

MATH 222 (Lectures 1,2,4) **Worksheet 2 Solutions**

Please inform your TA if you find any errors in the solutions.

1. Compute $\int x \ln(x) dx$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \int x \ln(x) dx &= \int \underbrace{\ln(x)}_{F(x)} \underbrace{xdx}_{G'(x)dx} \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{x^2}{2}}_{G(x)} \underbrace{\ln(x)}_{F(x)} - \int \underbrace{\frac{x^2}{2}}_{G(x)} \underbrace{\frac{1}{x}}_{F'(x)dx} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \ln(x) - \frac{1}{2} \int x dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \ln(x) - \frac{1}{4} x^2 + C \end{aligned}$$

2. Compute $\int \arctan(x) dx$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \int \arctan(x) dx &= \int \underbrace{\arctan(x)}_{F(x)} \underbrace{dx}_{G'(x)dx} \\ &= \underbrace{x}_{G(x)} \underbrace{\arctan(x)}_{F(x)} - \int \underbrace{x}_{G(x)} \underbrace{\frac{1}{1+x^2}}_{F'(x)dx} dx \\ &= x \arctan(x) - \frac{1}{2} \ln |1+x^2| + C \end{aligned}$$

3. Compute $\int \cos^2(x) \sin^2(x) dx$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \int \cos^2(x) \sin^2(x) dx &= \int (\cos(x) \sin(x))^2 dx \\ &= \int \left(\frac{1}{2} \sin(2x) \right)^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \int \sin^2(2x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \int 1 - \cos(4x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{8} x - \frac{1}{32} \sin(4x) + C \end{aligned}$$

4. Compute $\int \sin^5(x) dx$.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}\int \sin^5(x) dx &= \int \sin^4(x) \sin(x) dx \\ &= \int (\sin^2(x))^2 \sin(x) dx \\ &= \int (1 - \cos^2(x))^2 \sin(x) dx && u = \cos(x) \quad du = -\sin(x) dx \\ &= - \int (1 - u^2)^2 du \\ &= - \int 1 - 2u^2 + u^4 du \\ &= -u + \frac{2}{3}u^3 - \frac{1}{5}u^5 + C \\ &= -\cos(x) + \frac{2}{3}\cos^3(x) - \frac{1}{5}\cos^5(x) + C\end{aligned}$$

5. (a) Compute

$$\int_0^\pi \cos(x) dx \quad \text{and} \quad \int_0^\pi x^2 \cos(x) dx.$$

(b) Use the identity

$$\int x^n \cos(x) dx = x^n \sin(x) + nx^{n-1} \cos(x) - n(n-1) \int x^{n-2} \cos(x) dx$$

and part (a.) to compute $\int_0^\pi x^4 \cos(x) dx$.

(c) Show that

$$\int x^n \cos(x) dx = x^n \sin(x) + nx^{n-1} \cos(x) - n(n-1) \int x^{n-2} \cos(x) dx.$$

Hint: the steps are very similar to the steps used to compute $\int_0^\pi x^2 \cos(x) dx$ in (a.).

Solution:

(a) The first integral is $\int_0^\pi \cos(x) dx = \sin(x) \Big|_{x=0}^{x=\pi} = 0$. For the second, we use integra-

tion by parts:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^\pi \underbrace{x^2}_{F(x)} \underbrace{\cos(x)dx}_{G'(x)dx} &= \underbrace{x^2}_{F(x)} \underbrace{\sin(x)}_{G(x)} \Big|_0^\pi - \int_0^\pi \underbrace{2x}_{F'(x)} \underbrace{\sin(x)}_{G(x)} dx \\
 &= 0 - 2 \int_0^\pi \underbrace{x}_{f(x)} \underbrace{\sin(x)dx}_{g'(x)dx} \\
 &= -2 \left(\underbrace{x}_{f(x)} \cdot \underbrace{(-\cos(x))}_{g(x)} \Big|_0^\pi - \int_0^\pi \underbrace{1}_{f'(x)} \cdot \underbrace{(-\cos(x))}_{g(x)} dx \right) \\
 &= -2\pi - 2 \int_0^\pi \cos(x)dx = -2\pi
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) The identity says that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^\pi x^4 \cos(x)dx &= \underbrace{[x^4 \sin(x) + 4x^3 \cos(x)]_{x=0}^{x=\pi}}_{-4\pi^3} - 4 \cdot 3 \cdot \underbrace{\int_0^\pi x^2 \cos(x)dx}_{-2\pi} \\
 &= 24\pi - 4\pi^3
 \end{aligned}$$

(c) As in part (a.), we integrate by parts twice to obtain this result: first we see that

$$\int \underbrace{x^n}_{F(x)} \underbrace{\cos(x)dx}_{G'(x)dx} = \underbrace{x^n}_{F(x)} \cdot \underbrace{\sin(x)}_{G(x)} - \int \underbrace{nx^{n-1}}_{F'(x)} \cdot \underbrace{\sin(x)}_{G(x)} dx$$

so we need to compute $\int x^{n-1} \sin(x)dx$, which we can do with another integration by parts:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int \underbrace{x^{n-1}}_{f(x)} \underbrace{\sin(x)dx}_{g'(x)dx} &= \underbrace{x^{n-1}}_{f(x)} \cdot \underbrace{(-\cos(x))}_{g(x)} - \int \underbrace{(n-1)x^{n-2}}_{f'(x)} \cdot \underbrace{(-\cos(x))}_{g'(x)} dx \\
 &= -x^{n-1} \cos(x) + (n-1) \int x^{n-2} \cos(x)dx.
 \end{aligned}$$

Plugging this in, we see that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int x^n \cos(x)dx &= x^n \sin(x) - n \int x^{n-1} \sin(x)dx \\
 &= x^n \sin(x) - n \left(-x^{n-1} \cos(x) + (n-1) \int x^{n-2} \cos(x)dx \right) \\
 &= x^n \sin(x) + nx^{n-1} \cos(x) - n(n-1) \int x^{n-2} \cos(x)dx.
 \end{aligned}$$