

1. Use the Table of Integrals on the Reference Pages to evaluate the integral

$$\int \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} dx.$$

2. Use the Trapezoid Rule with $n = 10$ to evaluate the integral $\int_0^{\pi} \sin x dx$. Round-off the result to 6 decimal places.

3. How large should n be so that the approximation of $\int_0^{\pi} \cos(2x) dx$ using the Simpson's Rule is accurate to within 0.00001?

4. Use Euler's method with step size 0.1 to approximate $y(2.4)$ where y is the solution of the initial value problem $y' = x^2 - xy$, $y(1) = 0$.

5. A function $y(t)$ is a solution of a differential equation $dy/dt = y^4 - 6y^3 + 5y^2$. What are the equilibrium solutions? For what values of y is y concave up?

6. Solve the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1 + y^2}{y \cos x}$, $y(0) = 1$.

7. A bacteria culture starts with 500 bacteria and grows at a rate proportional to its size. After 3 hours there are 8000 bacteria. Find the number of bacteria after 4 hours.

8. One model for the spread of the rumor is that the rate of spread is proportional to the product of the fraction y of the population who have heard the rumor and the fraction who have not heard the rumor. Write the differential equation that is satisfied by y . Solve the equation.

9. Find the limit of the sequence $a_n = \frac{n \cos n}{n^2 + 1}$.

10. Determine whether the sequence $a_n = \frac{4n - 3}{3n + 4}$ is increasing, decreasing, or not monotonic. Is it bounded?

Solutions

1. $x^2 + x + 1 = (x + 1/2)^2 + 3/4$. Substitution $u = x + 1/2$. Use Formula 21, with $a = \sqrt{3}/2$.

Solution: $\frac{x + 1/2}{2} \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} + \frac{3}{4} \ln(x + \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1}) + C$.

2. $\Delta x = \frac{\pi}{10}$; $T_{10} = \frac{\pi}{20} \left[\sin 0 + 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{10} + 2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{10} + \cdots + 2 \sin \frac{9\pi}{10} + \sin \pi \right] \approx 1.983523538$.

Answer: 1.983524.

3. $f(x) = \cos 2x$; $f^{(4)}(x) = 16 \cos 2x$; $|16 \cos 2x| \leq 16$. Need $\frac{16(\pi - 0)}{180n^4} < 10^{-5}$, hence

$n > \sqrt[4]{\frac{16\pi}{180}} 10^5 \approx 12.92704729$. Result: $n = 13$.

4. Use $nMin = 0$, $u(n) = u(n - 1) + 0.1$, $u(nMin) = \{1\}$, $v(n) = v(n - 1) + 0.1(u(n - 1)^2 - u(n - 1)v(n - 1))$, $v(nMin) = \{0\}$. Result: 1.8647.

5. Constant solutions: $dy/dt = 0$. Result: $y = 0$, $y = 1$, $y = 5$. Concave up: $d^2y/dt^2 > 0$. Result: $0 < y < (9 - \sqrt{41})/4$ and $y > (9 + \sqrt{41})/4$.

6. $\frac{y dy}{1 + y^2} = \sec x dx$. Formula 14: $\frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + y^2) = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C$. General solution: $y = \pm \sqrt{e^C (\sec x + \tan x)^2 - 1}$. Use $x = 0$, $y = 1$. Answer: $y = \sqrt{2(\sec x + \tan x)^2 - 1}$.

7. $P(0) = 500$, $dP/dt = kP$. Then $P(t) = 500e^{kt}$. Use $t = 3$, $P = 8000$ to obtain $k = \ln(16/3)$. Then $P(4) = 500e^{4 \ln(16/3)} \approx 404543.2099$. Answer: 404543.

8. Denote by T the total population. Then $dy/dt = ay(T - y)$ for some $a > 0$. The equation $dy/dt = (aT)y(1 - y/T)$ is logistic equation. Solution: $y = T/(1 + Ae^{-aTt})$ where $A = (T - y(0))/y(0)$.

9. $0 \leq |n \cos n/(n^2 + 1)| \leq n/(n^2 + 1)$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n/(n^2 + 1) = 0$. By Sandwich Theorem $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \cos n/(n^2 + 1) = 0$.

10. $f(x) = (4x - 3)/(3x + 4)$, $f'(x) = 25/(3x + 4)^2 > 0$ so f is increasing, and a_n is increasing. $4n - 3 < 4$, $3n + 4 > 3n$ so $1/(3n + 4) < 1/(3n)$. Thus $a_n < 4n/(3n) = 4/3$ and a_n is bounded above by $4/3$. Both $4n - 3 > 0$ and $3n + 4 > 0$ so a_n is bounded below by 0.