

1. Use the fundamental theorem of calculus to evaluate $\int_0^1 x \ln x \, dx$.

2. Find the following integrals. They may or may not exist depending on $p \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$(a) \int_0^1 x^p \, dx, \quad (b) \int_1^\infty x^p \, dx, \quad (c) \int_0^\infty x^p \, dx.$$

3. The Gamma function is defined by $\Gamma(x) = \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^{x-1} \, dt$ for $x \in (0, \infty)$. Show that $\Gamma(n+1) = n!$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

4. Let $\alpha(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & x \in [-1, 0), \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ 1, & x \in (0, 1] \end{cases}$ and $f \in \mathcal{B}[-1, 1]$ such that f is continuous at 0.

Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 f \, d\alpha$.

5. Let $\alpha(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} H(x - \frac{1}{n})$. Evaluate the following integrals.

$$(a) \int_0^1 f \, d\alpha \text{ for } f \in \mathcal{C}[0, 1], \quad (b) \int_0^1 x \, d\alpha, \quad (c) \int_0^1 \alpha(x) \, dx.$$

6. Let $\alpha(x) = H(x) + H(x-1)$ on $[-1, 1]$ where $H(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0, \\ 1, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$

(a) Find $\int_{-1}^1 x^2 \, d\alpha$ without using integration by parts.

(b) Verify your answer in (a) using integration by parts.

(c) Determine whether $\int_{-1}^1 \alpha(x) \, d\alpha(x)$ exists or not.

(d) For (c), we might try to use integration by parts as follows:

$$\int_{-1}^1 \alpha \, d\alpha = \alpha^2 \Big|_{-1}^1 - \int_{-1}^1 \alpha \, d\alpha \quad \implies \quad \int_{-1}^1 \alpha \, d\alpha = \frac{2^2 - 0^2}{2} = 2,$$

which is false. What is wrong in the above argument?

7. Find the following integrals if they exist, where $\tilde{H}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq 0, \\ 1, & x > 0. \end{cases}$

$$(a) \int_{-1}^1 H \, d\tilde{H}, \quad (b) \int_{-1}^1 \tilde{H} \, dH.$$

8. Find the following integrals if they exist:

$$(a) \int_0^3 [x] \, dx^2, \quad (b) \int_0^3 x^2 \, d[x], \quad (c) \int_1^3 ([x] + x) \, d(x^2 + e^x).$$