

Midterm III

Math 181, Section 5
December 3rd, 1999

Name:

Calculators are permitted unless they have a built-in algebra system.
You are permitted one two-sided letter-sized sheet of handwritten notes.

At least one mark will be taken off for every constant of integration that is missing!

Part I - Short Answer

Write your answer in the space provided. No partial credit.

Question 1

Given

$$F(x) = \int_1^x t \sin t \, dt,$$

find $\frac{dF}{dx}$.

(8 points)

Question 2

Find the value of the following definite integrals:

(a) $\int_{-1}^1 2x \sin(1 - x^2) \, dx$

(b) $\int_0^1 \frac{10\sqrt{v}}{(1 + v^{3/2})^2} \, dv$

(12 points)

Question 3

Write down, but do not attempt to calculate, the integral which gives the length of the arc of the graph of $y = \sin x$ over the interval $[0, \pi/2]$.

(5 points)

Question 4

Find the area between the graph of $y = \cos^2 x$ and the x axis over the interval $[-\pi/2, \pi/2]$.

(8 points)

Question 5

A thin rod running from $x = 0$ to $x = 2$ has linear density $\delta(x) = 1 + x$. Find the centre of mass.

(8 points)

Question 6

Consider the area between the curves $y = x^2$ and $y = -x$ over the interval from $x = 0$ to $x = 3$. If you were to revolve it about the y -axis, which of the three methods (disc, washer, and cylindrical shells) could you use to calculate the volume? If it is possible, how many integrals would you need to calculate?

Discs:

Washers:

Shells:

(9 points)

Part II - Long Answer

You must show all relevant working. You will get no credit for a correct answer if there is no working.

Question 7

Consider the region between the curve $y = x^2$, the x -axis, and the line $x = 2$.

(a) Find the volume obtained by revolving it about the y -axis.

(b) Find the area of the surface of revolution swept out by the curve $y = x^2$ over the same interval.

(15 points)

Question 8

Putting a satellite in orbit.

The gravitational force of a planet with mass M , acting upon a satellite of mass m at a distance x from the centre of the planet is given by

$$F(x) = -G \frac{Mm}{x^2}$$

where $G = 6.6720 \times 10^{-11} \text{ Nm}^2\text{kg}^{-2}$ is the universal gravitational constant. (Note that the force is negative, because it is in the opposite direction to increasing x .)

(a) Write down the integral that gives the work done in lifting a satellite from $x = a$ to $x = b$. (Consider only the work done lifting the satellite itself, ignore the work required to lift fuel, rockets, etc.)

(b) A satellite with a mass of 100 kg is launched from the surface of the earth and put into an orbit 1000 km (= 1000000 m) above the surface of the earth. If the radius of the earth is 6370000 m, find the work required to put the satellite in orbit.

(20 points)

Question 9

Verify, using substitution, that for any function $f(x)$,

$$\int_a^b f(x+c) dx = \int_{a-c}^{b-c} f(x) dx.$$

(15 points)

Extra Credit

You must show all relevant working. If you will get no credit for a correct answer if there is no working.

Question 10

By calculating Riemann sums, show that

$$\int_a^b x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}(b^3 - a^3).$$

(20 points)