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Quiz 1 — January 19, 2011 – Section 4 – 9:05-9:55 recitation.

Remove everything from your desk except this page and a pencil or pen.

Circle your answer. Show your work. The quiz is worth 5 points.

Find $\int_1^2 x\sqrt{x-1}dx$.

Answer: Let u = x - 1; so u + 1 = x and du = dx. When x = 1, then u = 0. When x = 2, then u = 1. The integral is equal to

$$\int_0^1 (u+1)\sqrt{u}du = \int_0^1 (u^{3/2} + u^{1/2})du = \frac{2}{5}(u^{5/2}) + \frac{2}{3}u^{3/2}\Big|_0^1 = \frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{3} = \boxed{\frac{16}{15}}.$$