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MATH 253 (L60) Midterm Test

Time:120 minutes

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- [6] 1. Which of the following are partial fractions? Answer **YES** or **NO**.

a) $\frac{2x}{3+x}$

d) $\frac{3x+1}{x^2-4x+7}$

b) $\frac{2x-1}{x^2+8}$

e) $\frac{3}{(x+5)^2}$

c) $\frac{3x}{x^2-4x-7}$

f) $\frac{x^2}{x^2+4x}$

- [6] 2. Given the following information on f :

it is one-to-one, continuous and differentiable on $D_f = [3, 7]$,

$$R_f = [2, 10], f(4) = 9, f(5) = 4, f'(4) = -\frac{1}{3}, f'(5) = -\frac{1}{6}$$

find the domain, range of inverse function , the values $f^{-1}(4), f^{-1}(9)$,

and the derivative of the inverse $(f^{-1})'(4)$.

- [8] 3. Evaluate $\int_1^3 \frac{1}{x^3} \sin \frac{\pi}{x} dx$.

- [10] 4. Find the domain and antiderivative of $f(x) = \frac{2}{x^4 - 4x^2}$.

- [10] 5. Find the domain and antiderivative of $f(x) = \frac{x^3 + 1}{x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x}$.

- [7] 6. Find $\int \cos \sqrt[3]{x} dx$.

- [6] 7. Is the integral $\int_{-\infty}^2 e^{3x} dx$ convergent or divergent? If convergent, find the value.

- [7] 8. Is the integral $\int_{-1}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{(x+1)^3} dx$ convergent or divergent? If convergent, find the value.

SOLUTION

For 1)

a) NO since x is on the top; b) Yes; c) NO since $D > 0$, two real roots;

d) Yes, $D < 0$; e) Yes; f) NO x^2 on top.

For 2)

$D_{f^{-1}} = R_f = [2, 10]$ and $R_{f^{-1}} = D_f = [3, 7]$, $f^{-1}(4) = 5$, $f^{-1}(9) = 4$,

and $(f^{-1})'(4) = \frac{1}{f'(5)} = -6$ since $f(5) = 4$.

For 3)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^3 \frac{1}{x^3} \sin \frac{\pi}{x} dx &= \left(\text{subst. } u = \frac{\pi}{x}, x = \frac{\pi}{u}, dx = -\frac{\pi}{u^2} du, u = \pi, \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = \\ &= - \int_{\pi}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \left(\frac{u}{\pi} \right)^3 \sin u \cdot \frac{\pi}{u^2} du = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\pi} u \sin u \, du = \frac{1}{\pi^2} \{ [u(-\cos u)]_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\pi} + \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\pi} \cos u \, du \} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi^2} \{ -\pi \cos \pi + \frac{\pi}{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \sin \pi - \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \} = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[1 + \frac{1}{6} \right] - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\pi^2} = \frac{7}{6\pi} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\pi^2}. \end{aligned}$$

For 4) for $x \neq 0, \pm 2$

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

multiply by common denom. $x^2(x-2)(x+2)$

$$\text{then } (*) \quad 2 = Ax(x^2 - 4) + B(x^2 - 4) + Cx^2(x+2) + Dx^2(x-2)$$

$$\text{for } x = 0 \quad 2 = -4B \quad B = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$\text{for } x = 2 \quad 2 = 16C \quad C = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\text{for } x = -2 \quad 2 = -16D \quad D = \frac{-1}{8}$$

$$\text{for e.g. } x = 1 \quad 2 = -3A - 3B + 3C - D = -3A + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{8}$$

$$3A = 0 \quad A = 0$$

now integration for $x \neq 0, x \neq \pm 2$

$$\int \frac{2}{x^4 - 4x^2} dx = \frac{-1}{2} \int \frac{dx}{x^2} + \frac{1}{8} \int \frac{dx}{x-2} - \frac{1}{8} \int \frac{dx}{x+2} = \frac{1}{2x} + \frac{1}{8} \ln \left| \frac{x-2}{x+2} \right| + c.$$

For 5)

long division first

$$\frac{x^3 + 4}{x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x} = \frac{(x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x) - 4x^2 - 8x + 4}{x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x} = 1 - \frac{4x^2 + 8x - 4}{x(x^2 + 4x + 8)}$$

$$\frac{4(x^2 + 2x - 1)}{x(x^2 + 4x + 8)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx + C}{x^2 + 4x + 8} \text{ since denom. has complex roots}$$

multiply by common denom. $x(x^2 + 4x + 8)$

$$(*) \quad 4(x^2 + 2x - 1) = A(x^2 + 4x + 8) + Bx^2 + Cx$$

$$\text{for } x = 0 \quad -4 = 8A \quad A = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$\text{for } x = 1 \quad 8 = 13A + B + C$$

for $x = -1 \quad -8 = 5A + B - C$ add two equations to get

$$0 = 18A + 2B \text{ so } B = -9A = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$\text{subtract to get } 16 = 8A + 2C \quad C = 8 - 4 \cdot \frac{-1}{2} = 10$$

now integration for $x \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{x^3 + 4}{x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x} dx &= \int dx - \int \frac{4(x^2 + 2x - 1)}{x(x^2 + 4x + 8)} dx = \\
&= x + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dx}{x} - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{9x + 20}{x^2 + 4x + 8} dx = x + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x| - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{9(x+2) + 2}{(x+2)^2 + 4} dx = \\
&= x + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x| - \frac{9}{4} \int \frac{2u}{u^2 + 4} du - \int \frac{du}{u^2 + 4} = (\text{subst. } u = x+2, x = u-2, dx = du) \\
&= x + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x| - \frac{9}{4} \ln(x^2 + 4x + 8) - \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x+2}{2}\right) + c.
\end{aligned}$$

For 6)

for any x

first use subst. $u = \sqrt[3]{x}$, $u^3 = x$, $3u^2 du = dx$, then by parts twice

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \cos \sqrt[3]{x} dx &= 3 \int u^2 \cos u du = (\text{integrate trigs}) \\
&= 3u^2 \sin u - 3 \int \sin u \cdot 2u du = 3u^2 \sin u + 6 \left[u \cos u - \int \cos u du \right] = \\
&= 3u^2 \sin u + 6u \cos u - 6 \sin u = (\text{back to x}) \\
&= 3x^{\frac{2}{3}} \sin \sqrt[3]{x} + 6\sqrt[3]{x} \cos \sqrt[3]{x} - 6 \sin \sqrt[3]{x} + c.
\end{aligned}$$

For 7)

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{first find } F(x) &= \int e^{3x} dx = \frac{1}{3}e^{3x} \text{ then } \int_{-\infty}^2 e^{3x} dx = F(2) - \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} F(x) = \\
&= \frac{e^6}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} e^{3x} = \frac{e^6}{3} \quad \text{the integral is convergent since the limit is 0.}
\end{aligned}$$

For 8)

$$\int_{-1}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{(x+1)^3} dx = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} F(x) - \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} F(x)$$

$$\text{where } F(x) = \int (x+1)^{-3} dx = \frac{-1}{2(x+1)^2}$$

$$\text{now } \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{-1}{2(x+1)^2} = " \frac{1}{\infty} " = 0 \text{ but } \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} \frac{-1}{2(x+1)^2} = " \frac{-1}{0^+} " = -\infty$$

thus the integral is divergent.