

# Honors Calculus II: Spring 2007

## Exam 3

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1. [10pts.] Determine whether the improper integral  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} xe^{-x^2} dx$  converges or diverges. If it converges, find the value to which it converges.

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^b xe^{-x^2} dx + \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} \int_a^0 xe^{-x^2} dx \quad (3) \\
 &\int xe^{-x^2} dx = \int -\frac{1}{2} e^u du = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-x^2} \quad (2) \\
 &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{2} e^{-x^2} \Big|_0^b + \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} -\frac{1}{2} e^{-x^2} \Big|_a^0 \quad (1) \\
 &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{2} e^{-b^2} + \frac{1}{2} + \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-a^2} \\
 &= 0 + \frac{1}{2} + -\frac{1}{2} + 0 \quad (2) \\
 &= 0 \quad \text{Converges} \quad (2)
 \end{aligned}$$

2. [12pts.] Decide whether each of the following sequences converges or diverges. If a sequence converges, find its limit.

(a)  $\{n^2 e^{-n}\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^2 e^{-n} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{e^n} \quad (2) \\
 &\stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n}{e^n} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{e^n} = 0 \quad (1) \\
 &\text{Converges} \quad (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

(b)  $\left\{ \frac{\sin(2n)}{1+\sqrt{n}} \right\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\sin 2n}{1+\sqrt{n}} \right| &\leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1+\sqrt{n}} = 0 \quad (1) \\
 &\text{Converges} \quad (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

(c)  $\{0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, \dots\}$ .

diverge, oscillates  
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3. [32pts.] Decide whether each of the following series converges absolutely, converges conditionally, or diverges.

(a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2n^2+3}{3n^4+4}$

(b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{n^2+3}{5n^2}$

l.c.t. w/  $\sum \frac{1}{n^2}$ , convergent p-series (3)

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{n^2+3}{5n^2} = \frac{1}{5}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n^2+3}{3n^4+4} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n^2+4n^2}{3n^4+4} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n^2+4n^2}{3n^4+4}$  (3)

So diverge (2)

$= \frac{3}{4} \neq 0$  not 0 as  $n \rightarrow \infty$   
So by l.c.t.  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2n^2+3}{3n^4+4}$

Converges (1)

(c)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n}{n^2+9}$

(d)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(n/2)}{n^2}$  assoc pos series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|\cos \frac{n}{2}|}{n^2}$

assoc. pos series

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+9}$  (2)

$\left| \frac{\cos(\frac{n}{2})}{n^2} \right| < \frac{1}{n^2}$  (3)

l.c.t. w/  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ , divergent (2)  
harmonic series.

Since  $\sum \frac{1}{n^2}$  is a convergent p-series,  
By B.C.T.,  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos \frac{n}{2}}{n^2}$  converges absolutely (2)

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^2+9} = \frac{1}{\infty} = 0$

So  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+9}$  does not converge absolutely. (1)

By a.s.t.  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n}{n^2+9}$

(1) Conditionally Converges since  
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^2+9} = 0$  &  $\left[ \frac{n}{n^2+9} \right]' = \frac{-n^2+9}{(n^2+9)^2} < 0$  for  $n > 3$ . (1)

4. [15pts.] (a) Use the binomial series to expand  $f(x) = (1+2x)^{3/4}$  as a Maclaurin series and to find the first three Taylor polynomials  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$ , and  $T_3$ . (b) Use Taylor's Inequality (Taylor's Remainder Theorem) to estimate the error when using  $T_2$  to approximate  $f(x)$  at  $x = .1$ .

a)  $(1+2x)^{3/4} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{3/4}{n} (2x)^n$

$T_1 = \binom{3/4}{0} + \binom{3/4}{1}x = 1 + 3/4x$

$T_2 = \binom{3/4}{0} + \binom{3/4}{1}x + \binom{3/4}{2}x^2 = 1 + 3/4x + \frac{3/4(3/4-1)x^2}{2!}$

$T_3 = \binom{3/4}{0} + \binom{3/4}{1}x + \binom{3/4}{2}x^2 + \binom{3/4}{3}x^3 = 1 + 3/4x + \frac{3/4(3/4-1)x^2}{2!} + \frac{3/4(3/4-1)(3/4-2)x^3}{3!}$

$T_1 = 1 + 3/4x$ ,  $T_2 = 1 + 3/4x - \frac{3}{32}x^2$ ,  $T_3 = 1 + 3/4x - \frac{3}{32}x^2 + \frac{5}{128}x^3$

b)  $f(.1) = T_2(.1) + R_2(.1)$   
 $R_2(.1) = \frac{f^{(3)}(.1)}{3!} (.1)^3$

$\leq \frac{15}{8} (.1)^3 = 3.125E-7$

$f' = \frac{3}{4}(1+2x)^{-1/4} \cdot 2 = -\frac{3}{2}(1+2x)^{-1/4}$

$f'' = -\frac{3}{2} \cdot (-\frac{1}{4})(2)(1+2x)^{-5/4} = \frac{3}{4}(1+2x)^{-5/4}$

$f''' = \frac{3}{4}(-5/4) \cdot 2(1+2x)^{-9/4} = -\frac{15}{8}(1+2x)^{-9/4}$

$f'''(.1) = -\frac{15}{8}(1+2x)^{-9/4} < \frac{15}{8}$

5. [13pts.] Use a power series to approximate  $\int_0^{.5} \frac{1}{1+x^6} dx$  with an error less than  $1 \times 10^{-7}$ .

②  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^n$

②  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^6} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{6n}$

$\int_0^{.5} \frac{1}{1+x^6} dx = \int_0^{.5} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{6n} dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{6n+1} x^{6n+1} \Big|_0^{.5}$

$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (\frac{1}{2})^{6n+1}}{6n+1}$

$= \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{7} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7 + \frac{1}{13} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{13} - \frac{1}{19} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{19} + \frac{1}{25} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{25} \right]$

$= .4938932$

$1.003E-7$

$1.19 \times 10^{-9}$

6. [13pts.] Find the center, the interval, and the radius of convergence for the power series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n (x-3)^n}{\sqrt{n+3}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\frac{2^{n+1} (x-3)^{n+1}}{\sqrt{n+4}}}{\frac{2^n (x-3)^n}{\sqrt{n+3}}} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2^{n+1}}{2^n} \left| \frac{(x-3)^{n+1}}{(x-3)^n} \right| \frac{\sqrt{n+3}}{\sqrt{n+4}} = 2|x-3| < 1 \quad (4)$$

$$2|x-3| < 1 \quad \text{or} \quad (x-3) < \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} < x-3 < \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{5}{2} < x < \frac{7}{2}$$

@  $x = 5/2$   $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n+3}}$  } all series test  
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+3}} = 0$   $\left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+3}} \right]' = \frac{-1/2}{(n+3)^{3/2}} < 0$   
 Converges. (2)

@  $7/2$   $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+3}}$  diverges by e.c.t w/ divergent p series  
(1)

(2) Radius  $\frac{1}{2}$

(2) Center 3

(2) Interval  $[\frac{5}{2}, \frac{7}{2})$

7. [5pts.] Find the sum of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 3 \frac{2^{n-1}}{3^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n-1}$

$$= 1 + \frac{2}{3} + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 + \dots$$

(2)  $a=1$   $r=2/3$  (2)

$$S = \frac{1}{1-2/3} = 3 \quad (1)$$