

Math 125 C - Winter 2005
Mid-Term Exam Number Two Solutions
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1. (a) $-\frac{1}{24} \cos^{24} x + \frac{1}{26} \cos^{26} x + C$

(b) A u -substitution and integration by parts get you to

$$\frac{1}{3} \sin^3 x \ln(\sin x) - \frac{1}{9} \sin^3 x + C$$

2. (a) Trig substitution ($x = 2 \sec \theta$) to get

$$2^5 \left(\frac{1}{5} \frac{(x^2 - 4)^{5/2}}{2^5} + \frac{2}{3} \frac{(x^2 - 4)^{3/2}}{2^3} + \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 4}}{2} \right) + C$$

(b) Long division, then factor the denominator and use partial fractions to get

$$\frac{1}{2}x^2 + x + \frac{27}{5} \ln|x - 3| + \frac{8}{5} \ln|x + 2| + C$$

3. (a) Use $u = x^4$ and then integration by parts to get

$$\frac{1}{4}x^4 e^{x^4} - \frac{1}{4}e^{x^4} + C$$

(b) Complete the square and use $x + 3 = \sqrt{11} \tan \theta$ to get

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x + 3}{\sqrt{11}} \right) + C$$

4. (a) Use the substitution $u = e^x - 1$ and then partial fractions. The antiderivative is

$$\ln|e^x - 1| - \ln|e^x| + C$$

which is divergent as $x \rightarrow 0$ so the integral is divergent.

(b) Using $x = \tan \theta$ gets the antiderivative

$$-\frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}{x} + C$$

The limit is

$$-1 + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}.$$

5. The integral is

$$\int_0^{32} 900(9.8)\pi y^{2/5}(35 - y) dy$$

which evaluates to 41,378,545.1 J.

6. The average value of this function is

$$\frac{1}{3}k + \frac{1}{2k}$$

This function of k is minimized when $k = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$.