## 

## PRIMITIVES - INDEFINITE INTEGRALS - INTEGRATION TECHNIQUES

## PROPOSED EXERCISES - SOLUTIONS

1. Find the generic primitive of the following functions, and indicate an interval where it can be found:

(a) 
$$f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + 9}$$

The set of all the primitives of f(x) is given by the indefinite integral

$$\int \frac{x}{x^2 + 9} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{x^2 + 9} dx = \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2 + 9) = F(x)$$

Since f(x) is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ , the primitives F(x) + c,  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  are defined on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

(b) 
$$f(x) = e^{-x} - e^{-4x}$$

$$\int \left(e^{-x} - e^{-4x}\right) dx = -e^{-x} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-4x} + c$$

Such primitives are defined on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

(c) 
$$f(x) = \frac{3 - \cos x}{3x - \sin x}$$

$$\int \frac{3 - \cos x}{3x - \sin x} dx = \log|3x - \sin x| + c$$

Such primitives are defined on  $I = (-\infty, 0)$  or  $J = (0, +\infty)$ .

2. Find the primitive such that in  $x_0$  it takes value  $y_0$ :

(a) 
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + 9}, \ x_0 = 0, \ y_0 = 2$$

$$F(x) = \int \frac{1}{x^2 + 9} dx = \int \frac{1}{9(1 + \frac{x^2}{9})} dx = \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 + (\frac{x}{3})^2} dx = \frac{1}{3} \arctan \frac{x}{3} + c$$

We have to compute c imposing the condition F(0) = 2:

$$F(0) = \frac{1}{3}\arctan\frac{0}{3} + c = 2 \Rightarrow c = 2$$

hence

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{3}\arctan\frac{x}{3} + 2$$

(b) 
$$f(x) = \frac{4}{x} \log^3 x, \ x_0 = e, \ y_0 = 0$$

$$F(x) = \int \frac{4}{x} \log^3 x dx = \log^4 x + c$$

We have to compute c imposing the condition F(e) = 0:

$$F(e) = \log^4 e + c = 0 \Rightarrow 1 + c = 0 \Rightarrow c = -1$$

hence

$$F(x) = \log^4 x - 1$$

(c) 
$$f(x) = \sin x e^{\cos x}, \ x_0 = 2\pi, \ y_0 = 0$$

$$F(x) = \int \sin x e^{\cos x} dx = -e^{\cos x} + c$$

We have to compute c imposing the condition  $F(2\pi) = 0$ :

$$F(2\pi) = -e^{\cos(2\pi)} + c = 0 \Rightarrow -e + c = 0 \Rightarrow c = e$$

hence

$$F(x) = -e^{\cos x} + e$$

3. Prove that the functions  $F(x) = \sin^2 x + 7$  and  $G(x) = -\frac{1}{2}\cos(2x) - 11$  are two primitives of the same function f(x) on  $\mathbb{R}$ ; find f(x) and say which is the constant F(x) - G(x).

F(x) and G(x) are both differentiable on  $\mathbb{R}$ . They are both primitives of the same function f(x) if F'(x) = G'(x) = f(x), for every  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Compute the derivatives:

$$F'(x) = 2\sin x \cos x = \sin(2x)$$
,  $G'(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(-2)\sin(2x) = \sin(2x)$ .

Hence 
$$F'(x) = G'(x) = f(x) = \sin(2x)$$
.

Being 2 primitives of the same function on the same interval, their difference must be constant:

$$F(x) - G(x) = \sin^2 x + 7 + \frac{1}{2}\cos(2x) + 11 = \sin^2 x + \frac{1}{2}(1 - 2\sin^2 x) + 18 = 18 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{37}{2}$$

4. Consider the function

$$f(x) = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$$

Prove that the function  $F(x) = \frac{x}{2}\sqrt{4-x^2} + 2\arcsin\frac{x}{2}$  is a primitive of f(x) on the interval (-2,2).

Prove that the function  $G(x) = \frac{x}{2}\sqrt{4-x^2} + 2\arcsin\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3}$  is a primitive of f(x) on the interval (-2,2) passing through the point  $P = (1, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})$ .

In order to prove that  $F(x) = \frac{x}{2}\sqrt{4-x^2} + 2\arcsin\frac{x}{2}$  is a primitive of  $f(x) = \sqrt{4-x^2}$  on the interval (-2,2), it is sufficient to prove that F'(x) = f(x), for every  $x \in (-2,2)$ .

$$F'(x) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2} + \frac{x}{2}\frac{-2x}{2\sqrt{4 - x^2}} + 2\frac{1/2}{\sqrt{1 - x^2/4}} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2} + \frac{-x^2}{2\sqrt{4 - x^2}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{4 - x^2}} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2} + \frac{-x^2 + 4}{2\sqrt{4 - x^2}} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2} + \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - x^2} = f(x).$$

For sure G(x) is a primitive of f(x), since differs from F(x) only by the constant  $-\frac{\pi}{3}$ .

Check that  $G(1) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ .

$$G(1) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4-1} + 2\arcsin\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 2\frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

5. Compute the integrals:

(a) 
$$\int \left(3x^4 + \frac{1}{x} + \sqrt[3]{x^2}\right) dx$$

$$= \int 3x^4 dx + \int \frac{1}{x} dx + \int \sqrt[3]{x^2} dx$$

$$= 3\frac{x^5}{5} + \ln|x| + \int x^{2/3} dx$$

$$= 3\frac{x^5}{5} + \ln|x| + \frac{x^{2/3+1}}{2/3+1} + c$$

$$= 3\frac{x^5}{5} + \ln|x| + \frac{3}{5}\sqrt[3]{x^5} + c$$

(b) 
$$\int 4x^3 (1+2x^4)^4 dx$$

$$\int 4x^3 (1+2x^4)^4 dx = \frac{1}{2} \int 8x^3 (1+2x^4)^4 dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} (1+2x^4)^5 + c$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{x \log^3 x} = \int \frac{1}{x} \log^{-3} x \, dx = -\frac{1}{2 \log^2 x} + c$$

(d) 
$$\int x^2 e^{x^3} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

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

(e) 
$$\int \frac{x^3}{1+x^8} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{x^3}{1+x^8} dx = \int \frac{x^3}{1+(x^4)^2} dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{4x^3}{1+(x^4)^2} dx = \frac{1}{4} \arctan x^4 + c$$

(f) 
$$\int \frac{x^3 + x + 1}{x^2 + 1} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

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

(g) 
$$\int \cos^3 x \, dx$$

$$\int \cos^3 x \, dx = \int \cos^2 x \cdot \cos x \, dx$$

$$= \int (1 - \sin^2 x) \cdot \cos x \, dx$$

$$= \int \cos x \, dx - \int \sin^2 x \cdot \cos x \, dx$$

$$= \sin x - \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} + c$$

(h) 
$$\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x - 4} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x - 4} dx = -\log|\cos x - 4| + c = \log(4 - \cos x) + c$$

$$(i) \int \frac{x^2}{(x^3+5)^4} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{x^2}{(x^3+5)^4} dx = \frac{1}{3} \int 3x^2 (x^3+5)^{-4} dx = -\frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{(x^3+5)^3} + c$$

$$(j) \int \frac{1}{x(1+\log^2 x)} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x(1+\log^2 x)} \, \mathrm{d}x = \arctan(\log(x)) + c$$

(k) 
$$\int \frac{1}{\tan^4 x \cos^2 x} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\tan^4 x \cos^2 x} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \tan^{-4} x \, dx = -\frac{1}{3 \tan^3 x} + c$$

(1) 
$$\int \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3 - \sin^2 x}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3 - \sin^2 x}} \, dx = \int \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{1 - \frac{\sin^2 x}{3}}} \, dx$$
$$= \int \frac{\frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3}}}{\sqrt{1 - (\frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{3}})^2}} \, dx = \arcsin\left(\frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + c$$

$$(m) \int (2x+3)^3 dx$$

$$\int (2x+3)^3 dx = \frac{(2x+3)^4}{8} + c$$

(n) 
$$\int \frac{1}{2-x} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{1}{2-x} \, \mathrm{d}x = -\log|2-x| + c$$

(o) 
$$\int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^3 + 2}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{3} \frac{(x^3 + 2)^{-\frac{1}{2} + 1}}{-\frac{1}{2} + 1}$$

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

$$= \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{x^3 + 2} + c$$

(p) 
$$\int \frac{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt[3]{x}}{\sqrt[4]{x}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt[3]{x}}{\sqrt[4]{x}} dx = \int \frac{x^{1/2} + x^{1/3}}{x^{1/4}} dx$$

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

$$= \int (x^{1/4} + x^{1/12}) dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{1/4 + 1}}{1/4 + 1} + \frac{x^{1/12 + 1}}{1/12 + 1} + c$$

$$= \frac{4}{5}(x^{5/4} + \frac{12}{13}x^{13/12}) + c$$

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

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

(r) 
$$\int \frac{e^{2+\sqrt{x}}}{\sqrt{x}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{e^{2+\sqrt{x}}}{\sqrt{x}} dx = 2 \int \frac{e^{2+\sqrt{x}}}{2\sqrt{x}} dx = 2e^{2+\sqrt{x}} + c$$

(s) 
$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{2x}{2\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} \, \mathrm{d}x = \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} + c$$

(t) 
$$\int \frac{e^x}{\sqrt{2e^x + 1}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{e^x}{\sqrt{2e^x + 1}} \, \mathrm{d}x = \sqrt{2e^x + 1} + c$$

$$(u) \int \frac{e^x}{4 + e^{2x}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{e^x}{4 + e^{2x}} dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{e^x}{1 + (\frac{e^x}{2})^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \arctan \frac{e^x}{2} + c$$

$$(v) \int \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3 - \sin^2 x}} \, dx$$

$$\int \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3 - \sin^2 x}} \, dx = \int \frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{1 - \frac{\sin^2 x}{3}}} \, dx$$
$$= \int \frac{\frac{\cos x}{\sqrt{3}}}{\sqrt{1 - (\frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{3}})^2}} \, dx = \arcsin\left(\frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + c$$

(w) 
$$\int \frac{\cos \log x}{x} \, dx$$

$$\int \frac{\cos \log x}{x} \, \mathrm{d}x = \sin \log x + c$$

$$(z) \int \sqrt[4]{(x-2)^3} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \sqrt[4]{(x-2)^3} \, dx = \int (x-2)^{3/4} \, dx = \frac{4}{7}(x-2)^{7/4} + c$$

6. Compute the integrals by parts:

a) 
$$\int \sqrt{x} \log x \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\begin{split} \int \sqrt{x} \log x \, \mathrm{d}x &= \frac{x^{1/2+1}}{1/2+1} \log x - \int \frac{x^{1/2+1}}{1/2+1} \frac{1}{x} \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{x^{3/2}}{3/2} \log x - \int \frac{x^{1/2}}{3/2} \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{2}{3} x^{3/2} \log x - \frac{2}{3} \int x^{1/2} \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{2}{3} x^{3/2} \log x - \frac{2}{3} \frac{2}{3} x^{3/2} + c \\ &= \frac{2}{3} x^{3/2} \left[ \log x - \frac{2}{3} \right] + c \end{split}$$

b) 
$$\int e^{2x} \sin(3x) \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int e^{2x} \sin(3x) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \sin(3x) - \int \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \cdot 3\cos(3x) \, dx =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \sin(3x) - \frac{3}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \cos(3x) - \int \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \cdot (-3)\sin(3x) \, dx \right) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \sin(3x) - \frac{3}{4} e^{2x} \cos(3x) - \frac{9}{4} \int e^{2x} \sin(3x) \, dx$$

Dunque

$$\left(1 + \frac{9}{4}\right) \int e^{2x} \sin(3x) \, dx = e^{2x} \left(\frac{1}{2} \sin(3x) - \frac{3}{4} \cos(3x)\right)$$

e finalmente

$$\int e^{2x} \sin(3x) \, dx = \frac{1}{13} e^{2x} (2\sin(3x) - 3\cos(3x)) + c$$

c) 
$$\int \arcsin x \, dx$$

$$\int \arcsin x \, dx = x \arcsin x - \int \frac{x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} \, dx$$
$$= x \arcsin x + \int \frac{-2x}{2\sqrt{1 - x^2}} \, dx$$
$$= x \arcsin x + \sqrt{1 - x^2} + c$$

$$d) \int \log^2 x \, dx$$

$$\int \log^2 x \, dx = x \log^2 x - \int x \log x \frac{1}{x} \, dx$$
$$= x \log^2 x - \int \log x \, dx$$
$$= x \log^2 x - 2x \log x + 2x + 6$$

e) 
$$\int (x+2)^2 e^x \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int (x+2)^2 e^x \, dx = (x+2)^2 e^x - \int 2(x+2)e^x \, dx$$
$$= (x+2)^2 e^x - \left(2(x+2)e^x - \int 2e^x \, dx\right)$$
$$= (x+2)^2 e^x - 2(x+2)e^x + 2e^x + c$$

f) 
$$\int \arctan x \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \arctan x \, dx = x \arctan x - \int \frac{x}{1+x^2} \, dx$$
$$= x \arctan x - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \, dx$$
$$= x \arctan x - \frac{1}{2} \log(1+x^2) + c$$

g) 
$$\int x \arctan x \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int x \arctan x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} x^2 \arctan x - \int \frac{1}{2} x^2 \frac{1}{1+x^2} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \arctan x - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{x^2 + 1 - 1}{1+x^2} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \arctan x - \frac{1}{2} \int \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+x^2}\right) \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \arctan x - \frac{1}{2} x + \frac{1}{2} \arctan x + c$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + 1}{2} \arctan x - \frac{1}{2} x + c$$

$$h) \log(1+x^2) dx$$

$$\int \log(1+x^2) \, dx = x \log(1+x^2) - \int \frac{2x^2}{1+x^2} \, dx$$

$$= x \log(1+x^2) - 2 \int \frac{x^2+1-1}{1+x^2} \, dx$$

$$= x \log(1+x^2) - 2 \int \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+x^2}\right) \, dx$$

$$= x \log(1+x^2) - 2x + 2 \arctan x + c$$

## 7. Compute the following integrals of rational functions

a) 
$$\int \frac{x}{x^2 + 4x + 3} dx$$

$$\int \frac{x}{x^2 + 4x + 3} dx = \int \frac{x}{(x+1)(x+3)} dx$$

$$\frac{x}{(x+1)(x+3)} = \frac{A}{(x+1)} + \frac{B}{(x+3)}$$

Multiplying both sides by (x+1)

$$\frac{x}{(x+1)(x+3)}(x+1) = \frac{A}{(x+1)}(x+1) + \frac{B}{(x+3)}(x+1) \Rightarrow \frac{x}{(x+3)} = A + \frac{B}{(x+3)}(x+1)$$

Evaluating in x = -1 we get  $\frac{-1}{2} = A \Rightarrow A = -\frac{1}{2}$ 

$$\frac{x}{(x+1)(x+3)} = \frac{A}{(x+1)} + \frac{B}{(x+3)}$$

Multiplying both sides by (x+3)

$$\frac{x}{(x+1)(x+3)}(x+3) = \frac{A}{(x+1)}(x+3) + \frac{B}{(x+3)}(x+3) \Rightarrow \frac{x}{(x+1)} = \frac{A}{(x+1)}(x+3) + B$$

Evaluating in x = -3 we get  $\frac{-3}{-2} = B \Rightarrow B = \frac{3}{2}$ 

Thus:

$$\int \frac{x}{x^2 + 4x + 3} dx = -\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{(x+1)} dx + \frac{3}{2} \int \frac{1}{(x+3)} dx$$
$$= -\frac{1}{2} \log(x+1) + \frac{3}{2} \log(x+3) + c$$

$$b) \int \frac{x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\frac{x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)} = \frac{A}{(x-1)} + \frac{Bx+C}{(x^2+1)}$$

Multiplying both sides by (x-1)

$$\frac{x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)}(x-1) = \frac{A}{(x-1)}(x-1) + \frac{Bx+C}{(x^2+1)}(x-1) \Rightarrow \frac{x}{(x^2+1)} = A + \frac{Bx+C}{(x^2+1)}(x-1)$$

In x=1 we get  $A=\frac{1}{2}$ 

Multiplying both sides by  $(x^2 + 1)$ 

$$\frac{x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)}(x^2+1) = \frac{A}{(x-1)}(x^2+1) + \frac{Bx+C}{(x^2+1)}(x^2+1) \Rightarrow \frac{x}{(x-1)} = \frac{A}{(x-1)}(x^2+1) + Bx+C$$

In x = i it holds

$$\frac{i}{i-1} = Bi + C$$
 
$$\frac{i}{i-1} \frac{i+1}{i+1} = Bi + C$$
 
$$\frac{1-i}{2} = Bi + C$$
 
$$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i = Bi + C \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{2}, B = -\frac{1}{2}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{(x-1)} dx + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)} dx - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{(x^2+1)} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left( +2\log(1-x) - \log(x^2+1) + 2\arctan x \right) + c$$

$$c) \int \frac{x+2}{x^2+3x+5} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$\int \frac{x+2}{x^2+3x+5} \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x+4}{x^2+3x+5} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x+3}{x^2+3x+5} \, dx + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{x^2+3x+5} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{x^2+3x+\frac{9}{4}-\frac{9}{4}+5} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{(x+\frac{3}{2})^2 + \frac{11}{4}} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{\frac{11}{4} \left(\frac{x+\frac{3}{2}}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2 + 1} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{11} \int \frac{1}{\left(\frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2 + 1} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{11} \frac{\sqrt{11}}{2} \int \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{11}}}{\left(\frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2 + 1} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{11} \frac{\sqrt{11}}{2} \int \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{11}}}{\left(\frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2 + 1} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{11} \frac{\sqrt{11}}{2} \int \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{11}}}{\left(\frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2 + 1} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+3x+5) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{11} \frac{\sqrt{11}}{2} \int \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{11}} + c$$

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

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

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

$$= \log|x-1| - \frac{1}{x-1} + c$$

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

$$\frac{3x^2 - x}{(x+1)^2(x+2)} = \frac{A}{(x+2)} + \frac{B}{(x+1)} + \frac{D}{(x+1)^2}$$

In x = 0 we have  $0 = \frac{A}{2} + B + D$ 

Multiplying both sides by

$$\frac{3x^2 - x}{(x+1)^2(x+2)}(x+2) = \frac{A}{(x+2)}(x+2) + \frac{B}{(x+1)}(x+2) + \frac{D}{(x+1)^2}(x+2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x^2 - x}{(x+1)^2} = A + \frac{B}{(x+1)}(x+2) + \frac{D}{(x+1)^2}(x+2)$$

In 
$$x = -2$$
 we get  $A = \frac{3(-2)^2 - (-2)}{(-2+1)^2} = \frac{3 \cdot 4 + 2}{(-1)^2} = 14$ 

Multiplying both sides by  $(x+1)^2$ 

$$\frac{3x^2 - x}{(x+1)^2(x+2)}(x+1)^2 = \frac{A}{(x+2)}(x+1)^2 + \frac{B}{(x+1)}(x+1)^2 + \frac{Cx + D}{(x+1)^2}(x+1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x^2 - x}{(x+2)} = \frac{A}{(x+2)}(x+1)^2 + B(x+1) + D$$

In 
$$x = -1$$
 it holds  $D = \frac{3(-1)^2 - (-1)}{(-1+2)} = \frac{3+1}{1} = 4$ 

Thus we solve the system

$$\begin{cases} \frac{A}{2} + B + D = 0 \\ A = 14 \\ D = 4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A = 14 \\ B = -11 \\ D = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\int \frac{3x^2 - x}{(x+1)^2(x+2)} dx = \int \frac{14}{x+2} dx - \int \frac{11}{x+1} dx + \int \frac{4}{(x+1)^2} dx$$
$$= 14 \log|x+2| - 11 \log|x+1| - \frac{4}{x+1} + c$$

f) 
$$\int \frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{x^2 - 4x + 4} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

Compute the polynomial division:

$$\frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{x^2 - 4x + 4} = 1 + \frac{2x - 5}{x^2 - 4x + 4}$$

and

$$\frac{2x-5}{x^2-4x+4} = \frac{2x-4-1}{x^2-4x+4} = \frac{2x-4}{x^2-4x+4} - \frac{1}{x^2-4x+4} = \frac{2(x-2)}{(x-2)^2} - \frac{1}{(x-2)^2} = \frac{2}{x-2} - \frac{2}{x-2} = \frac{2}{x-2} -$$

Thus:

$$\int \frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{x^2 - 4x + 4} \, dx = x + \frac{1}{x - 2} + 2\log|x - 2| + c$$

g) 
$$\int \frac{x^4 - 3x^2 - 1}{x^3 - 1} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

Compute the polynomial division and the partial fraction expansion:

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

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

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

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

Integrate the last summand: complete the square; observe that  $x^2 + x + 1 = \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}$ , thus:

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2 + x + 1} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \int \frac{1}{1 + \frac{4}{3} \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \int \frac{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \left[\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)\right]^2} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \arctan \frac{2x + 1}{\sqrt{3}} + c$$

Therefore

$$\int \frac{x^4 - 3x^2 - 1}{x^3 - 1} dx = \frac{x^2}{2} - \log|x - 1| - \log(x^2 + x + 1) + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \arctan \frac{2x + 1}{\sqrt{3}} + c$$

or:

$$\int \frac{x^4 - 3x^2 - 1}{x^3 - 1} dx = \frac{x^2}{2} - \log|x^3 - 1| + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \arctan \frac{2x + 1}{\sqrt{3}} + c$$

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

By partial fraction expansion:

$$\frac{1}{x^2(x^2+1)} = \frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{x^2+1}$$

Thus:

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2(x^2+1)} dx = -\frac{1}{x} - \arctan x + c$$

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

By partial fraction expansion:

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

Thus:

$$\int \frac{1}{(1-x^2)^2} dx = \frac{1}{4} \log|x+1| - \frac{1}{4} \log|x-1| - \frac{1}{4(x+1)} - \frac{1}{4(x-1)} + c$$

$$j) \int \frac{dx}{x^4 - 1} dx$$

By partial fraction expansion:

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

Hence:

$$\int \frac{dx}{x^4 - 1} dx = \frac{1}{4} \log|1 - x| - \frac{1}{4} \log|x + 1| - \frac{1}{2} \arctan x + c$$

8. Compute by substitution the following integrals of trascendent and irrational functions:

Apply the substitution  $\sqrt{x} = t$  and thus  $x = t^2$ , deriving both members dx = 2t dt and thus

$$\int \frac{1+x+\sqrt{x}}{1+x\sqrt{x}} \, \mathrm{d}x = 2 \int \frac{t^3+t^2+t}{t^3+1} \, \, \mathrm{d}t$$

Compute the polynomial division and the partial fraction expansion

$$\frac{t^3 + t^2 + t}{t^3 + 1} = 1 + \frac{t^2 + t - 1}{(t+1)(t^2 - t + 1)}$$
$$= 1 - \frac{1}{3(t+1)} + \frac{4t - 2}{3(t^2 - t + 1)}$$
$$= 1 - \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{1+t} + \frac{2}{3} \frac{2t - 1}{t^2 - t + 1}$$

Hence:

$$\int \frac{t^3 + t^2 + t}{t^3 + 1} dt = \int \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{1 + t} + \frac{2}{3} \frac{2t - 1}{t^2 - t + 1}\right) dt$$
$$= t - \frac{1}{3} \log|1 + t| + \frac{2}{3} \log(t^2 - t + 1) + c$$

Finally

$$\int \frac{1+x+\sqrt{x}}{1+x\sqrt{x}} \, \mathrm{d}x = 2\sqrt{x} - \frac{2}{3}\log(1+\sqrt{x}) + \frac{4}{3}\log(x-\sqrt{x}+1) + c$$

b) 
$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt[3]{x}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

By substitution  $\sqrt[6]{x} = t$  i.e.  $x = t^6$ , deriving both sides  $dx = 6t^5 dt$  and thus

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt[3]{x}} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{6t^5}{t^3 + t^2} \, \mathrm{d}t = \int \frac{6t^3}{t + 1} \, \mathrm{d}t$$

Compute the polynomial division and the partial fraction expansion

$$\frac{6t^3}{t+1} = 6\left(t^2 - t + 1 - \frac{1}{t+1}\right)$$

Hence:

$$\int \frac{6t^3}{t+1} = 6 \int \left(t^2 - t + 1 - \frac{1}{t+1}\right) dt$$
$$= 6 \left(\frac{t^3}{3} - \frac{t^2}{2} + t - \log|1 + t| + c\right)$$

Finally

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt[3]{x}} dx = 2\sqrt{x} - 3\sqrt[3]{x} + 6\sqrt[6]{x} - 6\log(1 + \sqrt[6]{x}) + c$$

Observe that  $\frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos x + \sin^2 x} = \frac{\sin x}{2 + \cos x - \cos^2 x}$ ; thus the integral is in the form  $\int R(\cos x) \sin x \, dx$  where R denotes a rational function; by substitution  $\cos x = t$  and thus  $\sin x \, dx = -dt$ :

$$\int \frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos x + \sin^2 x} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{1}{2 + \cos x - \cos^2 x} \, \sin x \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{1}{t^2 - t - 2} \, \mathrm{d}t$$

By partial fraction expansion

$$\int \frac{1}{t^2 - t - 2} dt = \int \frac{1}{(t - 2)(t + 1)} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \int \left(\frac{1}{t - 2} - \frac{1}{t + 1}\right) dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \log|t - 2| - \frac{1}{3} \log|t + 1| + c$$

Finally

$$\int \frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos x + \sin^2 x} \, \mathrm{d}x = \frac{1}{3} \log|\cos x - 2| - \frac{1}{3} \log|\cos x + 1| + c$$

d) 
$$\int \frac{1}{1 - \sin x + \cos x} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

By substitution:

$$\tan \frac{x}{2} = t \implies \sin x = \frac{2t}{t^2 + 1}, \cos x = \frac{1 - t^2}{t^2 + 1}$$

Then  $x = 2 \arctan t$ ,  $dx = \frac{2}{t^2 + 1} dt$  and it follows

$$\int \frac{1}{1 - \sin x + \cos x} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{1 - \frac{2t}{t^2 + 1} + \frac{1 - t^2}{t^2 + 1}} \frac{2}{1 + t^2} dt$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{\frac{t^2 + 1 - 2t + 1 - t^2}{t^2 + 1}} \frac{2}{1 + t^2} \, dt$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{2 - 2t} 2 \, dt$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{1 - t} \, dt = -\ln|1 - t| + c = -\ln\left|1 - \tan\frac{x}{2}\right| + c$$

e) 
$$\int \frac{\tan^2 x + 1}{\tan x + 1} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

By substitution  $\tan x + 1 = t$ , deriving both sides we have  $(\tan^2 x + 1) dx = dt$  and thus:

$$\int \frac{\tan^2 x + 1}{\tan x + 1} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{t} \, dt = \ln|t| + c = \ln|\tan x + 1| + c$$

$$f) \int \frac{1}{x(\log^2 x - 1)} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

By substitution  $\log x = t$ , deriving both sides we have  $\frac{1}{x} dx = dt$  and thus

$$\int \frac{1}{x(\log^2 x - 1)} dx = \int \frac{1}{t^2 - 1} dt$$
$$= \int \frac{1}{(t - 1)(t + 1)} dt$$

By partial fraction expansion

$$\frac{1}{(t-1)(t+1)} = \frac{A}{(t-1)} + \frac{B}{(t+1)}$$

Multiplying both sides by t + 1:

$$\frac{1}{(t-1)(t+1)}(t+1) = \frac{A}{(t-1)}(t+1) + \frac{B}{(t+1)}(t+1) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{t-1} = \frac{A}{t-1}(t+1) + B$$

In t = -1, we have:

$$\frac{1}{(-1-1)} = \frac{A}{(-1-1)}(-1+1) + B \Rightarrow B = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Multiplying both sides by t-1

$$\frac{1}{(t-1)(t+1)}(t-1) = \frac{A}{(t-1)}(t-1) + \frac{B}{(t+1)}(t-1) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{t+1} = A + \frac{B}{t+1}(t-1)$$

In t=1, we have:

$$\frac{1}{1+1} = A + \frac{B}{1+1}(1-1) \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence:

$$\int \frac{1}{(t-1)(t+1)} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{t-1} dt - \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{t+1} dt = \frac{1}{2} \log|t-1| - \frac{1}{2} \log|t+1| + c$$

Finally

$$\int \frac{1}{x(\log^2 x - 1)} dx = \frac{1}{2} \log|\log x - 1| - \frac{1}{2} \log|\log x + 1| + c$$

$$g) \int \frac{\log^3 x + 2}{x(\log^2 x + 1)} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

By substitution  $\log x = t$ , deriving both members we have  $\frac{1}{x} dx = dt$  and thus the integral becomes:

$$\int \frac{\log^3 x + 2}{x(\log^2 x + 1)} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{t^3 + 2}{t^2 + 1} \, \mathrm{d}t$$

Now:

$$\int \frac{t^3 + 2}{t^2 + 1} dt = \int \frac{t^3 + t - t + 2}{t^2 + 1} dt$$

$$= \int \frac{t^3 + t}{t^2 + 1} dt + \int \frac{-t + 2}{t^2 + 1} dt$$

$$= \int \frac{t(t^2 + 1)}{t^2 + 1} dt - \int \frac{t}{t^2 + 1} dt + \int \frac{2}{t^2 + 1} dt$$

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

$$= \frac{t^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \log(t^2 + 1) + 2 \arctan t + c$$

Finally:

$$\int \frac{\log^3 x + 2}{x(\log^2 x + 1)} dx = \frac{\log^2 x}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \log(\log^2 x + 1) + 2 \arctan(\log x) + c$$

$$h) \int \frac{\sinh x + 1}{\cosh x - 1} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

Notice that

$$\frac{\sinh x + 1}{\cosh x - 1} = \frac{e^x - e^{-x} + 2}{e^x + e^{-x} - 2} = \frac{e^{2x} - 1 + 2e^x}{e^{2x} + 1 - 2e^x}$$

By substitution  $e^x = t$ , and so  $x = \ln t$  and  $dx = \frac{1}{t} dt$ . The integral becomes

$$\int \frac{\sinh x + 1}{\cosh x - 1} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{e^{2x} - 1 + 2e^x}{e^{2x} + 1 - 2e^x} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

$$= \int \frac{t^2 + 2t - 1}{t^2 - 2t + 1} \, \frac{1}{t} \, \mathrm{d}t = \int \frac{t^2 + 2t - 1}{t(t - 1)^2} \, \mathrm{d}t$$

$$= \int \left(\frac{2}{t - 1} + \frac{2}{(t - 1)^2} - \frac{1}{t}\right) \, \mathrm{d}t$$

$$= 2\log|t - 1| - \frac{2}{t - 1} - \log|t| + c$$

$$= 2\log|e^x - 1| - \frac{2}{e^x - 1} - x + c$$

i) 
$$\int \frac{\sin 2x}{6\sin x - \cos 2x + 5} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

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$$\int \frac{\sin 2x}{6\sin x - \cos 2x + 5} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{\sin x}{\sin^2 x + 3\sin x + 2} \, \cos x \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{t}{t^2 + 3t + 2} \, \mathrm{d}t$$

By partial fraction expansion

$$\int \frac{t}{t^2 + 3t + 2} dt = \int \frac{t}{(t+2)(t+1)} dt = \int \left(\frac{2}{t+2} - \frac{1}{t+1}\right) dt$$
$$= 2\log|t+2| - \log|t+1| + c$$

Finally

$$\int \frac{\sin 2x}{6\sin x - \cos 2x + 5} dx = 2\log|\sin x + 2| - \log|\sin x + 1| + c$$

$$j) \int \frac{2x+5}{x+\sqrt{x-3}} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

By substitution  $\sqrt{x-3}=t$  and thus  $x=3+t^2$ , deriving both members dx = 2t dt:

$$\int \frac{2x+5}{x+\sqrt{x-3}} \, \mathrm{d}x = \int \frac{4t^3+22t^2}{t^2+t+3} \, \, \mathrm{d}t$$

Computing the polynomial division and the partial fraction expansion

$$\frac{4t^3 + 22t^2}{t^2 + t + 3} = 4t - 4 + \frac{14t + 12}{t^2 + t + 3}$$
$$= 4t - 4 + 7\frac{2t + 1}{t^2 + t + 3} + \frac{5}{t^2 + t + 3}$$

Complete the square:  $t^2 + t + 3 = \left(t + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{11}{4} = \frac{11}{4} \left[1 + \left(\frac{2t+1}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2\right]$ . Hence:

$$\int \frac{4t^3 + 22t^2}{t^2 + t + 3} dt = \int \left(4t - 4 + 7\frac{2t + 1}{t^2 + t + 3} + \frac{5}{t^2 + t + 3}\right) dt$$

$$= 2t^2 - 4t + 7\log(t^2 + t + 3) + \frac{20}{11} \int \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{2t + 1}{\sqrt{11}}\right)^2}$$

$$= 2t^2 - 4t + 7\log(t^2 + t + 3) + \frac{10}{\sqrt{11}} \arctan \frac{2t + 1}{\sqrt{11}} + c$$

Finally

$$\int \frac{2x+5}{x+\sqrt{x-3}} \, \mathrm{d}x = 2x-6-4\sqrt{x-3}+7\log(x+\sqrt{x-3})+\frac{10}{\sqrt{11}}\arctan\frac{2\sqrt{x-3}+1}{\sqrt{11}}+c$$