

Math 125 D and H - Spring 2004
Mid-Term Exam Number One
Solutions
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1. Evaluate each of the following indefinite integrals.

$$(a) \int \frac{x^2}{x^3 + 5} dx = \frac{1}{3} \ln |x^3 + 5| + C$$

$$(b) \int (x^2 + 3)^2 dx = \int (x^4 + 6x^2 + 9) dx = \frac{1}{5}x^5 + 2x^3 + 9x + C$$

$$(c) \int x^3 \sqrt{x^2 + 4} dx = \frac{1}{5}(x^2 + 4)^{5/2} - \frac{4}{3}(x^2 + 4)^{3/2} + C$$

$$(d) \int \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx = \ln |\ln x| + C$$

2. Alice falls from a plane at an altitude of 3000 meters. She falls in such a way that she is accelerating at a rate of

$$-9.8 + 0.3t \text{ m/s}^2$$

t seconds after the start of her fall. Assume her initial velocity is zero.

(a) What is her velocity after 6 seconds?

Her velocity will be the integral of her rate of acceleration from $t = 0$ to $t = 6$:

$$v = \int_0^6 (-9.8 + 0.3t) dt = (-9.8t + 0.15t^2)|_0^6 = -9.8(6) + 0.15(6^2) = -53.4 \text{ m/s.}$$

(b) How far off the ground will she be after falling for 6 seconds?

Her velocity after t seconds is given by

$$v = -9.8t + 0.15t^2$$

Integrating this, we find her position is

$$h = -4.9t^2 + 0.05t^3 + C$$

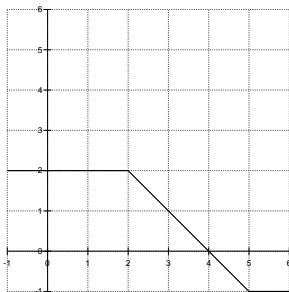
Since $h = 3000$ when $t = 0$, $C = 3000$, so her height after t seconds is

$$h = -4.9t^2 + 0.05t^3 + 3000$$

and so after 6 seconds, she'll be

$$h = -4.9(6^2) + 0.05(6^3) + 3000 = 2834.4 \text{ meters off the ground.}$$

3. The graph of $f(x)$ is given below. Let $A(x) = \int_0^x f(t) dt$.



Evaluate each of the following:

- (a) $A(2) = (2)(2) = 4$
 (b) $A'(3) = 1$
 (c) $A(6) = (2)(2) + 2 - \frac{1}{2} - 1 = \frac{9}{2}$
 (d) $A(4) - A(3) = \frac{1}{2}$

4. Let R be the region in the first quadrant bounded by $y = 2 - x^2$, $y = x^2$, and the y -axis.

(a) Find the volume of the solid of revolution created by revolving R about the y -axis.

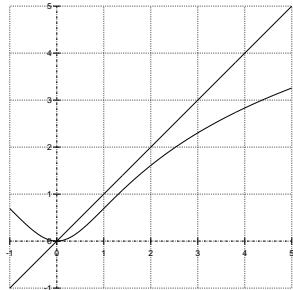
The curves $y = x^2$ and $y = 2 - x^2$ intersect in the first quadrant at the point $(1, 1)$.

$$V = \int_0^1 2\pi x(2 - x^2 - x^2) dx = \int_0^1 2\pi(2x - 2x^3) dx = 2\pi \left(x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^4\right) \Big|_0^1 = 2\pi\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right) = \pi.$$

(b) Find the volume of the solid of revolution created by revolving R about the x -axis.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_0^1 (\pi(2 - x^2)^2 - \pi(x^2)^2) dx = \pi \int_0^1 (4 - 4x^2 + x^4 - x^4) dx \\ &= \pi \int_0^1 (4 - 4x^2) dx = \pi \left(4x - \frac{4}{3}x^3\right) \Big|_0^1 = \pi \left(4 - \frac{4}{3}\right) = \frac{8}{3}\pi \end{aligned}$$

5. Let R be the region bounded by $y = x$, $y = \ln(x^2 + 1)$, and $x = 3$. The curves are shown in the figure.

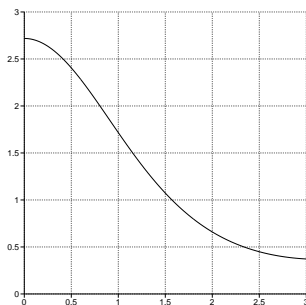


Set up an integral that gives the volume of the solid of revolution created by revolving R about the line $x = 5$. DO NOT EVALUATE THE INTEGRAL.

The method of cylindrical shells is the easiest way to go on this problem:

$$V = \int_0^3 2\pi(5 - x)(x - \ln(x^2 + 1)) dx$$

6. Here is a graph of $y = e^{\cos x}$ on the interval $0 \leq x \leq 3$:



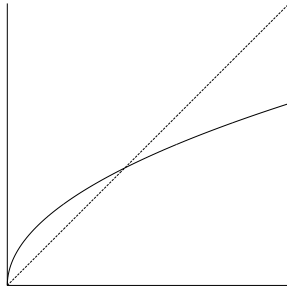
Use the midpoint rule with $n=3$ to approximate the value of the following integral:

$$\int_0^3 e^{\cos x} dx$$

$$\int_0^3 e^{\cos x} dx \approx (1)e^{\cos(0.5)} + (1)e^{\cos(1.5)} + (1)e^{\cos(2.5)} = 3.927193071\dots$$

Note that you must have your calculator in radian mode in order to correctly calculate $\cos(0.5) = 0.87758256\dots$ etc.

7. Find the value of m so that the region bounded by $y = \sqrt{x}$ and $y = mx$ has an area of 4.



The curves $y = \sqrt{x}$ and $y = mx$ intersect at $x = \frac{1}{m^2}$. The area of the region bounded by these curves is

$$\int_0^{1/m^2} (\sqrt{x} - mx) dx = \left(\frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} - \frac{1}{2}mx^2 \right) \Big|_0^{1/m^2} = \frac{1}{6m^3}.$$

So, if the area equals 4, then we have

$$4 = \frac{1}{6m^3}$$

from which we find

$$m = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{24}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt[3]{3}} = 0.3466806372\dots$$