

- (A) APPROXIMATE $\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{e}}$ USING THE FIRST 5 TERMS OF A MACLAURIN SERIES, AND FIND AN UPPER BOUND FOR THE ERROR IN THE APPROXIMATION

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots, \text{ so}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{e}} = e^{-1/3} = 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^2}{2!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^3}{3!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^4}{4!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^5}{5!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{9 \cdot 2} - \frac{1}{27 \cdot 6} + \frac{1}{81 \cdot 24} - \frac{1}{243 \cdot 120} + \dots$$

$$\approx \boxed{1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{18} - \frac{1}{162} + \frac{1}{1944}} \quad \text{WITH } |E| < \frac{1}{29,160}$$

- (B) APPROXIMATE $\int_0^1 e^{-x^2/2} dx$ USING THE FIRST 5 NONZERO TERMS OF A MACLAURIN SERIES, AND FIND AN UPPER BOUND FOR THE ERROR IN THE APPROXIMATION.

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots, \text{ so}$$

$$e^{-x^2/2} = 1 + \left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right) + \frac{\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)^2}{2!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)^3}{3!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)^4}{4!} + \frac{\left(-\frac{x^2}{2}\right)^5}{5!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{8} - \frac{x^6}{48} + \frac{x^8}{384} - \frac{x^{10}}{3840} + \dots \text{ AND}$$

$$\int_0^1 e^{-x^2/2} dx = \int_0^1 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{8} - \frac{x^6}{48} + \frac{x^8}{384} - \frac{x^{10}}{3840} + \dots\right) dx$$

$$= \left[x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^5}{40} - \frac{x^7}{336} + \frac{x^9}{3456} - \frac{x^{11}}{42,240} + \dots \right]_0^1$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{40} - \frac{1}{336} + \frac{1}{3456} - \frac{1}{42,240} + \dots$$

$$\approx \boxed{1 - \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{40} - \frac{1}{336} + \frac{1}{3456}} \quad \text{WITH } |E| < \frac{1}{42,240}$$

- (C) APPROXIMATE $\int_0^{.8} \frac{x^3}{x^5+2} dx$ USING THE FIRST 4 NONZERO TERMS OF A MACLAURIN SERIES, AND FIND AN UPPER BOUND FOR THE ERROR IN THIS ESTIMATE.

$$\frac{x^3}{x^5+2} = \frac{x^{3/2}}{x^{5/2}+1} = \frac{x^{3/2}}{1 - (-x^{5/2})} = \frac{x^3}{2} - \frac{x^8}{4} + \frac{x^{13}}{8} - \frac{x^{18}}{16} + \frac{x^{23}}{32} - \dots$$

$$\left(\frac{a}{1-r}, \text{ where } a = \frac{x^3}{2}, r = -x^{5/2} \right)$$

$$\text{so } \int_0^{.8} \frac{x^3}{x^5+2} dx = \int_0^{.8} \left(\frac{x^3}{2} - \frac{x^8}{4} + \frac{x^{13}}{8} - \frac{x^{18}}{16} + \frac{x^{23}}{32} - \dots \right) dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{x^4}{8} - \frac{x^9}{36} + \frac{x^{14}}{112} - \frac{x^{19}}{304} + \frac{x^{24}}{768} - \dots \right]_0^{.8}$$

$$= \frac{(.8)^4}{8} - \frac{(.8)^9}{36} + \frac{(.8)^{14}}{112} - \frac{(.8)^{19}}{304} + \frac{(.8)^{24}}{768} - \dots$$

$$\approx \boxed{\frac{(.8)^4}{8} - \frac{(.8)^9}{36} + \frac{(.8)^{14}}{112} - \frac{(.8)^{19}}{304}} \quad \text{WITH } |E| < \frac{(.8)^{24}}{768}$$

- Ⓓ APPROXIMATE $\sqrt{104}$ USING THE FIRST 4 TERMS OF A TAYLOR SERIES, AND FIND AN UPPER BOUND FOR THE ERROR IN THIS ESTIMATE.

LET $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ AND $a = 100$.

$$f(x) = x^{1/2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2}$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{1}{4} x^{-3/2}$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{3}{8} x^{-5/2}$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = -\frac{15}{16} x^{-7/2}$$

n	$f^{(n)}(a)$	$\frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!}$
0	10	10
1	$\frac{1}{20}$	$\frac{1}{20}$
2	$-\frac{1}{4000}$	$-\frac{1}{8,000}$
3	$\frac{3}{800,000}$	$\frac{1}{1,600,000}$
4	$-\frac{15}{160,000}$	$-\frac{5}{1,280,000,000}$

$$\sqrt{x} \approx 10 + \frac{1}{20}(x-100) - \frac{1}{8,000}(x-100)^2 + \frac{1}{1,600,000}(x-100)^3 - \frac{1}{256,000,000}(x-100)^4 + \dots$$

$$\text{so } \sqrt{104} \approx 10 + \frac{1}{20}(4) - \frac{1}{8,000}(4^2) + \frac{1}{1,600,000}(4^3) - \frac{1}{256,000,000}(4^4) + \dots$$

$$\approx \boxed{10 + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{500} + \frac{1}{25,000}} = \boxed{10.198040} \quad \text{WITH } |E| < \frac{1}{1,000,000} = .000001$$

(NOTICE THAT THE SERIES HAS TERMS WHICH ARE ALTERNATING IN SIGN AND DECREASING IN ABSOLUTE VALUE, STARTING WITH THE SECOND TERM.)

- Ⓔ APPROXIMATE $\int_0^{.3} \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1+x^4}} dx$ USING THE FIRST 4 NONZERO TERMS OF A MACLAURIN SERIES, AND FIND AN UPPER BOUND FOR THE ERROR IN THIS ESTIMATE.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x}} &= (1+x)^{-1/2} = 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)x + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)}{3!}x^3 + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{7}{2}\right)}{4!}x^4 + \dots \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{8}x^2 - \frac{5}{16}x^3 + \frac{35}{128}x^4 - \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^4}} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x^4 + \frac{3}{8}x^8 - \frac{5}{16}x^{12} + \frac{35}{128}x^{16} - \dots \quad (\text{since } (x^4)^n = x^{4n})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \int_0^{.3} \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1+x^4}} dx &= \int_0^{.3} x^2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}x^4 + \frac{3}{8}x^8 - \frac{5}{16}x^{12} + \frac{35}{128}x^{16} - \dots\right) dx \\ &= \int_0^{.3} \left(x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^6 + \frac{3}{8}x^{10} - \frac{5}{16}x^{14} + \frac{35}{128}x^{18} - \dots\right) dx \\ &= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^7}{14} + \frac{3}{88}x^{11} - \frac{1}{48}x^{15} + \frac{35}{2432}x^{19} - \dots \right]_0^{.3} \\ &= \frac{(.3)^3}{3} - \frac{(.3)^7}{14} + \frac{3}{88}(.3)^{11} - \frac{1}{48}(.3)^{15} + \frac{35}{2432}(.3)^{19} - \dots \\ &\approx \boxed{\frac{(.3)^3}{3} - \frac{(.3)^7}{14} + \frac{3}{88}(.3)^{11} - \frac{(.3)^{15}}{48}} \quad \text{WITH } |E| < \frac{35}{2432}(.3)^{19} \end{aligned}$$