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2	8	
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[8] 1. Evaluate  $\int_2^5 \frac{x+7}{x^2-x-6} dx$ .

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

$$x_{1,2} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+24}}{2} = \begin{matrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{matrix}$$

$$x^2 - x - 6 = (x-3)(x+2)$$

$$\frac{x+7}{x^2-x-6} = \frac{A}{x-3} + \frac{B}{x+2} = \frac{A(x+2) + B(x-3)}{(x-3)(x+2)} =$$

$$= \frac{(A+B)x + (2A-3B)}{(x-3)(x+2)}$$

$$A+B=1 \Rightarrow B=1-A$$

$$2A-3B=7$$

$$2A-3(1-A)=7$$

$$5A=10$$

$$A=2 \Rightarrow B=-1$$

discontinuity  
at  $x=3$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_2^5 \frac{x+7}{x^2-x-6} dx &= \int_2^3 \frac{x+7}{x^2-x-6} dx + \int_3^5 \frac{x+7}{x^2-x-6} dx = \\ &= \int_2^3 \left( \frac{2}{x-3} + \frac{-1}{x+2} \right) dx + \int_3^5 \left( \frac{2}{x-3} + \frac{-1}{x+2} \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_2^3 \frac{2}{x-3} dx = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3^-} \int_2^z \frac{2 dx}{x-3} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 3^-} \left[ 2 \ln |x-3| \right]_2^z =$$

$$= \lim_{z \rightarrow 3^-} 2 \ln(3-z) = -\infty$$

Therefore  $\int_2^5 \frac{x+7}{x^2-x-6} dx$  diverges.

[8] 2. Evaluate  $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2+9}$ .

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2+9} = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^z \frac{dx}{x^2+9}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^z \frac{dx}{x^2+9} &= \int_0^z \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)^2+1} dx \quad \begin{array}{l} u = \frac{x}{3} \\ 3du = dx \end{array} \\ &= \int_0^{z/3} \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{u^2+1} du = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \tan^{-1} u \right]_0^{z/3} = \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \tan^{-1} \frac{z}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2+9} = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{3} \tan^{-1} \frac{z}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

[8] 3. Evaluate  $\int x(\ln x)^2 dx$ .

$$u = (\ln x)^2, \quad v' = x, \quad v = \frac{x^2}{2}$$

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

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

$$\begin{array}{l} u = \ln x \\ v' = x \\ v = \frac{x^2}{2} \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{x^2}{2} (\ln x)^2 - \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x - \int \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} dx \right) =$$

$$= \frac{x^2}{2} (\ln x)^2 - \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x + \frac{x^2}{4} + C$$

- [6] 4. Use the midpoint rule with  $n = 5$  intervals to find an approximation for  $\int_2^3 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$ . Compare the approximation with the exact value of the integral.

$$\Delta x = \frac{3-2}{5} = 0.2$$

$$x_0 = 2 \quad x_1 = 2.2 \quad x_2 = 2.4 \quad x_3 = 2.6 \quad x_4 = 2.8 \quad x_5 = 3$$

$$c_1 = 2.1 \quad c_2 = 2.3 \quad c_3 = 2.5 \quad c_4 = 2.7 \quad c_5 = 2.9$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_2^3 \frac{dx}{x^2} &\approx 0.2 \left( \frac{1}{2.1^2} + \frac{1}{2.3^2} + \frac{1}{2.5^2} + \frac{1}{2.7^2} + \frac{1}{2.9^2} \right) = \\ &= 0.166374712 \dots \end{aligned}$$

The exact value is

$$\int_2^3 \frac{dx}{x^2} = \left[ -\frac{1}{x} \right]_2^3 = -\frac{1}{3} - \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{6}.$$

- [6] 5. (a) Compute the Taylor polynomial of degree 4 about  $x = 0$  for the function  $f(x) = \ln(1+x)$ .

$$f(x) = \ln(1+x)$$

$$f(0) = 0$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x}$$

$$f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{1}{(1+x)^2}$$

$$f''(0) = -1$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{2}{(1+x)^3}$$

$$f'''(0) = 2$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = -\frac{6}{(1+x)^4}$$

$$f^{(4)}(0) = -6$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_4(x) &= 0 + 1 \cdot x + \frac{-1}{2!} x^2 + \frac{2}{3!} x^3 + \frac{-6}{4!} x^4 = \\ &= x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} \end{aligned}$$

- [2] (b) Use the polynomial found in part (a) to approximate the value  $\ln(0.8)$ . Compare this approximation with the exact value of  $\ln(0.8)$ .

$$\ln(0.8) \approx P_4(-0.2) = -0.223066666\dots$$

The exact value is

$$\ln(0.8) = -0.223143551\dots$$



- [7] 6. Let  $T(t)$  denote the temperature of a small stone at time  $t$ . At time  $t = 0$  the stone is submerged in a large tank of water whose temperature is constant and denoted by  $M$ . Suppose that the rate of change of  $T$  is determined by

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = 0.4(M - T).$$

Assume that  $T(0) = 30$  and  $M = 20$ . Find  $T(3)$ , i.e. the temperature of the stone at time  $t = 3$ .

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = 0.4(20 - T)$$

$$\frac{dT}{20 - T} = 0.4 dt$$

$$\int \frac{dT}{20 - T} = \int 0.4 dt$$

$$-\ln|20 - T| = 0.4t + C_1$$

$$\ln|20 - T| = -0.4t + C_2$$

$$|20 - T| = e^{-0.4t + C_2}$$

$$20 - T = \pm e^{-0.4t + C_2}$$

$$20 - T = C_3 \cdot e^{-0.4t}$$

$$T(t) = 20 + C \cdot e^{-0.4t}$$

Plug in the initial condition:

$$30 = T(0) = 20 + C \cdot e^0 \Rightarrow C = 10$$

$$T(t) = 20 + 10 \cdot e^{-0.4t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(3) &= 20 + 10e^{-1.2} \\ &= 23.01 \dots \end{aligned}$$