

Math 42 Practice Exam 1

2007 Notes: Skip problems 1(e), 2, 6(b), and 6(e);
See other review resources for problems on “Work” (not covered below).

1. Evaluate each of the following integrals.

(a) $\int \frac{r}{r^2 - 4} dr$

(b) $\int \frac{1}{r^2 - 4} dr$

(c) $\int_1^e x \ln x dx$

(d) $\int \sin^4 x dx$

(e) $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt[5]{x}} dx$

(f) $\int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta d\theta$

(g) $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{(x^2 + 9)^{3/2}} dx$

(h) $\int \frac{x^3}{x^3 - x^2 - x + 1} dx = \int \frac{x^3}{(x + 1)(x - 1)^2} dx$

(i) $\int_1^4 (at + b)\sqrt{t} dt$ (a and b are constants.)

2. Determine whether the improper integral

$$\int_3^{\infty} \frac{\ln x}{\sqrt{x}} dx$$

converges or diverges.

3. The following chart gives the rate of population growth (i.e., the number of births minus the number of deaths per year) of a certain small town in the given years.

<u>Year:</u>	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000
<u>Rate of growth:</u>	1	-1	0	1	2

Use Simpson's Rule to estimate how much the population grew from 1980 to 2000.

4. Consider the integral $\int_0^1 \sin(x^2) dx$.

(a) Estimate the error made in approximating the value of this integral using $n = 5$ trapezoids.

(b) How many trapezoids would be necessary to guarantee an error of at most $\frac{1}{200}$?

5. Consider the region R in the plane bounded between the curves $y = x$ and $y = x^2$.
- (a) Find the area of R .
 - (b) Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving R about the x -axis.
 - (c) Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving R about the line $x = 1$.
6. True / False: (You do not need to justify your answer.)
- (a) Simpson's Rule usually, but not always, gives a more accurate approximation for a definite integral than both the Midpoint Rule and the Trapezoid Rule.
 - (b) If $f(x) \leq g(x)$ and $\int_0^\infty g(x) dx$ diverges, then $\int_0^\infty f(x) dx$ also diverges.
 - (c) $\int \sin^2 x dx = \frac{1}{3} \sin^3 x + C$.
 - (d) It is possible to antidifferentiate every rational function in terms of finitely many familiar functions.
 - (e) If $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$ and $\int_a^\infty g(x) dx$ are both divergent, then $\int_a^\infty [f(x) + g(x)] dx$ is also divergent.