

§7.1 Integration by Parts

In-class Activity 7.1



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Activity 1:

Evaluate using IBP:

(a) $\int x e^x dx$

(b) $\int t^2 \sin(t) dt$

Activity 2:

Evaluate using IBP:

(a) $\int_1^3 \ln(x) dx$

(b) $\int_0^1 \tan^{-1}(x) dx$

Activity 3:

Evaluate using IBP: $\int \cos(x)e^x dx$

In this activity, it feels like you go around in a circle.

You'll do IBPs twice and come back to the original integral. If we set $I = \int \cos(x)e^x dx$, then you can re-arrange to get $2I$ (after 2 IBPs).

So I call this the “ $2I$ -trick.”

Activity 4:

Use the reduction formula to evaluate: $\int \sin^3(x) dx$

Activity 5:

Evaluate the following:

(a) $\int_0^{\pi/3} e^{2x} \cos(3x) dx$

(b) $\int x^7 (x^4 + 1)^{2/3} dx$

(Hint: By taking x^3 and grouping it with the $(x^4 + 1)^{2/3}$ term we can pull off the integration using u -sub. So, choose $dv = (x^4 + 1)^{2/3} (4x^3) dx$ and $u = \frac{1}{4}x^4$)

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