

Chapter 7: Techniques of Integration: 7.4 Exercises
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7.4 Exercises

1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 Write out the form of the partial fraction decomposition of the function (as in [Example 7](#)). Do not determine the numerical values of the coefficients.

1.

a. $\frac{4 + x}{(1 + 2x)(3 - x)}$

b. $\frac{1 - x}{x^3 + x^4}$

2.

a. $\frac{x - 6}{x^2 + x - 6}$

b. $\frac{x^2}{x^2 + x + 6}$

3.

a. $\frac{1}{x^2 + x^4}$

b. $\frac{x^3 + 1}{x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x}$

4.

a. $\frac{x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 + 2x - 1}{x^2 - 2x + 1}$

b. $\frac{x^2 - 1}{x^3 + x^2 + x}$

5.

a. $\frac{x^6}{x^2 - 4}$

b. $\frac{x^4}{(x^2 - x + 1)(x^2 + 2)^2}$

6.

a. $\frac{t^6 + 1}{t^6 + t^3}$

$$\text{b. } \frac{x^5 + 1}{(x^2 - x)(x^4 + 2x^2 + 1)}$$

7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38 Evaluate the integral.

$$7. \int \frac{x^4}{x-1} dx$$

$$8. \int \frac{3t-2}{t+1} dt$$

$$9. \int \frac{5x+1}{(2x+1)(x-1)} dx$$

$$10. \int \frac{y}{(y+4)(2y-1)} dy$$

$$11. \int_0^1 \frac{2}{2x^2+3x+1} dx$$

$$12. \int_0^1 \frac{x-4}{x^2-5x+6} dx$$

$$13. \int \frac{ax}{x^2-bx} dx$$

$$14. \int \frac{1}{(x+a)(x+b)} dx$$

$$15. \int_{-1}^0 \frac{x^3-4x+1}{x^2-3x+2} dx$$

$$16. \int_1^2 \frac{x^3+4x^2+x-1}{x^3+x^2} dx$$

$$17. \int_1^2 \frac{4y^2-7y-12}{y(y+2)(y-3)} dy$$

$$18. \int_1^2 \frac{3x^2+6x+2}{x^2+3x+2} dx$$

$$19. \int_0^1 \frac{x^2+x+1}{(x+1)^2(x+2)} dx$$

$$20. \int_2^3 \frac{x(3-5x)}{(3x-1)(x-1)^2} dx$$

$$21. \int \frac{dt}{(t^2-1)^2}$$

22.
$$\int \frac{x^4 + 9x^2 + x + 2}{x^2 + 9} dx$$

23.
$$\int \frac{10}{(x-1)(x^2+9)} dx$$

24.
$$\int \frac{x^2 - x + 6}{x^3 + 3x} dx$$

25.
$$\int \frac{4x}{x^3 + x^2 + x + 1} dx$$

26.
$$\int \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{(x^2 + 1)^2} dx$$

27.
$$\int \frac{x^3 + 4x + 3}{x^4 + 5x^2 + 4} dx$$

28.
$$\int \frac{x^3 + 6x - 2}{x^4 + 6x^2} dx$$

29.
$$\int \frac{x + 4}{x^2 + 2x + 5} dx$$

30.
$$\int \frac{x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x - 5}{x^4 + 4x^2 + 3} dx$$

31.
$$\int \frac{1}{x^3 - 1} dx$$

32.
$$\int_0^1 \frac{x}{x^2 + 4x + 13} dx$$

33.
$$\int_0^1 \frac{x^3 + 2x}{x^4 + 4x^2 + 3} dx$$

34.
$$\int \frac{x^5 + x - 1}{x^3 + 1} dx$$

35.
$$\int \frac{5x^4 + 7x^2 + x + 2}{x(x^2 + 1)^2} dx$$

36.
$$\int \frac{x^4 + 3x^2 + 1}{x^5 + 5x^3 + 5x} dx$$

37.
$$\int \frac{x^2 - 3x + 7}{(x^2 - 4x + 6)^2} dx$$

38.
$$\int \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x - 2}{(x^2 + 2x + 2)^2} dx$$

39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 Make a substitution to express the integrand as a rational function and then evaluate the integral.

$$39. \int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{x-1}}$$

$$40. \int \frac{dx}{2\sqrt{x+3}+x}$$

$$41. \int \frac{dx}{x^2+x\sqrt{x}}$$

$$42. \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+\sqrt[3]{x}} dx$$

$$43. \int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt[3]{x^2+1}} dx$$

$$44. \int \frac{dx}{(1+\sqrt{x})^2}$$

$$45. \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}-\sqrt[3]{x}} dx \quad [\text{Hint: Substitute } u = \sqrt[6]{x}.]$$

$$46. \int \frac{\sqrt{1+\sqrt{x}}}{x} dx$$

$$47. \int \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x}+3e^x+2} dx$$

$$48. \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x - 3 \cos x} dx$$

$$49. \int \frac{\sec^2 t}{\tan^2 t + 3 \tan t + 2} dt$$

$$50. \int \frac{e^x}{(e^x-2)(e^{2x}+1)} dx$$


$$51. \int \frac{dx}{1+e^x}$$

$$52. \int \frac{\cosh t}{\sinh^2 t + \sinh^4 t} dt$$

53 and 54 Use integration by parts, together with the techniques of this section, to evaluate the integral.

53. $\int \ln(x^2 - x + 2) dx$

54. $\int x \tan^{-1} x dx$

55.  Use a graph of $f(x) = 1/(x^2 - 2x - 3)$ to decide whether $\int_0^2 f(x) dx$ is positive or negative. Use the graph to give a rough estimate of the value of the integral and then use partial fractions to find the exact value.

56. Evaluate

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2 + k} dx$$

by considering several cases for the constant k .

57 and 58 Evaluate the integral by completing the square and using [Formula 6](#).

57. $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 - 2x}$

58. $\int \frac{2x + 1}{4x^2 + 12x - 7} dx$

59. The German mathematician Karl Weierstrass (1815–1897) noticed that the substitution $t = \tan(x/2)$ will convert any rational function of $\sin x$ and $\cos x$ into an ordinary rational function of t .

- a. If $t = \tan(x/2)$, $-\pi < x < \pi$, sketch a right triangle or use trigonometric identities to show that

$$\cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}$$

and

$$\sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{t}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}$$

- b. Show that

$$\cos x = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$$

and

$$\sin x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$$

c. Show that

$$dx = \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$$

60, 61, 62 and 63 Use the substitution in Exercise 59 to transform the integrand into a rational function of t and then evaluate the integral.

60. $\int \frac{dx}{1 - \cos x}$

61. $\int \frac{1}{3 \sin x - 4 \cos x} dx$

62. $\int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{1 + \sin x - \cos x} dx$

63. $\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin 2x}{2 + \cos x} dx$

64 and 65 Find the area of the region under the given curve from 1 to 2.

64. $y = \frac{1}{x^3 + x}$

65. $y = \frac{x^2 + 1}{3x - x^2}$

66. Find the volume of the resulting solid if the region under the curve $y = 1/(x^2 + 3x + 2)$ from $x = 0$ to $x = 1$ is rotated about

a. the x -axis and

b. the y -axis.

67. One method of slowing the growth of an insect population without using pesticides is to introduce into the population a number of sterile males that mate with fertile females but produce no offspring. (The photo shows a screw-worm fly, the first pest effectively eliminated from a region by this method.)





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Let P represent the number of female insects in a population and S the number of sterile males introduced each generation. Let r be the per capita rate of production of females by females, provided their chosen mate is not sterile. Then the female population is related to time t by

$$t = \int \frac{P + S}{P[(r - 1)P - S]} dP$$

Suppose an insect population with 10,000 females grows at a rate of $r = 1.1$ and 900 sterile males are added initially. Evaluate the integral to give an equation relating the female population to time. (Note that the resulting equation can't be solved explicitly for P .)

68. Factor $x^4 + 1$ as a difference of squares by first adding and subtracting the same quantity. Use this factorization to evaluate $\int 1/(x^4 + 1) dx$.

69.

a. Use a computer algebra system to find the partial fraction decomposition of the function

$$f(x) = \frac{4x^3 - 27x^2 + 5x - 32}{30x^5 - 13x^4 + 50x^3 - 286x^2 - 299x - 70}$$

b. Use part (a) to find $\int f(x) dx$ (by hand) and compare with the result of using the CAS to integrate f directly. Comment on any discrepancy.

70. CAS

a. Find the partial fraction decomposition of the function

$$f(x) = \frac{12x^5 - 7x^3 - 13x^2 + 8}{100x^6 - 80x^5 + 116x^4 - 80x^3 + 41x^2 - 20x + 4}$$

b. Use part (a) to find $\int f(x) dx$ and graph f and its indefinite integral on the same screen.

c. Use the graph of f to discover the main features of the graph of

$$\int f(x) dx.$$

71. The rational number $\frac{22}{7}$ has been used as an approximation to the number π since the time of Archimedes. Show that

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x^4(1-x)^4}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{22}{7} - \pi$$

72.

- a. Use integration by parts to show that, for any positive integer n ,

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

- b. Use part (a) to evaluate

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

and

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

73. Suppose that F , G , and Q are polynomials and

$$\frac{F(x)}{Q(x)} = \frac{G(x)}{Q(x)}$$

for all x except when $Q(x) = 0$. Prove that $F(x) = G(x)$ for all x . [Hint: Use continuity.]

74. If f is a quadratic function such that $f(0) = 1$ and

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

is a rational function, find the value of $f'(0)$.

75. If $a \neq 0$ and n is a positive integer, find the partial fraction decomposition of

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^n(x-a)}$$

[Hint: First find the coefficient of $1/(x-a)$. Then subtract the resulting term and simplify what is left.]

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