

MATH102 mid-term quiz 1

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1. (18 points) Evaluate the following indefinite integrals. Show your working.

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

Solution: Substitute $u = x^2 - 1$, so that $du = 2x \, dx$. Then

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{x^2 - 1} = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u} \, du = \frac{1}{2} \ln |u| + C = \frac{1}{2} \ln |x^2 - 1| + C.$$

(b) $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 - 2x + 2}$

Solution: Firstly, complete the square: $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 - 2x + 2} = \int \frac{dx}{(x - 1)^2 + 1}$.
Now substitute $u = x - 1$ to obtain

$$\int \frac{dx}{(x - 1)^2 + 1} = \int \frac{du}{u^2 + 1} = \tan^{-1}(u) + C = \tan^{-1}(x - 1) + C.$$

(c) $\int 10^x \, dx$

Solution: Use the definition of 10^x as $e^{(\ln 10)x}$:

$$\int 10^x \, dx = \int e^{(\ln 10)x} \, dx = \frac{1}{\ln 10} e^{(\ln 10)x} + C = \frac{1}{\ln 10} 10^x + C.$$

(You may like to know that $\frac{d}{dx}(\tan^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{1 + x^2}$.)

2. (12 points) Evaluate the following limits. Show your working.

(a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x}{1} && \text{by l'Hôpital's rule} \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

(b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln x)^2}{x + 1}$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln x)^2}{x + 1} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \ln x (1/x)}{1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \ln x}{x} && \text{by l'Hôpital's rule} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2/x}{1} && \text{by l'Hôpital's rule} \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

3. (a) (6 points) Indicate which of the following functions are one-to-one. For each function which is *not* one-to-one, find two different values of x for which the function gives the same result.

i. $f(x) = (x - 1)^3$

Solution: This is one-to-one.

ii. $g(x) = (x - 1)^4$

Solution: This is not one-to-one. For example, $g(0) = g(2) = 1$.

iii. $h(x) = 1/(x - 1)$

Solution: This is one-to-one.

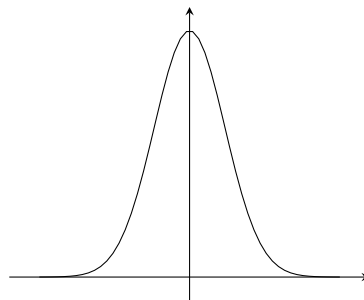
(b) (6 points) I am thinking of a function f , which satisfies $f(2) = 3$ and $f'(2) = -2$. If I tell you that f has an inverse f^{-1} , write numbers in the four blank spaces to show two facts you can deduce about f^{-1} :

$$f^{-1}(3) = 2; \quad (f^{-1})'(3) = -1/2.$$

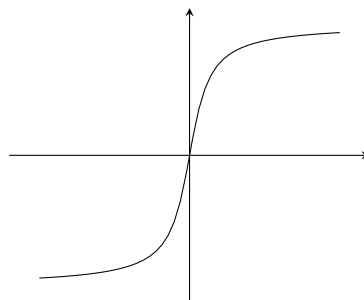
4. (12 points) Write letters in the boxes to match the following functions to their graphs (which are not all to the same scale).

Functions**Graphs**

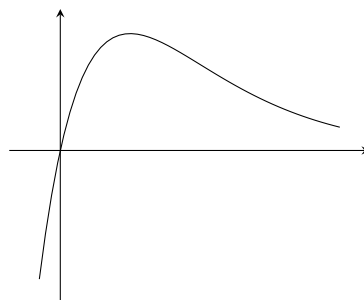
A. $y = \ln |x|$



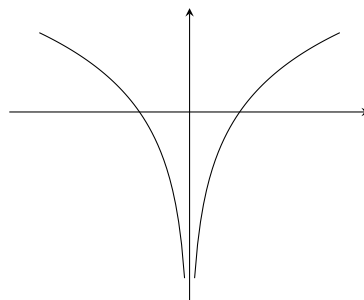
B. $y = xe^{-x}$



C. $y = e^{-x^2}$



D. $y = \tan^{-1} x$



5. (a) (9 points) Suppose a hot object is placed in a cool environment. If we let $H(t)$ denote the temperature of the object at time t , and H_S the constant temperature of the environment, then Newton's law of cooling states that

$$\frac{dH}{dt} = -k(H - H_S),$$

where k is some constant depending on the physical conditions. Show how to solve this differential equation to get the solution

$$H(t) = H_S + Ae^{-kt}$$

for some constant A .

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dH}{dt} &= -k(H - H_S) \\ \frac{1}{H - H_S} \frac{dH}{dt} &= -k && \text{(rearranging)} \\ \int \frac{dH}{H - H_S} &= \int (-k) dt && \text{(integrating both sides with respect to } t) \\ \ln(H - H_S) &= -kt + C && \text{(no need for absolute value since } H - H_S > 0) \\ H - H_S &= e^{-kt+C} && \text{(exponentiating both sides)} \\ H - H_S &= Ae^{-kt} && \text{(letting } A = e^C) \\ H &= H_S + Ae^{-kt}. \end{aligned}$$

Question 5 continues ...

Question 5 (continued)

- (b) (10 points) I like to drink my coffee at precisely 55 °C. This morning I took my coffee at 95 °C and left it to cool in a room at 15 °C. Unfortunately, I left it too long: after 6 minutes, the coffee had already cooled to 35 °C. Assuming that my coffee obeys Newton's law of cooling, how long should I have left the coffee before drinking it?

Solution: From the question, $H_S = 15$. We have two further pieces of information: when $t = 0$, $H = 95$; and when $t = 6$, $H = 35$.

1. Substituting $t = 0$ and $H = 95$ into the equation from part (a) gives $95 = 15 + A$, so $A = 80$.
2. Substituting $t = 6$ and $H = 35$ gives $35 = 15 + 80e^{-6k}$, so $e^{-6k} = 20/80 = 1/4$ and $k = -\ln(1/4)/6$.
3. Now substitute $H = 55$ and solve for t : we get $55 = 15 + 80e^{-kt}$, so $e^{-kt} = 40/80 = 1/2$ and therefore

$$t = \frac{\ln(1/2)}{-k} = 6 \times \frac{\ln(1/2)}{\ln(1/4)} = 6 \times \frac{1}{2} = 3.$$

6. (12 points) Using integration by parts, evaluate the definite integral $\int_0^1 x^2 e^{-x} dx$. Show your working.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 x^2 e^{-x} dx &= [-x^2 e^{-x}]_0^1 + \int_0^1 2x e^{-x} dx && \text{(integration by parts)} \\ &= [-x^2 e^{-x}]_0^1 + [-2x e^{-x}]_0^1 + \int_0^1 2e^{-x} dx && \text{(integration by parts again)} \\ &= [-x^2 e^{-x}]_0^1 - [2x e^{-x}]_0^1 + [-2e^{-x}]_0^1 \\ &= [e^{-x}(-x^2 - 2x - 2)]_0^1 \\ &= e^{-1}(-1 - 2 - 2) - e^0(-2) \\ &= -5e^{-1} + 2 \approx 0.1606. \end{aligned}$$

7. (15 points) Indicate whether each of the following statements is true or false. You do *not* need to justify your answers. **Each correct answer scores 3 points, but if you answer and get it wrong then you lose one point.**

T **F** 3^x grows faster than 2^x as $x \rightarrow \infty$.

T **F** $\log_2 x$ grows faster than $\log_3 x$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$.

T **F** For any value of x , we have $\sin^{-1}(\sin x) = x$.

T **F** For any value of x , we have $\sin(\sin^{-1} x) = x$. *It could be argued that this is only true for $-1 \leq x \leq 1$, since it doesn't even make sense for other values of x , so either answer to this question was counted as correct.*

T **F** The function $y = \cos 2x$ satisfies the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = 0$.

Bonus question (5 points)

Find two functions f and g such that $f \circ g$ is one-to-one, but f is not one-to-one.

Solution: One possible answer is $g(x) = e^x$ and $f(x) = x^2$.