

AP CALCULUS  
AVERAGE VALUE OF A FUNCTION

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

Critical Numbers

$$f' \exists \forall x \in [1, 2]$$

$$f'(x) \neq 0$$

$\therefore$  no critical numbers

Extreme Value Theorem

$$f(1) = 1 \text{ (max)}$$

$$f(2) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ (min)}$$

$$\text{Since } 1(2-1) = 1 \text{ and } \frac{1}{2}(2-1) = \frac{1}{2} \longrightarrow \int_1^2 \frac{1}{x} dx \in \left[ \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right]$$

$$2. f'(x) = \frac{3x^2}{2\sqrt{x^3 + 1}}$$

Critical Numbers

$$f' \exists \forall x \in [0, 2]$$

$f'(x) = 0$  when  $x = 0$

Extreme Value Theorem

$$f(0) = 1 \text{ (min)}$$

$$f(2) = 3 \text{ (max)}$$

$$\text{Since } 1(2-0) = 2 \text{ and } 3(2-0) = 6 \longrightarrow \int_0^2 \sqrt{x^3 + 1} dx \in [2, 6]$$

$$3. f'(x) = \frac{2x^3}{\sqrt{1+x^4}}$$

Critical Numbers

$$f' \exists \forall x \in [-1, 1]$$

$f'(x) = 0$  when  $x = 0$

Extreme Value Theorem

$$f(-1) = \sqrt{2} \text{ (max)}$$

$$f(1) = \sqrt{2}$$

$$f(0) = 1 \text{ (min)}$$

$$\text{Since } \sqrt{2}(1-(-1)) = 2\sqrt{2} \text{ and } 1(1-(-1)) = 2 \longrightarrow \int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{1+x^4} dx \in [2, 2\sqrt{2}]$$

$$4. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^3 (x^2 - 2x) dx = \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{3}x^3 - x^2 \right) \Big|_0^3 = 0$$

$$5. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{1-(-1)} \int_{-1}^1 x^4 dx = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{5}x^5 \right) \Big|_{-1}^1 = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$6. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{\pi} - \frac{\pi}{2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/4} \sin^2 x \cos x \, dx \approx .191$$

$$7. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{4-1} \int_1^4 \frac{1}{x} \, dx = \frac{1}{3} \ln|x| \Big|_1^4 = \frac{2 \ln 2}{3}$$

$$8. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{2-0} \int_0^2 (4-x^2) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left( 4x - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right) \Big|_0^2 = \frac{8}{3}$$

Now,

$$4 - c^2 = \frac{8}{3} \implies c = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} \text{ or } c = -\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} \therefore c = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$9. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{3-0} \int_0^3 (4x - x^2) \, dx = \frac{1}{3} \left( 2x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right) \Big|_0^3 = 3$$

Now,

$$4c - c^2 = 3 \implies c = 1 \text{ or } c = 3 \therefore c = 1 \text{ or } c = 3 (\text{ both are in } [0, 3] .)$$

$$10. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{2-0} \int_0^2 (x^3 - x + 1) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{4}x^4 - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + x \right) \Big|_0^2 = 2$$

Now,

$$c^3 - c + 1 = 2 \implies c \approx 1.325 \therefore c \approx 1.325$$

$$11. f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\sqrt{\pi}} x \sin x^2 \, dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}}$$

Now,

$$c \sin c^2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \implies c \approx .851 \text{ or } c = 1.673 \therefore c \approx .851 \text{ or } c = 1.673$$