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Solve the following neatly on separate paper. Use your calculator on problem 1 only.

1. Let f be a function that has derivatives of all orders for all real numbers x Assume that f(5) = 6, f'(5) = 8, f''(5) = 30, f'''(5) = 48, and $|f^{(4)}(x)| \le 75$

for all x in the interval [5, 5.2].

- (a) Find the third-degree Taylor polynomial about x = 5 for f(x).
- (b) Use your answer to part (a) to estimate the value of f(5.2). What is the maximum possible error in making this estimate? Give three decimal places.
- (c) Find an interval [a, b] such that $a \le f(5.2) \le b$. Give three decimal places.
- (d) Could f(5.2) equal 8.254? Show why or why not.
- 2. Let f be the function given by $f(x) = \cos\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ and let P(x) be the third-degree Taylor polynomial for f about x = 0.
- (a) Find P(x).
- (b) Use the Lagrange error bound to show that $\left| f\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) P\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) \right| < \frac{1}{12,000}$.
- 3. Find the first four nonzero terms of the power series for $f(x) = \sin x$ centered at $x = \frac{3\pi}{4}$.

Find the first four nonzero terms and the general term for the Maclaurin series for:

$$4. \quad f(x) = x \cos(x^3)$$

$$5. \quad g(x) = \frac{x^2}{1+x}$$

Find the radius and interval of convergence for:

6.
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (x-2)^n}{3^n n^2}$$

7.
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2n)!(x-5)^n$$

Multiple Choice

- 8. The coefficient of x^6 in the Taylor series expansion about x = 0 for $f(x) = \sin(x^2)$ is
- $(A) \frac{1}{6}$ (B) 0 $(C) \frac{1}{120}$ $(D) \frac{1}{6}$ (E) 1
- 9. If f is a function such that $f'(x) = \sin(x^2)$, then the coefficient of x^7 in the Taylor series for f(x) about x = 0 is

$$(A)\frac{1}{7!}$$
 $(B)\frac{1}{7}$ (C) 0 $(D)-\frac{1}{42}$ $(E)-\frac{1}{7!}$

Answers to Worksheet on Power Series and Lagrange Error Bound

1. (a)
$$6+8(x-5)+15(x-5)^2+8(x-5)^3$$

(b)
$$f(5.2) \approx P_3(5.2) = 8.264$$

 $|R_3(5.2)| \le 0.005$

(c)
$$8.259 \le f(5.2) \le 8.269$$

(d) No, 8.254 does not lie in the interval found in part (c).

2. (a)
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - x - \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{2!}x^2 + \frac{4}{3!}x^3$$

(b)
$$\left| R_3 \left(\frac{1}{10} \right) \right| \le \left| \frac{16 \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^4}{4!} \right| = \frac{2^4 \left(\frac{1}{2^4 \cdot 5^4} \right)}{4!} = \frac{1}{5^4 \cdot 4!} = \frac{1}{625 \cdot 24} = \frac{1}{15,000} < \frac{1}{12,000}$$

3.
$$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2 \cdot 2!} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^2 + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2 \cdot 3!} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^3 + \dots$$

4.
$$x - \frac{x^7}{2!} + \frac{x^{13}}{4!} - \frac{x^{19}}{6!} + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{6n+1}}{(2n)!}$$

5.
$$x^2 - x^3 + x^4 - x^5 + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{n+2}$$

6. Radius = 3; interval:
$$-1 \le x \le 5$$

7. Converges only if
$$x = 5$$