
Formula sheet for Math 152, Exam 2

$$\int \frac{du}{u} = \ln |u| + C ; \quad \int \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \tan^{-1} x + C ; \quad \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \sin^{-1} x + C .$$

$$\ln(a^b) = b(\ln a) ; \quad \tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} ; \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1 .$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{1/n} = 1 ; \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} = 0 ; \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = e ; \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^k}{a^n} = 0 \text{ if } a > 1 .$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c^n = 0 \text{ when } |c| < 1 ; \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c^n = \frac{1}{1-c} \text{ when } |c| < 1 .$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p} \text{ converges if } p > 1 \text{ (and diverges if } p \leq 1).$$

If the statement $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ is false, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges.

If $0 \leq a_n \leq b_n$ then: (a) If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ converges then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges, (b) if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ diverges.

If $a_n > 0$, $b_n > 0$, $0 < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} < \infty$, then the two series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ both converge or both diverge.

If $f(x)$ is a positive decreasing continuous function and $a_n = f(n)$ then

$$\int_{n+1}^{\infty} f(x) dx \leq a_{n+1} + a_{n+2} + a_{n+3} + \cdots \leq \int_n^{\infty} f(x) dx .$$

If $b_n > 0$, $b_1 \geq b_2 \geq b_3 \geq \cdots$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0$ then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n b_n$ converges.

$\sum a_n$ converges absolutely when $\sum |a_n|$ converges. $\sum a_n$ converges conditionally when it converges, but does not converge absolutely. If $\sum a_n$ converges absolutely, then $\sum a_n$ converges.

If $a_n \neq 0$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a_{n+1}|}{|a_n|} = L$ then $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sum a_n \text{ converges absolutely if } L < 1, \\ \sum a_n \text{ diverges if } L > 1, \\ \text{the test is inconclusive if } L = 1. \end{array} \right.$

If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_n|^{1/n} = L$ then $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sum a_n \text{ converges absolutely if } L < 1, \\ \sum a_n \text{ diverges if } L > 1, \\ \text{the test is inconclusive if } L = 1. \end{array} \right.$

The n th Taylor polynomial of $f(x)$ with center a is $T_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{f^{(k)}(a)}{k!} (x-a)^k$. The n th remainder term is $R_n(x) = f(x) - T_n(x)$.

If $|f^{(n+1)}(x)| \leq M$ for $|x-a| \leq d$, then $|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x-a|^{n+1}$ for $|x-a| \leq d$.

The Taylor series of $f(x)$ with center a is $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} (x-a)^n$.

$$e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} ; \quad \sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} ; \quad \cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n}}{(2n)!} ;$$

$$(1+x)^k = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{k(k-1)(k-2)\cdots(k-n+1)}{n!} \right) x^n \text{ if } |x| < 1 .$$
