ . The evaluation points are  $x_i = 2, 4, 6, 8$ .  
The function values are  $f(x_i) = 4, 0, 4, 16$ . The Right Riemann Sum is  
 $M_4 = (4 + 0 + 4 + 16)2 = 48$

d. Trapezoid Rule with 4 intervals

**Solution:**  $T_4 = \frac{L_4 + R_4}{2} = \frac{40 + 72}{2} = 56$

Alternatively:

$$T_4 = \left( \frac{1}{2}9 + 1 + 1 + 9 + \frac{1}{2}25 \right) 2 = 56$$

e. Simpson's Rule with 4 intervals

**Solution:** For quadratic functions, Simpson's Rule is exact. So  $S_4 = \frac{152}{3}$ .

Alternatively:

$$S_4 = \frac{1}{3}(9 + 4 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 1 + 4 \cdot 9 + 25)2 = \frac{152}{3}$$