

Solutions

MAT 296, Fall 2015, Exam #1

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- Simplify your answers whenever possible. Keep your answers exact: fractions, not decimals.
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1	30	
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1. Evaluate the following integrals.

$$(a) I = \int \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2(x-1)} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2(x-1)} &= \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x-1} \\ &= \frac{Ax(x-1) + B(x-1) + Cx^2}{x^2(x-1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$x^2: A + C = 1$$

$$x: B - A = 0$$

$$1: -B = 1$$

So $B = -1$ then a)
 $B = A$, $A = -1$ and
a) $A + C = 1$, $C = 2$

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

$$(b) I = \int \frac{x+4}{x^3+4x} dx$$

$$\frac{x+4}{x^3+4x} = \frac{x+4}{x(x^2+4)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4}$$

$$= \frac{A(x^2+4) + x(Bx+C)}{x(x^2+4)}$$

$$x^2: A+B=0$$

$$x: C=1$$

$$1: 4A=4$$

$$\text{So } C=1, A=1, \text{ and } a) \\ A+B=0, B=-1.$$

$$\int \frac{x+4}{x^3+4x} dx = \int \frac{1}{x} + \frac{-x+1}{x^2+4} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{x} + \frac{-x}{x^2+4} + \frac{1}{x^2+4} dx$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x|$$

$$\int \frac{-x}{x^2+4} dx = \int \frac{-x}{u} \frac{du}{2x} = -\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u} du$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \ln|u|$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+4|$$

$$u = x^2+4 \\ du = 2x dx \\ dx = \frac{du}{2x}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2+4} dx = \int \frac{1/4}{x^2+4} \cdot 4 dx = \int \frac{1/4}{\frac{x^2}{4}+1} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{dx}{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2+1} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot 2 \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

$$\int \frac{x+4}{x^3+4x} dx = \ln|x| - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+4) + \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + K$$

$$= \ln\left|\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+4}}\right| + \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + K$$

2. Determine which of the following improper integrals are convergent, which are divergent, and evaluate the convergent ones.

(a) $\int_0^{\infty} x e^{-x^2} dx$

$$\int x e^{-x^2} dx = \int x e^u \frac{du}{-2x} = -\frac{1}{2} \int e^u du = -\frac{e^u}{2} = -\frac{e^{-x^2}}{2}$$

$$u = -x^2$$

$$du = -2x dx$$

$$dx = \frac{du}{-2x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^b x e^{-x^2} dx &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left. -\frac{e^{-x^2}}{2} \right|_0^b = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{e^{-b^2}}{2} - \left(-\frac{e^0}{2} \right) \right) \\ &= 0 - \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\int_1^4 \frac{1}{(x-2)^2} dx$

$$\int \frac{1}{(x-2)^2} dx = -\frac{1}{x-2}$$

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow 2^-} \int_1^b \frac{1}{(x-2)^2} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow 2^-} \left. -\frac{1}{x-2} \right|_1^b = \lim_{b \rightarrow 2^-} \left(-\frac{1}{b-2} - \left(-\frac{1}{1-2} \right) \right) = \infty$$

So this integral diverges. We need not even consider

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow 2^+} \int_b^2 \frac{1}{(x-2)^2} dx$$

3. (a) Find the length of the arc along the curve $y = 2x^{3/2}$ from $(0, 0)$ to $(4, 16)$.

$$y = 2x^{3/2}$$

$$y' = 3x^{1/2}$$

$$(y')^2 = 9x$$

$$L = \int_0^4 \sqrt{1+(y')^2} dx$$

$$= \int_0^4 \sqrt{1+9x} dx$$

$$u = 1+9x \quad \text{if } x=0, u=1$$

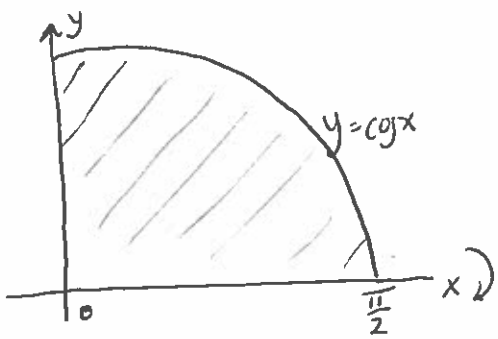
$$du = 9 dx \quad \text{if } x=4, u=37$$

$$= \frac{1}{9} \int_1^{37} u^{1/2} du = \frac{2}{27} u^{3/2} \Big|_1^{37}$$

$$= \frac{2}{27} \sqrt{37^3} - \frac{2}{27}$$

$$= \frac{2(\sqrt{5053} - 1)}{27} \approx 16.597$$

(b) Set up, but do not evaluate, an explicit integral for the surface area of the figure generated by revolving about the x -axis the curve $y = \cos x$, $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.



$$SA = 2\pi \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \sqrt{1 + \sin^2 x}$$

$$y = \cos x$$

$$y' = -\sin x$$

$$(y')^2 = \sin^2 x$$

4. The conical tank shown below has height 8ft and radius 4ft and is filled to a level 2ft below the top with a liquid with density $2\text{lb}/\text{ft}^3$. How much work does it take to pump all the liquid out through the top of the tank? For your final answer, do not multiply out numbers like, for example, 8^3 , etc.

$$\text{Weight} = \text{Volume} \cdot \text{weight density}$$

$$= \pi r^2 dh \cdot 2$$

$$= 2\pi r^2 dh$$

$$= 2\pi \left(\frac{4}{6}(6-h)\right)^2 dh$$

$$\text{Work} = \text{Force} \cdot \text{distance} = \text{Weight} \cdot \text{distance} = 2\pi \left(\frac{4}{6}(6-h)\right)^2 dh \cdot h$$

$$\text{Total work} = \int_2^8 2\pi \left(\frac{4}{6}(6-h)\right)^2 h dh$$

$$= 2\pi \int_2^8 \frac{4^2}{6^2} h(6-h)^2 dh$$

$$= \frac{2\pi \cdot 2^{12}}{2^2 \cdot 3^2} \int_2^8 h(6-h)^2 dh$$

$$= \frac{2^{11}\pi}{9} \int_2^8 h(6-h)^2 dh$$

$$= \frac{2^{11}\pi}{9} \int_2^8 h(36+h^2-12h) dh$$

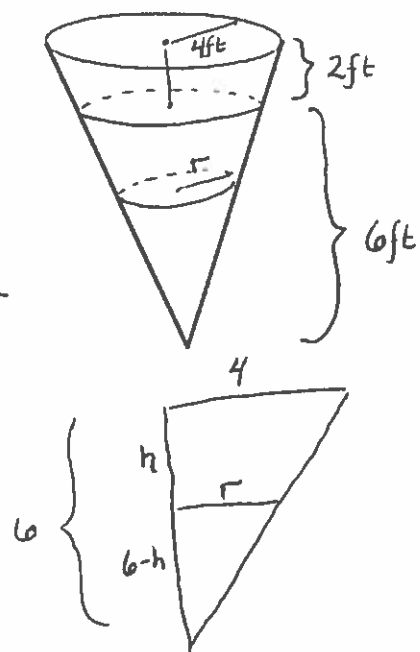
$$= \frac{2^{11}\pi}{9} \int_2^8 h^3 - 12h^2 + 36h dh$$

$$= \frac{2^{11}\pi}{9} \cdot \left(\frac{h^4}{4} - 4h^3 + 18h^2 \right) \Big|_2^8$$

$$= \frac{2^{11}\pi}{9} \cdot \left[\left(\frac{2^{12}}{2^2} - 2^2 \cdot 2^9 + 18 \cdot 2^6 \right) - \left(\frac{2^4}{2^2} - 2^2 \cdot 2^3 + 18 \cdot 2^2 \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{2^{11}\pi}{9} \left(2^{10} - 2^{11} + 18 \cdot 2^6 - 2^2 + 2^5 - 18 \cdot 2^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{57344\pi}{3} \text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb}$$

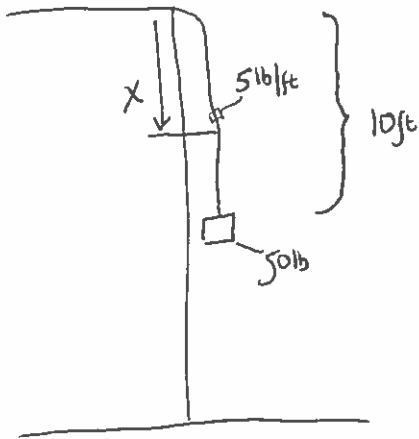


$$\frac{r}{6-h} = \frac{4}{6}$$

$$r = \frac{4}{6}(6-h)$$

$$r = 4 - \frac{4}{6}h$$

5. A chain 10ft long that weighs 5 pounds per foot is hanging from the top of a 45 foot building. At the end of the chain is a pail of cement weighing 50 pounds. How much work is done in pulling the chain (and pail) all the way up to the top of the building?



Weight of chain at height x : $\int dx$
 Work to lift this piece to top: $\int dx \cdot x$

$$\text{Work to lift chain: } \int_0^{10} 5x \, dx = 5 \int_0^{10} x = 5 \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_0^{10} = 5(50 - 0) = 5(50) = 250 \text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb}$$

$$\text{Work to lift bucket: } 50 \text{ lb} \cdot 10 \text{ ft} = 500 \text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb}$$

$$\text{Total Work} = 250 \text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb} + 500 \text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb} = 750 \text{ ft}\cdot\text{lb}$$