

7.4 partial fractions

1. (a) $\frac{1+6x}{(4x-3)(2x+5)} = \frac{A}{4x-3} + \frac{B}{2x+5}$

(b) $\frac{10}{5x^2 - 2x^3} = \frac{10}{x^2(5-2x)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{5-2x}$

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

(b) $\frac{x^2}{x^2+x+2} = \frac{(x^2+x+2)-(x+2)}{x^2+x+2} = 1 - \frac{x+2}{x^2+x+2}$

Notice that $x^2 + x + 2$ can't be factored because its discriminant is $b^2 - 4ac = -7 < 0$.

3. (a) $\frac{x^4+1}{x^5+4x^3} = \frac{x^4+1}{x^3(x^2+4)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x^3} + \frac{Dx+E}{x^2+4}$

(b) $\frac{1}{(x^2-9)^2} = \frac{1}{[(x+3)(x-3)]^2} = \frac{1}{(x+3)^2(x-3)^2} = \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{(x+3)^2} + \frac{C}{x-3} + \frac{D}{(x-3)^2}$

4. (a) $\frac{x^4-2x^3+x^2+2x-1}{x^2-2x+1} = \frac{x^2(x^2-2x+1)+2x-1}{x^2-2x+1} = x^2 + \frac{2x-1}{(x-1)^2}$ [or use long division]
 $= x^2 + \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{(x-1)^2}$

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

5. (a) $\frac{x^6}{x^2-4} = x^4 + 4x^2 + 16 + \frac{64}{(x+2)(x-2)}$ [by long division]

$$= x^4 + 4x^2 + 16 + \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{x-2}$$

(b) $\frac{x^4}{(x^2-x+1)(x^2+2)^2} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2-x+1} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+2} + \frac{Ex+F}{(x^2+2)^2}$

6.

(a) $\frac{t^6+1}{t^6+t^3} = \frac{(t^6+t^3)-t^3+1}{t^6+t^3} = 1 + \frac{-t^3+1}{t^3(t^3+1)} = 1 + \frac{-t^3+1}{t^3(t+1)(t^2-t+1)} = 1 + \frac{A}{t} + \frac{B}{t^2} + \frac{C}{t^3} + \frac{D}{t+1} + \frac{Ex+F}{t^2-t+1}$

(b) $\frac{x^5+1}{(x^2-x)(x^4+2x^2+1)} = \frac{x^5+1}{x(x-1)(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x-1} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+1} + \frac{Ex+F}{(x^2+1)^2}$

7. $\int \frac{x^4}{x-1} dx = \int \left(x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 + \frac{1}{x-1} \right) dx$ [by division] $= \frac{1}{4}x^4 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + x + \ln|x-1| + C$

8. $\int \frac{3t-2}{t+1} dt = \int \left(3 - \frac{5}{t+1} \right) dt = 3t - 5 \ln|t+1| + C$

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$$\frac{5x+1}{(2x+1)(x-1)} = \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{x-1}. \text{ Multiply both sides by } (2x+1)(x-1) \text{ to get } 5x+1 = A(x-1) + B(2x+1) \Rightarrow$$

$$5x+1 = Ax - A + 2Bx + B \Rightarrow 5x+1 = (A+2B)x + (-A+B).$$

The coefficients of x must be equal and the constant terms are also equal, so $A+2B=5$ and $-A+B=1$. Adding these equations gives us $3B=6 \Leftrightarrow B=2$, and hence, $A=1$. Thus,

$$\int \frac{5x+1}{(2x+1)(x-1)} dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{2x+1} + \frac{2}{x-1} \right) dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln |2x+1| + 2 \ln |x-1| + C.$$

Another method: Substituting 1 for x in the equation $5x+1 = A(x-1) + B(2x+1)$ gives $6 = 3B \Leftrightarrow B=2$.

Substituting $-\frac{1}{2}$ for x gives $-\frac{3}{2} = -\frac{3}{2}A \Leftrightarrow A=1$.

10.

$$\frac{y}{(y+4)(2y-1)} = \frac{A}{y+4} + \frac{B}{2y-1}. \text{ Multiply both sides by } (y+4)(2y-1) \text{ to get } y = A(2y-1) + B(y+4) \Rightarrow$$
$$y = 2Ay - A + By + 4B \Rightarrow y = (2A+B)y + (-A+4B). \text{ The coefficients of } y \text{ must be equal and the constant terms are also equal, so } 2A+B=1 \text{ and } -A+4B=0. \text{ Adding 2 times the second equation and the first equation gives us } 9B=1 \Leftrightarrow B=\frac{1}{9} \text{ and hence, } A=\frac{4}{9}. \text{ Thus,}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{y dy}{(y+4)(2y-1)} &= \int \left(\frac{\frac{4}{9}}{y+4} + \frac{\frac{1}{9}}{2y-1} \right) dy = \frac{4}{9} \ln |y+4| + \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \ln |2y-1| + C \\ &= \frac{4}{9} \ln |y+4| + \frac{1}{18} \ln |2y-1| + C \end{aligned}$$

Another method: Substituting $\frac{1}{2}$ for y in the equation $y = A(2y-1) + B(y+4)$ gives $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{9}{2}B \Leftrightarrow B=\frac{1}{9}$.

Substituting -4 for y gives $-4 = -9A \Leftrightarrow A=\frac{4}{9}$.

11.

$$\frac{2}{2x^2+3x+1} = \frac{2}{(2x+1)(x+1)} = \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{x+1}. \text{ Multiply both sides by } (2x+1)(x+1) \text{ to get}$$
$$2 = A(x+1) + B(2x+1). \text{ The coefficients of } x \text{ must be equal and the constant terms are also equal, so } A+2B=0 \text{ and } A+B=2. \text{ Subtracting the second equation from the first gives } B=-2, \text{ and hence, } A=4. \text{ Thus,}$$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{2}{2x^2+3x+1} dx = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{4}{2x+1} - \frac{2}{x+1} \right) dx = \left[\frac{4}{2} \ln |2x+1| - 2 \ln |x+1| \right]_0^1 = (2 \ln 3 - 2 \ln 2) - 0 = 2 \ln \frac{3}{2}.$$

Another method: Substituting -1 for x in the equation $2 = A(x+1) + B(2x+1)$ gives $2 = -B \Leftrightarrow B=-2$.

Substituting $-\frac{1}{2}$ for x gives $2 = \frac{1}{2}A \Leftrightarrow A=4$.

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12. $\frac{x-4}{x^2-5x+6} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{x-3}$. Multiply both sides by $(x-2)(x-3)$ to get $x-4 = A(x-3) + B(x-2) \Rightarrow x-4 = Ax-3A+Bx-2B \Rightarrow x-4 = (A+B)x + (-3A-2B)$.

The coefficients of x must be equal and the constant terms are also equal, so $A+B=1$ and $-3A-2B=-4$.

Adding twice the first equation to the second gives us $-A=-2 \Leftrightarrow A=2$, and hence, $B=-1$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 \frac{x-4}{x^2-5x+6} dx &= \int_0^1 \left(\frac{2}{x-2} - \frac{1}{x-3} \right) dx = [2 \ln|x-2| - \ln|x-3|]_0^1 \\ &= (0 - \ln 2) - (2 \ln 2 - \ln 3) = -3 \ln 2 + \ln 3 \quad [\text{or } \ln \frac{3}{8}]\end{aligned}$$

Another method: Substituting 3 for x in the equation $x-4 = A(x-3) + B(x-2)$ gives $-1 = B$. Substituting 2 for x gives $-2 = -A \Leftrightarrow A=2$.

13. $\int \frac{ax}{x^2-bx} dx = \int \frac{ax}{x(x-b)} dx = \int \frac{a}{x-b} dx = a \ln|x-b| + C$

14. If $a \neq b$, $\frac{1}{(x+a)(x+b)} = \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{x+a} - \frac{1}{x+b} \right)$, so if $a \neq b$, then

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

If $a=b$, then $\int \frac{dx}{(x+a)^2} = -\frac{1}{x+a} + C$.

15. $\frac{x^3-2x^2-4}{x^3-2x^2} = 1 + \frac{-4}{x^2(x-2)}$. Write $\frac{-4}{x^2(x-2)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x-2}$. Multiplying both sides by $x^2(x-2)$ gives $-4 = Ax(x-2) + B(x-2) + Cx^2$. Substituting 0 for x gives $-4 = -2B \Leftrightarrow B=2$. Substituting 2 for x gives $-4 = 4C \Leftrightarrow C=-1$. Equating coefficients of x^2 , we get $0 = A+C$, so $A=1$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}\int_3^4 \frac{x^3-2x^2-4}{x^3-2x^2} dx &= \int_3^4 \left(1 + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{2}{x^2} - \frac{1}{x-2} \right) dx = \left[x + \ln|x| - \frac{2}{x} - \ln|x-2| \right]_3^4 \\ &= [(4 + \ln 4 - \frac{1}{2} - \ln 2) - (3 + \ln 3 - \frac{2}{3} - 0)] = \frac{7}{6} + \ln \frac{2}{3}\end{aligned}$$

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16.

$$\frac{x^3 - 4x - 10}{x^2 - x - 6} = x + 1 + \frac{3x - 4}{(x - 3)(x + 2)}. \text{ Write } \frac{3x - 4}{(x - 3)(x + 2)} = \frac{A}{x - 3} + \frac{B}{x + 2}. \text{ Then}$$

$3x - 4 = A(x + 2) + B(x - 3)$. Taking $x = 3$ and $x = -2$, we get $5 = 5A \Leftrightarrow A = 1$ and $-10 = -5B \Leftrightarrow B = 2$,

$$\text{so } \int_0^1 \frac{x^3 - 4x - 10}{x^2 - x - 6} dx = \int_0^1 \left(x + 1 + \frac{1}{x - 3} + \frac{2}{x + 2} \right) dx = \left[\frac{1}{2}x^2 + x + \ln|x - 3| + 2\ln(x + 2) \right]_0^1 \\ = \left(\frac{1}{2} + 1 + \ln 2 + 2\ln 3 \right) - (0 + 0 + \ln 3 + 2\ln 2) = \frac{3}{2} + \ln 3 - \ln 2 = \frac{3}{2} + \ln \frac{3}{2}$$

17.

$$\frac{4y^2 - 7y - 12}{y(y+2)(y-3)} = \frac{A}{y} + \frac{B}{y+2} + \frac{C}{y-3} \Rightarrow 4y^2 - 7y - 12 = A(y+2)(y-3) + By(y-3) + Cy(y+2). \text{ Setting}$$

$y = 0$ gives $-12 = -6A$, so $A = 2$. Setting $y = -2$ gives $18 = 10B$, so $B = \frac{9}{5}$. Setting $y = 3$ gives $3 = 15C$, so $C = \frac{1}{5}$.

Now

$$\int_1^2 \frac{4y^2 - 7y - 12}{y(y+2)(y-3)} dy = \int_1^2 \left(\frac{2}{y} + \frac{9/5}{y+2} + \frac{1/5}{y-3} \right) dy = [2\ln|y| + \frac{9}{5}\ln|y+2| + \frac{1}{5}\ln|y-3|]_1^2 \\ = 2\ln 2 + \frac{9}{5}\ln 4 + \frac{1}{5}\ln 1 - 2\ln 1 - \frac{9}{5}\ln 3 - \frac{1}{5}\ln 2 \\ = 2\ln 2 + \frac{18}{5}\ln 2 - \frac{1}{5}\ln 2 - \frac{9}{5}\ln 3 = \frac{27}{5}\ln 2 - \frac{9}{5}\ln 3 = \frac{9}{5}(3\ln 2 - \ln 3) = \frac{9}{5}\ln \frac{8}{3}$$

$$18. \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{x^3 - x} = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{x(x+1)(x-1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x+1} + \frac{C}{x-1}. \text{ Multiply both sides by } x(x+1)(x-1) \text{ to get}$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 1 = A(x+1)(x-1) + Bx(x-1) + Cx(x+1) \Rightarrow$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 1 = Ax^2 - A + Bx^2 - Bx + Cx^2 + Cx \Rightarrow$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 1 = (A+B+C)x^2 + (-B+C)x - A. \text{ Equating constant terms, we get } -A = -1 \Leftrightarrow A = 1.$$

Equating coefficients of x^2 gives $1 = 1 + B + C \Leftrightarrow 0 = B + C$. Equating coefficients of x gives $2 = -B + C$.

Adding these equations gives $2 = 2C \Leftrightarrow C = 1$, and hence, $B = -1$. Thus,

$$\int \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{x^3 - x} dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x+1} + \frac{1}{x-1} \right) dx = \ln|x| - \ln|x+1| + \ln|x-1| + C = \ln \left| \frac{x(x-1)}{x+1} \right| + C.$$

Another method: Substituting 0 for x in the equation $x^2 + 2x - 1 = A(x+1)(x-1) + Bx(x-1) + Cx(x+1)$

gives $-1 = -A \Leftrightarrow A = 1$. Substituting -1 for x gives $-2 = 2B \Leftrightarrow B = -1$. Substituting 1 for x gives

$2 = 2C \Leftrightarrow C = 1$.

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19. $\frac{x^2 + 1}{(x-3)(x-2)^2} = \frac{A}{x-3} + \frac{B}{x-2} + \frac{C}{(x-2)^2}$. Multiply both sides by $(x-3)(x-2)^2$ to get

$x^2 + 1 = A(x-2)^2 + B(x-3)(x-2) + C(x-3)$. Setting $x = 2$ gives $5 = -C \Leftrightarrow C = -5$. Setting $x = 3$ gives $10 = A$. Equating coefficients of x^2 gives $1 = A + B$, so $B = -9$. Thus,

$$\int \frac{x^2 + 1}{(x-3)(x-2)^2} dx = \int \left(\frac{10}{x-3} - \frac{9}{x-2} - \frac{5}{(x-2)^2} \right) dx = 10 \ln|x-3| - 9 \ln|x-2| + \frac{5}{x-2} + C$$

20.

$$\frac{x^2 - 5x + 16}{(2x+1)(x-2)^2} = \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{x-2} + \frac{C}{(x-2)^2} \Rightarrow x^2 - 5x + 16 = A(x-2)^2 + B(x-2)(2x+1) + C(2x+1).$$

Setting $x = 2$ gives $10 = 5C$, so $C = 2$. Setting $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ gives $\frac{75}{4} = \frac{25}{4}A$, so $A = 3$. Equating coefficients of x^2 , we get $1 = A + 2B$, so $-2 = 2B$ and $B = -1$. Thus,

$$\int \frac{x^2 - 5x + 16}{(2x+1)(x-2)^2} dx = \int \left(\frac{3}{2x+1} - \frac{1}{x-2} + \frac{2}{(x-2)^2} \right) dx = \frac{3}{2} \ln|2x+1| - \ln|x-2| - \frac{2}{x-2} + C$$

21.
$$x^2 + 4 \overline{\Big|} \begin{array}{r} x \\ x^3 + 0x^2 + 0x + 4 \\ \hline x^3 + 4x \\ \hline -4x + 4 \end{array}$$
 By long division, $\frac{x^3 + 4}{x^2 + 4} = x + \frac{-4x + 4}{x^2 + 4}$. Thus,

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

22. $\frac{1}{s^2(s-1)^2} = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s^2} + \frac{C}{s-1} + \frac{D}{(s-1)^2} \Rightarrow 1 = As(s-1)^2 + B(s-1)^2 + Cs^2(s-1) + Ds^2$.

Set $s = 0$, giving $B = 1$. Then set $s = 1$ to get $D = 1$. Equate the coefficients of s^3 to get

$0 = A + C$ or $A = -C$, and finally set $s = 2$ to get $1 = 2A + 1 - 4A + 4$ or $A = 2$. Now

$$\int \frac{ds}{s^2(s-1)^2} = \int \left[\frac{2}{s} + \frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{2}{s-1} + \frac{1}{(s-1)^2} \right] ds = 2 \ln|s| - \frac{1}{s} - 2 \ln|s-1| - \frac{1}{s-1} + C.$$

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23. $\frac{10}{(x-1)(x^2+9)} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+9}$. Multiply both sides by $(x-1)(x^2+9)$ to get

$10 = A(x^2+9) + (Bx+C)(x-1)$ (*). Substituting 1 for x gives $10 = 10A \Leftrightarrow A = 1$. Substituting 0 for x gives

$$10 = 9A - C \Rightarrow C = 9(1) - 10 = -1.$$

The coefficients of the x^2 -terms in (*) must be equal, so $0 = A + B \Rightarrow B = -1$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{10}{(x-1)(x^2+9)} dx &= \int \left(\frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{-x-1}{x^2+9} \right) dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{x}{x^2+9} - \frac{1}{x^2+9} \right) dx \\ &= \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+9) - \frac{1}{3} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + C \end{aligned}$$

In the second term we used the substitution $u = x^2 + 9$ and in the last term we used Formula 10.

24. $\frac{x^2-x+6}{x^3+3x} = \frac{x^2-x+6}{x(x^2+3)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+3}$. Multiply by $x(x^2+3)$ to get $x^2-x+6 = A(x^2+3) + (Bx+C)x$.

Substituting 0 for x gives $6 = 3A \Leftrightarrow A = 2$. The coefficients of the x^2 -terms must be equal, so $1 = A + B \Rightarrow B = 1 - 2 = -1$. The coefficients of the x -terms must be equal, so $-1 = C$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^2-x+6}{x^3+3x} dx &= \int \left(\frac{2}{x} + \frac{-x-1}{x^2+3} \right) dx = \int \left(\frac{2}{x} - \frac{x}{x^2+3} - \frac{1}{x^2+3} \right) dx \\ &= 2 \ln|x| - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+3) - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1}\frac{x}{\sqrt{3}} + C \end{aligned}$$

25. $\frac{4x}{x^3+x^2+x+1} = \frac{4x}{x^2(x+1)+1(x+1)} = \frac{4x}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$. Multiply both sides by $(x+1)(x^2+1)$ to get $4x = A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)(x+1) \Leftrightarrow 4x = Ax^2 + A + Bx^2 + Bx + Cx + C \Leftrightarrow 4x = (A+B)x^2 + (B+C)x + (A+C)$. Comparing coefficients give us the following system of equations:

$$A + B = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$B + C = 4 \quad (2)$$

$$A + C = 0 \quad (3)$$

Subtracting equation (1) from equation (2) gives us $-A + C = 4$, and adding that equation to equation (3) gives us $2C = 4 \Leftrightarrow C = 2$, and hence $A = -2$ and $B = 2$. Thus,

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

26. $\int \frac{x^2+x+1}{(x^2+1)^2} dx = \int \frac{x^2+1}{(x^2+1)^2} dx + \int \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^2} dx = \int \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u^2} du \quad [u = x^2+1, du = 2x dx]$

$$= \tan^{-1} x + \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{u} \right) + C = \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2(x^2+1)} + C$$

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$\frac{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1}{(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2)} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 2}$. Multiply both sides by $(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2)$ to get

$$x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 2) + (Cx + D)(x^2 + 1) \Leftrightarrow$$

$$x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1 = (Ax^3 + Bx^2 + 2Ax + 2B) + (Cx^3 + Dx^2 + Cx + D) \Leftrightarrow$$

$x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1 = (A + C)x^3 + (B + D)x^2 + (2A + C)x + (2B + D)$. Comparing coefficients gives us the following system of equations:

$$A + C = 1 \quad (1) \qquad B + D = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$2A + C = 2 \quad (3) \qquad 2B + D = 1 \quad (4)$$

Subtracting equation (1) from equation (3) gives us $A = 1$, so $C = 0$. Subtracting equation (2) from equation (4) gives us

$B = 0$, so $D = 1$. Thus, $I = \int \frac{x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 1}{(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2)} dx = \int \left(\frac{x}{x^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{x^2 + 2} \right) dx$. For $\int \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} dx$, let $u = x^2 + 1$

so $du = 2x dx$ and then $\int \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u} du = \frac{1}{2} \ln|u| + C = \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 1) + C$. For $\int \frac{1}{x^2 + 2} dx$, use

Formula 10 with $a = \sqrt{2}$. So $\int \frac{1}{x^2 + 2} dx = \int \frac{1}{x^2 + (\sqrt{2})^2} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} + C$.

Thus, $I = \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 1) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} + C$.

28.

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

$x^2 - 2x - 1 = A(x-1)(x^2+1) + B(x^2+1) + (Cx+D)(x-1)^2$. Setting $x = 1$ gives $B = -1$. Equating the coefficients of x^3 gives $A = -C$. Equating the constant terms gives $-1 = -A - 1 + D$, so $D = A$, and setting $x = 2$ gives $-1 = 5A - 5 - 2A + A$ or $A = 1$. We have

$$\int \frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{(x-1)^2(x^2+1)} dx = \int \left[\frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{(x-1)^2} - \frac{x-1}{x^2+1} \right] dx = \ln|x-1| + \frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) + \tan^{-1} x + C.$$

$$29. \int \frac{x+4}{x^2+2x+5} dx = \int \frac{x+1}{x^2+2x+5} dx + \int \frac{3}{x^2+2x+5} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(2x+2)dx}{x^2+2x+5} + \int \frac{3dx}{(x+1)^2+4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+2x+5| + 3 \int \frac{2du}{4(u^2+1)} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \text{where } x+1 = 2u, \\ \text{and } dx = 2du \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+2x+5) + \frac{3}{2} \tan^{-1} u + C = \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+2x+5) + \frac{3}{2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x+1}{2} \right) + C$$

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30.

$$\frac{3x^2 + x + 4}{x^4 + 3x^2 + 2} = \frac{3x^2 + x + 4}{(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2)} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 2}. \text{ Multiply both sides by } (x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2) \text{ to get}$$

$$3x^2 + x + 4 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 2) + (Cx + D)(x^2 + 1) \Leftrightarrow$$

$$3x^2 + x + 4 = (Ax^3 + Bx^2 + 2Ax + 2B) + (Cx^3 + Dx^2 + Cx + D) \Leftrightarrow$$

$3x^2 + x + 4 = (A + C)x^3 + (B + D)x^2 + (2A + C)x + (2B + D)$. Comparing coefficients gives us the following system of equations:

$$A + C = 0 \quad (1) \qquad B + D = 3 \quad (2)$$

$$2A + C = 1 \quad (3) \qquad 2B + D = 4 \quad (4)$$

Subtracting equation (1) from equation (3) gives us $A = 1$, so $C = -1$. Subtracting equation (2) from equation (4) gives us $B = 1$, so $D = 2$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int \frac{3x^2 + x + 4}{x^4 + 3x^2 + 2} dx = \int \frac{x+1}{x^2+1} dx + \int \frac{-x+2}{x^2+2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{x^2+1} dx + \int \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{x^2+2} dx + 2 \int \frac{1}{x^2+(\sqrt{2})^2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+1| + \tan^{-1}x - \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+2| + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+2) + \tan^{-1}x + \sqrt{2} \tan^{-1}(x/\sqrt{2}) + C \end{aligned}$$

31.

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

Take $x = 1$ to get $A = \frac{1}{3}$. Equating coefficients of x^2 and then comparing the constant terms, we get $0 = \frac{1}{3} + B$, $1 = \frac{1}{3} - C$,

so $B = -\frac{1}{3}$, $C = -\frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{1}{x^3 - 1} dx &= \int \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{x-1} dx + \int \frac{-\frac{1}{3}x - \frac{2}{3}}{x^2+x+1} dx = \frac{1}{3} \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{x+2}{x^2+x+1} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{x+1/2}{x^2+x+1} dx - \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{(3/2)dx}{(x+1/2)^2 + 3/4} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{6} \ln(x^2+x+1) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+\frac{1}{2}}{\sqrt{3}/2}\right) + K \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{6} \ln(x^2+x+1) - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(2x+1)\right) + K \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 32. \int_0^1 \frac{x}{x^2 + 4x + 13} dx &= \int_0^1 \frac{\frac{1}{2}(2x+4)}{x^2 + 4x + 13} dx - 2 \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{(x+2)^2 + 9} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{13}^{18} \frac{dy}{y} - 2 \int_{2/3}^1 \frac{3 du}{9u^2 + 9} \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{where } y = x^2 + 4x + 13, dy = (2x+4) dx, \\ x+2 = 3u, \text{ and } dx = 3 du \end{array} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} [\ln y]_{13}^{18} - \frac{2}{3} [\tan^{-1} u]_{2/3}^1 = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{18}{13} - \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{18}{13} - \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2}{3} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2}{3} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

33. Let $u = x^4 + 4x^2 + 3$, so that $du = (4x^3 + 8x) dx = 4(x^3 + 2x) dx$, $x = 0 \Rightarrow u = 3$, and $x = 1 \Rightarrow u = 8$.

$$\text{Then } \int_0^1 \frac{x^3 + 2x}{x^4 + 4x^2 + 3} dx = \int_3^8 \frac{1}{u} \left(\frac{1}{4} du \right) = \frac{1}{4} [\ln |u|]_3^8 = \frac{1}{4} (\ln 8 - \ln 3) = \frac{1}{4} \ln \frac{8}{3}.$$

$$34. \frac{x^5 + x - 1}{x^3 + 1} = x^2 + \frac{-x^2 + x - 1}{x^3 + 1} = x^2 + \frac{-x^2 + x - 1}{(x+1)(x^2 - x + 1)} = x^2 + \frac{-1}{x+1}, \text{ so}$$

$$\int \frac{x^5 + x - 1}{x^3 + 1} dx = \int \left(x^2 - \frac{1}{x+1} \right) dx = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \ln|x+1| + C$$

$$35. \frac{1}{x(x^2 + 4)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx + C}{x^2 + 4} + \frac{Dx + E}{(x^2 + 4)^2} \Rightarrow 1 = A(x^2 + 4)^2 + (Bx + C)x(x^2 + 4) + (Dx + E)x. \text{ Setting } x = 0 \text{ gives } 1 = 16A, \text{ so } A = \frac{1}{16}. \text{ Now compare coefficients.}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 &= \frac{1}{16}(x^4 + 8x^2 + 16) + (Bx^2 + Cx)(x^2 + 4) + Dx^2 + Ex \\
 1 &= \frac{1}{16}x^4 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 1 + Bx^4 + Cx^3 + 4Bx^2 + 4Cx + Dx^2 + Ex \\
 1 &= \left(\frac{1}{16} + B \right)x^4 + Cx^3 + \left(\frac{1}{2} + 4B + D \right)x^2 + (4C + E)x + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

So $B + \frac{1}{16} = 0 \Rightarrow B = -\frac{1}{16}$, $C = 0$, $\frac{1}{2} + 4B + D = 0 \Rightarrow D = -\frac{1}{4}$, and $4C + E = 0 \Rightarrow E = 0$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int \frac{dx}{x(x^2 + 4)^2} &= \int \left(\frac{\frac{1}{16}}{x} + \frac{-\frac{1}{16}x}{x^2 + 4} + \frac{-\frac{1}{4}x}{(x^2 + 4)^2} \right) dx = \frac{1}{16} \ln|x| - \frac{1}{16} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2 + 4| - \frac{1}{4} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) \frac{1}{x^2 + 4} + C \\
 &= \frac{1}{16} \ln|x| - \frac{1}{32} \ln(x^2 + 4) + \frac{1}{8(x^2 + 4)} + C
 \end{aligned}$$

36. Let $u = x^5 + 5x^3 + 5x$, so that $du = (5x^4 + 15x^2 + 5)dx = 5(x^4 + 3x^2 + 1)dx$. Then

$$\int \frac{x^4 + 3x^2 + 1}{x^5 + 5x^3 + 5x} dx = \int \frac{1}{u} \left(\frac{1}{5} du \right) = \frac{1}{5} \ln|u| + C = \frac{1}{5} \ln|x^5 + 5x^3 + 5x| + C$$

37.

$$\frac{x^2 - 3x + 7}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 - 4x + 6} + \frac{Cx + D}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} \Rightarrow x^2 - 3x + 7 = (Ax + B)(x^2 - 4x + 6) + Cx + D \Rightarrow$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 7 = Ax^3 + (-4A + B)x^2 + (6A - 4B + C)x + (6B + D). \text{ So } A = 0, -4A + B = 1 \Rightarrow B = 1, \\ 6A - 4B + C = -3 \Rightarrow C = 1, 6B + D = 7 \Rightarrow D = 1. \text{ Thus,}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int \frac{x^2 - 3x + 7}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{x^2 - 4x + 6} + \frac{x + 1}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} \right) dx \\ &= \int \frac{1}{(x - 2)^2 + 2} dx + \int \frac{x - 2}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} dx + \int \frac{3}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} dx \\ &= I_1 + I_2 + I_3. \end{aligned}$$

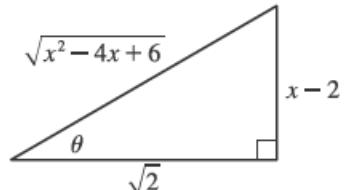
$$I_1 = \int \frac{1}{(x - 2)^2 + (\sqrt{2})^2} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + C_1$$

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x - 4}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u^2} du = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{u} \right) + C_2 = -\frac{1}{2(x^2 - 4x + 6)} + C_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= 3 \int \frac{1}{[(x - 2)^2 + (\sqrt{2})^2]^2} dx = 3 \int \frac{1}{[2(\tan^2 \theta + 1)]^2} \sqrt{2} \sec^2 \theta d\theta \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} x - 2 = \sqrt{2} \tan \theta, \\ dx = \sqrt{2} \sec^2 \theta d\theta \end{array} \right] \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4} \int \frac{\sec^2 \theta}{\sec^4 \theta} d\theta = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4} \int \cos^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{4} \int \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} (\theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta) + C_3 = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} (\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta) + C_3 \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} \cdot \frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 6}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{x^2 - 4x + 6}} + C_3 \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{3(x - 2)}{4(x^2 - 4x + 6)} + C_3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } I = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 \quad [C = C_1 + C_2 + C_3]$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{-1}{2(x^2 - 4x + 6)} + \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{3(x - 2)}{4(x^2 - 4x + 6)} + C \\ &= \left(\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{8} + \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} \right) \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{3(x - 2) - 2}{4(x^2 - 4x + 6)} + C = \frac{7\sqrt{2}}{8} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x - 2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + \frac{3x - 8}{4(x^2 - 4x + 6)} + C \end{aligned}$$



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$$38. \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x - 2}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 2x + 2} + \frac{Cx + D}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} \Rightarrow$$

$$x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x - 2 = (Ax + B)(x^2 + 2x + 2) + Cx + D \Rightarrow$$

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

So $A = 1$, $2A + B = 2 \Rightarrow B = 0$, $2A + 2B + C = 3 \Rightarrow C = 1$, and $2B + D = -2 \Rightarrow D = -2$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x - 2}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} dx = \int \left(\frac{x}{x^2 + 2x + 2} + \frac{x - 2}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} \right) dx \\ &= \int \frac{x+1}{x^2 + 2x + 2} dx + \int \frac{-1}{x^2 + 2x + 2} dx + \int \frac{x+1}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} dx + \int \frac{-3}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} dx \\ &= I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4. \end{aligned}$$

$$I_1 = \int \frac{x+1}{x^2 + 2x + 2} dx = \int \frac{1}{u} \left(\frac{1}{2} du \right) \quad \begin{bmatrix} u = x^2 + 2x + 2, \\ du = 2(x+1) dx \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \ln |x^2 + 2x + 2| + C_1$$

$$I_2 = - \int \frac{1}{(x+1)^2 + 1} dx = -\frac{1}{1} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x+1}{1} \right) + C_2 = -\tan^{-1}(x+1) + C_2$$

$$I_3 = \int \frac{x+1}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} dx = \int \frac{1}{u^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} du \right) = -\frac{1}{2u} + C_3 = -\frac{1}{2(x^2 + 2x + 2)} + C_3$$

$$I_4 = -3 \int \frac{1}{[(x+1)^2 + 1]^2} dx = -3 \int \frac{1}{(\tan^2 \theta + 1)^2} \sec^2 \theta d\theta \quad \begin{bmatrix} x+1 = 1 \tan \theta, \\ dx = \sec^2 \theta d\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= -3 \int \frac{1}{\sec^2 \theta} d\theta = -3 \int \cos^2 \theta d\theta = -\frac{3}{2} \int (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

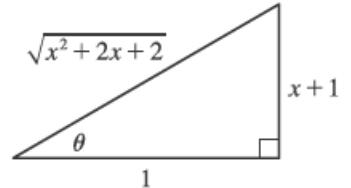
$$= -\frac{3}{2} (\theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta) + C_4 = -\frac{3}{2} \theta - \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \right) + C_4$$

$$= -\frac{3}{2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x+1}{1} \right) - \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{x+1}{\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 2}} + C_4$$

$$= -\frac{3}{2} \tan^{-1}(x+1) - \frac{3(x+1)}{2(x^2 + 2x + 2)} + C_4$$

$$\text{So } I = I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + I_4 \quad [C = C_1 + C_2 + C_3 + C_4]$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 2x + 2) - \tan^{-1}(x+1) - \frac{1}{2(x^2 + 2x + 2)} - \frac{3}{2} \tan^{-1}(x+1) - \frac{3(x+1)}{2(x^2 + 2x + 2)} + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 2x + 2) - \frac{5}{2} \tan^{-1}(x+1) - \frac{3x+4}{2(x^2 + 2x + 2)} + C \end{aligned}$$



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39. Let $u = \sqrt{x+1}$, so $u^2 = x+1$ and $2u du = dx$. Then

$$\int \frac{\sqrt{x+1}}{x} dx = \int \frac{u}{u^2 - 1} (2u du) = \int \frac{2u^2}{u^2 - 1} du = \int \left(2 + \frac{2}{u^2 - 1}\right) du.$$

$$\frac{2}{u^2 - 1} = \frac{2}{(u+1)(u-1)} = \frac{A}{u+1} + \frac{B}{u-1} \Rightarrow 2 = A(u-1) + B(u+1). \text{ Setting } u=1 \text{ gives } B=1.$$

Setting $u=-1$ gives $A=-1$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \left(2 + \frac{2}{u^2 - 1}\right) du &= \int \left(2 - \frac{1}{u+1} + \frac{1}{u-1}\right) du = 2u - \ln|u+1| + \ln|u-1| + C \\ &= 2\sqrt{x+1} - \ln(\sqrt{x+1}+1) + \ln|\sqrt{x+1}-1| + C. \end{aligned}$$

40. Let $u = \sqrt{x+3}$, so $u^2 = x+3$ and $2u du = dx$. Then

$$\int \frac{dx}{2\sqrt{x+3}+x} = \int \frac{2u du}{2u+(u^2-3)} = \int \frac{2u}{u^2+2u-3} du = \int \frac{2u}{(u+3)(u-1)} du. \text{ Now}$$

$$\frac{2u}{(u+3)(u-1)} = \frac{A}{u+3} + \frac{B}{u-1} \Rightarrow 2u = A(u-1) + B(u+3). \text{ Setting } u=1 \text{ gives } 2=4B, \text{ so } B=\frac{1}{2}.$$

Setting $u=-3$ gives $-6=-4A$, so $A=\frac{3}{2}$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{2u}{(u+3)(u-1)} du &= \int \left(\frac{\frac{3}{2}}{u+3} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{u-1}\right) du \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \ln|u+3| + \frac{1}{2} \ln|u-1| + C = \frac{3}{2} \ln(\sqrt{x+3}+3) + \frac{1}{2} \ln|\sqrt{x+3}-1| + C \end{aligned}$$

41.

Let $u = \sqrt{x}$, so $u^2 = x$ and $2u du = dx$. Then $\int \frac{dx}{x^2+x\sqrt{x}} = \int \frac{2u du}{u^4+u^3} = \int \frac{2 du}{u^3+u^2} = \int \frac{2 du}{u^2(u+1)}$.

$$\frac{2}{u^2(u+1)} = \frac{A}{u} + \frac{B}{u^2} + \frac{C}{u+1} \Rightarrow 2 = Au(u+1) + B(u+1) + Cu^2. \text{ Setting } u=0 \text{ gives } B=2. \text{ Setting } u=-1$$

gives $C=2$. Equating coefficients of u^2 , we get $0=A+C$, so $A=-2$. Thus,

$$\int \frac{2 du}{u^2(u+1)} = \int \left(-\frac{2}{u} + \frac{2}{u^2} + \frac{2}{u+1}\right) du = -2 \ln|u| - \frac{2}{u} + 2 \ln|u+1| + C = -2 \ln \sqrt{x} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{x}} + 2 \ln(\sqrt{x}+1) + C.$$

42. Let $u = \sqrt[3]{x}$. Then $x = u^3$, $dx = 3u^2 du \Rightarrow$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+\sqrt[3]{x}} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{3u^2 du}{1+u} = \int_0^1 \left(3u-3+\frac{3}{1+u}\right) du = \left[\frac{3}{2}u^2 - 3u + 3\ln(1+u)\right]_0^1 = 3\left(\ln 2 - \frac{1}{2}\right).$$

43. Let $u = \sqrt[3]{x^2+1}$. Then $x^2 = u^3 - 1$, $2x dx = 3u^2 du \Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^3 dx}{\sqrt[3]{x^2+1}} &= \int \frac{(u^3-1)\frac{3}{2}u^2 du}{u} = \frac{3}{2} \int (u^4 - u) du \\ &= \frac{3}{10}u^5 - \frac{3}{4}u^2 + C = \frac{3}{10}(x^2+1)^{5/3} - \frac{3}{4}(x^2+1)^{2/3} + C \end{aligned}$$

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44. Let $u = \sqrt{x}$. Then $x = u^2$, $dx = 2u du \Rightarrow$

$$\int_{1/\sqrt{3}}^3 \frac{\sqrt{x}}{x^2 + x} dx = \int_{1/\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{u \cdot 2u du}{u^4 + u^2} = 2 \int_{1/\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{du}{u^2 + 1} = 2[\tan^{-1} u]_{1/\sqrt{3}}^{\sqrt{3}} = 2\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

45.

If we were to substitute $u = \sqrt{x}$, then the square root would disappear but a cube root would remain. On the other hand, the substitution $u = \sqrt[3]{x}$ would eliminate the cube root but leave a square root. We can eliminate both roots by means of the substitution $u = \sqrt[6]{x}$. (Note that 6 is the least common multiple of 2 and 3.)

Let $u = \sqrt[6]{x}$. Then $x = u^6$, so $dx = 6u^5 du$ and $\sqrt{x} = u^3$, $\sqrt[3]{x} = u^2$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x} - \sqrt[3]{x}} &= \int \frac{6u^5 du}{u^3 - u^2} = 6 \int \frac{u^5}{u^2(u-1)} du = 6 \int \frac{u^3}{u-1} du \\ &= 6 \int \left(u^2 + u + 1 + \frac{1}{u-1} \right) du \quad [\text{by long division}] \\ &= 6\left(\frac{1}{3}u^3 + \frac{1}{2}u^2 + u + \ln|u-1|\right) + C = 2\sqrt{x} + 3\sqrt[3]{x} + 6\sqrt[6]{x} + 6\ln|\sqrt[6]{x}-1| + C \end{aligned}$$

46.

Let $u = \sqrt{1+\sqrt{x}}$, so that $u^2 = 1 + \sqrt{x}$, $x = (u^2 - 1)^2$, and $dx = 2(u^2 - 1) \cdot 2u du = 4u(u^2 - 1) du$. Then

$$\int \frac{\sqrt{1+\sqrt{x}}}{x} dx = \int \frac{u}{(u^2 - 1)^2} \cdot 4u(u^2 - 1) du = \int \frac{4u^2}{u^2 - 1} du = \int \left(4 + \frac{4}{u^2 - 1}\right) du. \text{ Now}$$

$\frac{4}{u^2 - 1} = \frac{A}{u+1} + \frac{B}{u-1} \Rightarrow 4 = A(u-1) + B(u+1)$. Setting $u = 1$ gives $4 = 2B$, so $B = 2$. Setting $u = -1$ gives $4 = -2A$, so $A = -2$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \left(4 + \frac{4}{u^2 - 1}\right) du &= \int \left(4 - \frac{2}{u+1} + \frac{2}{u-1}\right) du = 4u - 2\ln|u+1| + 2\ln|u-1| + C \\ &= 4\sqrt{1+\sqrt{x}} - 2\ln(\sqrt{1+\sqrt{x}} + 1) + 2\ln(\sqrt{1+\sqrt{x}} - 1) + C \end{aligned}$$

47. Let $u = e^x$. Then $x = \ln u$, $dx = \frac{du}{u} \Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{e^{2x} dx}{e^{2x} + 3e^x + 2} &= \int \frac{u^2 (du/u)}{u^2 + 3u + 2} = \int \frac{u du}{(u+1)(u+2)} = \int \left[\frac{-1}{u+1} + \frac{2}{u+2} \right] du \\ &= 2\ln|u+2| - \ln|u+1| + C = \ln \frac{(e^x + 2)^2}{e^x + 1} + C \end{aligned}$$

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48. Let $u = \cos x$, so that $du = -\sin x dx$. Then $\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x - 3 \cos x} dx = \int \frac{1}{u^2 - 3u} (-du) = \int \frac{-1}{u(u-3)} du$.

$$\frac{-1}{u(u-3)} = \frac{A}{u} + \frac{B}{u-3} \Rightarrow -1 = A(u-3) + Bu. \text{ Setting } u=3 \text{ gives } B = -\frac{1}{3}. \text{ Setting } u=0 \text{ gives } A = \frac{1}{3}.$$

$$\text{Thus, } \int \frac{-1}{u(u-3)} du = \int \left(\frac{\frac{1}{3}}{u} - \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{u-3} \right) du = \frac{1}{3} \ln|u| - \frac{1}{3} \ln|u-3| + C = \frac{1}{3} \ln|\cos x| - \frac{1}{3} \ln|\cos x - 3| + C.$$

49.

Let $u = \tan t$, so that $du = \sec^2 t dt$. Then $\int \frac{\sec^2 t}{\tan^2 t + 3 \tan t + 2} dt = \int \frac{1}{u^2 + 3u + 2} du = \int \frac{1}{(u+1)(u+2)} du$.

$$\text{Now } \frac{1}{(u+1)(u+2)} = \frac{A}{u+1} + \frac{B}{u+2} \Rightarrow 1 = A(u+2) + B(u+1).$$

Setting $u = -2$ gives $1 = -B$, so $B = -1$. Setting $u = -1$ gives $1 = A$.

$$\text{Thus, } \int \frac{1}{(u+1)(u+2)} du = \int \left(\frac{1}{u+1} - \frac{1}{u+2} \right) du = \ln|u+1| - \ln|u+2| + C = \ln|\tan t + 1| - \ln|\tan t + 2| + C.$$

50.

Let $u = e^x$, so that $du = e^x dx$. Then $\int \frac{e^x}{(e^x - 2)(e^{2x} + 1)} dx = \int \frac{1}{(u-2)(u^2+1)} du$. Now

$$\frac{1}{(u-2)(u^2+1)} = \frac{A}{u-2} + \frac{Bu+C}{u^2+1} \Rightarrow 1 = A(u^2+1) + (Bu+C)(u-2). \text{ Setting } u=2 \text{ gives } 1 = 5A, \text{ so } A = \frac{1}{5}.$$

Setting $u=0$ gives $1 = \frac{1}{5} - 2C$, so $C = -\frac{2}{5}$. Comparing coefficients of u^2 gives $0 = \frac{1}{5} + B$, so $B = -\frac{1}{5}$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{1}{(u-2)(u^2+1)} du &= \int \left(\frac{\frac{1}{5}}{u-2} + \frac{-\frac{1}{5}u - \frac{2}{5}}{u^2+1} \right) du = \frac{1}{5} \int \frac{1}{u-2} du - \frac{1}{5} \int \frac{u}{u^2+1} du - \frac{2}{5} \int \frac{1}{u^2+1} du \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \ln|u-2| - \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \ln|u^2+1| - \frac{2}{5} \tan^{-1} u + C \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \ln|e^x - 2| - \frac{1}{10} \ln(e^{2x} + 1) - \frac{2}{5} \tan^{-1} e^x + C \end{aligned}$$