

MATH 19  
FINAL EXAM PRACTICE  
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Show all of your reasoning. You may use the back of each page for additional space or scratch work. You do not need to simplify your answers unless specifically instructed to do so.

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- (1) **Short answer questions.** You do not need to show any work for the following questions.

(a) Evaluate  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{18}{3^n}$  Answer: 3

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{18}{3^2} + \frac{18}{3^3} + \dots \\ &= \frac{2}{1-1/3} = \frac{2}{2/3} \end{aligned}$$

(b) Evaluate  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2} dx$  Answer: 1

$$= [-1/x]_1^{\infty}$$

- (c) Determine the Taylor series of  $f(x) = \sin(2x)$  around the center  $x = 0$ .

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

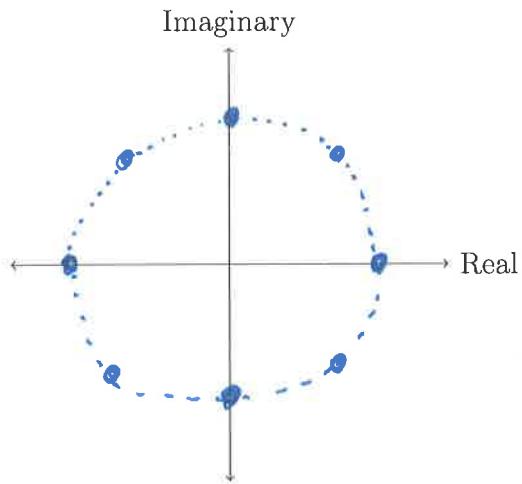
Answer:  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \cdot 2^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} \cdot x^{2n+1}$

- (d) Determine the Taylor series of  $f(x) = xe^x$  around the center  $x = 0$ .

$$x \cdot \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} x^n$$

Answer:  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} x^{n+1}$  (or  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n-1)!} x^n$ )

- (e) Sketch on the following axes the locations of the complex solutions to the equation  $z^8 = 1$ .



- (f) Find a function  $f(t)$  satisfying the following three properties.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) &= 8\pi & \Leftrightarrow a_0 &= 4 \\ \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \sin t &= 3\pi & \Leftrightarrow b_1 &= 3 \\ \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \cos(2t) &= 4\pi & \Leftrightarrow a_2 &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

Answer:  $4 + 3\sin t + 4\cos(2t)$

(2) Solve the following initial value problem.

$$\begin{aligned}y''(t) + 6y'(t) + 8y(t) &= 24 \\y(0) &= 0 \\y'(0) &= 14\end{aligned}$$

$$y'' + 6y' + 8(y-3) = 0$$

$$\text{let } u = y-3. \text{ So } u'' + 6u' + 8u = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{char. eqn. poly: } \lambda^2 + 6\lambda + 8 &= 0 \\(\lambda+2)(\lambda+4) &= 0 \\\lambda = -2 \text{ or } \lambda &= -4\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = C \cdot e^{-2t} + D \cdot e^{-4t}$$

$$\& y(t) = C \cdot e^{-2t} + D \cdot e^{-4t} + 3.$$

$$y'(t) = -2Ce^{-2t} - 4De^{-4t}$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l}0 = y(0) = C + D + 3 & D = -C - 3 \\14 = y'(0) = -2C - 4D & 14 = -2C - 4(-C - 3) \\ & = -2C + 4C + 12 = 2C + 12 \\ & \Rightarrow C = 1 \quad D = -4\end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = e^{-2t} - 4e^{-4t} + 3$$

$$(3) \text{ Evaluate } \int_0^\infty x^2 e^{-x/2} dx.$$

$$u = x^2 \quad dv = e^{-x/2} dx \\ du = 2x dx \quad v = -2e^{-x/2}$$

$$= [-2x^2 e^{-x/2}]_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty (-2) e^{-x/2} \cdot 2x dx$$

$$= \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-2x^2}{e^{x/2}} - 0 \right] + 4 \int_0^\infty x \cdot e^{-x/2} dx$$

$$u = x \quad dv = e^{-x/2} dx \\ du = dx \quad v = -2e^{-x/2}$$

$\overbrace{\quad \quad \quad 0, \text{ since} \quad \quad \quad}^{\lim \frac{x^2}{e^{x/2}}}$

$$= 4[-2x \cdot e^{-x/2}]_0^\infty - 4 \int_0^\infty (-2) e^{-x/2} dx$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{-8x}{e^{x/2}} \right) + 8 \int_0^\infty e^{-x/2} dx$$

$$= 0 + 8 \cdot [-2e^{-x/2}]_0^\infty$$

$$= 8 \cdot [0 - (-2) \cdot 1]$$

$$= \boxed{16}$$

$\lim \frac{x^2}{e^{x/2}}$   
 $= \lim \frac{2x}{\frac{1}{2}e^{x/2}}$   
 $= \lim \frac{2}{\frac{1}{4}e^{x/2}}$   
 $= 0 \text{ by repeated L'Hopital}$

e.g. by  
L'Hopital.

(4) Evaluate  $\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^4 x \tan x \, dx$ .

$$= \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2 x \cdot (1 + \tan^2 x) \cdot \tan x \, dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \tan x \\ du &= \sec^2 x \end{aligned}$$

$$= \int_0^1 (1+u^2) \cdot u \, du = \int_0^1 (u+u^3) \, du$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{2}u^2 + \frac{1}{4}u^4 \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \boxed{3/4}$$

- (5) Determine whether each series converges or diverges. Be specific about which tests or facts you are using.

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

comparison:

$$0 \leq \frac{n^2}{n^3} \leq \frac{n^2 + n}{n^3 - n}$$

and  $\sum \frac{n^2}{n^3} = \sum \frac{1}{n}$  diverges by integral test  
 $\Rightarrow$  this series diverges.

$$(b) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{2^n}$$

ratio

$$L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{\ln(n)} \cdot \frac{2^n}{2^{n+1}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{\ln(n)} = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}.$$

Since  $\frac{1}{2} < 1$ , the series converges.

$$(c) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \cdot [1 + (\ln n)^2]}$$

integral

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x \cdot (1 + (\ln x)^2)} dx \quad u = \ln x \\ & \quad du = \frac{1}{x} dx \\ & = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1 + u^2} du = [\tan^{-1} u]_0^{\infty} \quad \text{[struck]} \\ & = \lim_{u \rightarrow \infty} \tan^{-1}(u) = \pi/2 \end{aligned}$$

integral converges  $\Rightarrow$  series converges.

- (6) Convert the following equation to rectangular form (an equation in variables  $x$  and  $y$ ).

$$r = \frac{1}{3 + \cos \theta + 2 \sin \theta}$$

$$3r + r \cdot \cos \theta + 2r \sin \theta = 1$$

$$3r = 1 - x - 2y$$

$$\cancel{3r^2} = (1 - x - 2y)^2$$

$$9x^2 + 9y^2 = (1 - x - 2y)^2$$

- (7) Convert the (finite) complex Fourier series below to a (finite) real Fourier series.

$$(3 + 4i)e^{-3it} + (5 - 12i)e^{-it} + (5 + 12i)e^{it} + (3 - 4i)e^{3it}$$

$$= 3 \cdot (e^{-3it} + e^{3it}) + 4i(e^{-3it} - e^{3it})$$

$$+ 5(e^{-it} + e^{it}) - 12i(e^{-it} - e^{it})$$

$$= 3 \cdot 2 \cos(3t) + 4 \cdot 2 \sin(3t)$$

$$+ 5 \cdot 2 \cos t - 12 \cdot 2 \cdot \sin t$$

$$= \boxed{10 \cos t - 24 \sin t + 6 \cos(3t) + 8 \sin(3t)}$$

(8) Evaluate each of the following sums.

$$(a) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{5^n \cdot n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right)^n$$
$$= \boxed{e^{-1/5}}$$

$$(b) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)! \cdot 5^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \cdot \frac{1}{5^{2n}}$$
$$= \sqrt{5} \cdot \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)^{2n+1}$$
$$= \boxed{\sqrt{5} \cdot \sin\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}\right)}$$

$$(c) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n \cdot 5^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n$$
$$= \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{5}\right) = \boxed{\ln(6/5)}$$

or  $\ln 6 - \ln 5$ .

(9) Find the fourth order Taylor approximation of the function

$$f(x) = e^{-x^2} \sin x$$

around the center  $x = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \left(1 + (-x^2) + \frac{1}{2}(-x^2)^2 + \dots\right) \cdot \left(x - \frac{1}{6}x^3 + \dots\right) \\ &= \left(1 - x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^4 - \dots\right) \left(x - \frac{1}{6}x^3 + \dots\right) \\ &= 1 \cdot x + 1 \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)x^3 - x^2 \cdot x + \dots \quad (\text{all other terms have degree } \geq 5) \end{aligned}$$

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

so fourth order approx. is

$$P_2(x) = \boxed{x - \frac{7}{6}x^3}$$

(10) Define a path by the following position function.

$$\vec{r}(t) = \left( \frac{1}{2}t^2, 5, \frac{1}{3}t^3 \right)$$

Determine the arc-length of this path from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 1$ .

velocity  $\vec{v}(t) = (t, 0, t^2)$

speed  $|\vec{v}(t)| = \sqrt{t^2 + t^4}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{arc length} = \int_0^1 |\vec{v}(t)| dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 \sqrt{t^2 + t^4} dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 t \cdot \sqrt{1+t^2} dt \quad t = \tan \theta \quad \sqrt{1+t^2} = \sec \theta \\ dt = \sec^2 \theta d\theta \quad \theta = \tan^{-1}(t)$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/4} \tan \theta \cdot \sec \theta \cdot \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$u = \sec \theta \quad du = \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$$

$$= \int_1^{\sqrt{2}} u^2 du = \left[ \frac{1}{3} u^3 \right]_1$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{3} (2\sqrt{2} - 1)}$$

- (11) Let  $f(t)$  be the solution to the following initial value problem  
 (you do not need to find an explicit formula for  $f(t)$ ).

$$\begin{aligned} f''(t) + f'(t) + f(t) &= e^{-t^2} \\ f(0) &= 1 \\ f'(0) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

- (a) Determine the values of  $f''(0)$ ,  $f'''(0)$ , and  $f^{(4)}(0)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f''(0) &= e^0 - f'(0) - f(0) = 1 - 1 - 1 = \underline{\underline{-1}} \\ f'''(t) + f''(t) + f'(t) &= -2t \cdot e^{-t^2} \\ \Rightarrow f'''(0) &= -2 \cdot 0 \cdot e^0 - f''(0) - f'(0) = 0 - (-1) - 1 = \underline{\underline{0}} \\ f^{(4)}(t) + f'''(t) + f''(t) &= -2e^{-t^2} - 2t \cdot (-2t) \cdot e^{-t^2} \\ \Rightarrow f^{(4)}(0) &= -2 \cdot e^0 - 2 \cdot 0 \cdot (-2 \cdot 0) \cdot e^0 - f'''(0) - f''(0) \\ &= -2 - 0 - 0 - (-1) = \underline{\underline{-1}} \end{aligned}$$

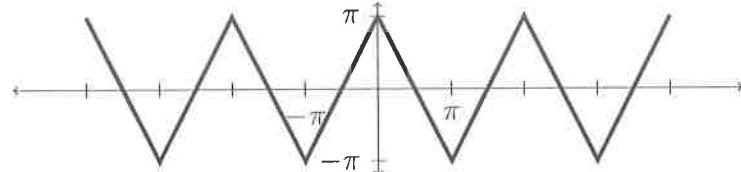
- (b) Find the fourth order Taylor approximation of  $f(x)$  around the center  $x = 0$ .

$$P_4(x) = \boxed{1 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{24}x^4}$$

- (c) Give an approximation of the value  $f(1)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f(1) &\approx 1 + 1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{24} \\ &= 2 - \frac{13}{24} \\ &= 1\frac{11}{24} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{\frac{35}{24}} \end{aligned}$$

- (12) Find the ( $2\pi$ -periodic) real Fourier series of the function whose graph is shown below.



$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \pi + 2x & \text{for } -\pi \leq x \leq 0 \\ \pi - 2x & \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[ \int_{-\pi}^0 (\pi + 2x) dx + \int_0^{\pi} (\pi - 2x) dx \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \left[ \pi \cdot x + x^2 \right]_{-\pi}^0 + \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \left[ \pi x - x^2 \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} (\pi^2 - \pi^2) + \frac{1}{2\pi} (\pi^2 - \pi^2) \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos(nx) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 (\pi + 2x) \cos(nx) dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi - 2x) \cos(nx) dx \\ &\quad \begin{matrix} u = \pi + 2x & du = \cos(nx) dx \\ du = 2 dx & v = \frac{1}{n} \sin(nx) \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} u = \pi - 2x & du = \cos(nx) dx \\ du = -2 dx & v = \frac{1}{n} \sin(nx) \end{matrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{n} \cdot (\pi + 2x) \sin(nx) \right]_{-\pi}^0 - \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \frac{1}{n} \sin(nx) \cdot 2 dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{n} \cdot (\pi - 2x) \sin(nx) \right)_0^{\pi} - \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left( \frac{1}{n} \cdot (\pi - 2x) \sin(nx) \right) dx \right] \\ &= 0 - \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \sin(nx) dx + 0 + \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(nx) dx \\ &= -\frac{2}{n\pi} \cdot \left[ -\frac{1}{n} \cos(nx) \right]_{-\pi}^0 + \frac{2}{n\pi} \cdot \left[ -\frac{1}{n} \cos(nx) \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= \frac{2}{n\pi} \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{n} \cos 0 - \frac{1}{n} \cos(n\pi) \right] + \frac{2}{n\pi} \cdot \left[ -\frac{1}{n} \cos(n\pi) + \frac{1}{n} \cos 0 \right] \\ &= \frac{2}{n^2\pi} \cdot (1 - (-1)^n) + \frac{2}{n^2\pi} \cdot (-(-1)^n + 1) \\ &= \frac{4}{n^2\pi} \cdot (1 - (-1)^n) = \begin{cases} 8/n^2\pi & n \text{ odd} \\ 0 & n \text{ even} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

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Additional space for work

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cdot \sin(nx) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 (\pi+2x) \sin(nx) dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi-2x) \sin(nx) dx \\
 &\quad u = \pi+2x \quad du = 2dx \quad dv = \sin(nx) dx \quad v = -\frac{1}{n} \cos(nx) \\
 &\quad du = -2dx \quad v = -\frac{1}{n} \cos(nx) \\
 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ -\frac{1}{n} \cdot (\pi+2x) \cos(nx) \right]_{-\pi}^0 + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \left( -\frac{2}{n} \right) \cos(nx) dx \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ -\frac{1}{n} (\pi-2x) \cos(nx) \right]_0^{\pi} - \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left( -\frac{1}{n} \right) \cos(nx) \cdot (-2) dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ -\frac{1}{n} \cdot \pi \cdot \cos 0 + \frac{1}{n} \cdot (-\pi) \cdot \cos(-n\pi) \right] + \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \cos(nx) dx \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ -\frac{1}{n} \cdot (-\pi) \cdot \cos(n\pi) + \frac{1}{n} \cdot \pi \cdot \cos 0 \right] - \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos(nx) dx \\
 &= \cancel{-\frac{1}{n}} - \frac{1}{n} \cdot (-1)^n + \frac{2}{n\pi} \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{n} \sin(nx) \right]_{-\pi}^0 \\
 &\quad + \cancel{\frac{1}{n} (-1)^n} + \cancel{\frac{1}{n}} - \frac{2}{n\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{n} \sin(nx) \right]_0^{\pi} \\
 &= 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

So the Fourier series is

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{\pi n^2} \cdot (1 - (-1)^n) \cos(nx)$$

or, equivalently,

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{8}{\pi(2n+1)^2} \cdot \cos((2n+1)x)$$

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Note: you can economize this computation in two places, since  $f(x)$  is an even function:  $f(x) \cdot \cos(nx)$  is odd, so  $a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \cdot \cos(nx) dx$ , and  $f(x) \cdot \sin(nx)$  is even, so  $b_n$  is 0 automatically.