

Math 142, Exam 1, Fall 2013

Write everything on the blank paper provided. **You should KEEP this piece of paper.** If possible: return the problems in order (use as much paper as necessary), use only one side of each piece of paper, and leave 1 square inch in the upper left hand corner for the staple. If you forget some of these requests, don't worry about it – I will still grade your exam.

The exam is worth 50 points. Your work must be coherent, complete, and correct.

CIRCLE your answer. **CHECK** your answer whenever possible.

No Calculators or Cell phones.

1. **(9 points) Define the definite integral. Give a complete definition. Be sure to explain all of your notation. Write in complete sentences.**

Let $f(x)$ be a function defined on the closed interval $a \leq x \leq b$. For each partition P of the closed interval $[a, b]$ of the form $a = x_0 \leq x_1 \leq \dots \leq x_n = b$, let $\Delta_i = x_i - x_{i-1}$, and pick $x_i^* \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]$. The definite integral $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ is the limit over all partitions P as all Δ_i go to zero of $\sum_{i=1}^n f(x_i^*) \Delta_i$.

2. **(9 points) Find $\int \sin^4 x \cos^5 x dx$. Check your answer.**

Let $u = \sin x$. In this case, $du = \cos x dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sin^4 x \cos^5 x dx &= \int \sin^4 x (1 - \sin^2 x)^2 \cos x dx = \int u^4 (1 - 2u^2 + u^4) du \\ &= \int (u^4 - 2u^6 + u^8) du = \frac{u^5}{5} - 2\frac{u^7}{7} + \frac{u^9}{9} + C = \boxed{\frac{\sin^5 x}{5} - 2\frac{\sin^7 x}{7} + \frac{\sin^9 x}{9} + C} \end{aligned}$$

Check: The derivative of the proposed answer is

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^4 x \cos x - 2\sin^6 x \cos x + \sin^8 x \cos x &= \sin^4 x \cos x (1 - 2\sin^2 x + \sin^4 x) \\ &= \sin^4 x \cos x (1 - \sin^2 x)^2 = \sin^4 x \cos^5 x. \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

3. **(8 points) Find $\int \frac{dx}{4x^2 + 12x + 13}$. Check your answer.**

Observe that $4x^2 + 12x + 13 = 4(x^2 + 3x + \frac{9}{4}) + 13 - 4(\frac{9}{4}) = 4(x + \frac{3}{2})^2 + 4 = (2x + 3)^2 + 4$. It follows that

$$\int \frac{dx}{4x^2 + 12x + 13} = \int \frac{dx}{(2x + 3)^2 + 4} = \int \frac{dx}{4((x + \frac{3}{2})^2 + 1)}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{4} \arctan\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right) + C}$$

Check: The derivative of the proposed answer is

$$\frac{1}{4\left(\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + 1\right)} = \frac{1}{4\left(x^2 + 3x + \frac{9}{4} + 1\right)} = \frac{1}{4x^2 + 12x + 13}.$$

4. (8 points) Find $\int \frac{dx}{x^2+x-12}$. Check your answer.

Observe that $x^2+x-12 = (x-3)(x+4)$. We use the technique of partial fractions:

$$\frac{1}{(x-3)(x+4)} = \frac{A}{x-3} + \frac{B}{x+4}.$$

$$1 = A(x+4) + B(x-3)$$

Plug in $x = -4$ to learn $B = \frac{-1}{7}$. Plug in $x = 3$ to learn $A = \frac{1}{7}$. We check

$$\frac{1}{7} \left[\frac{1}{x-3} - \frac{1}{x+4} \right] = \frac{1}{7} \frac{7}{(x-3)(x+4)} = \frac{1}{x^2+x-12}.$$

So

$$\int \frac{dx}{x^2+x-12} = \frac{1}{7} \int \left[\frac{1}{x-3} - \frac{1}{x+4} \right] dx = \boxed{\frac{1}{7} [\ln|x-3| - \ln|x+4|] + C}$$

5. (8 points) Find $\int_{-2}^4 \frac{dx}{(x-1)^2}$.

The solution is on a separate piece of paper.

6. (8 points) Find $\int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx$. Check your answer.

Let $u = e^{2x}$ and $dv = \cos(3x) dx$. We calculate $du = 2e^{2x} dx$ and $v = \frac{\sin(3x)}{3}$.

We have

$$\int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx = e^{2x} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \int e^{2x} \sin(3x) dx$$

Let $u = e^{2x}$ and $dv = \sin(3x) dx$. We calculate $du = 2e^{2x} dx$ and $v = \frac{-\cos(3x)}{3}$.

$$\int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx = e^{2x} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \int e^{2x} \sin(3x) dx$$

$$= e^{2x} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \left[e^{2x} \frac{-\cos(3x)}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx \right]$$

Add $\frac{4}{9} \int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx$ to both sides.

$$\frac{13}{9} \int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx = e^{2x} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3} + \frac{2}{9} e^{2x} \cos(3x) + C$$

$$\boxed{\int e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx = \frac{9}{13} \left[e^{2x} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3} + \frac{2}{9} e^{2x} \cos(3x) \right] + C}$$