

Integral and Differential Inequalities

(Integrate inequality) Use $f(x) > g(x) \Rightarrow \int f > \int g$

1. Given a real function $f(x) > x \quad \forall x$, prove that $\int_0^1 f(x) dx > 0.5$

2. Prove that a) $|\int_a^{2a} \sin x^2 dx| < |a| \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}$ b) $\int_0^1 \sin x^2 dx < \frac{1}{3}$ c) $\int_0^1 \sin x^2 dx > \frac{13}{42}$

3. $|f'(x)| < 5 \quad \forall x$. Prove that $|f(77) - f(7)| < 350$.

4. Given f such that $f(0)=0$, f' be continuous and $f'(x) > \cos(x) \quad \forall x > 0$, prove that $f(x) > \sin(x) \quad \forall x > 0$.

5. $f(x)f'(x) \geq x \quad \forall x$. Prove that $f^2(x) - f^2(y) \geq x^2 - y^2 \quad \forall x > y$

6. Given f such that $f(2)=4$, f' be continuous and $f'(x) > \ln x + \frac{1}{\ln x} \quad \forall x > 1$, prove that $f(x) > 2x \quad \forall x > 2$.

(Substitute) Use another function

7. Given f such that $f(0)=3$, f' be continuous and $f'(x) + 2f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x$, prove that $f(x) < 3e^{-2x} \quad \forall x < 0$.

(Split segment) $\int_a^b f + \int_b^c f = \int_a^c f$

8. $f(x)$ be continuous, $f(x)$ - x increasing. Prove that

$$\int_{a+k}^{b+k} f(x) dx - \int_a^b f(x) dx \geq k(b-a) \quad \forall b > a, k > 0$$

9. Prove that a) $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^{\frac{3}{2}}} < 4 - \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{n}}$ b) $\sum_{i=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i \ln i}$ is divergent.

Credit problems

IDI1. Let $0 < a < b$. Prove that $\int_a^b (x^2 + 1) e^{-x^2} dx \geq e^{-a^2} - e^{-b^2}$.

IDI2. Call $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ a good function if $|f(x) - f(y)| \geq |x - y|$ for all pairs $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$.

Find the minimum of $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$ over all good functions.

IDI3. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, +\infty)$ be a differentiable function, and suppose that there exists a constant $L > 0$ such that $|f'(x) - f'(y)| \leq L|x - y|$ for all pairs $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$. Prove that $(f'(x))^2 < 2L f(x)$.

IDI4. Given f be two times differentiable such that $f(0)=1, f'(0)=0$ and $f''(x) - 5f'(x) + 6f(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \geq 0$, prove that $f(x) \geq 3e^{2x} - 2e^{3x} \quad \forall x \geq 0$.

IDI5. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, +\infty)$ be a continuously differentiable function. Prove that

$$\left| \int_0^1 f^3(x) dx - f^2(0) \int_0^1 f(x) dx \right| \leq \max_{0 \leq x \leq 1} |f'(x)| \left(\int_0^1 f(x) dx \right)^2.$$