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Try

$$\int \underbrace{x^3}_{u(x)} \underbrace{e^x}_{\frac{dv}{dx}} dx$$

(2.1) Trigonometric Integrals

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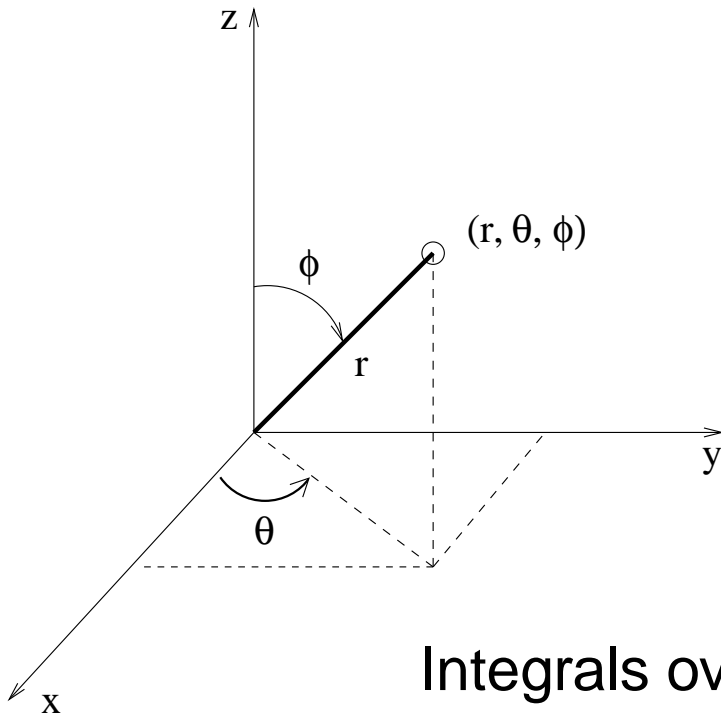
$$\int \cos^8 x dx$$

$$\int \tan^3 x \sec^2 x dx$$

$$\int \sinh^3 x \cosh^6 x dx$$

Who Cares?

Many problems in three dimensional space can be simplified using spherical polar co-ordinates



$$x = r \sin \phi \cos \theta$$

$$y = r \sin \phi \sin \theta$$

$$z = r \cos \phi$$

Integrals over powers of trig functions then arise, e.g., volume calculations, charge distributions, acoustic vibrations, angular momentum of electrons, trajectories of falling space junk

<http://sn-callisto.jsc.nasa.gov/index.html>

Example

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

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- If n is **odd**, use the analogous method with the roles of $\sin x$ and $\cos x$ interchanged.

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$$\int \cos^m x \sin^n x dx$$

- If both m and n are even, we use the identities

$$\cos^2 x = \frac{1 + \cos 2x}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \sin^2 x = \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2}$$

to change the integral into a sum of integrals of the form

$$\int \cos^j 2x dx$$

if j is odd, we use the method of the first section

if j is even, we use the method of this section again.

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(2.1.2)

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Use the identities

$$\sin A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} (\sin(A + B) + \sin(A - B))$$

$$\sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2} (\cos(A - B) - \cos(A + B))$$

$$\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} (\cos(A - B) + \cos(A + B))$$

Example

$$\int \sin 3x \sin 2x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int (\cos(3x - 2x) - \cos(3x + 2x)) \, dx$$

(2.1.3) $\int \tan^n x \, dx$ or $\int \sec^n x \, dx$

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• Reduction Formula (apply repeatedly)

$$\begin{aligned} I_n = \int \tan^n x \, dx &= \int \tan^{n-2} x (\tan^2 x) \, dx \\ &= \int \tan^{n-2} x (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx = \frac{\tan^{n-1} x}{n-1} - I_{n-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(until)} \quad I_1 = \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \, dx = \ln |\sec x| + C \quad \text{(or)} \quad I_0 = \int dx = x + C$$

Example

$$I_4 = \int \tan^4 x \, dx$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \int \tan^2 x \overbrace{\sec^4 x}^{\text{even}} dx &= \int (\tan^2 x \sec^2 x) \overbrace{\sec^2 x}^{\text{factor}} dx \\ &= \int \underbrace{\tan^2 x (1 + \tan^2 x)}_{u=\tan x} \sec^2 x dx \end{aligned}$$

(2.2) Reduction formulae

Suppose we have an integrand that is a function of both an independent variable x and an integral index n

e.g., $\int (\log x)^n dx$, $\int x^n e^x dx$, $\int x^n \cos x dx$

If we now integrate by parts and obtain a similar integrand but with a smaller index n then we have a reduction formula that can be applied repeatedly.

In general if $\int [f(x)]^n g(x) dx$ then integrate by parts with $u(x) = [f(x)]^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = g(x)$

Example

$$I_n = \int x^n e^x dx$$

Integrate by parts with $u = x^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = e^x$

$$\begin{aligned} I_n &= \int x^n e^x dx \\ &= x^n e^x - n \int x^{n-1} e^x dx \\ &= x^n e^x - n I_{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

and $I_0 = e^x$.

Example

$$I_n = \int \sin^n x \, dx.$$

Integrate by parts with $u = \sin^{n-1} x$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} I_n &= -\sin^{n-1} x \cos x + \int ((n-1) \sin^{n-2} x \cos x) \cos x \, dx \\ &= -\sin^{n-1} x \cos x + (n-1) \int \sin^{n-2} x (1 - \sin^2 x) \, dx \\ &= -\sin^{n-1} x \cos x + (n-1)I_{n-2} - (n-1)I_n \end{aligned}$$

Now solve for I_n

$$I_n = -\frac{\sin^{n-1} x \cos x}{n} + \left(\frac{n-1}{n}\right)I_{n-2}.$$

★ Wallis's Product

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^{2m} x \, dx = \left(\frac{2m-1}{2m} \right) \left(\frac{2m-3}{2m-2} \right) \cdots \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^{2m+1} x \, dx = \left(\frac{2m}{2m+1} \right) \left(\frac{2m-2}{2m-1} \right) \cdots \left(\frac{2}{3} \right)$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{2}{1} \frac{2}{3} \frac{4}{3} \frac{4}{5} \frac{6}{5} \frac{6}{7} \cdots \frac{2m}{2m-1} \left(\frac{2m}{2m+1} \frac{\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^{2m} x \, dx}{\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^{2m+1} x \, dx} \right)$$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi}{2} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2^2}{3^2} \frac{4^2}{5^2} \frac{6^2}{7^2} \cdots \frac{(2m-2)^2}{(2m-1)^2} 2m \quad \sqrt{\pi} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(m!)^2 2^{2m}}{(2m)! \sqrt{m}}$$

(2.2.3) Proposition

$$I_{m,n} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^m \theta \sin^n \theta d\theta = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{m-1}{m+n}\right) I_{m-2,n} & \text{provided } m \geq 2 \\ \left(\frac{n-1}{m+n}\right) I_{m,n-2} & \text{provided } n \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$I_{1,1} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos \theta \sin \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \quad I_{1,0} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos \theta d\theta = 1$$

$$I_{0,1} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta d\theta = 1 \quad I_{0,0} = \int_0^{\pi/2} d\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Proof: See Notes

Example

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^3 x \sin^4 x dx = I_{3,4}$$

Sample Test Question

$$I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^n \theta \sec \theta d\theta$$

Show that

$$I_n = \frac{1}{n} \left(\sqrt{2} - (n-1)I_{n-2} \right) \quad n \geq 2$$

Hint

$$\sec \theta \tan \theta = \frac{d}{d\theta} (\sec \theta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_n &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \underbrace{\tan^{n-1} \theta}_u \underbrace{\tan \theta \sec \theta}_{\frac{dv}{d\theta}} d\theta \\ &= \tan^{n-1} \theta \sec \theta \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sec \theta (n-1) \tan^{n-2} \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta \end{aligned}$$

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 \end{aligned}$$

solve for I_n

(2.3) Trigonometric and hyperbolic substitution

Substitution is inspired guesswork. This table is for inspiration.

integral factor	substitutions		identities
$\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$	$x = a \sin \theta$ $dx = a \cos \theta d\theta$	$x = a \cos \theta$ $dx = -a \sin \theta d\theta$	$\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$
$\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}$	$x = a \sinh \theta$ $dx = a \cosh \theta d\theta$	$x = a \tan \theta$ $dx = a \sec^2 \theta d\theta$	$\sec^2 \theta = \tan^2 \theta + 1$
$\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$	$x = a \sec \theta$ $dx = a \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$	$x = a \cosh \theta$ $dx = a \sinh \theta d\theta$	$\cosh^2 \theta = \sinh^2 \theta + 1$

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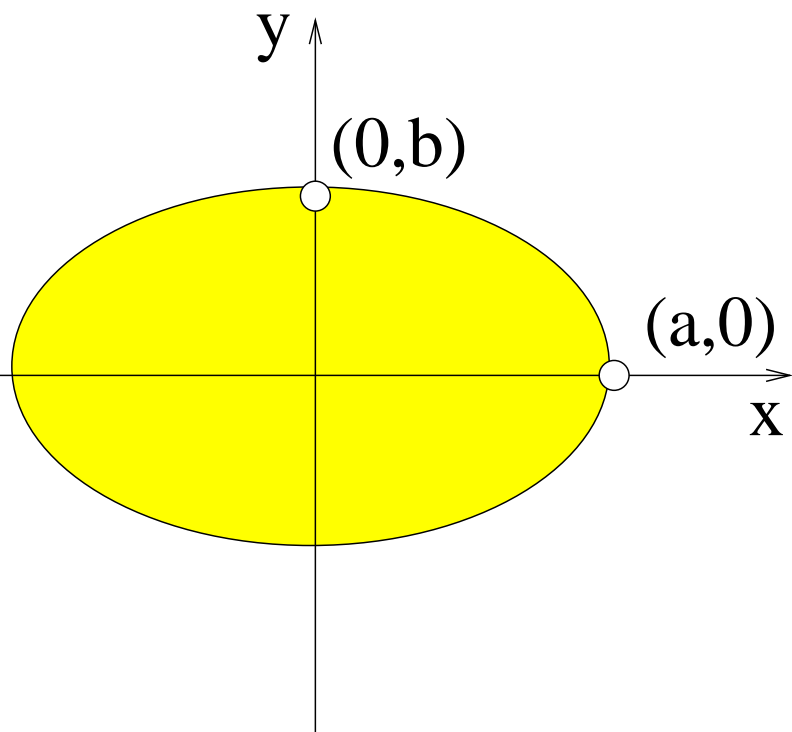
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$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int \cos \theta \cdot \cos \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{4} + C = \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin \theta \cos \theta}{2} + C \\ &= \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{2} + \frac{x\sqrt{1 - x^2}}{2} + C \end{aligned}$$

Example – Find the area of the ellipse



$$A = 4 \int_0^a \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx$$

$$A = \pi ab \quad \text{exercise}$$

Example

$$I = \int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x^2-16}} dx$$

substitution

$$x = 4 \sec \theta$$

Example

$$I = \int \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} dx \quad x \geq a \geq 0$$

substitution

$$x = a \sec \theta \text{ (see notes)}$$

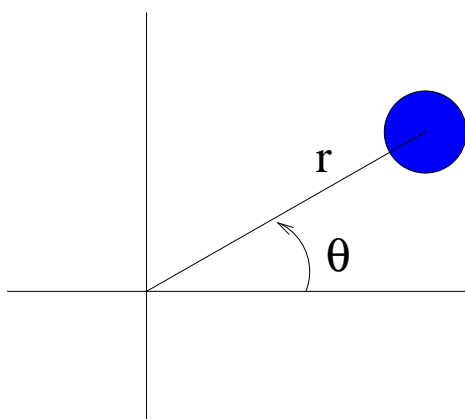
$$I = \frac{a^2}{2} \left(\frac{x\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}{a^2} - \ln \left| \frac{x}{a} + \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}{a} \right| \right) + C$$

compare the substitution

$$x = a \cosh \theta$$

Example – Planetary Motion – Kepler (1609,1619)

The motion of a planet around the sun is described by



$$\theta(r) = \int \frac{\frac{\ell}{r^2} dr}{\sqrt{2\mu(E + \frac{k}{r} - \frac{\ell^2}{2\mu r^2})}} + C$$

E, ℓ, μ, k, C are constants

What are the possible motions of the planets?

Substitute $u = \frac{1}{r}$ then $du = -\frac{1}{r^2} dr$

$$\theta(r) = \int \frac{-\ell du}{\sqrt{2\mu(E + ku - \frac{\ell^2}{2\mu} u^2)}} + C$$

Example ctd.

Complete the square in the denominator

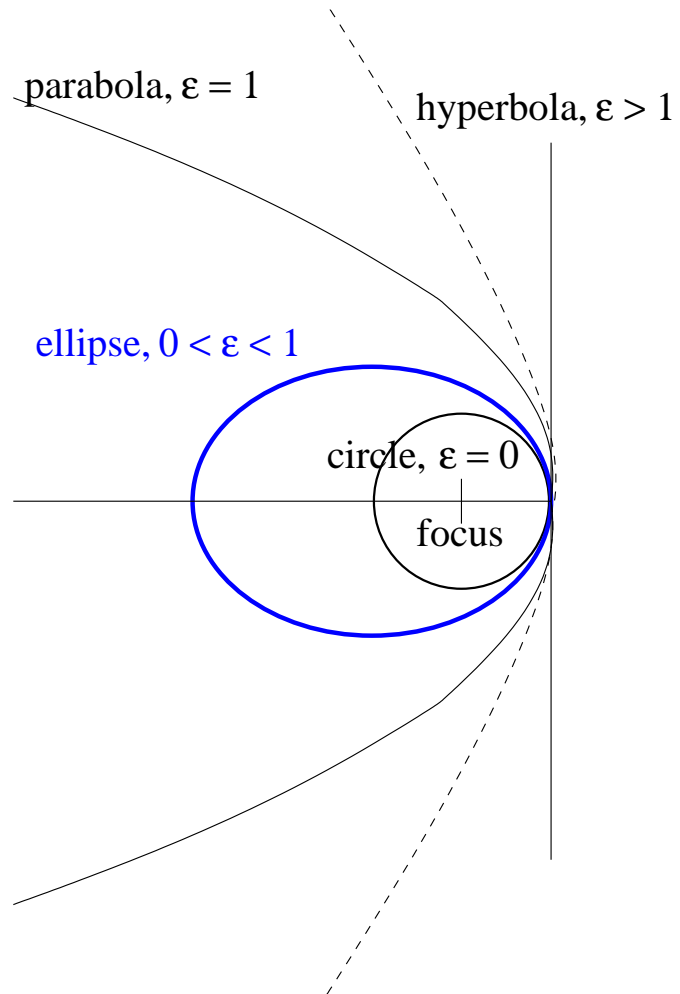
$$\theta(r) = \int \frac{-du}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{k^2\mu^2}{\ell^4} + \frac{2\mu E}{\ell^2}\right) - \left(u - \frac{k\mu}{\ell^2}\right)^2}}$$

Substitution

$$\left(u - \frac{k\mu}{\ell^2}\right) = \sqrt{\left(\frac{k^2\mu^2}{\ell^4} + \frac{2\mu E}{\ell^2}\right)} \cos \phi, \quad du = -\sqrt{\left(\frac{k^2\mu^2}{\ell^4} + \frac{2\mu E}{\ell^2}\right)} \sin \phi d\phi$$

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Example ctd.



$$\frac{\alpha}{r} = 1 + \epsilon \cos \theta$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\ell^2}{\mu k}$$

$$\epsilon = \sqrt{1 + \frac{2E\ell^2}{\mu k^2}}$$

(2.4) Rational functions and partial fractions

A rational function has the form

$$\frac{p(x)}{q(x)} \quad \text{where } p(x), q(x) \text{ are polynomial functions}$$

Example

$$\int \frac{x - 3}{(x - 2)(x^2 - 4x + 8)} dx$$

Any rational function can be integrated by **systematic reduction with partial fractions**

- **Step 1 – SIMPLIFY**
using long division

$$\frac{p(x)}{q(x)} = s(x) + \frac{r(x)}{q(x)}$$

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- **Step 3 – DECOMPOSE**
 $\frac{r(x)}{q(x)}$ as a **sum** of rational functions whose denominators contain only one of the factors of $q(x)$ from step 2.

(2.4.1) $q(x) = \alpha(x + a)$ – linear

$\deg r(x) < \deg q(x) \Rightarrow r(x) = r = \text{const}$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{r(x)}{q(x)} dx &= r \int \frac{dx}{\alpha(x + a)} \\ &= \frac{r}{\alpha} \ln |x + a| + C \quad (x \neq -a) \end{aligned}$$

Example

$$I = \int \frac{2x^3 + 7x^2 + 3}{2x + 3} dx$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 2x - 3 \\ \hline 2x + 3 \overline{) 2x^3 + 7x^2 + 3} \\ \underline{- 2x^3 - 3x^2} \\ 4x^2 \\ \underline{- 4x^2 - 6x} \\ - 6x + 3 \\ \underline{+ 6x + 9} \\ 12 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int (x^2 + 2x - 3) + \frac{12}{2x + 3} dx \\ &= \frac{x^3}{3} + x^2 - 3x + 6 \ln |2x + 3| + C \end{aligned}$$

$$(2.4.2) \quad q(x) = \alpha(x + a_1)(x + a_2) \dots (x + a_n)$$

– distinct linear factors

We can write

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Then

$$\int \frac{r(x)}{q(x)} dx = \sum_j \int \frac{A_j}{x + a_j} dx$$

How to find A_j ?

To find the constants A_j

For example, to find A_2 , multiply both sides of (\star) by $x + a_2$ then

$$\frac{r(x)}{\alpha(x + a_1)(x + a_3) \cdots (x + a_n)} = A_1 \frac{x + a_2}{x + a_1} + A_2 + \cdots + A_n \frac{x + a_2}{x + a_n}$$

Now substitute $x = -a_2$.

In effect, we find A_2 by covering up the factor $(x + a_2)$ in the denominator of $\frac{r(x)}{q(x)}$ and then substituting $x = -a_2$:

$$A_2 = \frac{r(-a_2)}{\alpha(-a_2 + a_1) \boxed{(x + a_2)} (-a_2 + a_3) \cdots (-a_2 + a_n)}$$

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(2.4.3)

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Multiply both sides of (**) by $(x + a)^k$ then **differentiate twice** and substitute $x = -a$ to find $A_{k-2} \dots$

Example

$$\int \frac{x^2 - 3}{(x-1)^3} dx$$

$$(2.4.4) \quad q(x) = \alpha(x + a_1)^{k_1}(x + a_2)^{k_2} \dots (x + a_n)^{k_n}$$

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Finding the constants A_{jk} involves solving simultaneous equations.

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– an irreducible quadratic

If $b^2 - 4c \geq 0$ then the quadratic factorizes so an earlier case applies

w.l.o.g. write $r(x) = L(2x + b) + M$

$$\int \frac{r(x)}{q(x)} dx = \frac{L}{\alpha} \int \frac{2x + b}{x^2 + bx + c} dx + \frac{M}{\alpha} \int \frac{dx}{x^2 + bx + c}$$

$$= \frac{L}{\alpha} \ln |x^2 + bx + c| + \frac{M}{\alpha \sqrt{c - \frac{b^2}{4}}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x + \frac{b}{2}}{\sqrt{c - \frac{b^2}{4}}} \right) + C$$

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$$x^2 + bx + c = \left(x + \frac{b}{2}\right)^2 + \left(c - \frac{b^2}{4}\right) \quad \text{complete the square}$$

$$= \left(c - \frac{b^2}{4}\right) \left[\left(\frac{x + \frac{b}{2}}{\sqrt{c - \frac{b^2}{4}}} \right)^2 + 1 \right]$$

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First step, write as

$$\int \frac{L(2x - 4)}{x^2 - 4x + 13} dx + \int \frac{M}{x^2 - 4x + 13} dx$$

$$\boxed{L = \frac{1}{2}} \text{ and } \boxed{M = 2}$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2} \log |x^2 - 4x + 13| + \int \frac{2}{x^2 - 4x + 13} dx$$

complete the square

$$\int \frac{2}{x^2 - 4x + 13} dx = \int \frac{2}{(x - 2)^2 - 4 + 13} dx = \int \frac{2}{(x - 2)^2 + 3^2} dx$$

put $(x - 2) = 3 \tan \theta$ or put $(x - 2) = u$ and use table result

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the first integral is easy with the substitution $u = x^2 + bx + c$.

$$I = \int \frac{dx}{(x^2 + bx + c)^j} = \frac{1}{(c - \frac{b^2}{4})^j} \int \frac{dx}{\left[\left(\frac{x + \frac{b}{2}}{\sqrt{c - \frac{b^2}{4}}} \right)^2 + 1 \right]^j}$$

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(2.4.7)

$$q(x) = \alpha(x + a_1)^{k_1} \cdots (x + a_m)^{k_m} (x^2 + b_1x + c_1)^{\ell_1} \cdots (x^2 + b_nx + c_n)^{\ell_n}$$

– general case

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Example

$$\int \frac{3x^2 - 5x + 3}{(x-1)(x^2 - 2x + 2)} dx$$

(2.5) Further Substitution Techniques

Look for a substitution that will convert the integrand to a rational function and then use the method of partial fractions.

Example

$$I = \int \frac{dt}{1 + t^{1/4}}$$

Substitute $x = t^{1/4}$ (or $x^4 = t$) then $dt = 4x^3 dx$

$$I = \int \frac{4x^3}{1 + x} dx$$

Example ctd. $I = \int \frac{4x^3}{1+x} dx$

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 4x^2 - 4x + 4 \\
 \hline
 x + 1) \quad 4x^3 \\
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$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \int 4x^2 - 4x + 4 dx - \int \frac{4}{1+x} dx \\
 &= \frac{4}{3}x^3 - 2x^2 + 4x - 4 \log |1+x| \\
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Example

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dx}{2+\cos x}$$

(2.6) MAPLE excels at integration and partial fractions but it isn't omniscient and it doesn't always simplify well

> # Example 1

> g:=x->x^3/((x+1)^2*(x^2+1));

$$x \mapsto \frac{x^3}{(x+1)^2(x^2+1)} := x \mapsto \frac{x^3}{(x+1)^2(x^2+1)}$$

> convert(g(x),parfrac,x);

$$(x+1)^{-1} - 1/2 (x+1)^{-2} - 1/2 (x^2+1)^{-1}$$

> int(g(x),x);

$$\ln(x+1) - 1/2 \arctan(x) + 1/2 (x+1)^{-1}$$

> # Example 2

> f:=x->x*(x^2+5)^8;

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> int(f(x),x);

>

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> simplify(%);

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> diff(h(x),x);

$$x(x^2+5)^8$$