

Assignment 6

1. $f(x) = x^2 - x^3 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$ max & min occur at endpoint or
at a critical point.

$0 = f'(x) = 2x - 3x^2 = x(2 - 3x)$

$\Rightarrow x = 0, 2 - 3x = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{2}{3}$

Check f at 0, 1, 2/3

$\|f\|_{\infty} = \frac{4}{27}$

x	f(x)
0	0
1	0
2/3	$\frac{4}{9} - \frac{8}{27} = \frac{12-8}{27} = \frac{4}{27}$

$f(x) = x^2 - x^3 \quad -1 \leq x \leq 2$

$0 = f'(x) \Rightarrow x = 0, 2/3$

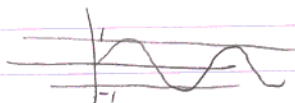
Check f at $-1, 0, 2/3, 2$

$\|f\|_{\infty} = \sup |f(x)| = |-4| = 4, \quad -1 \leq x \leq 2$

x	f(x)
-1	$1 + 1 = 2$
0	0
2/3	4/27
2	$4 - 8 = -4$

$f(x) = \sin x \quad -\infty < x < \infty$

$\|f\|_{\infty} = 1$



2. g. 163: $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+nx} \quad I = [0, 1], f = 0$

$f_n(x) - f(x) = f_n(x)$

$f_n'(x) = \frac{(1+nx) - xn}{(1+nx)^2} = \frac{1}{(1+nx)^2}$ nowhere zero (no critical pt!)

check f_n at endpoints $f_n(0) = 0, f_n(1) = \frac{1}{1+n}$

$\|f_n - f\|_{\infty} = \|f_n\|_{\infty} = \frac{1}{1+n}$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|f_n - f\| = 0$, so unif convergent

$-\frac{1}{1+n} < -\frac{1}{2n} < 0$

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2. $f_n(x) = \frac{nx^2}{1+nx} \quad f(x) = x$

$g_n(x) = (f_n - f)(x) = \frac{nx^2 - x(1+nx)}{1+nx} = \frac{-x}{1+nx}$

x	f_n(x)
0	0
1/n	$-\frac{1}{2n}$
1	$-\frac{1}{1+n}$

$0 = g_n'(x) = \frac{(-1) - (-x)n}{(1+nx)^2} = \frac{nx - 1}{(1+nx)^2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{n}$

$g_n(\frac{1}{n}) = \frac{\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n}(1+1)}{2} = -\frac{1}{2n} \quad \|g_n\|_{\infty} = \frac{1}{1+n} \rightarrow 0.$

$$12 \quad f_n(x) = n^2 x^n (1-x) = n^2 x^n - n^2 x^{n+1}$$

$$f(x) = 0 \quad I = [0, 1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 = f_n'(x) &= n^2 \cdot n x^{n-1} - n^2 (n+1) x^n \\ &= n^2 x^{n-1} - n^3 x^n - n^2 x^{n+1} \\ &= x^{n-1} (n^2 - n^3 x - n^2 x^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$x=0, \quad (n^2 + n^2) x = n^3 \Rightarrow x = \frac{n^2}{n^2 + n^2} = \frac{n}{n+1}$$

$$f_n(0) = 0, \quad f_n(1) = 0 \quad f_n\left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)$$

$$\|f_n\|_{\infty} = \max_{x \in I} \{ |f_n(x)|, |f_n'(x)| \}$$

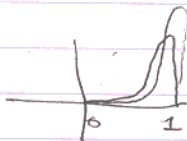
$$= |f_n\left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)| = \frac{n^2 n^n}{(n+1)^n} \left(1 - \frac{n}{n+1}\right)$$

$$= \frac{n^2 n^n}{(n+1)^n} \cdot \frac{1}{n+1} = \frac{n^{n+2}}{(n+1)^{n+1}}$$

$$= \frac{n}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n+1}} = \frac{n}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \cdot \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)} \rightarrow \infty \quad \text{since}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 + \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 1 \\ \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \rightarrow e \end{array} \right.$$

Does not converge uniformly.



$$16. \quad f_n(x) = (n+1)(n+2)x^n(1-x)$$

$$\text{for } x \leq 1 \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (n+1)(n+2)x^n(1-x) = (1-x) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (n+1)(n+2)x^n$$

$$\text{Set } x = \frac{1}{c}, \quad c > 1. \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{c^n}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x+1)(x+2)}{c^x} = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x+3}{c^x \ln c} = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{c^x (\ln c)^2} = \frac{2}{\infty} = 0$$

Thus $f_n(x) \rightarrow 0$ for each $x \in I$. On the other hand

$$\int_0^1 f_n(x) dx = (n+1)(n+2) \int_0^1 (x^n - x^{n+1}) dx$$

$$= (n+1)(n+2) \left[\frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} - \frac{x^{n+2}}{n+2} \right]_0^1$$

$$= (n+1)(n+2) \frac{(n+2) - (n+1)}{(n+1)(n+2)} = 1$$

whereas $\int_0^1 f(x) dx = \int_0^1 0 dx = 0$. The convergence cannot
be uniform (since $f_n \rightarrow f$ unif $\Rightarrow \int_0^1 f_n(x) dx \rightarrow \int_0^1 f(x) dx$)

ie, without doing any calculation, we know that $\|f_n - f\|_\infty$
 does not converge to 0.

2.167: | - we have $h < 1$ and $I = [-h, h] \Rightarrow$

$$\|x^n\|_\infty = \sup_{-h \leq x \leq h} |x^n| \leq h^n$$

$$\sum \|x^n\|_\infty = \sum h^n < \infty \quad (\text{geometric series ratio } h < 1)$$

You can use following result for power series

If $\sum c_n x^n$ converges on $(-r, r)$ then it converges
 uniformly on $I = [-h, h]$ for any $h < r$.

Proof: $\|c_n x^n\|_\infty = \sup_{-h \leq x \leq h} |c_n x^n| = |c_n| |h|^n$

$$\sum \|c_n x^n\|_\infty = \sum |c_n| |h|^n < \infty$$

- we are using the fact that if a power series converges on $(-r, r)$
 then it converges absolutely at each point in $(-r, r)$.

7. $\sum \frac{n! (x-3)^n}{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}$ ratio test will give you radius of convergence

$$\lim \left| \frac{(n+1)! (x-3)^{n+1}}{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)(2n+1) \cdot n! (x-3)^n} \right|$$

$$= |x-3| \lim \frac{n+1}{2n+1} = |x-3| \cdot \frac{1}{2} < 1$$

$$|x-3| < 2 \quad I = [1-E, 5-E]$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 1+E \quad 5+E \\ | \quad | \\ 1 \quad 5 \end{array}$$