

## MATH 2050 TEST 3. FALL 2009

**1** Use the method of *Integration by Parts* to compute the integral

$$\int x^2 e^{3x} dx.$$

**2** Use the method of *Trigonometric Substitution* to compute the integral

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dx.$$

**3** Use the method of *Partial Fractions* to compute the integral

$$\int \frac{-5x^2 + 2x + 4}{x^3 + 2x^2} dx.$$

**9** Evaluate the improper integral (or explain why the integral diverges)

$$\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx.$$

**10** Evaluate the improper integral (or explain why the integral diverges)

$$\int_2^3 \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3x-6}} dx.$$

4-8. Evaluate the integrals.

**4**

$$\int \sin^4 x \cos^3 x dx =$$

**5**

$$\int \frac{3x^2 + 2}{x^3 + 2x + 8} dx =$$

**6**

$$\int e^x \sin(5x) dx =$$

**7**

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2 + 4x + 8} dx =$$

**8**

$$\int \frac{x^2}{(x-1)^2(x+1)} dx =$$

SOLUTIONS

1 Use integration by parts with

$$\begin{array}{ll} u = x^2 & dv = e^{3x} dx \\ du = 2x dx & v = \frac{1}{3}e^{3x} \end{array}$$

to get

$$\int x^2 e^{3x} dx = \frac{1}{3}x^2 e^{3x} - \frac{2}{3} \int x e^{3x} dx.$$

Use integration by parts again with

$$\begin{array}{ll} u = x & dv = e^{3x} dx \\ du = dx & v = \frac{1}{3}e^{3x} \end{array}$$

to get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{3}x^2 e^{3x} - \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{3}x e^{3x} - \int \frac{1}{3}e^{3x} dx \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3}x^2 e^{3x} - \frac{2}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{3}x e^{3x} - \frac{1}{9}e^{3x} \right] + C \\ &= \frac{1}{3}x^2 e^{3x} - \frac{2}{9}x e^{3x} + \frac{2}{27}e^{3x} + C \end{aligned}$$

2 Use a trigonometric substitution, with

$$\begin{array}{l} x = 3 \sin \theta \\ dx = 3 \cos \theta d\theta \\ \sqrt{9 - x^2} = 3 \cos \theta \end{array}$$

to get

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{9 - x^2}} dx &= \int \frac{3 \cos \theta}{3 \cos \theta} d\theta \\ &= \int 1 d\theta \\ &= \theta + C \\ &= \sin^{-1}(x/3) + C \end{aligned}$$

3 First we determine the partial fraction decomposition

$$\frac{-5x^2 + 2x + 4}{x^2(x + 2)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x + 2}$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} -5x^2 + 2x + 4 &= Ax(x + 2) + B(x + 2) + Cx^2. \end{aligned}$$

Plugging in  $x = 0$ ,

$$2B = 4 \implies B = 2.$$

Plugging in  $x = -2$ ,

$$4C = -20 \implies C = -5.$$

And plugging in  $x = 1$ ,

$$1 = 3A + 6 - 5 \implies A = 0.$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{-5x^2 + 2x + 4}{x^3 + 2x^2} dx &= \int \left( \frac{2}{x^2} - \frac{5}{x + 2} \right) dx \\ &= -\frac{2}{x} - 5 \ln |x + 2| + C \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \int \sin^4 x \cos^3 x dx &= \int \sin^4 x (1 - \sin^2 x) \cos x dx. \end{aligned}$$

Now let  $u = \sin x$  so  $du = \cos x dx$  and so

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int u^4(1 - u^2) du \\ &= \int (u^4 - u^6) du \\ &= \frac{1}{5}u^5 - \frac{1}{7}u^7 + C \\ &= \frac{1}{5}\sin^5 x - \frac{1}{7}\sin^7 x + C. \end{aligned}$$

**5** Use a substitution, with  $u = x^3 + 2x + 8$ ,  $du = (3x^2 + 2) dx$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{3x^2 + 2}{x^3 + 2x + 8} dx &= \int \frac{1}{u} du \\ &= \ln |u| + C \\ &= \ln |x^3 + 2x + 8| + C \end{aligned}$$

**6** Let

$$I = \int e^x \sin(5x) dx.$$

Integration by parts

$\begin{aligned} u &= \sin(5x) & dv &= e^x dx \\ du &= 5 \cos(5x) dx & v &= e^x \end{aligned}$
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so

$$I = e^x \sin(5x) - 5 \int \cos(5x)e^x dx.$$

And again, with

$\begin{aligned} u &= \cos(5x) & dv &= e^x dx \\ du &= -5 \sin(5x) dx & v &= e^x \end{aligned}$
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so

$$\begin{aligned} I &= e^x \sin(5x) \\ &\quad - 5 \left[ e^x \cos(5x) + \int 5 \sin(5x)e^x dx \right] \\ &= e^x \sin(5x) - 5e^x \cos(5x) - 25I \end{aligned}$$

Gathering all the  $I$  terms on one side,

$$26I = e^x \sin(5x) - 5e^x \cos(5x) + C$$

so

$$I = \frac{1}{26} (e^x \sin(5x) - 5e^x \cos(5x)) + C.$$

**7** First, complete the square,

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2 + 4x + 8} dx = \int \frac{1}{(x + 2)^2 + 4} dx.$$

Now let  $u = x + 2$ , so  $du = dx$ , to get

$$= \frac{du}{u^2 + 4},$$

and then a trigonometric substitution,

$\begin{aligned} u &= 2 \tan \theta \\ du &= 2 \sec^2 \theta d\theta \\ \sqrt{u^2 + 4} &= 2 \sec \theta \end{aligned}$
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which leads to

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{2 \sec^2 \theta}{4 \sec^2 \theta} d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{1}{2} d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \theta + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x + 2}{2} \right) + C. \end{aligned}$$

**8** Partial fractions

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{x^2}{(x - 1)^2(x + 1)} \\ &= \frac{A}{x - 1} + \frac{B}{(x - 1)^2} + \frac{C}{x + 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$x^2 = A(x-1)(x+1) + B(x+1) + C(x-1)^2.$$

Plug in  $x = 1$  to get

$$2B = 1 \implies B = 1/2.$$

Plug in  $x = -1$  to get

$$4C = 1 \implies C = 1/4.$$

Finally, plug in  $x = 0$  to get

$$0 = -A + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \implies A = \frac{3}{4}.$$

Therefore

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

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$$\int_2^\infty \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_2^b \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx$$

Now do a substitution,  $u = \ln x$  so  $du = dx/x$ .

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_{x=2}^b \frac{1}{u} du \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \ln|u| \Big|_{x=2}^b \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \ln|\ln x| \Big|_x^b \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \ln|\ln b| - \ln|\ln 2| \end{aligned}$$

As  $b$  approaches infinity, the term  $\ln|\ln b|$  approaches infinity as well, so this integral diverges.

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_2^3 \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{3x-6}} dx \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 2^+} \int_a^3 (3x-6)^{-1/3} dx \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{3}{2} (3x-6)^{2/3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \Big|_a^3 \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 2^+} \left[ \frac{1}{2} (3)^{2/3} - \frac{1}{2} (3a-6)^{2/3} \right] \\ &= \frac{3^{2/3}}{2} \end{aligned}$$