

**BC 6**

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\cos x - 1}{x^2} & \text{for } x \neq 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

(a)  $\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$

$$\cos x - 1 = -\frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\cos x - 1}{x^2} = -\frac{1}{2!} + \frac{x^2}{4!} - \frac{x^4}{6!} + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} x^{2n}}{(2n+2)!} \text{ or } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n-2}}{(2n)!}$$

(b)  $f'(x) = \frac{2x}{4!} - \frac{4x^3}{6!} + \dots \Rightarrow f'(0) = 0$

$$f''(x) = \frac{2}{4!} - \frac{12x^2}{6!} + \dots \Rightarrow f''(0) = \frac{2}{4!} > 0$$

$f(x)$  has a relative minimum at  $x = 0$  because  $f'(0) = 0$  and  $f''(0) > 0$ .

(c)  $g(x) = 1 + \int_0^x f(t) dt \approx \boxed{1 - \frac{x}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3 \cdot 4!} - \frac{x^5}{5 \cdot 6!}}$

(d)  $g(1) \approx \boxed{1 - \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4!}}$

By the Alternating Series Estimation Theorem,

$$|\text{estimate} - \text{actual value}| < \frac{1^5}{5 \cdot 6!} = \frac{1}{5 \cdot 6!} < \frac{1}{6!}$$