

**Math 1B**  
**Chapter 7 Test**

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Write all responses on separate paper. Show your work for credit. Do not use a calculator.

1. (20 points) Evaluate the integral. Make all the substitutions and infinitesimals explicit.

(a)  $\int_0^{\ln 2} xe^{-\pi x} dx$ . **Solution:**

$u = x$	$dv = e^{-\pi x} dx$
$du = dx$	$v = -\frac{1}{\pi} e^{-\pi x}$

yields  $-\frac{x}{\pi} e^{-\pi x} \Big|_0^{\ln 2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\ln 2} e^{-\pi x} dx = -\frac{\ln 2}{\pi 2^\pi} - \frac{1}{\pi^2} e^{-\pi x} \Big|_0^{\ln 2} = -\frac{\ln 2}{\pi 2^\pi} - \frac{1}{\pi^2 2^\pi} + \frac{1}{\pi^2} = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{\pi} - \frac{1}{2^\pi} \left( \frac{1}{\pi} + \ln 2 \right) \right] \approx 0.06484$

(b)  $\int_1^e t^3 \ln t dt$ . **Solution:**

$u = \ln t$	$dv = t^3 dt$
$du = \frac{dt}{t}$	$v = \frac{1}{4} t^4$

Thus,  $\int_1^e t^3 \ln(t) dt = \frac{t^4}{4} \ln(t) \Big|_1^e - \frac{1}{4} \int_1^e t^3 dt = \frac{e^4}{4} - \frac{t^4}{16} \Big|_1^e = \frac{e^4}{4} - \frac{e^4}{16} + \frac{1}{16} = \frac{3e^4 + 1}{16} \approx 10.2997$

2. (30 points) Consider the integral function,

$$I_n(t) = \int_0^t \sin^n(x) dx = \int_0^t \sin^{n-1}(x) \sin(x) dx$$

- (a) Use integration by parts to show that

$$I_n(t) = -\frac{1}{n} \cos(t) \sin^{n-1}(t) + \frac{n-1}{n} I_{n-2}(t)$$

Make an table of  $u$ ,  $dv$ ,  $du$ , and  $v$ . Look for the integral recurring after applying a trig identity.

**Solution:**

$u = \sin^{n-1}(x)$	$dv = \sin(x) dx$
$du = (n-1) \sin^{n-2}(x) \cos(x) dx$	$v = -\cos(x)$

so that

$$\begin{aligned} I_n(t) &= -\sin^{n-1}(t) \cos(t) \Big|_0^t + (n-1) \int_0^t \sin^{n-2}(x) \cos^2(x) dx \\ &= -\sin^{n-1}(t) \cos(t) + (n-1) \int_0^t \sin^{n-2}(x) (1 - \sin^2(x)) dx \\ &= -\sin^{n-1}(t) \cos(t) + (n-1) \int_0^t \sin^{n-2}(x) dx - (n-1) I_n(t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (n-1) I_n(t) + I_n(t) = -\sin^{n-1}(t) \cos(t) + (n-1) I_{n-2}(t)$$

The result follows by combining like terms on the left and dividing through by  $n$ .

- (b) Use the reduction formula from (a) to evaluate  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^5(x) dx$

**Solution:**  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^5(x) dx = \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(x) dx = -\frac{8}{15} \cos(x) \Big|_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{8}{15}$

3. (20 points) Evaluate each integral:

(a)

$$\int_4^5 \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 8x + 17}} dx$$

**Solution:**  $\int_4^5 \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 8x + 17}} dx = \int_4^5 \frac{x}{\sqrt{(x-4)^2 + 1}} dx$  Substitute  $u = x-4$   $du = dx$  so that  $\int_0^1 \frac{u+4}{\sqrt{u^2+1}} du$

Now let  $u = \tan \theta$ ,  $du = \sec^2 \theta d\theta$  so the integral becomes  $\int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{4 + \tan \theta}{\sec \theta} \sec^2 \theta d\theta = \int_0^{\pi/4} 4 \sec \theta + \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$   
 $= 4 \ln |\sec \theta + \tan \theta| + \sec \theta \Big|_0^{\pi/4} = 4 \ln(\sqrt{2} + 1) + \sqrt{2} - 1$

(b)

$$\int_2^3 \frac{3x^2 + 2x}{(x-1)(x^2 + 2x + 2)} dx$$

**Solution:** Start by finding the partial fractions expansion:  $\frac{3x^2 + 2x}{(x-1)(x^2 + 2x + 2)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{Bx + C}{x^2 + 2x + 2} \Leftrightarrow A(x^2 + 2x + 2) + (Bx + C)(x-1) = 3x^2 + 2x$  After expanding and equating coefficients, this leads to the system

$A + B = 3$
$2A - B + C = 2$
$2A - C = 0$

However, since this must true for all  $x$ , we can plug in  $x = 1$  to get  $5A = 5$ , so  $A = 1$ ,  $B = 2$  and  $C = 2$ , whence  $\int_2^3 \frac{3x^2 + 2x}{(x-1)(x^2 + 2x + 2)} dx = \int_2^3 \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{2x+2}{x^2+2x+2} dx = \ln(x-1) + \ln(x^2+2x+2) \Big|_2^3 = \ln(2) + \ln(17) - \ln(10)$

In retrospect, it would have been easier to multiply out the denominator to get

$$\int_2^3 \frac{3x^2 + 2x}{x^3 + x^2 - 2} dx = \ln(x^3 + x^2 - 2) \Big|_2^3 = \ln(34) - \ln(10) = \ln(3.4)$$

4. (20 points) Evaluate the improper integral.

(a)

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-x} \sin x dx$$

**Solution:**

$u = e^{-x}$	$dv = \sin x dx$
$du = -e^{-x} dx$	$v = -\cos x$

 $\Rightarrow I = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} -\cos(b)e^{-b} + 1 - \int_0^\infty e^{-x} \cos x dx$

$u = e^{-x}$	$dv = \cos x dx$
$du = -e^{-x} dx$	$v = \sin x$

 $\Leftrightarrow I = 1 - \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} -\sin(b)e^{-b} - I \Leftrightarrow 2I = 1 \text{ so } I = \frac{1}{2}$

(b)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^x}{e^{2x} + 4} dx$$

**Solution:** Let  $2u = e^x$ ,  $2du = e^x dx$  As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $u \rightarrow \infty$  and as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $u \rightarrow 0$ . Thus  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^x}{e^{2x} + 4} dx = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{2du}{4u^2 + 4} = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} \arctan(b) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

5. (10 points) Use comparison to determine whether or not the integral is convergent.

$$\int_1^\infty \frac{\arctan x}{x^4 + x^2} dx$$

**Solution:**  $\int_1^\infty \frac{\arctan x}{x^4 + x^2} dx < \int_1^\infty \frac{2}{x^2 + 1} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} 2 \arctan(b) - \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}$  So the integral is convergent.