

Math 1720 Homework 2, due Friday Feb 3  
Explain all answers and show all calculations.

Problems in suggested order:

§7.2: 13, 17, 18, 19, 22, 12

Problems 1,2,3 below.

§7.1: 10, 13, 14

Note: We will discuss methods relevant to the §7.1 problems, and problem 2 below, on Monday.

Hint: in §7.2: 12, you will need to break into different cases depending on what interval  $x$  is in.

1. In each part (a),(b), let  $f, g$  be the functions specified. Determine: (i) Is  $g$  an inverse for  $f$ ? (ii) If not, determine the longest interval  $D$  such that  $g$  is an inverse for  $f$  over  $D$ .

(a)  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 5$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}(x+5)}$ .

(b)  $f(x) = 3x^6 + 1$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt[6]{\frac{1}{3}(x-1)}$ .

2. Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x^2}$ . Determine the longest intervals over which  $f$  is one-to-one.

3. Suppose  $\ln(a) = -3$  and  $\ln(b) = -2$ . Find

$$\int_a^b \frac{1}{x \ln(x^3)} dx$$