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**Test 3**  
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**Directions :** You have 50 minutes to complete 4 of the 5 problems on this exam. Below please list the four (and only four) problems that you would like for me to grade. There are a possible 100 points to be earned. Please be sure to show all pertinent work. *An correct answer with no work will receive little credit!* If any portion of the exam is unclear please come to me and I will elaborate provided I can do so without giving away the problem.

Please list the four problems you wish graded here.

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1. Evaluate the integrals:

$$\text{a) } \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 + 16}} \qquad \text{b) } \int_0^{2/3} x^3 \sqrt{4 - 9x^2} dx$$

**Solution :**

a) This is a prime candidate for a trig substitution with  $x = 4 \tan(\theta)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 + 16}} &= \int \frac{4 \sec^2(\theta)}{\sqrt{16 \tan^2(\theta) + 16}} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{4 \sec^2(\theta)}{4\sqrt{\tan^2(\theta) + 1}} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{\sec^2(\theta)}{\sqrt{\sec^2(\theta)}} d\theta \\ &= \int \sec(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \ln |\sec(\theta) + \tan(\theta)| + C \\ &= \ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 16}}{4} + \frac{x}{4} \right| + C \end{aligned}$$

b) We start by manipulating the integrand so that we may apply a trigonometric substitution.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2/3} x^3 \sqrt{4 - 9x^2} dx &= \int_0^{2/3} x^3 \sqrt{9 \left( \frac{4}{9} - x^2 \right)} dx \\ &= \int_0^{2/3} 3x^3 \sqrt{\left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^2 - x^2} dx \end{aligned}$$

Now we make the substitution  $x = \frac{2}{3} \sin(\theta)$  and  $dx = \frac{2}{3} \cos(\theta) d\theta$ .

$$\begin{aligned} &\int_0^{2/3} 3x^3 \sqrt{\left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^2 - x^2} dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} 3 \left( \frac{2}{3} \sin(\theta) \right)^3 \sqrt{\left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^2 \sin^2(\theta)} \left( \frac{2}{3} \cos(\theta) \right) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{32}{81} \sin^3(\theta) \cos(\theta) \sqrt{1 - \sin^2(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{32}{81} \sin^3(\theta) \cos(\theta) \sqrt{\cos^2(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{32}{81} \sin^3(\theta) \cos^2(\theta) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

Now we need to prepare to make a  $u$ -substitution. So, we will peel off one of the  $\sin(\theta)$ 's and let  $u = \cos(\theta)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{32}{81} \sin^3(\theta) \cos^2(\theta) d\theta &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{32}{81} \sin(\theta) (1 - \cos^2(\theta)) \cos^2(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{32}{81} \sin(\theta) (\cos^2(\theta) - \cos^4(\theta)) d\theta \\ &= \int_1^0 -\frac{32}{81} (u^2 - u^4) du \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{32}{81} (u^2 - u^4) du \\ &= \frac{32}{81} \left( \frac{u^3}{3} - \frac{u^5}{5} \right) \Big|_0^1 \\ &= \frac{32}{81} \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right) \\ &= \frac{32}{81} \left( \frac{2}{15} \right) \\ &= \frac{64}{1215}\end{aligned}$$

2. Write out the form of the partial fraction decomposition of the function.  
*Do not determine the numerical value of the coefficients.*

a)  $\frac{2x}{(x+3)(3x+1)}$                       b)  $\frac{1}{x^3+2x^2+x}$

**Solution :**

a)

$$\frac{2x}{(x+3)(3x+1)} = \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{3x+1}$$

b)

$$\frac{1}{x^3+2x^2+x} = \frac{1}{x(x^2+2x+1)} = \frac{1}{x(x+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x+1} + \frac{C}{(x+1)^2}$$

3. Evaluate the integral:

$$\int \frac{5x^2 + 3x - 2}{x^3 + 2x^2} dx$$

**Solution :**

$$\int \frac{5x^2 + 3x - 2}{x^3 + 2x^2} dx = \int \frac{5x^2 + 3x - 2}{x^2(x + 2)} dx = \int \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x + 2} dx$$

Now we need to find  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ . Getting a common denominator we can add up the fractions on the right as

$$\frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x + 2} = \frac{Ax(x + 2) + B(x + 2) + Cx^2}{x^2(x + 2)} = \frac{(A + C)x^2 + (2A + B)x + 2B}{x^2(x + 2)}$$

Since we know  $(A + C)x^2 + (2A + B)x + 2B = 5x^2 + 3x - 2$  we have a system of equations to solve.

$$\begin{aligned} A + C &= 5 \\ 2A + B &= 3 \\ 2B &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

This has as a solution  $A = 2$ ,  $B = -1$ , and  $C = 3$ . Now we can integrate!

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{5x^2 + 3x - 2}{x^3 + 2x^2} dx &= \int \frac{2}{x} dx + \int \frac{-1}{x^2} dx + \int \frac{3}{x + 2} dx \\ &= 2 \ln |x| + \frac{1}{x} + 3 \ln |x + 2| + C \end{aligned}$$

4. Find the approximations  $T_6$  and  $S_6$  for  $\int_0^1 e^x dx$  and the corresponding errors  $E_T$  and  $E_S$ . How large do we have to choose  $n$  so that the approximations  $T_n$ ,  $M_n$ , and  $S_n$  to the integral  $\int_0^1 e^x dx$  are accurate to within 0.00001?

**Solution :** The values we want are

$$\begin{aligned} T_6 &= \frac{1}{12} \left( f(0) + 2f\left(\frac{1}{6}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{2}{6}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{3}{6}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{4}{6}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{5}{6}\right) + f(1) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{12} \left( e^0 + 2e^{1/6} + 2e^{2/6} + 2e^{3/6} + 2e^{4/6} + 2e^{5/6} + e^1 \right), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_6 &= \frac{1}{18} \left( f(0) + 4f\left(\frac{1}{6}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{2}{6}\right) + 4f\left(\frac{3}{6}\right) + 2f\left(\frac{4}{6}\right) + 4f\left(\frac{5}{6}\right) + f(1) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{18} \left( e^0 + 4e^{1/6} + 2e^{2/6} + 4e^{3/6} + 2e^{4/6} + 4e^{5/6} + e^1 \right), \end{aligned}$$

$$|E_T| \leq \frac{K(1-0)^3}{12(6^2)} \leq \frac{e}{432},$$

and

$$|E_S| \leq \frac{K(1-0)^5}{180n^4} \leq \frac{e}{233280},$$

For the second part we want to find the least  $n$  so that

$$|E_T| \leq \frac{e}{12n_T^2} \leq 0.00001$$

$$|E_M| \leq \frac{e}{24n_M^2} \leq 0.00001$$

$$|E_S| \leq \frac{e}{180n_S^4} \leq 0.00001$$

These have the following solutions for  $n$  respectively

$$n_T \geq \sqrt{\frac{e}{12(0.00001)}} \approx 150.50697$$

$$n_M \geq \sqrt{\frac{e}{24(0.00001)}} \approx 106.42450$$

$$n_S \geq \left[ \frac{e}{180(0.00001)} \right]^{1/4} \approx 6.23384$$

So  $n$  must be at least 151, 107, and 7 respectively.

5. Evaluate the integral:

$$\int \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}{x^3} dx$$

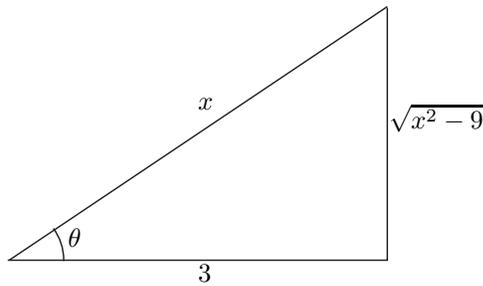
[Just FYI  $\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$ .] **Solution :** We'll start things off with a substitution  $x = 3 \sec(\theta)$  and  $dx = 3 \sec(\theta) \tan(\theta) d\theta$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}{x^3} dx &= \int \frac{3 \sec(\theta) \tan(\theta) \sqrt{9 \sec^2(\theta) - 9}}{27 \sec^3(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{9 \sec(\theta) \tan(\theta) \sqrt{\sec^2(\theta) - 1}}{27 \sec^3(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{9 \sec(\theta) \tan(\theta) \sqrt{\tan^2(\theta)}}{27 \sec^3(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{9 \sec(\theta) \tan^2(\theta)}{27 \sec^3(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{\tan^2(\theta)}{3 \sec^2(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{\sec^2(\theta) - 1}{3 \sec^2(\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int d\theta - \frac{1}{3} \int \cos^2(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{\theta}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{1 + \cos(2\theta)}{2} d\theta \\ &= \frac{\theta}{3} - \frac{1}{6} \int 1 + \cos(2\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{\theta}{3} - \frac{\theta}{6} - \frac{\sin(2\theta)}{12} + C \\ &= \frac{2\theta - \sin(2\theta)}{12} + C \end{aligned}$$

Now we use the identity  $\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2\theta - \sin(2\theta)}{12} + C &= \frac{2\theta - 2\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)}{12} + C \\ &= \frac{\theta}{6} - \frac{1}{6}\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta) + C \end{aligned}$$

We made the substitution  $x = 3 \sec(\theta)$ . We can represent this datum on a triangle as follows: The figure shows us that  $\sin(\theta) = \sqrt{x^2 - 9}/x$  and



$\cos(\theta) = 3/x$ . This completes the problem.

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}{x^3} dx &= \frac{\theta}{6} - \frac{1}{6}\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{6}\sec^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) - \frac{1}{6}\left(\frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}{x}\right)\left(\frac{3}{x}\right) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{6}\sec^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) - \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 9}}{2x^2} + C \end{aligned}$$