

Introduction to Partial Differential Equations  
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Main 0003  
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Homework 6. Due Wednesday, 7 November 2012.

Please remember that you are to attend 4 seminars or other events and hand in written summaries.

I would like to have recitation on Friday, 2 November.

1. Suppose that  $f$  is  $C^1$  and compactly supported on the real line. Prove that the difference quotient

$$\Delta_h f(x) = \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

converges uniformly to the derivative  $f'$  as  $h \rightarrow 0$ .

2. #18, Evans.
3. #21, Evans. It will be helpful to know a simpler expression for  $\text{curl curl } u$ .
4. #22, Evans.
5. #24, Evans.

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