

$$1. \text{ Q) } \int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x^2+4}} dx$$

$$\text{A) } \int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x^2+4}} dx = \int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x^2+2^2}} dx$$

$$\text{Let } x = 2 \tan(\theta)$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{x^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{2^2 \tan^2(\theta) + 2^2} = 2\sqrt{\tan^2(\theta) + 1} = 2 \sec(\theta)$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{x^2+4}} dx = \int \frac{8 \tan^3(\theta)}{2 \sec(\theta)} dx = 4 \int \frac{\tan^3(\theta)}{\sec(\theta)} dx$$

$$= 4 \int \frac{\sin^3(\theta)}{\cos^2(\theta)} dx = 4 \int \frac{\sin^3(\theta)}{\cos^2(\theta)} dx$$