

Calculus 4-80

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Problem 1.1.

$$\int_1^8 2x^{-3} dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} (-x^{-2}) = 2x^{-3}.$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_1^8 2x^{-3} dx = [-x^{-2}]_1^8.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} [-x^{-2}]_1^8 &= -8^{-2} - (-1^{-2}) \\ &= \frac{-1}{64} + 1 \\ &= \boxed{\frac{63}{64}}. \end{aligned}$$

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Problem 2.1.

$$\int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \sin x dx$$

Recall that

$$\frac{d}{dx} (-\cos x) = \sin x.$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} \sin x dx = [-\cos x]_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2}.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} [-\cos x]_{\pi/4}^{\pi/2} &= -\cos \frac{\pi}{2} - \left(-\cos \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ &= 0 - \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}. \end{aligned}$$

3**Problem 3.1.**

$$\int_4^9 3\sqrt{x} dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} (2x^{3/2}) = 3\sqrt{x}.$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_4^9 3\sqrt{x} dx = [2x^{3/2}]_4^9.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} [2x^{3/2}]_4^9 &= 2(9)^{3/2} - 2(4)^{3/2} \\ &= 54 - 16 \\ &= \boxed{38}. \end{aligned}$$

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Problem 4.1.

$$\int_0^2 (3x^2 - 6x + 2) dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x) = (3x^2 - 6x + 2).$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_0^2 (3x^2 - 6x + 2) dx = [x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x]_0^2.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} [x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x]_0^2 &= (2^3 - 3(2)^2 + 2(2)) - (0^3 - 3(0)^2 + 2(0)) \\ &= (8 - 12 + 4) - 0 \\ &= \boxed{0}. \end{aligned}$$

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Problem 5.1.

$$2 \int_1^3 \left(\frac{3}{x^2} \right) dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{-3}{x} \right) = \left(\frac{3}{x^2} \right).$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$2 \int_1^3 \left(\frac{3}{x^2} \right) dx = 2 \left[\frac{-3}{x} \right]_1^3.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \left[\frac{-3}{x} \right]_1^3 &= 2 \left(\frac{-3}{3} - \frac{-3}{1} \right) \\ &= 2(-1 - (-3)) \\ &= 2(2) \\ &= \boxed{4}. \end{aligned}$$

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Problem 6.1.

$$\int_{-1}^8 x^{1/3} dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{3}{4} x^{4/3} \right) = x^{1/3}.$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_{-1}^8 x^{1/3} dx = \left[\frac{3}{4} x^{4/3} \right]_{-1}^8.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} \left[\frac{3}{4} x^{4/3} \right]_{-1}^8 &= \frac{3}{4} (8)^{4/3} - \frac{3}{4} (-1)^{4/3} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} (16 - 1) \\ &= \frac{3}{4} (15) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{45}{4}}. \end{aligned}$$

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We will split the sum into two parts. Then we'll add the answers at the end.

Note: there are other tricks that you can use to simplify the problem. Try to find one.

Problem 7.1.

$$\int_3^9 (2x - 20) dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 - 20x) = (2x - 20).$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_3^9 (2x - 20) dx = [x^2 - 20x]_3^9.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} [x^2 - 20x]_3^9 &= ((9)^2 - 20(9)) - ((3)^2 - 20(3)) \\ &= (81 - 180) - (9 - 60) \\ &= (-99) - (-51) \\ &= \boxed{-48}. \end{aligned}$$

Problem 7.2.

$$2 \int_{-2}^3 (x - 10) dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 - 10x \right) = (x - 10).$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$2 \int_{-2}^3 (x - 10) dx = 2 \left[\frac{1}{2}x^2 - 10x \right]_{-2}^3.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned}
 2 \left[\frac{1}{2}x^2 - 10x \right]_{-2}^3 &= 2 \left(\left(\frac{1}{2}(3)^2 - 10(3) \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2}(-2)^2 - 10(-2) \right) \right) \\
 &= ((3)^2 - 20(3)) - ((-2)^2 - 20(-2)) \\
 &= (9 - 60) - (4 - (-40)) \\
 &= -51 - 44 \\
 &= \boxed{-95}.
 \end{aligned}$$

So our final answer is

$$-48 + (-95) = \boxed{-143}.$$

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The letter doesn't matter so I'm using x instead of m .

Problem 8.1.

$$\int_1^{27} (9x^{-2/3} - 2x^{-3}) dx$$

We can use the inverse power rule to get an antiderivative:

$$\frac{d}{dx} (27x^{1/3} + x^{-2}) = (9x^{-2/3} - 2x^{-3}).$$

So by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus,

$$\int_1^{27} (9x^{-2/3} - 2x^{-3}) dx = [27x^{1/3} + x^{-2}]_1^{27}.$$

Now we plug in our bounds:

$$\begin{aligned}
 [27x^{1/3} + x^{-2}]_1^{27} &= (27(27)^{1/3} + (27)^{-2}) - (27(1)^{1/3} + (1)^{-2}) \\
 &= \left(81 + \frac{1}{729} \right) - (27 + 1) \\
 &= \boxed{53 + \frac{1}{729}}
 \end{aligned}$$