

Problem 1 Find the following integrals.

$$(a) \int 4x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 1 \, dx$$

Solution: $x^4 - \frac{2}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 - x + C$

$$(b) \int e^x + 2^x + \frac{1}{x} + \sqrt{x} \, dx$$

Solution: $e^x + \frac{2^x}{\ln(2)} + \ln|x| + \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$

$$(c) \int \sin(\theta) + \cos(\theta) + \tan(\theta) + \sec(\theta) \, d\theta$$

Solution: $-\cos(\theta) + \sin(\theta) + \ln|\sec(\theta)| + \ln|\sec(\theta) + \tan(\theta)| + C$

$$(d) \int \frac{1}{1+t^2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} + \sec^2(t) + \sec(t)\tan(t) \, dt$$

Solution: $\arctan(t) + \arcsin(t) + \tan(t) + \sec(t) + C$

Problem 2 Find the following integrals.

$$(a) \int r\sqrt{1-r^2} \, dr$$

Solution: Using the substitution $u = 1 - r^2$ with $du = -2r \, dr$ we find:

$$\int r\sqrt{1-r^2} \, dr = -\frac{1}{2} \int \sqrt{u} \, du = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{3} u^{\frac{3}{2}} \right) + C = -\frac{1}{3} (1-r^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$$

$$(b) \int xe^{4x} \, dx$$

Solution: We use integration by parts with $u = x$, $du = dx$, $v = \frac{1}{4}e^{4x}$, and $dv = e^{4x} dx$. Thus:

$$\int x e^{4x} dx = (x) \left(\frac{1}{4} e^{4x} \right) - \int \frac{1}{4} e^{4x} dx = \frac{x}{4} e^{4x} - \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{4} e^{4x} \right) + C = \left(\frac{x}{4} - \frac{1}{16} \right) e^{4x} + C$$

$$(c) \int \sqrt{\sin(\theta)} \cos(\theta) d\theta$$

Solution: Using the substitution $u = \sin(\theta)$ with $du = \cos(\theta)d\theta$ we find:

$$\int \sqrt{\sin(\theta)} \cos(\theta) d\theta = \int \sqrt{u} du = \frac{2}{3} u^{\frac{3}{2}} + C = \frac{2}{3} (\sin(\theta))^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$$

Problem 3 Find the following integrals.

$$(a) \int x^2 \sin(x) dx$$

Solution: We apply integration by parts twice. First, with $u = x^2$, $du = 2x dx$, $v = -\cos(x)$ and $dv = \sin(x) dx$:

$$\begin{aligned} \int x^2 \sin(x) dx &= (x^2)(-\cos(x)) - \int (-\cos(x))2x dx \\ &= -x^2 \cos(x) + 2 \int x \cos(x) dx \end{aligned}$$

then with $u = x$, $du = dx$, $v = \sin(x)$ and $dv = \cos(x) dx$:

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

$$(b) \int \frac{1}{e^x + e^{-x}} dx$$

Solution: We use the substitution $u = e^x$ with $du = e^x dx$. Note that $dx = \frac{du}{e^x} = \frac{du}{u}$. Thus:

$$\int \frac{1}{e^x + e^{-x}} dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{u + u^{-1}} \right) \frac{1}{u} du = \int \left(\frac{1}{u^2 + 1} \right) du = \arctan(u) + C = \arctan(e^x) + C$$

$$(c) \int \cos^2(4t) dt$$

Solution: We recall the half-angle identity $\cos^2(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(2\theta))$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \cos^2(4t) dt &= \int \frac{1}{2} [1 + \cos(2(4t))] dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int dt + \int \cos(8t) dt \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(t + \frac{1}{8} \sin(8t) \right) + C \\ &= \frac{t}{2} + \frac{1}{16} \sin(8t) + C \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4 Find $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{9x^2 + 4}}$.

Solution: We build a right triangle with adjacent 2, opposite $3x$, and hypotenuse $\sqrt{9x^2 + 4}$. Note:

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{3x}{2} \quad \sec^2(\theta) d\theta = \frac{3}{2} dx \quad \sec(\theta) = \frac{\sqrt{9x^2 + 4}}{2},$$

thus

$$x = \frac{2}{3} \tan(\theta) \quad dx = \frac{2}{3} \sec^2(\theta) d\theta \quad \sqrt{9x^2 + 4} = 2 \sec(\theta).$$

We apply this substitution:

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{9x^2 + 4}} dx &= \int \frac{1}{2 \sec(\theta)} \frac{2}{3} \sec^2(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int \sec(\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \ln |\sec(\theta) + \tan(\theta)| + C \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{9x^2 + 4}}{2} + \frac{3x}{2} \right| + C \end{aligned}$$

Problem 5 Find the following integrals.

$$(a) \int \frac{2}{x^2 - 16} dx$$

Solution: We apply integration by parts. Since $x^2 - 16 = (x - 4)(x + 4)$ we want to find A, B so that

$$\frac{2}{x^2 - 16} = \frac{A}{x - 4} + \frac{B}{x + 4}$$

Putting both sides over a common denominator we want

$$2 = A(x + 4) + B(x - 4) = (A + B)x + (4A - 4B).$$

Thus we obtain the system $A + B = 0$, $4A - 4B = 2$, which has solution $A = \frac{1}{4}$, $B = -\frac{1}{4}$. Thus

$$\int \frac{2}{x^2 - 16} dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{x - 4} dx - \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{x + 4} dx = \frac{1}{4} \ln|x - 4| - \frac{1}{4} \ln|x + 4| + C$$

$$(b) \int_0^1 \frac{4 dx}{3x - 2}$$

Solution: This is an improper integral since the integrand has a vertical asymptote at $x = \frac{2}{3}$. Breaking it up we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{4 dx}{3x - 2} &= \int_0^{\frac{2}{3}} \frac{4 dx}{3x - 2} + \int_{\frac{2}{3}}^1 \frac{4 dx}{3x - 2} \\ &= \left(\lim_{b \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^-} \int_0^b \frac{4 dx}{3x - 2} \right) + \left(\lim_{a \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^+} \int_a^1 \frac{4 dx}{3x - 2} \right) \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^-} \left[\frac{4}{3} \ln|3x - 2| \right]_0^b + \lim_{a \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^+} \left[\frac{4}{3} \ln|3x - 2| \right]_a^1 \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^-} \frac{4}{3} \ln|3b - 2| - \frac{4}{3} \ln|3(0) - 2| + \frac{4}{3} \ln|3(1) - 2| - \lim_{a \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^+} \frac{4}{3} \ln|3a - 2|. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\lim_{b \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^-} \frac{4}{3} \ln|3b - 2|$ does not exist, the integral diverges.

Problem 6 Determine a value for each of the following or, if they do not have values, then show that they diverge or do not exist.

$$(a) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 - n^4 + 1}{2n^3 + n - 1}$$

Solution:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 - n^4 + 1}{2n^3 + n - 1} \times \frac{\left(\frac{1}{n^3}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{n^3}\right)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n} - n + \frac{1}{n^3}}{2 + \frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{1}{n^3}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{0 - n + 0}{2 + 0 - 0} = -\infty$$

Thus, it diverges.

$$(b) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$$

Solution: Note that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \sin(0) = 0$. Thus we have an indeterminate form $\infty \times 0$. We need to rearrange so that l'Hôpital's rule applies.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{\frac{1}{n}}$$

evaluates to the indeterminate form $0/0$, which is a quotient so we can apply l'Hôpital's rule. Our limit becomes

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{n^2}\right)}{-\frac{1}{n^2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \cos(0) = 1$$

$$(c) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n - 3^n}{5^n}$$

Solution: Applying the rules for sigma notation we obtain

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n - 3^n}{5^n} = \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n \right) - \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^n \right).$$

The geometric series formula *starting at* $n = 1$ is

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} r^n = \frac{r}{1-r}$$

provided that $|r| < 1$. Observe that $\frac{2}{5}$ and $\frac{3}{5}$ both have absolute values less than 1 so these are convergent geometric series. Thus our series is

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n - 3^n}{5^n} = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)}{1 - \frac{2}{5}} - \frac{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)}{1 - \frac{3}{5}} = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{5}{6}.$$