

This print-out should have 5 questions. Multiple-choice questions may continue on the next column or page – find all choices before answering.

001 10.0 points

Evaluate the integral

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 x \, dx .$$

1. $I = 1$
2. $I = \frac{5}{6}$
3. $I = \frac{1}{3}$
4. $I = \frac{2}{3}$ **correct**
5. $I = \frac{1}{6}$

Explanation:

Since

$$\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x ,$$

we see that

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 - \sin^2 x) \cos x \, dx .$$

This suggests using the substitution $u = \sin x$. For then $du = \cos x \, dx$, while

$$\begin{aligned} x = 0 &\implies u = 0 , \\ x = \frac{\pi}{2} &\implies u = 1 . \end{aligned}$$

In this case,

$$I = \int_0^1 (1 - u^2) \, du .$$

Thus

$$I = \left[u - \frac{1}{3}u^3 \right]_0^1 = \frac{2}{3} .$$

002 10.0 points

Determine the indefinite integral

$$I = \int 3 \sin^2 x \cos^3 x \, dx .$$

1. $I = \sin^3 x - \frac{3}{5} \sin^5 x + C$ **correct**
2. $I = -\frac{3}{5} \sin^3 x - \cos^5 x + C$
3. $I = \frac{3}{5} \cos^3 x - \sin^5 x + C$
4. $I = -\cos^3 x + \frac{3}{5} \cos^5 x + C$
5. $I = \sin^3 x + \frac{3}{5} \sin^5 x + C$
6. $I = \frac{3}{5} \cos^3 x + \sin^5 x + C$

Explanation:

Since

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 x \cos^3 x &= \sin^2 x \cos^2 x \cos x \\ &= \sin^2 x (1 - \sin^2 x) \cos x , \end{aligned}$$

we see that I can be written as the sum

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int 3 \sin^2 x (1 - \sin^2 x) \cos x \, dx \\ &= \int 3 \sin^2 x \cos x \, dx \\ &\quad - 3 \int \sin^4 x \cos x \, dx , \end{aligned}$$

of two integrals, both of which can be evaluated using the substitution $u = \sin x$. For then

$$du = \cos x \, dx ,$$

in which case

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int 3u^2 \, du - \int 3u^4 \, du \\ &= u^3 - \frac{3}{5}u^5 + C . \end{aligned}$$

Consequently,

$$I = \sin^3 x - \frac{3}{5} \sin^5 x + C.$$

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Evaluate the integral

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/4} (1 + 2 \sin^2(\theta)) d\theta.$$

1. $I = \frac{1}{2}\pi - \frac{1}{2}$ **correct**

2. $I = 1 - \frac{1}{4}\pi$

3. $I = -\frac{1}{2}\pi$

4. $I = \frac{1}{4}\pi - 1$

5. $I = -\pi$

6. $I = \pi$

Explanation:

Since

$$\sin^2(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2\theta)),$$

the integral can be rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^{\pi/4} (2 - \cos(2\theta)) d\theta \\ &= \left[2\theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta) \right]_0^{\pi/4}. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently

$$I = \frac{1}{2}\pi - \frac{1}{2}.$$

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Evaluate the integral

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} (2 \cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x)) dx$$

1. $I = \frac{3}{2}\pi$

2. $I = 3$

3. $I = \frac{3}{4}\pi$ **correct**

4. $I = \frac{3}{2}$

5. $I = 3\pi$

6. $I = \frac{3}{4}$

Explanation:

Since

$$\cos^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(2x)), \quad \sin^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2x)),$$

we see that

$$2 \cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(3 + \cos(2x)).$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi} (3 + \cos(2x)) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[3x + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2x) \right]_0^{\pi/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently,

$$I = \frac{3}{4}\pi.$$

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Evaluate the integral

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} 3 \sin^2(x) \cos^3(x) dx.$$

1. $I = \frac{4}{5}$

2. $I = \frac{2}{5}$ **correct**

3. $I = \frac{6}{5}$

4. $I = \frac{1}{5}$

5. $I = \frac{8}{5}$

Explanation:

Since

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2(x) \cos^3(x) &= (\sin^2(x) \cos^2(x)) \cos(x) \\ &= \sin^2(x)(1 - \sin^2(x)) \cos(x) \\ &= (\sin^2(x) - \sin^4(x)) \cos(x),\end{aligned}$$

the integrand is of the form $\cos(x)f(\sin(x))$, suggesting use of the substitution $u = \sin(x)$.

For then

$$du = \cos(x) dx,$$

while

$$x = 0 \implies u = 0$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{2} \implies u = 1.$$

In this case

$$I = \int_0^1 3(u^2 - u^4) du.$$

Consequently,

$$\boxed{I = \left[u^3 - \frac{3}{5}u^5 \right]_0^1 = \frac{2}{5}}.$$

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