

**Resit Calculus 2, 5 April 2018, Solutions**

1. a) **(3 points)** First consider  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^n}{n \arctan(n)} \right| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \arctan(n)}$ . Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \arctan(n) = \frac{\pi}{2}$  we can compare the general term with  $\frac{1}{n}$ . This yields  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n \arctan(n)} : \frac{1}{n} = \frac{2}{\pi}$  and since  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  diverges ( $p$ -series with  $p = 1$ ), the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \arctan(n)}$  also diverges (limit comparison test). So  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n \arctan(n)}$  is not absolutely convergent. Now use the alternating series test: (1) the series is alternating, (2) the sequence  $\left\{ \frac{1}{n \arctan(n)} \right\}$  is decreasing (since  $n$  and  $\arctan(n)$  are both increasing), and (3) the sequence  $\left\{ \frac{1}{n \arctan(n)} \right\}$  has limit 0. So the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n \arctan(n)}$  is convergent. Finally we can conclude that the series is conditionally convergent.
- b) **(1 point)** Since  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{n^2}} = 1$  it is clear that the general term of this series does not converge to 0. Therefore the series is divergent (general term test).

2. We use the ratio test:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(x+3)^{2(n+1)}}{(n+1)^2 4^{n+1}} \right| \div \left| \frac{(x+3)^{2n}}{n^2 4^n} \right| \\ &= \frac{|x+3|^2}{4} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{(n+1)^2} = \frac{|x+3|^2}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

So the series converges absolutely for  $|x+3|^2 < 4$ , that is for  $-5 < x < -1$ , and diverges for  $|x+3|^2 > 4$ . Now determine the behavior in the endpoints: For both  $x = -5$  and  $x = -1$  we find the  $p$ -series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$  which is convergent. So the interval of convergence is  $[-5, -1]$ .

3. a) Use the geometric series  $\frac{1}{1-t} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} t^n$ , which converges for all  $t \in (-1, 1)$ .

This yields (substitute  $t = -x^4$ )

$$\frac{2x}{1+x^4} = 2x \cdot \frac{1}{1-(-x^4)} = 2x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-x^4)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2(-1)^n x^{4n+1},$$

converging for  $|-x^4| < 1$ , so for  $|x| < 1$ .

- b) See part a). So the representation is valid for all  $x \in (-1, 1)$ .
- c) Remark that  $\frac{d}{dx} \arctan(x^2) = \frac{2x}{1+x^4}$ , which is exactly the function considered in part a). So we can find the Maclaurin series-representation for  $\arctan(x^2)$  by termwise integration of the representation given in part a). So on  $(-1, 1)$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \arctan(x^2) &= \int_0^x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2(-1)^n x^{4n+1} dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2(-1)^n \int_0^x x^{4n+1} dx \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^n}{4n+2} x^{4n+2} \Big|_0^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{2n+1} x^{4n+2}. \end{aligned}$$

4. a) A normal vector of the plane is perpendicular to all vectors in that plane. Two of these vectors are:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

So a normal vector is given by:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ -8 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}.$$

So an equation of the plane is  $-8(x-1) - 8(y+1) + 8(z-1) = 0$ , or equivalently  $x + y - z + 1 = 0$ .

- b) The distance from the point  $(2, 2, 1)$  to this plane is:

$$\frac{|2 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot (-1) - (-1)|}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + (-1)^2}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4}{3}\sqrt{3}.$$

5. Use the chain rule:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(xe^y, e^x y^2) = e^y f_1(xe^y, e^x y^2) + e^x y^2 f_2(xe^y, e^x y^2)$$

and

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} f(xe^y, e^x y^2) = xe^y f_1(xe^y, e^x y^2) + 2e^x y f_2(xe^y, e^x y^2).$$

6. a) Calculate both first partial derivatives and set them equal to 0:

$$f_x(x, y) = 0 \implies 6x - 18 + 6y = 0 \implies x = 3 - y.$$

$$f_y(x, y) = 0 \implies 6x - 6y^2 + 12y + 18 = 0.$$

Substitution of  $x = 3 - y$  in the second equation gives  $y^2 - y - 6 = 0$  with solutions  $y = 3$  or  $y = -2$ . Therefore we find two critical points:  $S_1 = (0, 3)$  and  $S_2 = (5, -2)$ .

- b) For general  $(x, y)$  we find  $f_{xx}(x, y) = 6$ ,  $f_{yy}(x, y) = -12y + 12$  and  $f_{xy}(x, y) = 6 = f_{yx}(x, y)$ . So we find  $f_{xx}(x, y)f_{yy}(x, y) - f_{xy}(x, y)f_{yx}(x, y) = 36(1 - 2y)$ . This implies that  $S_1$  is a saddle point ( $f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}f_{yx} < 0$ ) and that  $f$  has a local minimum value in  $S_2$  ( $f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}f_{yx} > 0$  and  $f_{xx} > 0$ ).

- c) The unit vector  $\mathbf{v}$  in the same direction as  $\mathbf{u}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{v} = \frac{\mathbf{u}}{\|\mathbf{u}\|} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}. \text{ Furthermore } \nabla f(1, 2) = \begin{pmatrix} f_x(1, 2) \\ f_y(1, 2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 24 \end{pmatrix}.$$

So  $D_{\mathbf{v}}f(1, 2) = \mathbf{v} \bullet \nabla f(1, 2) = \frac{96}{5}$ .

7. a) Make a sketch of the domain. Then you can easily verify that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_x^{\sqrt{\pi}} y^2 \cos(y^2) dy dx &= \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^y y^2 \cos(y^2) dx dy \\ &= \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi}} y^2 \cos(y^2) [x]_{x=0}^{x=y} dy = \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi}} y^3 \cos(y^2) dy \\ &\stackrel{(*)}{=} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} t \cos(t) dt \stackrel{(**)}{=} \frac{1}{2} [t \sin(t) + \cos(t)]_{t=0}^{t=\pi} = -1. \end{aligned}$$

At (\*) we used the substitution  $t = y^2$  and at (\*\*) we used integration by parts.

- b) Again sketch the domain. It is that part of the disk around  $(0,0)$  with radius  $\sqrt{3}$ , above the line  $y = x$  and right from the  $y$ -axis. Using  $x = r \cos(\theta)$ ,  $y = r \sin(\theta)$  we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int \int_S \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2+y^2}} dA &= \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} \int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \frac{r}{\sqrt{1+r^2}} d\theta dr = \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4} \int_0^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{r}{\sqrt{1+r^2}} dr = \left[ \frac{\pi}{4} \sqrt{1+r^2} \right]_0^{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\pi}{4} (2-1) = \frac{\pi}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

8. First calculate  $e^{i\pi/3} = \cos(\pi/3) + i \sin(\pi/3) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i\sqrt{3}$ . Use this and multiply numerator and denominator by 2 and multiply the result by the complex conjugate of the denominator. This yields

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1 - e^{i\pi/3}} &= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2}{1 - i\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2}{1 - i\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{1 + i\sqrt{3}}{1 + i\sqrt{3}} = \\ &= \frac{2(1 + i\sqrt{3})}{1 + 3} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i\sqrt{3}. \end{aligned}$$

So  $a = \frac{1}{2}$  en  $b = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$ .

9. This is a linear differential equation of order one. First divide both sides by  $x^2$  to get

$$y'(x) + \frac{1}{x^2} y(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}.$$

Now remark that an integrating factor is  $e^{\int \frac{1}{x^2} dx} = e^{-\frac{1}{x}}$ . This yields

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( y(x) e^{-\frac{1}{x}} \right) = \frac{1}{x^2} e^{-\frac{1}{x}} \implies y(x) e^{-\frac{1}{x}} = \int \frac{1}{x^2} e^{-\frac{1}{x}} dx = e^{-\frac{1}{x}} + C.$$

[You can use the substitution  $t = -\frac{1}{x}$  if necessary.] So the general solution is

$$y(x) = 1 + C e^{\frac{1}{x}}, C \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Substitution of the initial value gives

$$2 = y(1) = 1 + C e, \quad \text{so} \quad C = e^{-1}.$$

The solution of the initial value problem is therefore  $y(x) = 1 + e^{\frac{1}{x}-1}$ .

[This problem can also be solved using separation of the variables!]