

1. (a) Evaluate the integrals: $\int_0^1 \ln(x) dx$ $\int_0^1 (\ln(x))^2 dx$.
- (b) Prove that $\int_0^1 (\ln(x))^n dx = (-1)^n n!$ for all positive integers n .
The expression $n!$ is *n factorial* and represents the product
- $$n! = n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)\cdots 2 \cdot 1.$$

2. Find the value of the positive constant c such that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x+c}{x-c} \right)^x = 9.$$

3. In the figure, the segment BD is the height of triangle $\triangle OAB$. Let R be the ratio of the area of $\triangle DAB$ to that of the shaded region formed by deleting $\triangle OAB$ from the circular sector subtended by angle θ . Find $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0^+} R$.

4. Show that if $f'(x)$ is continuous on $[0, \infty)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 0$, then

$$\int_0^{\infty} f'(x) dx = -f(0).$$

5. A function $f(t)$ is called a *probability density function* if $f(t) \geq 0$ and $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) dt = 1$.

(a) Interpret what this says about the graph of $f(t)$.

(b) Show that

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} e^{-t} & \text{if } t \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } t < 0 \end{cases}$$

is a probability density function.

(c) Show that

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\pi(1+t^2)}$$

is a probability density function.

6. If $f(t)$ is a probability density function, then the probability that x takes on a value less than or equal to b is given by

$$P(x \leq b) = \int_{-\infty}^b f(t) dt.$$

As an extension of this we get that if $a \leq b$ then the probability that x takes on a value between a and b is

$$P(a \leq x \leq b) = \int_a^b f(t) dt.$$

Let $f(t)$ be the probability density function

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\pi(1+t^2)}$$

and calculate the probability that x takes on a value less than $\sqrt{3}$.

7. The average value (or mean, or expected value) of x is given by

$$\mu = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} tf(t) dt$$

where $f(t)$ is its probability density function. Find the average value of x with

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{5}e^{-\frac{2t}{5}} & \text{if } t \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } t < 0. \end{cases}$$

8. In 1990 the Ministry of Swallows released a report indicating that the airspeed, x , (measured in meters per second) of an unladen Swallow (European, of course) has the following density function

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 3e^{-3t} & t \geq 0 \\ 0 & t < 0. \end{cases}$$

- (a) Find the probability that a Swallow will fly at a speed between 1 m/s and 4 m/s.
- (b) On average, what is the airspeed of an unladen (European) Swallow?

9. The *multiplicative derivative* of a function $f(x)$ is given by

$$\tilde{f}(x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \sqrt[t]{\frac{f(x+t)}{f(x)}}.$$

Show that if $f(x) = x^n$ then $\tilde{f}(x) = e^{\frac{n}{x}}$.

10. Explain why the following is true or false: $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{x^3} dx = 0$.