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MATHEMATICS 1206

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer all questions in Part I and any three questions in Part II. Show all work and justify all your answers.

PART I (52 points): Answer all questions in this part.

(21 pts) 1. Evaluate each of the following integrals:

(a) $\int \frac{x^2 - 7x - 12}{(x - 1)(x + 2)^2} dx$ (b) $\int_0^{\pi/2} x \sin 2x dx$

(c) $\int \frac{1}{x^2 \sqrt{x^2 - 9}} dx$

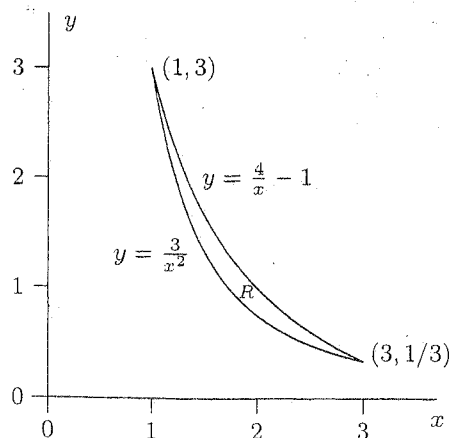
(15 pts) 2. Determine if each of the following series is (i) absolutely convergent, (ii) conditionally convergent, or (iii) divergent:

(a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 5^n \cdot n^3}{(n + 1)!}$ (b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n^2}{\sqrt{n^4 + 1}}$

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

(16 pts) 3. Consider the region R pictured to the right. Set up (but do not evaluate) definite integrals for each of the following. Always integrate along the x -axis.

- (a) the area of R ,
- (b) the volume of the solid that results when R is rotated about the x -axis,
- (c) the volume of the solid that results when R is rotated about the y -axis,
- (d) the length of the boundary (i.e., the perimeter) of R .



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PART II (48 points): Answer any **three** of the **four** questions in this part. Each problem is worth 16 points.

4. Indicate where the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2x+5)^n}{7^n \sqrt{n}}$ is (i) absolutely convergent, where it is (ii) conditionally convergent, and where it is (iii) divergent. Justify your answers.

5. (a) Set up (but *do not evaluate*) a definite integral that represents the area of the region R inside the curve $r = 3 + 2 \sin \theta$ and outside the curve $r = 5 \sin \theta$. Carefully sketch the region R .

(b) Find $f'(x)$ if $f(x) = \arccos(4x^2 - 1) + x^2 \arctan(2x + 3)$.

6. (a) (i) Determine if the improper integral $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x}{(x^2 + 2)^3} dx$ is convergent or divergent. (ii) If it is convergent, find the value of the integral.

(b) Find the Taylor polynomial of degree three for $f(x) = \ln(x - 4)$ about $x = 5$.

7. (a) Using the Maclaurin series $\sin x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{2k+1}}{(2k+1)!}$, (i) find the Maclaurin

series of the integral $\int \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$; make sure to give the *general term* of the

series, not just the first few terms. (ii) Estimate the value of the integral

$\int_0^{0.2} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ to four decimal place accuracy by using the series obtained in part (i).

(b) Evaluate the limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\sin 3x + \cos 2x)^{2/x}$.

END OF EXAMINATION