

AP[®] Calculus BC 2016 Free-Response Questions

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CALCULUS BC SECTION II, Part A

Time—30 minutes

Number of problems—2

vous hours

A graphing calculator is required for these problems.

Remo	ved				
t (hours)	0	1	3	6	8
R(t) (liters / hour)	.1340	1190	950	740	700

- 1. Water is pumped into a tank at a rate modeled by $W(t) = 2000e^{-t^2/20}$ liters per hour for $0 \le t \le 8$, where t is measured in hours. Water is removed from the tank at a rate modeled by R(t) liters per hour, where R is differentiable and decreasing on $0 \le t \le 8$. Selected values of R(t) are shown in the table above. At time t = 0, there are 50,000 liters of water in the tank.
 - (a) Estimate R'(2). Show the work that leads to your answer. Indicate units of measure.
 - (b) Use [left Riemann sum with the four subintervals indicated by the table to estimate the total amount of water removed from the tank during the 8 hours. Is this an overestimate or an underestimate of the total amount of water removed? Give a reason for your answer.
 - (c) Use your answer from part (b) to find an estimate of the total amount of water in the tank, to the nearest liter, at the end of 8 hours.
 - (d) For $0 \le t \le 8$, is there a time t when the rate at which water is pumped into the tank is the same as the rate at which water is removed from the tank? Explain why or why not.

(a)
$$R'(2) = Slope \frac{950-1190}{3-1} = [-120 \text{ liters/hy}^2]$$

(1)(1340)+(2)(190)+(3)(950)+(2)(740) = 8050L

PUT is decreasing, so it is an overestimate of the total water removed.

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E) Total Arnt. at end of 8 hrs.

Start
$$\rightarrow$$
 50,000 L

removed from part (b) \rightarrow 8050 L

$$AH) = 50,000 + \int_{0}^{8} W(+) - \int_{0}^{8} R(+)$$

$$= 50,000 + 7836.195 - 8050$$

$$= [49,786 L] \leftarrow \text{rearest liter}$$

(a)
$$W(t) = R(t) \rightarrow W(t) - R(t) = 0$$

 $W(0) - R(0) = 2000 - 1340 = 10100 > 0$
 $W(8) - R(8) = 81.524 - 700 = -1018.4710 \ge 0$
Since $W(t) \neq R(t)$ are both combinuous on
 $E_0, 81$, and $W(0) - R(0) > 0$ and $W(8) - R(8) \ge 0$,
then by the IVT, $W(t) - R(t)$ must be 0
for some value of t on $E_0, 81$. $= 0$ $W(t) = R(t)$

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Question 1

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(a)
$$R'(2) \approx \frac{R(3) - R(1)}{3 - 1} = \frac{950 - 1190}{3 - 1} = -120 \text{ liters/hr}^2$$

 $2:\begin{cases} 1: estimate \\ 1: units \end{cases}$

(b) The total amount of water removed is given by $\int_0^8 R(t) dt$.

$$\int_0^8 R(t) dt \approx 1 \cdot R(0) + 2 \cdot R(1) + 3 \cdot R(3) + 2 \cdot R(6)$$
= 1(1340) + 2(1190) + 3(950) + 2(740)
= 8050 liters

3: { 1 : left Riemann sum 3 : { 1 : estimate

1 : overestimate with reason

This is an overestimate since R is a decreasing function.

(c) Total
$$\approx 50000 + \int_0^8 W(t) dt - 8050$$

= $50000 + 7836.195325 - 8050 \approx 49786$ liters

 $2:\begin{cases} 1: integral \\ 1: estimate \end{cases}$

(d) W(0) - R(0) > 0, W(8) - R(8) < 0, and W(t) - R(t) is continuous.

2: $\begin{cases} 1 : \text{considers } W(t) - R(t) \\ 1 : \text{answer with explanation} \end{cases}$

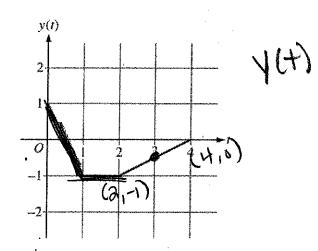
Therefore, the Intermediate Value Theorem guarantees at least one time t, 0 < t < 8, for which W(t) - R(t) = 0, or W(t) = R(t).

For this value of t, the rate at which water is pumped into the tank is the same as the rate at which water is removed from the tank.





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- 2. At time t, the position of a particle moving in the xy-plane is given by the parametric functions (x(t), y(t)), where $\frac{dx}{dt} = t^2 + \sin(3t^2)$. The graph of y, consisting of three line segments, is shown in the figure above. At t = 0, the particle is at position (5, 1).
 - (a) Find the position of the particle at t = 3.
 - (b) Find the slope of the line tangent to the path of the particle at t = 3.
 - (c) Find the speed of the particle at t = 3.
 - (d) Find the total distance traveled by the particle from t = 0 to t = 2.

@ position at t=3

 $X(3) - X(0) = \int_0^3 t^3 + \sin(3t^2) dt$ math 9

X(3) - 5 = 9.377 END OF PART A OF SECTION II X(3) = 14.377 (14.377,-1/2)]

(b) SLOPE Out t=3 dy = (1-0) 3 + 4 3 + 4Visit the

$$\Rightarrow = \frac{12}{9.950} = [0.050]$$

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 $\chi'(3)$ 3²+Sin(3.3²)

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(d) since y'(1) has different slopes from t=0 -) t=1

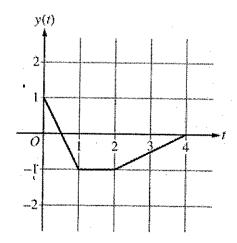
and t=1 -) t=2,

make two integrals

$$\int_{0}^{1} \sqrt{(t^{2}+\sin(3t^{2}))^{2}+(-2)^{2}} + \int_{0}^{2} \sqrt{(t^{2}+\sin(3t^{2}))^{2}+(0)^{2}}$$

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Question 2



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(a)
$$x(3) = x(0) + \int_0^3 x'(t) dt = 5 + 9.377035 = 14.377$$

 $y(3) = -\frac{1}{2}$

The position of the particle at t = 3 is (14.377, -0.5).

(b) Slope =
$$\frac{y'(3)}{x'(3)} = \frac{0.5}{9.956376} = 0.05$$

(c) Speed =
$$\sqrt{(x'(3))^2 + (y'(3))^2}$$
 = 9.969 (or 9.968)

(d) Distance
$$= \int_0^2 \sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + (y'(t))^2} dt$$
$$= \int_0^1 \sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + (-2)^2} dt + \int_1^2 \sqrt{(x'(t))^2 + 0^2} dt$$
$$= 2.237871 + 2.112003 = 4.350 \text{ (or } 4.349)$$

$$3: \begin{cases} 1 : integral \\ 1 : uses initial condition \\ 1 : answer \end{cases}$$

1 : slope

$$2: \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1: expression \ for \ speed \\ 1: answer \end{array} \right.$$

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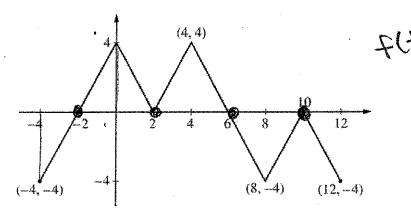
CALCULUS BC SECTION II, Part B

Time-60 minutes

Number of problems—4

No calculator is allowed for these problems.

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Graph of f

- 3. The figure above shows the graph of the piecewise-linear function f. For $-4 \le x \le 12$, the function g is defined by $g(x) = \int_2^x f(t) dt$.
 - (a) Does g have a relative minimum, a relative maximum, or neither at x = 10 Justify your answer.
 - (b) Does the graph of g have a point of inflection at x = 4.2 Justify your answer.
 - (c) Find the absolute minimum value and the absolute maximum value of g on the interval $-4 \le x \le 12$. Justify your answers.
 - (d) For $-4 \le x \le 12$, find all intervals for which $g(x) \le 0$.

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At $x=10 \rightarrow f(x) = g'(x)$ does not change signs, so x=10 is neither a rel max or rel. min

(b) g'(x) = f(x)Since g'(x) = f(x) changes from increasing to decreasing at x = 4, this means g(x) goes from concave up to g'(x) = 4. Visit the College Board on the Web: www.collegeboard.org. Concave down at

-4- X=4, SO X=4 IS an Inflection Point.

① ABSOLUTE max & min
The check endpts
$$(-4 \neq 12)$$

The check where $g'(x) = f(x) = 0$ $(-2, 2, 6, 10)$
 $\frac{x}{-4} = \int_{-4}^{4} f(t)dt = \int_{-4}^{2} f(t)dt = -\frac{4}{-4}$

$$.10 \quad S_{2}^{10}f(t)dt = 0$$

a)
$$g(x) \leq 0$$
 $g(x) = S_2^x f(t) dt$

g(x) ≤ 0 when the area is negative from 2 to x.

LOOK at chart above.

$$g(+0) \leftarrow 0$$
, $g(-0) \leftarrow 0$, $g(2) = 0 \Rightarrow -4 \leq x \leq 2$
 $g(10) = 0$, $g(12) \leftarrow 0$ $\Rightarrow 10 \leq x \leq 12$

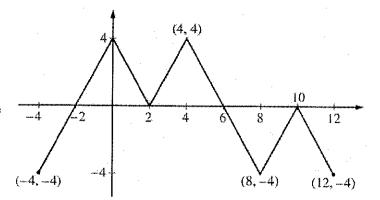
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Question 3

The figure above shows the graph of the piecewise-linear function f. For $-4 \le x \le 12$, the function g is defined by

$$g(x) = \int_2^x f(t)^n dt.$$

- (a) Does g have a relative minimum, a relative maximum, or neither at x = 10? Justify your answer.
- (b) Does the graph of g have a point of inflection at x = 4? Justify your answer.
- (c) Find the absolute minimum value and the absolute maximum value of g on the interval $-4 \le x \le 12$. Justify your answers.
- (d) For $-4 \le x \le 12$, find all intervals for which $g(x) \le 0$.



Graph of f

- (a) The function g has neither a relative minimum nor a relative maximum at x = 10 since g'(x) = f(x) and $f(x) \le 0$ for $8 \le x \le 12$.
- (b) The graph of g has a point of inflection at x = 4 since g'(x) = f(x) is increasing for $2 \le x \le 4$ and decreasing for $4 \le x \le 8$.
- (c) g'(x) = f(x) changes sign only at x = -2 and x = 6.

x	g(x)
-4	-4
-2	-8
6	8
12	4

On the interval $-4 \le x \le 12$, the absolute minimum value is g(-2) = -8 and the absolute maximum value is g(6) = 8.

(d) $g(x) \le 0$ for $-4 \le x \le 2$ and $10 \le x \le 12$.

1:
$$g'(x) = f(x)$$
 in (a), (b), (c), or (d)

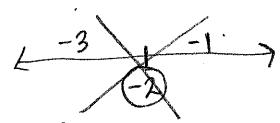
4:
$$\begin{cases} 1 : \text{considers } x = -2 \text{ and } x = 6 \\ \text{as candidates} \\ 1 : \text{considers } x = -4 \text{ and } x = 12 \\ 2 : \text{answers with justification} \end{cases}$$

2: intervals

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- 4. Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 \frac{1}{2}y$.
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 - (b) Let y = f(x) be the particular solution to the given differential equation whose graph passes through the point (-2, 8). Does the graph of f have a relative minimum, a relative maximum, or neither at the point (-2, 8)? Justify your answer.
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 - (d) Let y = h(x) be the particular solution to the given differential equation with h(0) = 2. Use Euler's method, starting at x = 0 with two steps of equal size, to approximate h(1).

(b) plug in (-2,8) to $\frac{dy}{dx}$ to see if it is a critical pt. $(-2)^2 - \frac{1}{2}(8) = 4 - 4 = 0$ \vee critical pt.



can't do since we don't know y valves -) and Denv. Test

$$\frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{3}} = 2x - \frac{1}{2}(x^{3} - \frac{1}{2}4)$$

$$2(-2) - \frac{1}{2}[(-2)^{2} - \frac{1}{2}(8)]$$

$$-4 - \frac{1}{2}[4 - 4] = -440$$

means y is concare

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(a)
$$g(-1) = 2$$
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$$\lim_{X \to -1} \left(\frac{9(X) - 2}{3(X + 1)^2} \right) = \frac{9(-1) - 2}{3(-1 + 1)^2} = \frac{2 - 2}{3(0)} = \frac{0}{0}$$

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$$\lim_{X \to -1} \left(\frac{g'(X)}{G(X+1)} \right) = \frac{|g'(-1)|}{|G(-1)+1|} = \frac{(-1)^2 - \frac{1}{2}(-1)}{|G(-1)|} = \frac{0}{|G(-1)|}$$
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L'Hopital's Rule
$$\lim_{X \to -1} \left(\frac{9''(x)}{10} \right) = \frac{2(-1) - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{10} - \frac{3}{2} \left(-1 \right) \right]}{10} = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{2(-1) - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{10} - \frac{3}{2} \left(-1 \right) \right]}{10} = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{2}{1$$

$$\frac{X}{0} = 2 \quad \text{Eulers received}$$

$$\frac{X}{0} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{dX}{dx} \quad \frac{dY}{dx}$$

$$0.5 \quad \frac{1.35}{1.25} \quad \frac{(0.5)^2 - \frac{1}{2}(1.5) = -.5}{(-.5)(.5)} = -.25$$

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Question 4

Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 - \frac{1}{2}y$.

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(a)
$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2x - \frac{1}{2}\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x - \frac{1}{2}\left(x^2 - \frac{1}{2}y\right)$$

2:
$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$$
 in terms of x and y

(b)
$$\frac{dy}{dx}\Big|_{(x, y)=(-2, 8)} = (-2)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot 8 = 0$$

 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\Big|_{(x, y)=(-2, 8)} = 2(-2) - \frac{1}{2}((-2)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot 8) = -4 < 0$

2: conclusion with justification

Thus, the graph of f has a relative maximum at the point (-2, 8).

(c)
$$\lim_{x \to -1} (g(x) - 2) = 0$$
 and $\lim_{x \to -1} 3(x + 1)^2 = 0$

 $3: \begin{cases} 2: L'Hospital's Rule \\ 1: answer \end{cases}$

$$\lim_{x \to -1} \left(\frac{g(x) - 2}{3(x+1)^2} \right) = \lim_{x \to -1} \left(\frac{g'(x)}{6(x+1)} \right)$$

$$\lim_{x \to -1} g'(x) = 0 \text{ and } \lim_{x \to -1} 6(x+1) = 0$$

Using L'Hospital's Rule,

$$\lim_{x \to -1} \left(\frac{g'(x)}{6(x+1)} \right) = \lim_{x \to -1} \left(\frac{g''(x)}{6} \right) = \frac{-2}{6} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

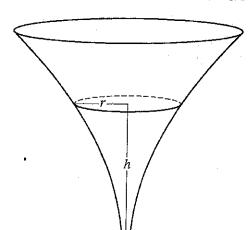
(d)
$$h\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \approx h(0) + h'(0) \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 2 + (-1) \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

 $h(1) \approx h\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + h'\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \approx \frac{3}{2} + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{5}{4}$

 $2: \begin{cases} 1: \text{Euler's method} \\ 1: \text{approximation} \end{cases}$

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units inches seconds

- 5. The inside of a funnel of height 10 inches has circular cross sections as shown in the figure above. At height h, the radius of the funnel is given by $r = \frac{1}{20}(3 + h^2)$, where $0 \le h \le 10$. The units of r and h are inches.
 - (a) Find the average value of the radius of the funnel.
 - (b) Find the volume of the funnel.
 - (c) The funnel contains liquid that is draining from the bottom. At the instant when the height of the liquid is h = 3 inches, the radius of the surface of the liquid is decreasing at a rate of $\frac{1}{5}$ inch per second. At this instant, what is the rate of change of the height of the liquid with respect to time?

(a) Average radius =
$$b-a$$
 $\int_{0}^{b} \int_{0}^{10} \frac{1}{20} (3+h^{2}) dh$
= $t_{0} \int_{0}^{10} \frac{2}{20} + \frac{1}{20} h^{2} dh$ $\frac{1}{20} h^{3}$
= $t_{0} \left[\frac{3}{20} (10) + \frac{1}{60} (10)^{3} \right]_{0}^{10}$ = $\left[\frac{1}{10} \left[\frac{3}{2} + \frac{23}{3} \right] + \frac{1}{10} \left[\frac{3}{2} + \frac{23}{3} \right] \right]_{0}^{10}$

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Circular cross sections Area of $0 = \pi r^2$ $\pi \left[\frac{1}{20} (3+h^2) \right]^2$

$$= \frac{\pi}{400} \left[9h + 2h^3 + \frac{1}{5}h^5 \right]_0^{10}$$

$$= \left| \frac{\pi}{400} \left[9(10) + 2(10)^3 + 5(10)^5 \right] \text{ in}^3 \right| =$$

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$$r = \frac{1}{20} (3 + h^2)$$

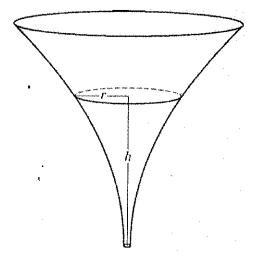
$$h=3in. dr = -1/5 dr = ?$$

$$-\frac{1}{5} = \frac{3}{10} \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$-\frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{10}{3} = -\frac{10}{15} = -\frac{2}{3}$$

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Question 5



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(a) Average radius =
$$\frac{1}{10} \int_0^{10} \frac{1}{20} (3 + h^2) dh = \frac{1}{200} \left[3h + \frac{h^3}{3} \right]_0^{10}$$

$$= \frac{1}{200} \left(\left(30 + \frac{1000}{3} \right) - 0 \right) = \frac{109}{60} \text{ in}$$

 $3: \begin{cases} 1 : integral \\ 1 : antiderivative \\ 1 : answer \end{cases}$

(b) Volume =
$$\pi \int_0^{10} \left(\left(\frac{1}{20} \right) (3 + h^2) \right)^2 dh = \frac{\pi}{400} \int_0^{10} \left(9 + 6h^2 + h^4 \right) dh$$

= $\frac{\pi}{400} \left[9h + 2h^3 + \frac{h^5}{5} \right]_0^{10}$
= $\frac{\pi}{400} \left(\left(90 + 2000 + \frac{100000}{5} \right) - 0 \right) = \frac{2209\pi}{40}$ in³

3: { 1: integrand 1: antiderivative 1: answer

(c)
$$\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{1}{20} (2h) \frac{dh}{dt}$$

 $-\frac{1}{5} = \frac{3}{10} \frac{dh}{dt}$
 $\frac{dh}{dt} = -\frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{10}{3} = -\frac{2}{3}$ in/sec

 $3:\begin{cases} 2: \text{ chain rule} \\ 1: \text{ answer} \end{cases}$

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- 6. The function f has Taylor series about x = 1 that converges to f(x) for all x in the interval of convergence It is known that f(1) = 1, $f'(1) = -\frac{1}{2}$, and the *n*th derivative of f at x = 1 is given by $f^{(n)}(1) = (-1)^n \frac{(n-1)!}{2^n}$ for $n \ge 2$.
 - (a) Write the first four nonzero terms and the general term of the Taylor series for f about x = 1.
 - (b) The Taylor series for f about x = 1 has a radius of convergence of 2. Find the interval of convergence. Show the work that leads to your answer.
 - (c) The Taylor series for f about x = 1 can be used to represent f(1.2) as an alternating series. Use the first three nonzero terms of the alternating series to approximate f(1.2)
 - (d) Show that the approximation found in part (c) is within 0.001 of the exact value of f(1.2).

(a)
$$f(1) + f'(1)(x-1) + f''(1)(x-1)^{2} + \frac{f'''(1)(x-1)^{3}}{3!}$$

$$1 + -\frac{1}{2}(X-1) + (-1)^{2}(2-1)!(X-1)^{2} + (-1)^{3}(3-1)!(X-1)^{3}$$

general term:
$$\frac{1}{2^n \cdot n!} \frac{(-1)^n (x-1)^n}{2^n \cdot n!} = \frac{2!}{2^n \cdot n!} \frac{(-1)^n (x-1)^n}{2^n \cdot n!}$$

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$$= \begin{cases} \frac{(-1)^n(x-1)^n}{2^n \cdot n} \end{cases}$$

$$X=-1$$
; $\frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{(-1)^{n}(-1)}{2^{n} \cdot n}$

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

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$$x=3: \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}$$

$$\frac{2}{N^{2}}\left(\frac{-1)^{n}(3-1)^{n}}{2^{n}\cdot n}=\frac{2}{N^{2}}\left(\frac{-1)^{n}}{2^{n}\cdot n}\right)^{n}=\frac{2}{N^{2}}\left(\frac{-1)^{n}}{2^{n}\cdot n}\right)^{n}+\frac{1}{N^{2}}\left(\frac{-1}{2^{n}\cdot n}\right)^{n}$$

(c)
$$f(1.2)$$
 using 15+3 nonzero terms

$$1 + -\frac{1}{2}(x-1) + (-1)^{2}(a-1)! (x-1)^{2}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2}(1.2-1) + (-1)^{2}(2-1)!(1.2-1)^{2}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2}(0.2) + \frac{(1)(1)(.2)^{2}}{4(2)} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}(0.2) + \frac{10.2}{8}$$

$$= 0.905$$

D since fla alternates with terms that decrease to 0, to find the error use the abs value of "next term"

$$4m$$
 term $-\frac{1}{2^3 \cdot 3!} \left(\frac{(x-1)^3}{8 \cdot 10} \right) = \frac{2! \cdot (1 \cdot 2 - 1)^3}{8 \cdot 10} = \frac{2(0 \cdot a)^3}{48}$

$$= \frac{(2)^3}{44}$$

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Question 6

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- (a) f(1) = 1, $f'(1) = -\frac{1}{2}$, $f''(1) = \frac{1}{2^2}$, $f'''(1) = -\frac{2}{2^3}$ $f(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{2}(x - 1) + \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 2}(x - 1)^2 - \frac{1}{2^3 \cdot 3}(x - 1)^3 + \cdots$ $+ \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n \cdot n}(x - 1)^n + \cdots$

4: { 1: first two terms 1: third term 1: fourth term

(b), R = 2. The series converges on the interval (-1, 3).

When x = -1, the series is $1 + 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots$. Since the harmonic series diverges, this series diverges. $2: \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1: identifies \ both \ endpoints \\ 1: analysis \ and \ interval \ of \ convergence \end{array} \right.$

When x = 3, the series is $1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \cdots$ Since the alternating harmonic series converges, this

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Therefore, the interval of convergence is $-1 < x \le 3$.

(c)
$$f(1.2) \approx 1 - \frac{1}{2}(0.2) + \frac{1}{8}(0.2)^2 = 1 - 0.1 + 0.005 = 0.905$$

1: approximation

(d) The series for f(1.2) alternates with terms that decrease in magnitude to 0.

 $2: \begin{cases} 1 : error form \\ 1 : analysis \end{cases}$

$$|f(1.2) - T_2(1.2)| \le \left| \frac{-1}{2^3 \cdot 3} (0.2)^3 \right| = \frac{1}{3000} \le 0.001$$