

MA 112 - Calculus II  
Worksheet # 5  
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1. Compute the following integrals:

•  $\int \frac{3x+2}{x^2-5x+6} dx$

$$x^2 - 5x + 6 = (x - 2)(x - 3).$$

Write

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

Then (using root substitution method)

$$\begin{aligned} 3x + 2 &= A(x - 3) + B(x - 2) \\ 3 \cdot 3 + 2 &= A \cdot 0 + B(3 - 2), \quad B = 11 \\ 3 \cdot 2 + 2 &= A(2 - 3) + B \cdot 0, \quad A = -8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{3x + 2}{x^2 - 5x + 6} dx &= -8 \int \frac{dx}{x - 2} + 11 \int \frac{dx}{x - 3} \\ &= -8 \ln |x - 2| + 11 \ln |x - 3| + C \end{aligned}$$

•  $\int_4^5 \frac{3x^4+2}{x^2-5x+6} dx$

Using long division we get:

$$\begin{aligned} 3x^4 + 2 &= (x^2 - 5x + 6)(3x^2 + 15x + 57) + 195x - 340 \\ \frac{3x^4 + 2}{x^2 - 5x + 6} &= 3x^2 + 15x + 57 + \frac{195x - 340}{x^2 - 5x + 6} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{195x - 340}{(x - 2)(x - 3)} = \frac{A}{x - 2} + \frac{B}{x - 3}$$

$$195x - 340 = A(x - 3) + B(x - 2)$$

$$195x - 340 = (A + B)x - 3A - 2B$$

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$$A + B = 195, \quad 3A + 2B = 340$$

$$B = 195 - A, \quad 3A + 2(195 - A) = 340$$

$$A = -50, \quad B = 245$$

$$\int_4^5 \frac{3x^4 + 2}{x^2 - 5x + 6} dx = \int_4^5 (3x^2 + 15x + 57) dx - 50 \int_4^5 \frac{dx}{x - 2} + 245 \int_4^5 \frac{dx}{x - 3}$$

$$= \frac{371}{2} - 50 \ln \left| \frac{5 - 2}{4 - 2} \right| + 245 \ln \left| \frac{5 - 3}{4 - 3} \right|$$

$$= \frac{371}{2} - 50 \ln \frac{3}{2} + 245 \ln 2$$

•  $\int \frac{3x^2 + 2}{x^3 - 7x + 6} dx$

$$x^3 - 7x + 6 = (x - 1)(x^2 + x - 6) = (x - 1)(x - 2)(x + 3)$$

Write:

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

$$3x^2 + 2 = A(x - 2)(x + 3) + B(x - 1)(x + 3) + C(x - 1)(x - 2)$$

$$3 \cdot 1 + 2 = A(1 - 2)(1 + 3) + B \cdot 0 + C \cdot 0, \quad A = -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$3 \cdot 4 + 2 = A \cdot 0 + B(2 - 1)(2 + 3) + C \cdot 0, \quad B = \frac{14}{5}$$

$$3 \cdot 9 + 2 = A \cdot 0 + B \cdot 0 + C(-3 - 1)(-3 - 2), \quad C = \frac{29}{20}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{3x^2 + 2}{x^3 - 7x + 6} dx &= -\frac{5}{4} \int \frac{dx}{x-1} + \frac{14}{5} \int \frac{dx}{x-2} + \frac{29}{20} \int \frac{dx}{x+3} \\ &= -\frac{5}{4} \ln|x-1| + \frac{14}{5} \ln|x-2| + \frac{29}{20} \ln|x+3| + C\end{aligned}$$

•  $\int \frac{(x^2+1)dx}{x^3+7x^2+16x+12}$

$$x^3 + 7x^2 + 16x + 12 = (x+2)(x^2 + 5x + 6) = (x+2)^2(x+3)$$

Write:

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{(x+2)^2(x+3)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{(x+2)^2} + \frac{C}{x+3}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + 1 &= A(x+2)(x+3) + B(x+3) + C(x+2)^2 \\ x^2 + 1 &= Ax^2 + 5Ax + 6A + Bx + 3B + Cx^2 + 4Cx + 4C \\ &= (A+C)x^2 + (5A+B+4C)x + 6A+3B+4C\end{aligned}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned}A + C &= 1 \\ 5A + B + 4C &= 0 \\ 6A + 3B + 4C &= 1\end{aligned}$$

Subtract 5 times equation 1 from equation 2 and 6 times equation 1 from equation 3 to get

$$\begin{aligned}A + C &= 1 \\ B - C &= -5 \\ 3B - 2C &= -5\end{aligned}$$

Subtract 3 times equation 2 from equation 3 to get

$$\begin{aligned}A + C &= 1 \\ B - C &= -5 \\ C &= 10\end{aligned}$$

We then get iteratively  $C = 10, B = 5$ , and  $A = -9$ .

Alternatively

$$x^2 + 1 = A(x + 2)(x + 3) + B(x + 3) + C(x + 2)^2$$

Plug in  $x = -2$

$$5 = 0 \cdot A + B(-2 + 3) + 0 \cdot C, B = 5$$

Plug in  $x = -3$

$$10 = 0 \cdot A + 0 \cdot B + C(-3 + 2)^2, C = 10$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + 1 &= A(x + 2)(x + 3) + 5(x + 3) + 10(x + 2)^2 \\x^2 + 1 - 5(x + 3) - 10(x + 2)^2 &= A(x + 2)(x + 3) \\-9x^2 - 54 - 45x &= A(x + 2)(x + 3) \\-9(x + 3)(x + 2) &= A(x + 2)(x + 3), A = -9\end{aligned}$$

•  $\int \frac{x+2}{x^4-1} dx$

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

Write

$$\frac{x + 2}{x^4 - 1} = \frac{A}{x - 1} + \frac{B}{x + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 1}$$

$$x + 2 = A(x + 1)(x^2 + 1) + B(x - 1)(x^2 + 1) + (Cx + D)(x - 1)(x + 1)$$

$$x + 2 = (A + B + C)x^3 + (A - B + D)x^2 + (A + B - C)x + A - B - D$$

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System of equations method:

$$x + 2 = (A + B + C)x^3 + (A - B + D)x^2 + (A + B - C)x + A - B - D$$

$$A + B + C = 0$$

$$A - B + D = 0$$

$$A + B - C = 1$$

$$A - B - D = 2$$

Subtract equation 1 from equations 2,3,4 to get

$$\begin{aligned} A + B + C &= 0 \\ -2B - C + D &= 0 \\ -2C &= 1 \\ -2B - C - D &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Subtract equation 2 from equation 4 to get

$$\begin{aligned} A + B + C &= 0 \\ -2B - C + D &= 0 \\ -2C &= 1 \\ -2D &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Now we get  $D = -1, C = -\frac{1}{2}, B = \frac{-1}{2}(1 - \frac{1}{2}) = -\frac{1}{4}, A = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$

Root substitution method:

$$x + 2 = A(x+1)(x^2+1) + B(x-1)(x^2+1) + (Cx+D)(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$-1 + 2 = A \cdot 0 + B(-1 - 1)(1 + 1) + (-C + D) \cdot 0$$

$$1 + 2 = A(1 + 1)(1 + 1) + B \cdot 0 + (C + D) \cdot 0, A = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$x + 2 - \frac{3}{4}(x+1)(x^2+1) + \frac{1}{4}(x-1)(x^2+1) = (Cx+D)(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}x^3 - x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x + 1 = (Cx+D)(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}(x-1)(x+2)(x+1) = (Cx+D)(x-1)(x+1), C = -\frac{1}{2}, D = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x+2}{x^4-1} dx &= \frac{3}{4} \int \frac{dx}{x-1} - \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{dx}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(x+2) dx}{x^2+1} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{4} \ln|x+1| - \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{2x dx}{x^2+1} - \int \frac{dx}{x^2+1} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{4} \ln|x+1| - \frac{1}{4} \ln(x^2+1) - \arctan x + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\bullet \int_1^2 \frac{(x^2+1)}{(x+1)(x^2+4x+13)} dx$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{(x + 1)(x^2 + 4x + 13)} = \frac{A}{x + 1} + \frac{Bx + C}{x^2 + 4x + 13}$$

$$x^2 + 1 = A(x^2 + 4x + 13) + (Bx + C)(x + 1)$$

$$1 + 1 = A(1 - 4 + 13) + (-B + C) \cdot 0$$

$$A = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$x^2 + 1 - \frac{1}{5}(x^2 + 4x + 13) = (Bx + C)(x + 1)$$

$$\frac{4}{5}(x + 1)(x - 2) = (Bx + C)(x + 1), \quad B = \frac{4}{5}, \quad C = -\frac{8}{5}$$

$$x^2 + 1 = A(x^2 + 4x + 13) + (Bx + C)(x + 1)$$

$$x^2 + 1 = (A + B)x^2 + (4A + B + C)x + 13A + C$$

$$A + B = 1$$

$$4A + B + C = 0$$

$$13A + C = 1$$

$$A + B = 1$$

$$-3B + C = -4$$

$$-13B + C = -12$$

Divide equation 2 by -3.

$$A + B = 1$$

$$B - \frac{C}{3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$-13B + C = -12$$

Add 13 times equation 2 to equation 3

$$A + B = 1$$

$$B - \frac{C}{3} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{13}{3}\right)C = -12 + \frac{52}{3}, -\frac{10}{3}C = \frac{16}{3}$$

$$C = -\frac{8}{5}, B = \frac{4}{3} - \frac{18}{35} = \frac{4}{5}, A = 1 - \frac{4}{5} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^2 \frac{(x^2 + 1)dx}{(x + 1)(x^2 + 4x + 13)} dx &= \frac{1}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{dx}{x + 1} + \frac{4}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{x - 2}{x^2 + 4x + 13} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{dx}{x + 1} + \frac{2}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{2x + 4}{x^2 + 4x + 13} dx + \frac{4}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{4}{x^2 + 4x + 13} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{dx}{x + 1} + \frac{2}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{d(x^2 + 4x + 13)}{x^2 + 4x + 13} + \frac{4}{5} \int_1^2 \frac{4}{(x + 2)^2 + 9} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{5} [\ln |x + 1|]_1^2 + \frac{2}{5} [\ln |x^2 + 4x + 13|]_1^2 + \frac{2}{5} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \arctan \frac{x + 2}{3} \right]_1^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \ln \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) + \frac{2}{5} \ln \left( \frac{25}{18} \right) + \frac{2}{15} \arctan \left( \frac{4}{3} \right) - \frac{2}{15} \arctan \left( \frac{3}{3} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \ln \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) + \frac{2}{5} \ln \left( \frac{25}{18} \right) + \frac{2}{15} \arctan \left( \frac{4}{3} \right) - \frac{\pi}{30} \end{aligned}$$

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