

* Very Exciting!! ^{Next Time} Testing for Convergence!!
* Next wed. begin ch. 8 - Seq. & Series... Read Ahead

7.6 Improper Integrals (Part 1 of 2)

So far... only able to integrate functions with
 1. Finite Domain AND that are
 2. Finite on ~~the~~ their domain

Now, will learn how to deal with infinite domains & ~~infinite~~
 fns that $\rightarrow \pm\infty$ on the domain.

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Review of Limits

Ex: $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^2 + x}{5x^2 - 1} = \frac{2}{5}$ dominant powers =

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^2 + x}{3x^4 - 7x^2 + 1} = 0$ deg bottom > deg top

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x^4 + 7x - 2}{3x^4 - 9} = \infty$ deg top > deg bottom

* Review L & R hand limits

Ex: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{x-1} = \text{DNE}$

b/c

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{1}{x-1} = -\infty$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{1}{x-1} = +\infty$

$L \neq R \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \text{DNE}$

* In Integration L & R limits ^{will} ~~sometimes~~ show up

Infinities in Integration Limits

1. f cont on $[a, \infty)$ then

$$\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

2. f continuous on $(-\infty, b]$ then

$$\int_{-\infty}^b f(x) dx = \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Ex:

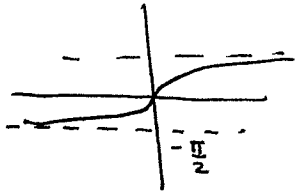
$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^{3/2}} = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{-3/2} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left. \frac{x^{-1/2}}{-1/2} \right|_1^b$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} -2 \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{b}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} \right] = \boxed{2}$$

Ex:

$$\int_{-\infty}^2 \frac{2 dx}{x^2+4} = \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} \int_a^2 \frac{2 dx}{x^2+4} = \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right) \Big|_a^2$$

$$= \lim_{a \rightarrow -\infty} \left[\tan^{-1}(1) - \tan^{-1}(a) \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} - \left(-\frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \boxed{\frac{3\pi}{4}}$$


Def: If the value of an Improper Integral is finite we say it converges. Otherwise, we say the integral diverges.

Function ~~takes~~ ^{goes to} infinity at integration limit(s).

3. f continuous on $(a, b]$ then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{c \rightarrow a^+} \int_c^b f(x) dx \quad \text{RH Limit } (a, b] \leftarrow$$

4. f continuous on $[a, b)$ then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{c \rightarrow b^-} \int_a^c f(x) dx \quad \text{LH limit } [a, b) \rightarrow$$

Ex:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{\theta + 1}{\sqrt{\theta^2 + 2\theta}} d\theta \quad \text{infinity at } 0$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 0^-} \int_c^1 \frac{\theta + 1}{\sqrt{\theta^2 + 2\theta}} d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \theta^2 + 2\theta \\ du &= (2\theta + 2) d\theta \\ \frac{du}{2} &= (\theta + 1) d\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{1}{2} \int_c^3 \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}}$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 \sqrt{u} \Big|_c^3 = \lim_{c \rightarrow 0} \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{c} \rightarrow 0 = \boxed{\sqrt{3}}$$

~~Ex:~~

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Ex:

$$\int_0^2 \frac{s+1}{\sqrt{4-s^2}} ds$$

infinite at 2

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \int_0^c \frac{s+1}{\sqrt{4-s^2}} ds$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \left[\int_0^c \frac{s}{\sqrt{4-s^2}} ds + \int_0^c \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-s^2}} ds \right]$$

$$u = 4 - s^2$$

$$du = -2s ds$$

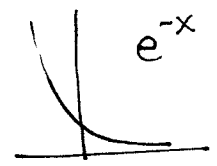
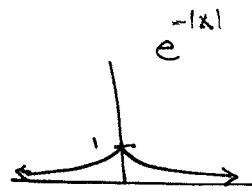
$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \int_4^{4-c^2} \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} + \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right) \Big|_0^c \right]$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \left[-\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\sqrt{u} \Big|_4^{4-c^2} + \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \left[\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{c}{2} \right) - \sin^{-1}(0) \right] \right]$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 2^-} \left[-\sqrt{4-c^2} + \sqrt{4} \right]$$

$$0 + \sqrt{4} + \frac{\pi}{2} - 0$$

$$= \cancel{\frac{\pi}{2}} \quad \boxed{\sqrt{4} + \frac{\pi}{2}}$$



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 $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-|x|} dx$

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$$e^{-|x|} = \begin{cases} e^{-x} & x \geq 0 \\ e^x & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^0 e^x dx + \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} dx$$

Now ~~use~~ use symmetry

$$= 2 \int_{-\infty}^0 e^x dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow -\infty} 2 \int_b^0 e^x dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow -\infty} 2e^x \Big|_b^0$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow -\infty} 2[e^0 - \underbrace{e^b}_0]$$

b/c $b \rightarrow -\infty$ i.e. $\frac{1}{e^\infty}$

$$= \boxed{2}$$

Infinity at an interior point on the Domain of $f(x)$.

If f becomes infinite on an interior pt. $d \in [a, b]$ then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^d f(x) dx + \int_d^b f(x) dx$$

so by prev. type, infinite at an end pt this becomes

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow d^-} \int_a^c f(x) dx + \lim_{c \rightarrow d^+} \int_c^b f(x) dx$$

*** $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ Converges iff both \int_a^d and \int_d^b converge.

Divergent Example

Ex:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{1-x} dx \quad \text{infinite at } 1$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow 1^-} \int_0^b \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow 1^-} -\ln|1-x| \Big|_0^b$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow 1^-} -\ln|1-b| - (-\ln 1)$$

$$= -(-\infty) = \boxed{\infty}$$

Diverges.

Ex: Infinite at an interior point

$$\int_0^3 \frac{dx}{(x-1)^{2/3}} \quad \text{Infinite at } 1$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{(x-1)^{2/3}} + \int_1^3 \frac{dx}{(x-1)^{2/3}} \quad \text{No symmetry here...}$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 1^-} \int_0^c \frac{dx}{(x-1)^{2/3}} + \lim_{c \rightarrow 1^+} \int_c^3 \frac{dx}{(x-1)^{2/3}}$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{3}{5} (x-1)^{5/3} \Big|_0^c + \lim_{c \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{3}{5} (x-1)^{5/3} \Big|_c^3$$

$$= \lim_{c \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{3}{5} \left[(c-1)^{5/3} - (-1)^{5/3} \right] + \lim_{c \rightarrow 1^+} \frac{3}{5} \left[(2)^{5/3} - (c-1)^{5/3} \right]$$

$$= \frac{3}{5} + \frac{3}{5} 2\sqrt[3]{4}$$

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"Theorem"

very important fact

$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^p}$$

"p-integral"

3 cases

$p > 1$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{dx}{x^p}$$

~~with~~ $p > 1$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{-p} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left. \frac{x^{-p+1}}{-p+1} \right|_1^b$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-p+1} \left[b^{-p+1} - 1 \right] \quad \text{Converge}$$

← Because $p > 1 \Rightarrow -p+1 < 0$

If $p < 1$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-p+1} \left[b^{-p+1} - 1 \right]$$

← Because $p < 1 \Rightarrow -p+1 > 0$

If $p = 1$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{1}{x} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \ln|x| \Big|_1^b$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \ln b - \ln 1$$

$$\downarrow \infty \quad \downarrow 0$$

Diverges