

QUIZ 3 - CALCULUS 2 (2020/12/10)

Evaluate the following indefinite integrals.

1. (5 pts) $\int \tan^5 x \, dx.$

Solution:

Method 1

$$\begin{aligned} \int \tan^5 x \, dx &= \int \tan^4 x \tan x \, dx = \int (\sec^2 x - 1)^2 \tan x \, dx \\ &= \int (\sec^4 x - 2\sec^2 x + 1) \tan x \, dx \\ &= \int \sec^3 x \sec x \tan x \, dx - 2 \int \sec x \sec x \tan x \, dx + \int \tan x \, dx \\ &= (*) \quad (1 \text{ pt}) \\ \int \sec^3 x \sec x \tan x \, dx &\stackrel{y=\sec x}{=} \int y^3 \, dy = \frac{1}{4} \sec^4 x + C \quad (1 \text{ pt}) \\ \int \sec x \sec x \tan x \, dx &\stackrel{y=\sec x}{=} \int y \, dy = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 x + C \quad (1 \text{ pt}) \\ \int \tan x \, dx &= \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \, dx \stackrel{y=\cos x}{=} - \int \frac{1}{y} \, dy = -\ln |\cos x| + C \quad (1 \text{ pt}) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$(*) = \frac{1}{4} \sec^4 x - \sec^2 x - \ln |\cos x| + C. \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

Method 2

$$\begin{aligned} \int \underbrace{\tan^5 x}_{\tan^2 x \tan^3 x} \, dx &= \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \tan^3 x \, dx \quad (1 \text{ pt}) \\ &= \int \sec^2 x \tan^3 x \, dx - \int \underbrace{\tan^3 x}_{\tan^2 x \tan x} \, dx \\ &= \int \sec^2 x \tan^3 x \, dx - \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \tan x \, dx \quad (1 \text{ pt}) \\ &= \int \sec^2 x \tan^3 x \, dx - \int \sec^2 x \tan x \, dx + \int \tan x \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \tan^4 x - \frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x - \ln |\cos x| + C \quad (3 \text{ pt}) \end{aligned}$$

2. (10 pts) $\int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx.$

Solution:

Use the trig. substitution. Let $x = \sin \theta$, where $\theta \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$. Then $dx = \cos \theta d\theta$ and $\sqrt{1-x^2} = \sqrt{1-\sin^2 \theta} = \cos \theta$ since $\cos \theta > 0$ when $\theta \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$. (2 pt)

So the integral becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx &= \int \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos \theta} \cos \theta d\theta = \int \sin^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{1 - \cos(2\theta)}{2} d\theta \quad (2 \text{ pt}) \\ &= \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{\sin(2\theta)}{4} + C \quad (2 \text{ pt}) \\ &= \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{2} - \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{4} + C \\ &= \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{2} - \frac{x\sqrt{1-x^2}}{2} + C \quad (4 \text{ pt}). \end{aligned}$$

3. (5 pts) $\int x \sin^{-1} x dx$ (Hint: you can use (2)).

Solution:

Use the integration by parts.

$$\begin{aligned} \int x \sin^{-1} x dx &\quad (du = x dx, v = \sin^{-1} x, \text{ then } u = \frac{x^2}{2}, dv = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx) \quad (2 \text{ pt}) \\ &= \frac{x^2 \sin^{-1} x}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx \quad (2 \text{ pt}) \\ &= \frac{x^2 \sin^{-1} x}{2} - \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{4} + \frac{x\sqrt{1-x^2}}{4} + C \quad (1 \text{ pt}). \end{aligned}$$

The last integral is obtained from (2). So if a student makes mistakes in (2), we take only one point off here.