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1. Indicate whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F).
Justifications are not required.

Assume that $f(x)$ is continuous in the intervals of integration.

A statement containing general constants a, b, c and function f is true if and only if it holds for *all admissible choices* that you can make for a, b, c, f .

- [1] (a) F $\sum_{k=1}^{10} f(k) = \sum_{k=1}^5 f(k) + \sum_{k=5}^{10} f(k)$ $f(5)$ included twice
- [1] (b) F If $\int_a^b f(x) dx \geq 0$, then $f(x) \geq 0$ for all x in $[a, b]$. 
- [1] (c) T $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_c^b f(x) dx - \int_c^a f(x) dx$ Sec 6.1.3, Property 5
- [1] (d) F $\int_{-1}^0 (e^x)^2 dx \geq \int_{-1}^0 e^x dx$ $x < 0 \Rightarrow e^x < 1, \Rightarrow (e^x)^2 < e^x$
 $e^x > 0$
- [1] (e) T $\int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_b^a f(x) dx = 0$ Sec. 6.1.3, Property 2
- [1] (f) T $\int_{-1}^0 \tan x dx = - \int_0^1 \tan x dx$ graph of $\tan x$ is symmetric about the origin
- [1] (g) F If $f(x) \leq c$ for all x in $[a, b]$, then $\int_a^b f(x) dx \leq c(a+b)$.
needs $c(b-a)$

- [5] 2. (a) Let $N(t)$ denote the size (number of members) of a population at time t ($t \geq 0$). It is given that $N(0) = 110$ and $N(t)$ is governed by

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = 60e^{-t}.$$

Find the size of the population at time $t = 1$.

Sec. 5.8

$$N(t) = -60e^{-t} + C$$

$$110 = -60 + C$$

$$C = 170$$

$$N(t) = -60e^{-t} + 170$$



$$N(1) = -60e^{-1} + 170 \approx 147.93$$

Sec. 6.3.2

$$N(t) = N(0) + \int_0^t 60e^{-u} du$$

$$= 110 + [-60e^{-u}]_0^t$$

$$= -60e^{-t} + 170$$



- [3] (b) At very large time t the population size will stabilize around a certain value N_∞ . Determine N_∞ .

$$N_\infty = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} N(t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (-60e^{-t} + 170) =$$

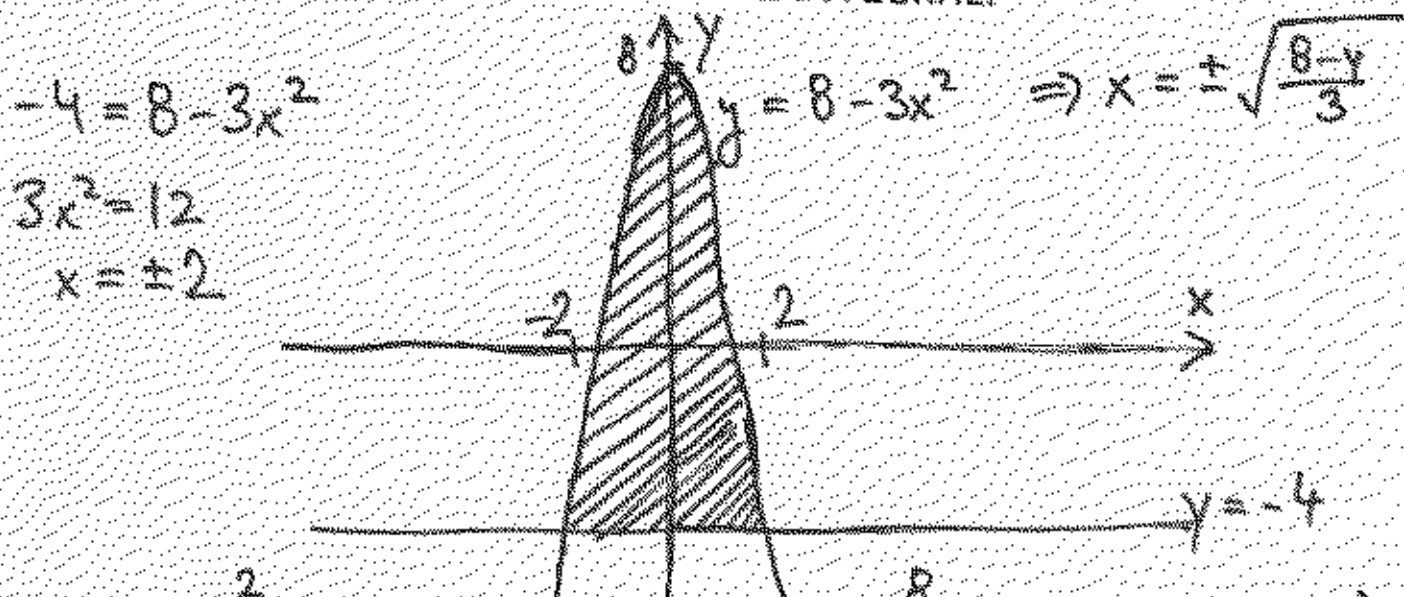
$$= 0 + 170 = 170$$

- [5] 3. Determine the average value of $f(x) = \frac{2}{7(1+x^2)}$ in the interval $[-1, 1]$.

$$f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{1 - (-1)} \int_{-1}^1 \frac{2 dx}{7(1+x^2)} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{2}{7} \tan^{-1} x \right]_{-1}^1 =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{7} \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{2}{7} \cdot \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right) = \frac{\pi}{14} \approx 0.22$$

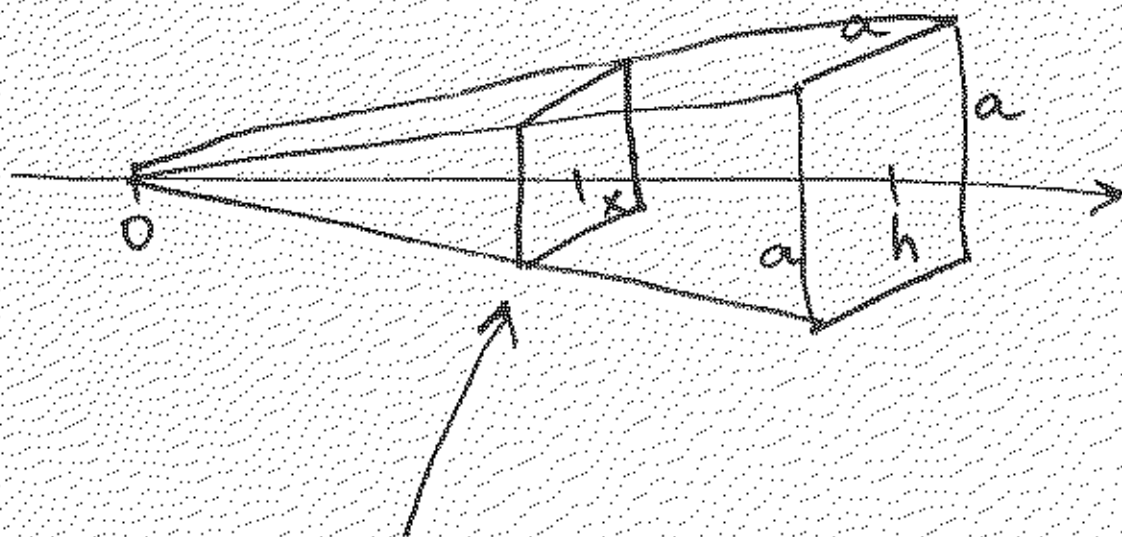
- [4] 4. Express the area between the curves $y = -4$ and $y = 8 - 3x^2$ as a definite integral. **DO NOT EVALUATE THE INTEGRAL.**



$$\text{Area} = \int_{-2}^2 ((8 - 3x^2) - (-4)) dx = \int_{-4}^8 \left(\sqrt{\frac{8-y}{3}} - \left(-\sqrt{\frac{8-y}{3}} \right) \right) dy$$

EITHER FORMULA IS SUFFICIENT.

- [8] 5. Use an integral to find the volume of a pyramid with square base of side length a and height h . Show the details of your computation. Evaluate the integral.



The cross-section at point x is a square of side length $\frac{a}{h}x$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Volume} &= \int_0^h \left(\frac{a}{h}x\right)^2 dx = \left[\frac{a^2}{h^2} \frac{x^3}{3}\right]_0^h = \\ &= \frac{a^2}{h^2} \left(\frac{h^3}{3} - 0\right) = \frac{a^2 h}{3}\end{aligned}$$

Please see the posted solution to HW 6.3.34 for details.

[8] 6. Evaluate $\int_0^3 (x-1)\sqrt{1+x} dx$.

$$u = 1+x \Rightarrow x-1 = u-2$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 1$$

$$du = dx$$

$$\int_0^3 (x-1)\sqrt{1+x} dx = \int_1^4 (u-2)\sqrt{u} du =$$

$$= \int_1^4 (u^{3/2} - 2u^{1/2}) du = \left[\frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} - \frac{4}{3} u^{3/2} \right]_1^4 =$$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{5} \cdot 4^{5/2} - \frac{4}{3} \cdot 4^{3/2} \right) - \left(\frac{2}{5} \cdot 1^{5/2} - \frac{4}{3} \cdot 1^{3/2} \right) =$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} \cdot 32 - \frac{4}{3} \cdot 8 - \frac{2}{5} + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{62}{5} - \frac{28}{3} = \frac{46}{15}$$

$$\approx 3.07$$