

1. (10 Points Each) Find the following integrals.

$$(a) \int \frac{2x-3}{x^3+3x} dx$$

$$(d) \int x^3(x-1)^{-4} dx$$

$$(b) \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

$$(e) \int \ln(1+x^2) dx$$

$$(c) \int \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^3} dx$$

Solution: (Part a) Partial fractions,

$$\frac{2x-3}{x^3+3x} = \frac{2x-3}{x(x^2+3)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+3} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+3} = \frac{-1}{x} + \frac{x+2}{x^2+3}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{2x-3}{x^3+3x} dx &= \int \frac{-1}{x} + \frac{x+2}{x^2+3} dx \\ &= \int \frac{-1}{x} + \frac{x}{x^2+3} + \frac{2}{x^2+3} dx \\ &= -\ln(x) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+3) + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1}\left(x/\sqrt{3}\right) + C \end{aligned}$$

Solution: (Part b) Trigonometric substitution, with $x = \sin(\theta)$, so $dx = \cos(\theta) d\theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx &= \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-\sin^2(\theta)}} \cos(\theta) d\theta = \int x^2 d\theta = \int \sin^2(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2\theta)) d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \left(\theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta) \right) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta) + C = \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1}(x) - \frac{1}{2} x \sqrt{1-x^2} + C \end{aligned}$$

Solution: (Part c) Let $t = 1/x$, then $dt = -x^{-2} dx$ and $dx = -x^2 dt$. So

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^3} dx &= - \int \frac{\cos(t)}{x} dt = - \int \frac{\cos(t)}{1/t} dt = - \int t \cos(t) dt = -t \sin(t) + \int \sin(t) dt \\ &= -t \sin(t) - \cos(t) + C = -\frac{1}{x} \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + C \end{aligned}$$

Solution: (Part d) Let $u = x - 1$, then $du = dx$ and $x = u + 1$. So

$$\begin{aligned}\int x^3(x-1)^{-4} dx &= \int (u+1)^3 u^{-4} du = \int \frac{u^3 + 3u^2 + 3u + 1}{u^4} du \\ &= \int \frac{1}{u} + \frac{3}{u^2} + \frac{3}{u^3} + \frac{1}{u^4} du = \ln|u| - \frac{3}{u} - \frac{3}{2u^2} - \frac{1}{3u^3} + C \\ &= \ln|x-1| - \frac{3}{x-1} - \frac{3}{2(x-1)^2} - \frac{1}{3(x-1)^3} + C\end{aligned}$$

Solution: (Part e) Using integration by parts with $u = \ln(1+x^2)$ and $dv = dx$ we get $du = 2x/(1+x^2) dx$ and $v = x$. So

$$\begin{aligned}\int \ln(1+x^2) dx &= x \ln(1+x^2) - \int \frac{2x^2}{1+x^2} dx = x \ln(1+x^2) - \int 2 - \frac{2}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= x \ln(1+x^2) - 2x + 2 \tan^{-1}(x) + C\end{aligned}$$

2. **Extra Credit:** (5 Points) Find the following integral.

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1}} dx$$

Solution: Let $u = \sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1}$, then $du = \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{x}+1)^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} dx$, so $dx = 4\sqrt{x}\sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1} du$. So

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1}} dx &= \int \frac{1}{u} \cdot 4\sqrt{x}\sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1} du = 4 \int \sqrt{x} du = 4 \int u^2 - 1 du \\ &= \frac{4u^3}{3} - 4u + C = \frac{4\left(\sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1}\right)^3}{3} - 4\sqrt{\sqrt{x}+1} + C\end{aligned}$$