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Group Work 1, Section 8.4
Partial Fractions (Version 3)

1. Compute the following integrals:

$$(a) \int \frac{dx}{x+1} = \ln|x+1| + C$$

$$(b) \int \frac{dx}{x+2} = \ln|x+2| + C$$

$$(c) \int \frac{dx}{x^2+4} = \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + C$$

2. Factor $x^4 + 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 12x + 8$. (Hint: see above)

$$(x+1)(x+2)(x^2+4)$$

3. Compute $\int \frac{20x^2 dx}{x^4 + 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 12x + 8}$.

$$20x^3 = A(x+2)(x^2+4) + B(x+1)(x^2+4) + (Cx+D)(x^2+4)$$

$$0 = 8A + 4B + 2D$$

$$0x = 2Cx + 4Ax + 4Bx + 3Dx \Rightarrow$$

$$0x^2 = 2Ax^2 + Bx^2 + 3Cx^2 + Dx^2$$

$$20x^3 = 4x^3 + 6x^3 + 3x^3 + 12x^3 + 8$$

4. Compute $\int \frac{20x^2}{x^4 + 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 12x + 8} dx$. (Hint: what is the degree of the numerator in denominator?).

$$= \int 1 dx + \int \frac{20x^2}{x^4 + 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 12x + 8} dx$$

$$= x + A //.$$

Integration Strategies.

Some we know. — those on the table.

Some we don't

Substitution.

parts.

trig. integrals.

trig. substitution.

partial fractions

Test 4

No calculators

study old tests.

NOTE on HYPERBOLICS.

$\cosh^{-1} x$ and $-\operatorname{sech}^{-1}(x)$.

Strategy

- 1) Do you know it?
- 2) Can you simplify it?
- 3) Will substitution work?
- 4) What does it look like?

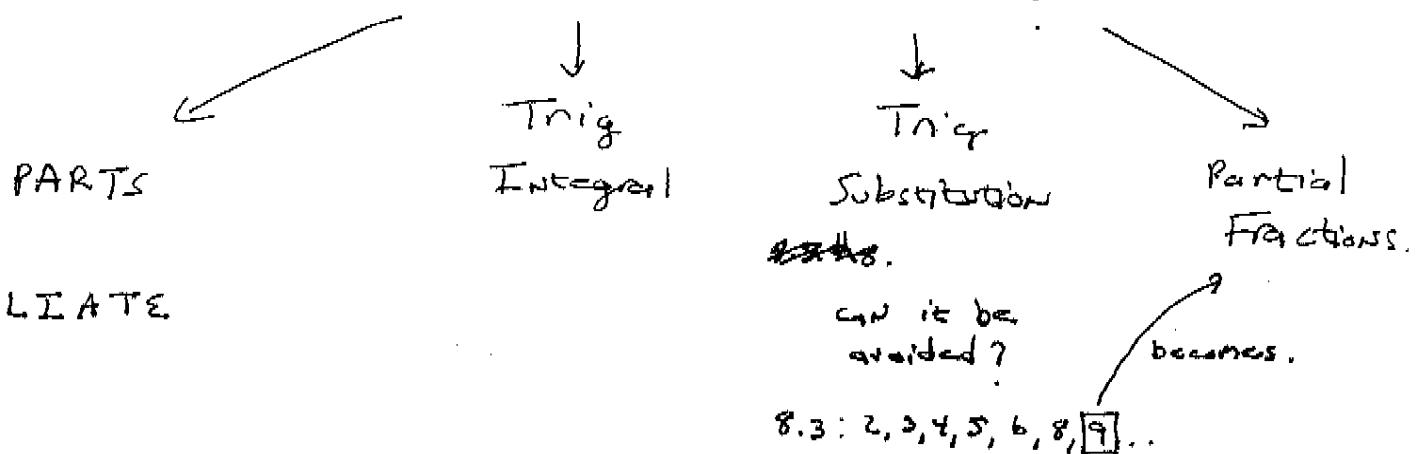


Table of Integration Formulas Constants of integration have been omitted.

1. $\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$ ($n \neq -1$)

2. $\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x|$

3. $\int e^x dx = e^x$

4. $\int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\ln a}$

5. $\int \sin x dx = -\cos x$

6. $\int \cos x dx = \sin x$

7. $\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x$

8. $\int \csc^2 x dx = -\cot x$

9. $\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x$

10. $\int \csc x \cot x dx = -\csc x$

*11. $\int \sec x dx = \ln|\sec x + \tan x|$

*12. $\int \csc x dx = \ln|\csc x - \cot x|$

*13. $\int \tan x dx = \ln|\sec x|$

*14. $\int \cot x dx = \ln|\sin x|$

*15. $\int \sinh x dx = \cosh x$

*16. $\int \cosh x dx = \sinh x$

17. $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 + a^2} = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$

18. $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$

*19. $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 - a^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \frac{x-a}{x+a} \right|$

*20. $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2}} = \ln|x \pm \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2}|$