

MAT 137Y 2007-08 Winter Session, Solutions to Problem Set 12

1 (SHE 8.1)

18. Let $u = 3 - 2\cos\theta$. Then $\int \frac{\sin\theta}{3 - 2\cos\theta} d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{u} = \frac{1}{2} \ln|u| + C = \frac{1}{2} \ln|3 - 2\cos\theta| + C$.

28. Let $u = x^2$, then $du = 2x dx$, so

$$\int \frac{x}{9 + (x^2)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{9 + u^2} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \arctan \frac{u}{3} + C = \frac{1}{6} \arctan \frac{x^2}{3} + C.$$

38. $\int_0^{1/2} \frac{1+x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \left[\sin^{-1}x - \sqrt{1-x^2} \right]_0^{1/2} = \frac{\pi}{6} + 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}.$

50. For parts (a) and (b), the results are fairly obvious by applying the appropriate substitution. Despite the fact that the answers are different, it turns out that they differ by a constant, since

$$\frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x + C_1 = \frac{1}{2} (\sec^2 x - 1) + C_1 = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 x + \left(C_1 - \frac{1}{2} \right),$$

so C_1 and C_2 differ by $\frac{1}{2}$, which is a constant.

2 (SHE 8.2)

6. We integrate by parts and let $u = x^2$ and $dv = xe^{-x^2} dx$. Then $du = 2x dx$ and $v = -\frac{1}{2}e^{-x^2}$. Therefore

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

18. We multiply the expression and integrate by parts, giving us

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

28. Let $u = e^{3x}$ and $dv = \cos 2x dx$. Then $du = 3e^{3x} dx$ and $v = \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x$. Hence

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

Integrating by parts again, we let $u = \frac{3}{2} e^{3x}$ and $dv = \sin 2x dx$. Then $du = \frac{9}{2} e^{3x} dx$ and $v = -\frac{1}{2} \cos 2x$. Therefore we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int e^{3x} \cos 2x dx &= \frac{1}{2} e^{3x} \sin 2x + \frac{3}{4} e^{3x} \cos 2x - \int \frac{9}{4} e^{3x} \cos 2x dx \\ \implies \frac{13}{4} \int e^{3x} \cos 2x dx &= \frac{1}{2} e^{3x} \sin 2x + \frac{3}{4} e^{3x} \cos 2x \\ \implies \int e^{3x} \cos 2x dx &= \frac{2}{13} e^{3x} \sin 2x + \frac{3}{13} e^{3x} \cos 2x + C. \end{aligned}$$

40. Let I be the integral we need to solve. Let $u = (\ln x)^2$ and $dv = x^2 dx$. Then $du = \frac{2\ln x}{x} dx$ and $v = \frac{x^3}{3}$. Therefore

$$I = \int_1^{2e} x^2 (\ln x)^2 dx = \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (\ln x)^2 \right]_1^{2e} - \int_1^{2e} \frac{2}{3} x^2 \ln x dx.$$

Integrating by parts again, we let $u = \ln x$, $dv = \frac{2x^2}{3} dx$; so $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$ and $v = \frac{2x^3}{9}$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (\ln x)^2 - \frac{2x^3}{9} \ln x \right]_1^{2e} + \int_1^{2e} \frac{2x^2}{9} dx = \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (\ln x)^2 - \frac{2x^3}{9} \ln x + \frac{2x^3}{27} \right]_1^{2e} \\ &= \frac{8e^3}{3} \left[(\ln 2e)^2 - \frac{2}{3} \ln 2e + \frac{2}{9} \right] - \frac{2}{27}. \end{aligned}$$

3 (SHE 8.3)

6. $\int \sin^3 x \cos^2 x dx = \int \cos^2 x (1 - \cos^2 x) \sin x dx = -\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x + \frac{1}{5} \cos^5 x + C.$

8. Using trig identities, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sin^2 x \cos^4 x dx &= \int (\sin x \cos x)^2 \cos^2 x dx = \int \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 2x \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \int \sin^2 2x dx + \frac{1}{8} \int \sin^2 2x \cos 2x dx = \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{1}{2} x - \frac{1}{8} \sin 4x \right) + \frac{1}{48} \sin^3 2x + C. \end{aligned}$$

20.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^4 x dx &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\frac{1 + \cos 2x}{2} \right)^2 dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x + \frac{\cos^2 2x}{4} dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x + \frac{1 + \cos 4x}{8} dx = \left[\frac{3}{8} x + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2x + \frac{1}{32} \sin 4x \right]_0^{\pi/2} \\ &= \frac{3\pi}{16}. \end{aligned}$$

30. Applying trig identities and making a substitution, we have

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

4 (SHE 8.4)

4. If we let $u = x^2 \implies du = 2x dx$, then

$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx = -\frac{-2x}{2\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx = -\int \frac{du}{2\sqrt{u}} = -\sqrt{u} + C = -\sqrt{4-x^2} + C.$$

12. Let $x = 4 \sin u$. Then $dx = 4 \cos u \, du$, and in particular, $\sqrt{16 - x^2} = 4 \cos u$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{16 - x^2}} \, dx &= \int \frac{16 \sin^2 u \cdot 4 \cos u}{4 \cos u} \, du = 16 \int \sin^2 u \, du \\ &= 8u - 4 \sin 2u + C = 8u - 8 \sin u \cos u \\ &= 8 \arcsin \frac{x}{4} - \frac{1}{2} x \sqrt{16 - x^2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\int_0^2 \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{16 - x^2}} \, dx = 8 \arcsin \frac{1}{2} - \sqrt{12} = \frac{4\pi}{3} - 2\sqrt{3}$.

18. Let $x = \sec u$, then $du = \sec u \tan u \, du$, so

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}}{x} \, dx &= \int \frac{\tan u}{\sec u} \sec u \tan u \, du = \int \tan^2 u \, du = \int \sec^2 u - 1 \, du = \tan u - u + C \\ &= \sqrt{x^2 - 1} - \sec^{-1} x + C. \end{aligned}$$

24. We make a double substitution $e^x = 2 \tan u$. Then $e^x \, dx = 2 \sec^2 u \, du$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{e^x \sqrt{4 + e^{2x}}} &= \int \frac{e^x dx}{e^{2x} \sqrt{4 + e^{2x}}} = \int \frac{2 \sec^2 u}{4 \tan^2 u \cdot 2 \sec u} \, du = \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{\cos u}{\sin^2 u} \, du = -\frac{1}{4} \csc u + C \\ &= -\frac{1}{4} \frac{\sqrt{4 + e^{2x}}}{e^x} + C. \end{aligned}$$

46. The area of the region is

$$A = 4 \int_0^b \frac{a}{b} \sqrt{b^2 + y^2} \, dy = \frac{4a}{b} \left[\frac{y}{2} \sqrt{b^2 + y^2} + \frac{b^2}{2} \ln(y + \sqrt{b^2 + y^2}) \right]_0^b = 2ab[\sqrt{2} + \ln(1 + \sqrt{2})].$$

5 (SHE 8.5)

10. We apply partial fractions so that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x}{(x+1)(x+2)(x+3)} &= \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x+2} + \frac{C}{x+3} \\ \implies A(x+2)(x+3) + B(x+1)(x+3) + C(x+1)(x+2) &= x \\ \implies (A+B+C)x^2 + (5A+4B+3C)x + (6A+3B+2C) &= x. \end{aligned}$$

Matching coefficients give us the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} A+B+C &= 0 & A &= -\frac{1}{2} \\ 5A+4B+3C &= 1 & \implies B &= 2 \\ 6A+3B+2C &= 0 & C &= -\frac{3}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

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

16. Applying long division first, we have $\int \frac{x^2+3}{x^2-3x+2} dx = \int \left(1 + \frac{3x+1}{x^2-3x+2}\right) dx$. By partial fractions,

$$\frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x-2} = \frac{3x+1}{(x-1)(x-2)} \implies A(x-2) + B(x-1) = 3x+1.$$

Instead of matching coefficients, we can find the constants A and B by choosing values of x . If $x = 2$, then $B = 7$, and if $x = 1$, then $-A = 4$, or $A = -4$. Hence

$$\int \frac{x^2+3}{x^2-3x+2} dx = \int \left(1 - \frac{4}{x-1} + \frac{7}{x-2}\right) dx = x - 4 \ln|x-1| + 7 \ln|x-2| + C.$$

30. Using partial fractions, we have

$$\frac{x^3+x^2+x+3}{(x^2+1)(x^2+3)} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2+1} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+3} \implies (Ax+B)(x^2+3) + (Cx+D)(x^2+1) = x^3+x^2+x+3.$$

Here we have no choice but to match coefficients, so

$$(A+C)x^3 + (B+D)x^2 + (3A+C)x + (3B+D) = x^3 + x^2 + x + 3 \implies \begin{aligned} A+C &= 1 \\ B+D &= 1 \\ 3A+C &= 1 \\ 3B+D &= 3. \end{aligned}$$

This gives our solutions $A = 0$, $C = 1$, $B = 1$, $D = 0$. Hence

$$\int \frac{x^3+x^2+x+3}{(x^2+1)(x^2+3)} dx = \int \frac{1}{x^2+1} + \frac{x}{x^2+3} dx = \tan^{-1}x + \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+3) + C$$

48. Note that $y = \frac{1}{x^2-1} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x+1} \right]$ by partial fractions. We prove the statement is true for all $n \geq 1$. If $n = 1$, we have

$$y' = \frac{1}{2} \left[-\frac{1}{(x-1)^2} + \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} \right] = \frac{(-1)^1 1!}{2} \left[\frac{1}{(x-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} \right],$$

so the statement is true for $n = 1$. Now suppose

$$y^{(k)} = \frac{(-1)^k k!}{2} \left[\frac{1}{(x-1)^k} - \frac{1}{(x+1)^k} \right],$$

then by differentiating,

$$y^{(k+1)} = \frac{(-1)^k k!}{2} \left[\frac{-(k+1)}{(x-1)^{k+1}} - \frac{-(k+1)}{(x+1)^{k+1}} \right] = \frac{(-1)^{k+1} (k+1)!}{2} \left[\frac{1}{(x-1)^{k+1}} - \frac{1}{(x+1)^{k+1}} \right],$$

which is obviously what we need to show. Hence the statement is true by induction.

- 6 (i) Let $u = \ln(\tan x)$. Then $du = \frac{\sec^2 x}{\tan x} dx = \frac{1}{\sin x \cos x} dx$. Hence

$$\int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/4} \frac{\ln(\tan x)}{\sin x \cos x} dx = \int_{\ln \sqrt{3}}^0 u du = -\frac{1}{8} (\ln 3)^2.$$

(ii) Multiply top and bottom by $\cos x$. Then

$$\int \frac{1 - \tan x}{1 + \tan x} dx = \int \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{\cos x + \sin x} dx = \ln |\sin x + \cos x| + C.$$

(iii) Integrate by parts. Let $u = x$ and $dv = \cos^3 x \sin x dx$. Then $du = dx$ and $v = -\frac{1}{4} \cos^4 x$. Hence

$$\int x \cos^3 x \sin x dx = -\frac{1}{4} x \cos^4 x + \int \frac{1}{4} \cos^4 x dx = -\frac{1}{4} x \cos^4 x + \frac{3}{32} x + \frac{1}{16} \sin 2x + \frac{1}{128} \sin 4x + C,$$

where we re-use the result from Section 8.3 #20.

(iv) We integrate by parts. Let $u = \tan^{-1} x$ and $dv = x dx$. Then $du = 1/(1+x^2) dx$ and $v = \frac{1}{2} x^2$. This gives

$$\begin{aligned} \int x \tan^{-1} x dx &= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{x^2}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} x^2 \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{x^2 + 1 - 1}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} x + \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x + C. \end{aligned}$$

(v) Multiply top and bottom by e^x . Then $\int \frac{dx}{e^x - e^{-x}} = \int \frac{e^x}{e^{2x} - 1} dx$. Letting $u = e^x$ and $du = e^x dx$ gives

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

(vi) We integrate by parts: let $u = \ln(x+4)$ and $dv = \frac{1}{x^2} dx$. Then $du = \frac{1}{x+4} dx$ and $v = -\frac{1}{x}$. Hence

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

where the work involving partial fractions is omitted.