

Calculus 1, Midterm Test 2

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1. (10 points) Find the interval of convergence of the following power series:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+3) \cdot 2^n} (x+5)^n$$

2. (12 points) Let $A = ([0, 2] \setminus \mathbb{Q}) \cup (4, 5) \cup (5, 6]$.

- Find the set of interior points, boundary points, limit points and isolated points of A .
- Find the closure of A .

3. (18 points) Determine the points of discontinuity of the following function. What type of discontinuities are these?

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

4. (10 points) Find the values of the parameters such that the following function

be differentiable on \mathbb{R} :
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{x+1} & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ ax^2 + b & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$$

5. (10 points) Find the equation of the tangent line to the function $f(x) = \frac{\cos(2x) + \ln(x+1)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$ at $x_0 = 0$.

6. (10+10+10+10 points) Calculate the following limits:

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{x^2+x} - \sqrt{x^2+5x+3})$

b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{e^{2x}-1} - \frac{1}{2x} \right)$

c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(4x^2)}{\ln(\cos(2x))}$

d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x \cosh(2x)}{\sinh(3x)}$

7.* (10 points - BONUS) Is it true that if $x > 0$ then $x < (1+x) \ln(1+x) < x(1+x)$?
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Solutions

1. (10 points) Find the interval of convergence of the following power series:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+3) \cdot 2^n} (x+5)^n$$

Solution. The coefficients are $a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+3) \cdot 2^n}$ and the center is

$$x_0 = -5.$$

$$\sqrt[n]{|a_n|} = \sqrt[n]{\left| \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+3) \cdot 2^n} \right|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt[n]{n+3} \cdot 2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{R} \implies R = 2. \quad \text{(3p)}$$

$$\sqrt[n]{n+3} \rightarrow 1 \text{ by the sandwich theorem, since } 1 \leq \sqrt[n]{n+3} \leq \sqrt[n]{n+3n} = \sqrt[n]{4} \cdot \sqrt[n]{n} \rightarrow 1 \cdot 1 = 1.$$

Let H denote the domain of convergence. Then $(-7, -3) \subset H \subset [-7, -3]$.

The endpoints of H :

$$\text{If } x = x_0 + R = -3 \text{ then the series is } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+3) \cdot 2^n} 2^n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n+3}.$$

This is a Leibniz series, so it is convergent. $\implies -3 \in H$.

$$\text{If } x = x_0 - R = -7 \text{ then the series is } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+3) \cdot 2^n} (-2)^n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n+3}$$

Since $\frac{1}{n+3} \geq \frac{1}{n+3n} = \frac{1}{4n}$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4n}$ diverges, then by the comparison test, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n+3}$ also diverges. \implies

$-7 \notin H$. **(2p)**

The domain of convergence is $H = (-7, -3]$. **(2p)**

2. (12 points) Let $A = ([0, 2] \setminus \mathbb{Q}) \cup (4, 5) \cup (5, 6]$.

a) Find the set of interior points, boundary points, limit points and isolated points of A .

b) Find the closure of A .

Solution:

a)

Set of interior points: $\text{int} A = (4, 5) \cup (5, 6)$ **(2p)**

Set of boundary points: $\partial A = [0, 2] \cup \{4, 5, 6\}$ **(3p)**

Set of limit points: $A' = [0, 2] \cup [4, 6]$ **(3p)**

Set of isolated points: \emptyset **(2p)**

b)

The closure of A : $\bar{A} = [0, 2] \cup [4, 6]$ **(2p)**

3. (18 points) Determine the points of discontinuity of the following function. What type of discontinuities are these?

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

Solution. $f(x) = \arctan\left(\frac{1}{x+2}\right) + \frac{(x-1)(x+1)}{(x-1)(x+3)}$

Since the arctan function and the polynomials are continuous and the composition and ratio of continuous functions is continuous if the denominator is not 0, then f is continuous on its domain.

The points of discontinuities are $x_1 = -2$, $x_2 = 1$, $x_3 = -3$. **(3p)**

a) If $x_1 = -2$: $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2+0} \frac{1}{x+2} = \frac{1}{0+} = +\infty \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2+} \arctan\left(\frac{1}{x+2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2-0} \frac{1}{x+2} = \frac{1}{0-} = -\infty \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2-} \arctan\left(\frac{1}{x+2}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ **(2p)**

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2\pm 0} f(x) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} + \lim_{x \rightarrow -2\pm 0} \frac{(x-1)(x+1)}{(x-1)(x+3)} = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} - 1 \quad \mathbf{(1p)}$$

$\Rightarrow f$ has a jump discontinuity at $x_1 = -2$. **(2p)**

b) If $x_2 = 1$: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1\pm 0} f(x) = \arctan \frac{1}{3} + \lim_{x \rightarrow 1\pm 0} \frac{(x-1)(x+1)}{(x-1)(x+3)} = \arctan \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}$ **(3p)**

$\Rightarrow f$ has a removable discontinuity at $x_2 = 1$. **(2p)**

c) If $x_3 = -3$: $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3\pm 0} f(x) = \arctan(-1) + \lim_{x \rightarrow -3\pm 0} \frac{(x-1)(x+1)}{(x-1)(x+3)} = -\frac{\pi}{4} + (-2) \lim_{x \rightarrow -3\pm 0} \frac{1}{x+3} =$
 $= -\frac{\pi}{4} + (-2) \cdot (\pm\infty) = \mp\infty$ **(3p)**

$\Rightarrow f$ has an essential discontinuity at $x_3 = -3$. **(2p)**

4. (10 points) Find the values of the parameters such that the following function

be differentiable on \mathbb{R} : $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2}{x+1} & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ ax^2 + b & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$

Solution. The function is differentiable for all a, b except $x = 1$.

If f is continuous at $x = 1$ then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1+0} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1-0} f(x) = f(1) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = a + b$ **(3p)**

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x \cdot (x+1) - x^2}{(x+1)^2} = \frac{x^2 + 2x}{(x+1)^2} & \text{if } x > 1 \\ 2ax & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases} \quad \mathbf{(2p)}$$

If f is differentiable at $x = 1$ then $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1+0} f'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1-0} f'(x) \Rightarrow \frac{3}{4} = 2a$ **(3p)**.

The solution of the equation system is $a = \frac{3}{8}$, $b = \frac{1}{8}$. **(1p)**

5. (10 points) Find the equation of the tangent line to the function $f(x) = \frac{\cos(2x) + \ln(x+1)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$ at

$x_0 = 0$.

Solution. $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x^2+1} \left(\left(-2 \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{x+1} \right) \cdot \sqrt{x^2+1} - (\cos(2x) + \ln(x+1)) \cdot \frac{1}{2} (x^2+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2x \right)$ (5p)

$f(0) = 1, f'(0) = 1$ (1p)

The equation of the tangent line is $y = f(0) + f'(0)(x - 0)$, that is, $y = 1 + x$ (3p)

6. (10+10+10+10 points) Calculate the following limits:

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{x^2+x} - \sqrt{x^2+5x+3})$

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c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(4x^2)}{\ln(\cos(2x))}$

d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x \cosh(2x)}{\sinh(3x)}$

Solution.

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{x^2+x} - \sqrt{x^2+5x+3}) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} (\sqrt{x^2+x} - \sqrt{x^2+5x+3}) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x^2+x} + \sqrt{x^2+5x+3}}{\sqrt{x^2+x} + \sqrt{x^2+5x+3}}$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{(x^2+x) - (x^2+5x+3)}{\sqrt{x^2+x} + \sqrt{x^2+5x+3}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{-4x-3}{\sqrt{x^2+x} + \sqrt{x^2+5x+3}}$ (6p)

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2}} \cdot \frac{-4 - \frac{3}{x}}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{x}} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{5}{x} + \frac{3}{x^2}}} = (-1) \cdot \frac{-4-0}{\sqrt{1+0} + \sqrt{1+0+0}} = 2$ (4p)

Here $\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2}} = \frac{x}{|x|} = \frac{x}{-x} = -1$, since $x < 0$.

b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{e^{2x}-1} - \frac{1}{2x} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x - (e^{2x}-1)}{2x(e^{2x}-1)}$

The limit has the form $\frac{0}{0} \Rightarrow$ L'Hospital's rule can be applied:

$\stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - 2e^{2x}}{2(e^{2x}-1) + 2x \cdot e^{2x} \cdot 2}$ (4p) $\stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4e^{2x}}{4e^{2x} + 4 \cdot e^{2x} + 4x \cdot e^{2x} \cdot 2}$ (4p) $= \frac{-4}{8} = -\frac{1}{2}$ (2p)

c) The limit has the form $\frac{0}{0} \Rightarrow$ L'Hospital's rule can be applied:

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(4x^2)}{\ln(\cos(2x))} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(4x^2) \cdot 8x}{\frac{1}{\cos(2x)} \cdot (-\sin(2x)) \cdot 2}$ (5p)

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos(2x) \cdot \cos(4x^2) \cdot \frac{2x}{\sin(2x)} \cdot (-2) = 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot (-2) = -2$ (5p)

d) By the definition of the functions:

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x \cosh(2x)}{\sinh(3x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x (e^{2x} + e^{-2x})}{e^{3x} - e^{-3x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{3x} + e^{-x}}{e^{3x} - e^{-3x}}$ (4p) $= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{3x}}{e^{3x}} \frac{1 - e^{-4x}}{1 + e^{-6x}}$ (3p) $= \frac{1-0}{1+0} = 1$ (3p)

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Solution. Let $x > 0$, then the function $f(x) = \ln x$ is continuous on $[1, 1+x]$ and differentiable on $(1, 1+x)$, so by Lagrange's theorem there exists $c \in (1, 1+x)$ such that

$$\frac{\ln(1+x) - \ln 1}{(1+x) - 1} = \frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} = \ln'(c) = \frac{1}{c}$$

Since $1 < c < 1+x$ then $\frac{1}{1+x} < \frac{1}{c} < 1 \implies \frac{1}{1+x} < \frac{\ln(1+x)}{x} < 1$.

Multiplying by $x(1+x) > 0$ we get that $x < (1+x) \ln(1+x) < x(1+x)$. **(10 points)**