## Answers - The Camel Principle (page ??)

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

$$\int 1 dx - \int \frac{e^x}{1 + e^x} dx$$
$$= x - \ln|1 + e^x| + c$$

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2. 
$$\int \frac{1}{1+\sqrt{e^x}} dx = \int \frac{1+\sqrt{e^x}-\sqrt{e^x}}{1+\sqrt{e^x}} dx$$
$$= \int \frac{1+\sqrt{e^x}}{1+\sqrt{e^x}} dx - \int \frac{\sqrt{e^x}}{1+\sqrt{e^x}} dx$$
$$= \int 1 dx - \int \frac{\sqrt{e^x}}{1+\sqrt{e^x}} dx$$

$$x - \int \frac{\sqrt{e^x}}{1 + \sqrt{e^x}} \, dx$$

For the remaining integral, use the substitution  $u = \sqrt{e^x}$ , meaning that  $u^2 = e^x$ .

$$x = \ln u^2 = 2 \ln u$$

$$dx = \frac{2}{u} \, du$$

$$x - \int \frac{u}{1+u} \frac{2 \, du}{u} = x - 2 \int \frac{1}{1+u} \, du$$

$$x - 2\ln|1 + u| + c$$

$$x - 2\ln|1 + \sqrt{e^x}| + c$$

3. 
$$\int \sec x \, dx$$

In this case we will use the Camel Principle multiplicatively, multiplying by  $\frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x}$ . This gives us the integral:

$$\int \frac{\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x} \, dx$$

This is in the format  $\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}$ , which integrates to  $\ln |f(x)| + c$ 

Therefore, our integral is  $\ln|\sec x + \tan x| + c$ 

4. 
$$\int \csc \theta \, d\theta$$

To integrate, first multiply by  $\frac{\csc \theta - \cot \theta}{\csc \theta + \cot \theta}$ 

This changes the integral to:

$$\int \frac{\csc^2 \theta - \csc \theta \cot \theta}{\csc \theta - \cot \theta}$$

This is in the form  $\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}$ , therefore the integral is  $\ln|\csc\theta - \tan\theta| + c$ 

$$5. \int \frac{1}{1+\tan x} \, dx$$

Change the  $\tan x$  into  $\frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$  and simplify:

$$\int \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}} \, dx$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\frac{\cos x + \sin x}{\cos x}} \, dx$$

$$\int \frac{\cos x}{\sin x + \cos x} \, dx$$

Now we can use the Camel Principle. First, we double the fraction:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2\cos x}{\sin x + \cos x} dx$$

Then we add and subtract  $\sin x$  from the numerator:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2\cos x + \sin x - \sin x}{\sin x + \cos x} \, dx$$

Separate into two fractions:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \left( \frac{\cos x + \sin x}{\sin x + \cos x} + \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{\sin x + \cos x} \right) dx$$

Split into two integrals and simplify:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int 1 \, dx + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{\sin x + \cos x} \, dx$$

The first fraction integrates easily. The second integral is in the form  $\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx$ , therefore:

$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\ln|\sin x + \cos x| + c$$