Math 141 Fall 2017 Exam 4

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- 1. 10 pts. Approximate ln(1.1) with an appropriate 4th-order Taylor polynomial having an appropriate center.
- 2. 10 pts. each Determine the interval of convergence of the power series, making sure to test endpoints.

(a)
$$\sum \frac{2^{2n}x^n}{n^2}$$
 (b) $\sum \frac{(x-2)^n}{n \cdot 5^n}$ (c) $\sum n!(x-1)^n$

3. 15 pts. Find a power series representation for the function

$$f(x) = \frac{2x^2}{1+x^3},$$

and determine the interval of convergence.

- 4. Is pts. Find a power series representation for the function $f(x) = (1+x)^{1/4}$, determine the interval of convergence, and write out the first four nonzero terms of the series.
- 5. 10 pts. Use a Taylor series to approximate the value of the definite integral

$$\int_0^{1/3} e^{-x^2} \, dx$$

with an absolute error less than 10^{-6} .

6. 10 pts. For the parametric equations

$$x = \sec^2 t - 1, \ y = \tan t; \ -\frac{\pi}{2} < t < \frac{\pi}{2},$$

eliminate the parameter to obtain a Cartesian equation of the form y = f(x) or x = g(y). State the domain of the function.

- 7. 10 pts. An object moves along a straight path from the point (3, -4) at time t = 0 to the point (2, 0) at time t = 3. Find a parametric description of the object's path.
- 8. 10 pts. Convert the polar equation to Cartesian coordinates:

$$r = \frac{2}{4\cos\theta + 3\sin\theta}$$

9. 10 pts. Find the area of the region inside the limaçon $r = 2 + \cos \theta$.

Alternating Series Estimation Theorem: If $\sum (-1)^{k+1}b_k$ is a convergent alternating series such that $0 \leq b_{k+1} \leq b_k$ for all k, then $R_n \leq b_{n+1}$ for all n.

Maclaurin Series for Some Common Functions:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1-x} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n, \text{ for } |x| < 1 \\ e^x &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}, \text{ for } |x| < \infty \\ \sin x &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}, \text{ for } |x| < \infty \\ \cos x &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}, \text{ for } |x| < \infty \\ \ln(1+x) &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} x^n}{n}, \text{ for } -1 < x \le 1 \\ \tan^{-1} x &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}, \text{ for } |x| \le 1 \\ (1+x)^p &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{p}{n} x^n, \text{ for } |x| < 1, \text{ where } \binom{p}{n} = \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)\cdots(p-n+1)}{n!} \text{ and } \binom{p}{0} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Some Trigonometric Identities:

$$\sin 2\theta = 2\sin\theta\cos\theta$$
$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta$$
$$\sin^2\theta = \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2}$$
$$\cos^2\theta = \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2}.$$