

Math 101
Final Exam
Solutions

1) Let f and g be two differentiable functions defined on \mathbb{R} such that

$$f(0) = 1, \quad f(1) = 1, \quad g(0) = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad g(1) = 0$$

and

$$f'(0) = 5, \quad f'(1) = 7, \quad g'(0) = 13, \quad \text{and} \quad g'(1) = 11.$$

Define

$$\phi(x) = (f \circ g)(x) \quad \text{and} \quad \rho(x) = \int_0^{f(x)} (g' \circ f)(u) \, du.$$

Find the following:

a) $\phi'(0) = ?$

Solution: By Chain Rule, $\phi'(x) = f'(g(x))g'(x)$. Hence

$$\phi'(0) = f'(g(0))g'(0) = f'(1)g'(0) = 7 \cdot 13 = 91$$

b) $\rho'(1) = ?$

Solution: Define

$$\psi(w) = \int_0^w (g' \circ f)(u) \, du.$$

Then we have

$$\rho(x) = (\psi \circ f)(x),$$

by chain rule we have

$$\rho'(x) = \psi'(f(x))f'(x),$$

and by Fundamental Theorem of Calculus Part 1 we have

$$\psi'(w) = (g' \circ f)(w)$$

Hence we have

$$\rho'(x) = (g' \circ f)(f(x))f'(x)$$

In particular we have

$$\rho'(1) = (g' \circ f)(f(1))f'(1) = g'(1)f'(1) = 11 \cdot 7 = 77.$$

2) Evaluate the integral

$$\int \frac{dx}{(x^2 + x + 1)^2}$$

Solution: Define $w = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}(x + \frac{1}{2})$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{(x^2 + x + 1)^2} &= \int \frac{dx}{(x^2 + x + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4})^2} = \int \frac{dx}{((x + \frac{1}{2})^2 + \frac{3}{4})^2} = \\ &= \int \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{(\frac{3}{4}w^2 + \frac{3}{4})^2} dw = \int \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{\frac{9}{16}(w^2 + 1)^2} dw = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \int \frac{dw}{(w^2 + 1)^2} = (*) \end{aligned}$$

Define $\theta = \arctan(w)$. Then

$$(*) = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \int \frac{\sec^2(\theta)}{\sec^4(\theta)} d\theta = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \int \cos^2(\theta) d\theta = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \int \frac{1 + \cos(2\theta)}{2} d\theta =$$

$$= \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin(2\theta)}{4} \right) + C = \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin(\theta) \cos(\theta)}{2} \right) + C =$$

$$= \frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{\arctan(w)}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{w}{\sqrt{w^2+1}}\right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{w^2+1}}\right)}{2} \right) + C = \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \arctan(w) + \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \frac{w}{w^2 + 1} + C =$$

$$= \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} \arctan\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)\right) + \frac{2x + 1}{3(x^2 + x + 1)} + C$$

3) Evaluate the integral

$$\int \frac{5x^3 + 7x^2 - 25x + 39}{x^4 - x^3 - 29x^2 - x - 30} dx$$

Solution: First notice

$$x^4 - x^3 - 29x^2 - x - 30 = (x + 5)(x - 6)(x^2 + 1)$$

Hence for some A , B , C , and D numbers we have

$$\frac{5x^3 + 7x^2 - 25x + 39}{x^4 - x^3 - 29x^2 - x - 30} = \frac{5x^3 + 7x^2 - 25x + 39}{(x + 5)(x - 6)(x^2 + 1)} = \frac{A}{x + 5} + \frac{B}{x - 6} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 1}.$$

Multiply both sides of the equation by $(x + 5)(x - 6)(x^2 + 1)$ we get

$$5x^3 + 7x^2 - 25x + 39 = A(x - 6)(x^2 + 1) + B(x + 5)(x^2 + 1) + (Cx + D)(x + 5)(x - 6)$$

Put $x = -5$, we get $-286 = -286A$. Hence $A = 1$.

Put $x = 6$, we get $1221 = 407B$. Hence $B = 3$.

Put $x = 0$, we get $39 = -6 + 15 - 30D$. Hence $D = -1$.

Put $x = 1$, we get $5 + 7 - 25 + 39 = -10 + 36 - 30(C - 1)$. Hence $C = 1$

Hence

$$\frac{5x^3 + 7x^2 - 25x + 39}{x^4 - x^3 - 29x^2 - x - 30} = \frac{1}{x + 5} + \frac{3}{x - 6} + \frac{x - 1}{x^2 + 1}.$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{5x^3 + 7x^2 - 25x + 39}{x^4 - x^3 - 29x^2 - x - 30} dx &= \int \left(\frac{1}{x + 5} + \frac{3}{x - 6} + \frac{x - 1}{x^2 + 1} \right) dx \\ &= \int \left(\frac{1}{x + 5} + \frac{3}{x - 6} + \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} - \frac{1}{x^2 + 1} \right) dx = \\ &= \ln|x + 5| + 3 \ln|x - 6| + \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 1) - \arctan(x) + C \end{aligned}$$

4) Find the volume of the largest right circular cylinder that can be inscribed in a sphere of radius R .

Solution: Assume that x denotes the radius of the inscribed right circular cylinder. Then $0 \leq x \leq R$ and the height of the right circular cylinder is $2\sqrt{R^2 - x^2}$. Hence we want to maximize the following volume function:

$$V(x) = 2\pi x^2 \sqrt{R^2 - x^2} \quad \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq R$$

Note that V is a continuous function on a closed interval $[0, R]$. Hence we can use the method for finding absolute extrema of a continuous function on a closed interval. First note that

$$V'(x) = 2\pi \left(2x\sqrt{R^2 - x^2} - \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{R^2 - x^2}} \right) = \frac{2\pi(2R^2x - 3x^3)}{\sqrt{R^2 - x^2}}$$

On the interval $(0, R)$ the function V' is defined everywhere and $V'(x)$ is equal to 0 only when $x = \frac{R\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}$. Hence the only critical point of V is $x = \frac{R\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}$. Now $V(0) = 0$, $V(R) = 0$. Hence the maximum volume is given by the following value of V

$$V\left(\frac{R\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \frac{4\pi R^3}{3\sqrt{3}}$$