

Solutions for MATH 212 Test 1 Spring 2001

1. (70pts) Evaluate the following integrals.

a. $\int \frac{x^2}{(x^3+6)^{3/2}} dx$

Let $u = x^3 + 6$ so that $du = 3x^2 dx$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^2}{(x^3+6)^{3/2}} dx &= \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{du}{u^{3/2}} = -\frac{2}{3} u^{-1/2} + C \\ &= -\frac{2}{3} (x^3+6)^{-1/2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

b. $\int (x+7) \ln x dx$

Let $u = \ln x$ and $dv = (x+7)dx$ so that $du = \frac{1}{x}dx$ and $v = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 7x$. Using integration by parts,

$$\begin{aligned} \int (x+7) \ln x dx &= \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 7x\right) \ln x - \int \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 7x\right) \frac{1}{x} dx \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 7x\right) \ln x - \int \left(\frac{1}{2}x + 7\right) dx \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 7x\right) \ln x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - 7x + C. \end{aligned}$$

c. $\int \tan^3 x \sec^4 x dx$

Let $u = \sec x$ so that $du = \sec x \tan x dx$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int \tan^3 x \sec^4 x dx &= \int \tan^2 x \sec^3 x \sec x \tan x dx \\ &= \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \sec^3 x \sec x \tan x dx \\ &= \int (u^2 - 1)u^3 du = \int \frac{1}{6} \sec^6 x - \frac{1}{4} \sec^4 x + C. \end{aligned}$$

d. $\int \frac{x^2}{(9-x^2)^{3/2}} dx$

Let $x = 3 \sin \theta$ so that $dx = 3 \cos \theta d\theta$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^2}{(9-x^2)^{3/2}} dx &= \int \frac{9 \sin^2 \theta}{27 \cos^3 \theta} 3 \cos \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} d\theta = \int \tan^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \sec^2 \theta - 1 d\theta = \tan \theta - \theta + C \\ &= \frac{x}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + C. \end{aligned}$$

e. $\int \cos x \ln^2(\sin x) dx$

Let $t = \sin x$ so that $dt = \cos x dx$. Then

$$\int \cos x \ln^2(\sin x) dx = \int (\ln t)^2 dt.$$

Now let $u = (\ln t)^2$ and $dv = dt$ so that $du = \frac{2 \ln t}{t}$ and $v = t$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int (\ln t)^2 dt &= t(\ln t)^2 - 2 \int \ln t dt \\ &= t(\ln t)^2 - 2(t \ln t - t) + C \\ &= \sin x (\ln \sin x)^2 - 2(\sin x (\ln \sin x) - \sin x) + C. \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x}{x^2 - 2x + 3} dx &= \frac{x}{(x-1)^2 + 2} dx \\ &= \int \frac{\sqrt{2} \tan \theta + 1}{2 \sec^2 \theta} \sqrt{2} \sec^2 \theta d\theta \\ &\quad \text{here we let } x-1 = \sqrt{2} \tan \theta \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \int \sqrt{2} \tan \theta + 1 \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\ln \theta + \theta) + C \\ &= \ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + 2}}{\sqrt{2}} \right| + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + C. \end{aligned}$$

g. $\int \frac{x^2}{(x+1)^3} dx$

Let $u = x + 1$ so that $du = dx$. Then

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

h. $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx \\ &= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} [\arctan b - \arctan 1] = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4}.\end{aligned}$$

i. $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2-1} dx$

By partial fractions,

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2-1} dx &= \int_0^1 \left(\frac{1/2}{x+1} - \frac{1/2}{x-1} \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln|x+1| \Big|_0^1 - \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{2} \ln|x-1| \Big|_0^{1-\epsilon} \\ &= \infty.\end{aligned}$$

j. $\int x^5 e^{x^2} dx$

Let $t = x^2$ so that $dt = 2x dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned}\int x^5 e^{x^2} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int t^2 e^t dt \\ &= t^2 e^t - 2 \int t e^t dt \quad (u = t^2, \quad dv = e^t dt) \\ &= t^2 e^t - 2[te^t - e^t] + C \quad (u = t, \quad dv = e^t dt) \\ &= x^4 e^{x^2} - 2x^2 e^{x^2} + 2e^{x^2} + C\end{aligned}$$

2. (15pts) Find the volume of the solid obtained if the region bounded by $y = x$ and $y = 4x - x^2$ in the first quadrant is rotated about (a) the x -axis and (b) the y axis.

(a) The graphs of $y = x$ and $y = 4x - x^2$ intersect at 0 and 3, (solve $x = 4x - x^2$ for x). Hence using the solids of revolution formula,

$$V = \int_0^3 \pi[(4x - x^2)^2 - x^2] dx = \frac{108\pi}{5}$$

(b) Using the cylindrical shell method,

$$V = \int_0^3 2\pi[(4x - x^2) - x] dx = \frac{27\pi}{2}$$

3. (15pts) Consider the region in the first quadrant that is bounded by $y = x^2$ and $y = x^3$. Set up the integrals (do not evaluate) that compute the volume of the solid obtained when the region is rotated about

a. the line $y = -1$ The graphs of $y = x^2$ and $y = x^3$ intersect at $x = 0$ and $x = 1$.

$$V = \int_0^1 \pi[(x^2 + 1)^2 - (x^3 + 1)^2]dx$$

b. the line $x = 3$.

$$V = \int_0^1 2\pi(3 - x)[x^2 - x^3]dx.$$