

Integration techniques 6A

1 a Integrating by parts $u = x^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = e^{\frac{x}{2}}$

$$\text{so } \frac{du}{dx} = nx^{n-1}, v = 2e^{\frac{x}{2}}$$

$$\text{So } I_n = 2x^n e^{\frac{x}{2}} - \int 2nx^{n-1} e^{\frac{x}{2}} dx$$

$$= 2x^n e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 2n \int x^{n-1} e^{\frac{x}{2}} dx$$

$$= 2x^n e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 2n I_{n-1} *$$

b $I_3 = 2x^3 e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 6I_2$

$$= 2x^3 e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 6 \left(2x^2 e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 4I_1 \right)$$

Substituting $n = 3, 2$
and 1 respectively in *

$$= 2x^3 e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 12x^2 e^{\frac{x}{2}} + 24 \left(2xe^{\frac{x}{2}} - 2I_0 \right), \text{ where } I_0 = \int e^{\frac{x}{2}} dx = 2e^{\frac{x}{2}} + C$$

$$= 2x^3 e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 12x^2 e^{\frac{x}{2}} + 48xe^{\frac{x}{2}} - 48I_0$$

$$= \text{So } \int x^3 e^{\frac{x}{2}} dx = 2x^3 e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 12x^2 e^{\frac{x}{2}} + 48xe^{\frac{x}{2}} - 96e^{\frac{x}{2}} + C$$

2 a Let $u = (\ln x)^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = x$, so $\frac{du}{dx} = n \frac{(\ln x)^{n-1}}{x}$, $v = \frac{x^2}{2}$

Integration by parts:

$$\int_1^e x(\ln x)^n dx = \left[\frac{x^2 (\ln x)^n}{2} \right]_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{nx^2 (\ln x)^{n-1}}{2x} dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{e^2}{2} - 0 \right] - \frac{n}{2} \int_1^e x(\ln x)^{n-1} dx$$

$$\text{So } I_n = \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{n}{2} I_{n-1} *$$

2 b $\int_1^e x(\ln x)^4 \, dx = I_4$

Substituting $n = 4, 3, 2$ and 1 respectively in the reduction formula *

$$I_4 = \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{4}{2} I_3$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{2} - 2\left(\frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{3}{2} I_2\right)$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{2} - e^2 + 3\left(\frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{2}{2} I_1\right)$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{2} - e^2 + \frac{3e^2}{2} - 3\left(\frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2} I_0\right), \text{ where } I_0 = \int_1^e x \, dx = \left[\frac{x^2}{2}\right]_1^e = \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \int_1^e x(\ln x)^4 \, dx &= \frac{e^2}{2} - e^2 + \frac{3e^2}{2} - \frac{3e^2}{2} + \frac{3}{2}\left(\frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2}\right) \\ &= \frac{e^2}{4} - \frac{3}{4} = \frac{e^2 - 3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

3 $\int_0^1 [(x+1)(x+2)\sqrt{1-x}] \, dx = \int_0^1 [(x^2 + 3x + 2)\sqrt{1-x}] \, dx$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^1 [x^2 \sqrt{1-x}] \, dx + \int_0^1 [3x \sqrt{1-x}] \, dx + \int_0^1 [2\sqrt{1-x}] \, dx \\ &= I_2 + 3I_1 + 2I_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } I_0 = \int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x} \, dx = \left[-\frac{2}{3}(1-x)^{\frac{3}{2}}\right]_0^1 = 0 - \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$I_1 = \frac{2}{5} I_0 = \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = \frac{4}{15} \quad \blacktriangleleft \quad \boxed{\text{Using the given formula with } n = 1}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{4}{7} I_1 = \left(\frac{4}{7}\right)\left(\frac{4}{15}\right) = \frac{16}{105} \quad \blacktriangleleft \quad \boxed{\text{Using the given formula with } n = 2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \int_0^1 [(x+1)(x+2)\sqrt{1-x}] \, dx &= \frac{16}{105} + 3\left(\frac{4}{15}\right) + 2\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \\ &= \frac{16 + 12(7) + 4(35)}{105} \\ &= \frac{240}{105} = \frac{16}{7} \end{aligned}$$

4 a Using integration by parts with $u = x^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = e^{-x}$

$$\text{so } \frac{du}{dx} = nx^{n-1} \text{ and } v = -e^{-x}$$

$$\int x^n e^{-x} \, dx = -x^n e^{-x} - \int -nx^{n-1} e^{-x} \, dx, \text{ so } I_n = -x^n e^{-x} + nI_{n-1}$$

- 4 b** Repeatedly using the reduction formula to find I_3

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= -x^3 e^{-x} + 3I_2 \\ &= -x^3 e^{-x} + 3(x^2 e^{-x} + 2I_1) \\ &= -x^3 e^{-x} - 3x^2 e^{-x} + 6I_1 \\ &= -x^3 e^{-x} - 3x^2 e^{-x} + 6(-xe^{-x} + I_0) \end{aligned}$$

But $I_0 = \int e^{-x} dx = -e^{-x} + C$

So

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= -x^3 e^{-x} - 3x^2 e^{-x} - 6xe^{-x} - 6e^{-x} + K \\ &= -e^{-x}(x^3 + 3x^2 + 6x + 6) + K \end{aligned}$$

c $I_4 = -x^4 e^{-x} + 4I_3$

$$= -x^4 e^{-x} + 4(-x^3 e^{-x} - 3x^2 e^{-x} - 6xe^{-x} - 6e^{-x} + C) \quad \boxed{\text{Using the result from b}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \int_0^1 x^4 e^{-x} dx &= \left[-x^4 e^{-x} - 4x^3 e^{-x} - 12x^2 e^{-x} - 24xe^{-x} - 24e^{-x} \right]_0^1 \\ &= [-65e^{-1}] - [-24] \\ &= 24 - 65e^{-1} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{24e - 65}{e} \end{aligned}$$

5 a $I_n = \int \tanh^n x dx = \int \tanh^{n-2} x \tanh^2 x dx$

$$= \int \tanh^{n-2} x (1 - \operatorname{sech}^2 x) dx \quad \boxed{\text{Using } 1 - \tanh^2 x = \operatorname{sech}^2 x}$$

$$= \int \tanh^{n-2} x dx - \int \tanh^{n-2} \operatorname{sech}^2 x dx$$

$$\text{So } I_n = I_{n-2} - \frac{1}{n-1} \tanh^{n-1} x, \quad n \neq 1$$

b $\int \tanh^5 x dx = I_5 = I_3 - \frac{1}{4} \tanh^4 x$

$$= \left(I_1 - \frac{1}{2} \tanh^2 x \right) - \frac{1}{4} \tanh^4 x$$

$$= \int \tanh x dx - \frac{1}{2} \tanh^2 x - \frac{1}{4} \tanh^4 x$$

$$= \ln \cosh x - \frac{1}{2} \tanh^2 x - \frac{1}{4} \tanh^4 x + C$$

5 c As $\int \tanh^n x dx = \int \tanh^{n-2} x dx = \frac{1}{n-1} \tanh^{n-1} x$, it follows that

$$\int_0^{\ln 2} \tanh^n x dx = \int_0^{\ln 2} \tanh^{n-2} x dx - \left[\frac{1}{n-1} \tanh^{n-1} x \right]_0^{\ln 2} *$$

$$\text{Now } \tanh(\ln 2) = \frac{e^{\ln 2} - e^{-\ln 2}}{e^{\ln 2} + e^{-\ln 2}} = \frac{2 - \frac{1}{2}}{2 + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Reminder: $e^{-\ln a} = e^{-\ln a^{-1}} = a^{-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \int_0^{\ln 2} \tanh^4 x dx &= \int_0^{\ln 2} \tanh^2 x dx - \frac{1}{3} \times \left(\frac{3}{5} \right)^3 \\ &= \left[\int_0^{\ln 2} \tanh^0 x dx - 1 \times \left(\frac{3}{5} \right) \right] - \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{27}{125} \\ &= \ln 2 - \frac{3}{5} - \frac{9}{125} \\ &= \ln 2 - \frac{84}{125} \end{aligned}$$

Using * with $n = 4$ and $\tanh(\ln 2) = \frac{3}{5}$

Using * with $n = 2$ and $\tanh(\ln 2) = \frac{3}{5}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{6 a } \int \tan^4 x dx &= \frac{1}{3} \tan^3 x - \int \tan^2 x dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \tan^3 x - \left(\tan x - \int \tan^0 x dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \tan^3 x - \tan x + \int 1 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \tan^3 x - \tan x + x + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b } \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^n x dx = \left[\frac{1}{n-1} \tan^{n-1} x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^{n-2} x dx = \frac{1}{n-1} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^{n-2} x dx$$

$$\text{Let } I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^n x dx, \text{ then } I_n = \frac{1}{n-1} - I_{n-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_5 &= \frac{1}{4} - I_3 = \frac{1}{4} - \left(\frac{1}{2} - I_1 \right) = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2} + \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan x dx = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2} + [\ln \sec x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \\ &= -\frac{1}{4} + (\ln \sqrt{2} - \ln 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^5 x dx = \ln \sqrt{2} - \frac{1}{4}$$

6 c Defining $J_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \tan^n x \, dx$,

$$J_n = \left[\frac{1}{n-1} \tan^{n-1} x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} - J_{n-2} = \frac{(\sqrt{3})^{n-1}}{n-1} - J_{n-2}$$

$$\text{So } J_6 = \frac{(\sqrt{3})^5}{5} - J_4 = \frac{(\sqrt{3})^5}{5} - \left(\frac{(\sqrt{3})^3}{3} - J_2 \right) = \frac{(\sqrt{3})^5}{5} - \frac{(\sqrt{3})^5}{3} + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{1} - J_0 \right)$$

$$\text{As } J_0 = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} 1 \, dx = \frac{\pi}{3}, \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \tan^6 x \, dx = \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{5} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{3} + \sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{5} - \frac{\pi}{3}$$

7 a $I_n = \int_1^a (\ln x)^n \, dx = \int_1^a 1 (\ln x)^n \, dx$

$$\text{Let } u = (\ln x)^n \text{ and } \frac{dv}{dx} = 1, \text{ so } \frac{du}{dx} = n \frac{(\ln x)^{n-1}}{x}, v = x$$

Integration by parts:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^a (\ln x)^n \, dx &= \left[x(\ln x)^n \right]_1^a - \int_1^a n \frac{(\ln x)^{n-1}}{x} x \, dx \\ &= \left[a(\ln a)^n - 0 \right] - n \int_1^a (\ln x)^{n-1} \, dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } I_n = a(\ln a)^n - nI_{n-1}$$

b Putting $a = 2, I_n = \int_1^2 (\ln x)^n \, dx = 2(\ln 2)^n - nI_{n-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} I_3 &= \int_1^2 (\ln x)^3 \, dx = 2(\ln 2)^3 - 3I_2 \\ &= 2(\ln 2)^3 - 3\{2(\ln 2)^2 - 2I_1\} \\ &= 2(\ln 2)^3 - 6(\ln 2)^2 + 6\{2(\ln 2) - I_0\} \\ &= 2(\ln 2)^3 - 6(\ln 2)^2 + 12(\ln 2) - 6I_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{As } I_0 = \int_1^2 1 \, dx = [x]_1^2 = 1,$$

$$\int_1^2 (\ln x)^3 \, dx = 2(\ln 2)^3 - 6(\ln 2)^2 + 12(\ln 2) - 6$$

7 c Putting $a = e$, $I_n = \int_1^e (\ln x)^n dx = e(\ln e)^n - nI_{n-1} = e - nI_{n-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} I_6 &= \int_1^e (\ln x)^6 dx = e - 6I_5 \\ &= e - 6(e - 5I_4) \\ &= e - 6e + 30(e - 4I_3) \\ &= e - 6e + 30e - 120(e - 3I_2) \\ &= e - 6e + 30e - 120e + 360(e - 2I_1) \\ &= e - 6e + 30e - 120e + 360e - 720(e - I_0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{As } I_0 = \int_1^e 1 dx = [x]_1^e = e - 1,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^e (\ln x)^6 dx &= e - 6e + 30e - 120e + 360e - 720e + 720(e - 1) \\ &= 265e - 720 \\ &= 5(53e - 144) \end{aligned}$$

8 a $I_7 = \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{2}{3} \times 1 = \frac{16}{35}$

b $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x \cos^4 x dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x (1 - \sin^2 x)^2 dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\sin^2 x - 2\sin^4 x + \sin^6 x) dx$
 $= I_2 - 2I_4 + I_6$

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4}; \quad I_4 = \frac{3}{4} I_2 = \frac{3\pi}{16}; \quad I_6 = \frac{5}{6} I_4 = \frac{5\pi}{32}$$

$$\text{So } \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x \cos^4 x dx = \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{3\pi}{8} + \frac{5\pi}{32} = \frac{\pi}{32}$$

c Using $x = \sin \theta$, $\int_0^1 x^5 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^5 \theta \cos \theta (\cos \theta d\theta)$
 $= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^5 x (1 - \sin^2 x) dx = I_5 - I_7$

$$I_5 = \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{2}{3} \times 1 = \frac{8}{15} \text{ and } I_7 = \frac{16}{35} \text{ from a}$$

$$\text{So } \int_0^1 x^5 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = \frac{8}{15} - \frac{16}{35} = \frac{56-48}{105} = \frac{8}{105}$$

d Using $x = 3t$, $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \sin^8 3t dt = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^8 x \left(\frac{1}{3} dx \right) = \frac{1}{3} I_8$
 $= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{7}{8} \times \frac{5}{6} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{35\pi}{768}$

9 a $I_{n+1} = \int \frac{\sin^{2n+2} x}{\cos x} dx$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } I_n - I_{n+1} &= \int \frac{\sin^{2n} x - \sin^{2n+2} x}{\cos x} dx \\ &= \int \frac{\sin^{2n} x(1 - \sin^2 x)}{\cos x} dx \\ &= \int \sin^{2n} x \cos x dx \end{aligned}$$

as $1 - \sin^2 x = \cos^2 x$

$$\text{So } I_n - I_{n+1} = \frac{\sin^{2n+1} x}{2n+1}$$

$$\text{or } I_{n+1} = I_n - \frac{\sin^{2n+1} x}{2n+1} *$$

[+C not necessary at this stage]

b $\int \frac{\sin^4 x}{\cos x} dx = I_2$

$$\text{Substituting } n=1 \text{ in * gives } I_2 = I_1 - \frac{\sin^3 x}{3}$$

$$= \left(I_0 - \frac{\sin x}{1} \right) - \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} \text{ using } n=0 \text{ in *}$$

$$I_0 = \int \frac{1}{\cos x} dx = \int \sec x dx = \ln |(\sec x + \tan x)| + C$$

$$\text{So } \int \frac{\sin^4 x}{\cos x} dx = \ln |(\sec x + \tan x)| - \sin x - \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} + C$$

Applying the given limits gives

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\sigma \frac{\sin^4 x}{\cos x} dx &= \left[\ln | \sec x + \tan x | - \sin x - \frac{\sin^3 x}{3} \right]_0^\sigma \\ &= \ln \left(1 + \sqrt{2} \right) - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)^3}{3} \\ &= \ln \left(1 + \sqrt{2} \right) - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{12} \\ &= \ln \left(1 + \sqrt{2} \right) - \frac{7\sqrt{2}}{12} \end{aligned}$$

10 a Let $u = (1-x^3)^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = x$, so $\frac{du}{dx} = n(1-x^3)^{n-1}(-3x^2)$, $v = \frac{x^2}{2}$

Integration by parts gives

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 x(1-x^3)^n dx &= \left[\frac{x^2}{2}(1-x^3)^n \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 -3nx^2(1-x^3)^{n-1} \frac{x^2}{2} dx \\ &= [0-0] + \frac{3n}{2} \int_0^1 x^4(1-x^3)^{n-1} dx \text{ providing } n \geq 0\end{aligned}$$

Writing $x^4 = x \cdot x^3 = x\{1-(1-x^3)\}$ and $I_n = \int_0^1 x(1-x^3)^n dx$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{we have } I_n &= \frac{3n}{2} \int_0^1 x\{1-(1-x^3)\}(1-x^3)^{n-1} dx \\ &= \frac{3n}{2} \int_0^1 x(1-x^3)^{n-1} dx - \frac{3n}{2} \int_0^1 x(1-x^3)^n dx \\ &= \frac{3n}{2} I_{n-1} - \frac{3n}{2} I_n\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3n+2)I_n = 3nI_{n-1}, \text{ so } I_n = \frac{3n}{3n+2} I_{n-1}, n \geq 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{b } I_4 &= \frac{12}{14} I_3 = \frac{12}{14} \times \frac{9}{11} I_2 = \frac{12}{14} \times \frac{9}{11} \times \frac{6}{8} I_1 = \frac{12}{14} \times \frac{9}{11} \times \frac{6}{8} \times \frac{3}{5} I_0 = \frac{12}{14} \times \frac{9}{11} \times \frac{6}{8} \times \frac{3}{5} \int_0^1 x dx \\ &= \frac{12}{14} \times \frac{9}{11} \times \frac{6}{8} \times \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{243}{1540}\end{aligned}$$

11 a Integrating by parts with $u = (a^2 - x^2)^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = 1$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = -2nx(a^2 - x^2)^{n-1} \quad v = x$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{So } \int_0^a (a^2 - x^2)^n dx &= \left[x(a^2 - x^2)^n \right]_0^a - \int_0^a x \left\{ -2nx(a^2 - x^2)^{n-1} \right\} dx \\ &= [0-0] + 2n \int_0^a x^2(a^2 - x^2)^{n-1} dx = 2n \int_0^a x^2(a^2 - x^2)^{n-1} dx \text{ (if } n > 0)\end{aligned}$$

Writing x^2 as $\{a^2 - (a^2 - x^2)\}$ and defining $I_n = \int_0^a (a^2 - x^2)^n dx$,

we have

$$\begin{aligned}I_n &= 2n \int_0^a \left\{ a^2 (a^2 - x^2)^{n-1} - (a^2 - x^2)^n \right\} dx \\ &= 2na^2 I_{n-1} = 2nI_n\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } (2n+1)I_n = 2na^2 I_{n-1}$$

$$I_n = \frac{2na^2 I_{n-1}}{(2n+1)}$$

b i With $a = 1$, $I_n = \int_0^1 (1-x^2)^n dx$ and $I_n = \frac{2n}{2n+1} I_{n-1}$

$$\text{So } I_4 = \frac{8}{9} I_3 = \frac{8}{9} \times \frac{6}{7} I_2 = \frac{8}{9} \times \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{4}{5} I_1 = \frac{8}{9} \times \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{2}{3} \times 1 = \frac{128}{315} \quad \boxed{I_0 = \int_0^a dx = a}$$

11 b ii With $a = 3$, $I_n = \int_0^3 (9-x^2)^n dx$ and $I_n = \frac{18n}{2n+1} I_{n-1}$

$$\text{So } I_3 = \frac{54}{7} I_2 = \frac{54}{7} \times \frac{36}{5} I_1 = \frac{54}{7} \times \frac{36}{5} \times \frac{18}{3} I_0 = \frac{54}{7} \times \frac{36}{5} \times \frac{18}{3} \times 3 = \frac{34992}{35}$$

iii With $a = 2$, $I_n = \int_0^2 (4-x^2)^n dx$ and $I_n = \frac{8n}{2n+1} I_{n-1}$

$$\text{So } I_{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{4}{2} I_{0\frac{1}{2}} = 2 \int_0^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} = 2 \left[\arcsin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right]_0^2 = 2 \arcsin 1 = 2 \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \pi$$

c Using the substitution $x = 2 \sin \theta$,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 (4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (2 \cos \theta)^2 (2 \cos \theta d\theta) \\ &= 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta \\ &= [2\theta + \sin 2\theta]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = \pi \end{aligned}$$

12 a Integrating by parts with $u = x^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \sqrt{4-x}$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = nx^{n-1}, \quad v = -\frac{2}{3}(4-x)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\text{So } \int_0^4 x^n \sqrt{4-x} dx = \left[-\frac{2}{3} x^n (4-x)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^4 + \frac{2}{3} n \int_0^4 x^{n-1} (4-x)^{\frac{3}{2}} dx$$

$$= [0-0] + \frac{2}{3} n \int_0^4 x^{n-1} (4-x)^{\frac{3}{2}} dx \quad (n > 0)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} n \int_0^4 x^{n-1} \{(4-x)\sqrt{4-x}\} dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} n \int_0^4 x^{n-1} 4\sqrt{4-x} dx + \frac{2}{3} n \int_0^4 x^{n-1} \{-x\sqrt{4-x}\} dx$$

$$= \frac{8}{3} n \int_0^4 x^{n-1} \sqrt{4-x} dx - \frac{2}{3} n \int_0^4 x^n \sqrt{4-x} dx$$

You need to write $(4-x)^{\frac{3}{2}}$
as $(4-x)\sqrt{4-x}$

$$\text{So } I_n = \frac{8}{3} n I_{n-1} - \frac{2}{3} n I_n$$

$$\Rightarrow (2n+3)I_n = 8nI_{n-1} \Rightarrow I_n = \frac{8n}{2n+3} I_{n-1}, n \geq 1$$

b $\int_0^4 x^3 \sqrt{4-x} dx = I_3 = \frac{24}{9} I_2 = \frac{24}{9} \times \frac{16}{7} I_1 = \frac{24}{9} \times \frac{16}{7} \times \frac{8}{5} I_0 = \frac{1024}{105} I_0$

$$\text{As } I_0 = \int_0^4 \sqrt{4-x} dx = \left[-\frac{2}{3} (4-x)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^4 = \left[0 - \left\{ -\frac{2}{3} (4)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right\} \right] = \frac{16}{3}.$$

$$\int_0^4 x^3 \sqrt{4-x} dx = \frac{1024}{105} \times \frac{16}{3} = 52.0 \text{ (3 s.f.)}$$

13 a $I_n = \int \cos^n x \, dx = \int \cos^{n-1} x \cos x \, dx$

Integrating by parts with $u = \cos^{n-1} x$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \cos x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = (n-1) \cos^{n-2} x (-\sin x), \quad v = \sin x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } I_n &= \int \cos^n x \, dx = \cos^{n-1} x \sin x - \int -(n-1) \cos^{n-2} x \sin^2 x \, dx \\ &= \cos^{n-1} x \sin x + (n-1) \int \cos^{n-2} x (1 - \cos^2 x) \, dx \\ &= \cos^{n-1} x \sin x + (n-1) \int \cos^{n-2} x \, dx - (n-1) \int \cos^n x \, dx \end{aligned}$$

Giving $I_n = \cos^{n-1} x \sin x + (n-1)I_{n-2} - (n-1)I_n$

So $nI_n = \cos^{n-1} x \sin x + (n-1)I_{n-2}$

b It follows that $n \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^n x \, dx = \left[\cos^{n-1} x \sin x \right]_0^{2\pi} + (n-1) \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^{n-2} x \, dx$

So $nJ_n = (n-1)J_{n-2}$, as $\left[\cos^{n-1} x \sin x \right]_0^{2\pi} = 0$

c i $J_4 = \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^4 x \, dx = \frac{3}{4} J_2 = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} J_0 = \frac{3}{8} \int_0^{2\pi} 1 \, dx = \frac{3}{8} \times 2\pi = \frac{3\pi}{4}$

ii $J_8 = \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^8 x \, dx = \frac{7}{8} J_6 = \frac{7}{8} \times \frac{5}{6} J_4 = \frac{35}{48} J_4 = \frac{35}{48} \times \frac{3\pi}{4} = \frac{35\pi}{64}$

Using c i

d If n is odd, J_n always reduces to a multiple of J_1 ,

but $J_1 = \int_0^{2\pi} \cos x \, dx = [\sin x]_0^{2\pi} = 0$.

(You could also consider the graphical representation.)

14 a Integrating by parts with $u = x^{n-1}$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = x\sqrt{1-x^2}$ Using the hint.

$$\frac{du}{dx} = (n-1)x^{n-2}, \quad v = -\frac{1}{3}(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } I_n &= \int_0^1 x^{n-1} \left\{ x\sqrt{1-x^2} \right\} dx = \left[-\frac{1}{3}x^{n-1}(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^1 + \frac{(n-1)}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^{n-2}(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} dx \\ &= \frac{(n-1)}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^{n-2}(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} dx \text{ as } \left[-\frac{1}{3}x^{n-1}(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^1 = 0 \\ &= \frac{(n-1)}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left\{ x^{n-2}(1-x^2)\sqrt{1-x^2} \right\} dx \\ &= \frac{(n-1)}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left\{ x^{n-2}\sqrt{1-x^2} - x^n\sqrt{1-x^2} \right\} dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } I_n = \frac{(n-1)}{3} I_{n-2} - \frac{(n-2)}{3} I_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \{3+(n-1)\} I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (n+2)I_n = (n-1)I_{n-2} \quad *$$

b Using * $I_7 = \frac{6}{9}I_5 = \frac{6}{9} \times \frac{4}{7}I_3 = \frac{6}{9} \times \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{2}{5}I_1 = \frac{48}{315} \int_0^1 x\sqrt{1-x^2} dx$

$$= \frac{48}{315} \left[-\frac{1}{3}(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{48}{315} \left[\frac{1}{3} \right] = \frac{16}{315}$$

15 a Integrating by parts with $u = x^n$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \cosh x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = nx^{n-1}, \quad v = \sinh x$$

$$\text{So } \int x^n \cosh x dx = x^n \sinh x - \int nx^{n-1} \sinh x dx$$

Integrating by parts again with $u = x^{n-1}$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \sinh x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = (n-1)x^{n-2}, \quad v = \cosh x$$

$$\text{So } I_n = x^n \sinh x - n \left\{ x^{n-1} \cosh x - \int (n-1)x^{n-2} \cosh x dx \right\}$$

$$= x^n \sinh x - nx^{n-1} \cosh x + n(n-1)I_{n-2}, \quad n \geq 2 \quad *$$

15 b $I_4 = x^4 \sinh x - 4x^3 \cosh x + 12I_2$, \leftarrow Substituting $n = 4$ in *

$$= x^4 \sinh x - 4x^3 \cosh x + 12 \{ x^2 \sinh x - 2x \cosh x + 2I_0 \}$$

$$= x^4 \sinh x - 4x^3 \cosh x + 12 \{ x^2 \sinh x - 2x \cosh x \} + 24 \int \cosh x dx$$

$$= x^4 \sinh x - 4x^3 \cosh x + 12 \{ x^2 \sinh x - 2x \cosh x \} + 24 \sinh x + C$$

$$= (x^4 + 12x^2 + 24) \sinh x - (4x^3 + 24x) \cosh x + C$$

c $\int_0^1 x^3 \cosh x dx = \left[x^3 \sinh x - 3x^2 \cosh x \right]_0^1 + 6 \int_0^1 x \cosh x dx$ Using a

$$= \{ \sinh 1 - 3 \cosh 1 \} + 6 \left\{ \left[x \sinh x \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 1 \sinh x dx \right\}$$

$$= \{ \sinh 1 - 3 \cosh 1 \} + 6 \{ \sinh 1 - [\cosh 1 - 1] \}$$

$$= 7 \sinh 1 - 9 \cosh 1 + 6$$

$$= 7 \left(\frac{e^1 - e^{-1}}{2} \right) - 9 \left(\frac{e^1 + e^{-1}}{2} \right) + 6$$

$$= 6 - e - 8e^{-1} \text{ or } \frac{6e - e^2 - 8}{e}$$

Integrating by parts

16 a $I_{n-2} = \int \frac{\sin(n-2)x}{\sin x} dx$

So $I_n - I_{n-2} = \int \frac{\sin nx - \sin(n-2)x}{\sin x} dx$

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

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$$= \int \frac{2 \cos(n-1)x \sin x}{\sin x} dx$$

$$= \int 2 \cos(n-1)x dx$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin(n-1)x}{n-1}, n \geq 2$$

It is not necessary to have $+C$.

b i $\int \frac{\sin 4x}{\sin x} dx = I_4$

Using a with $n = 4$: $I_4 = I_2 + \frac{2 \sin 3x}{3}$ \leftarrow $I_2 = \int \frac{\sin 2x}{\sin x} dx = \int \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{\sin x} dx$

$$= \int 2 \cos x dx + \frac{2 \sin 3x}{3}$$

$$= 2 \sin x + \frac{2}{3} \sin 3x + C$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 16\text{b ii} \quad & \text{Using a with } n=5 : I_5 = I_3 + \frac{2 \sin 4x}{4} \\
 & = \left\{ I_1 + \frac{2 \sin 2x}{2} \right\} + \frac{2 \sin 4x}{4} \\
 & = \int 1 \, dx + \sin 2x + \frac{\sin 4x}{2} \\
 & = x + \sin 2x + \frac{\sin 4x}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{It follows that } & \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{\sin 5x}{\sin x} \, dx = \left[x + \sin 2x + \frac{\sin 4x}{2} \right]_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \\
 & = \left[\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right] - \left[\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right] \\
 & = \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\
 & = \frac{\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$17\text{a} \quad I_n = \int \sinh^n x \, dx = \int \sinh^{n-1} x \sinh x \, dx$$

Integrating by parts with $u = \sinh^{n-1} x$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \sinh x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = (n-1) \sinh^{n-2} x \cosh x, v = \cosh x$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{So } I_n &= \int \sinh^n x \, dx = \sinh^{n-1} x \cosh x - \int (n-1) \sinh^{n-2} x \cosh^2 x \, dx \\
 &= \sinh^{n-1} x \cosh x - (n-1) \int \sinh^{n-2} x (1 + \sinh^2 x) \, dx \\
 &= \sinh^{n-1} x \cosh x - (n-1) \int \sinh^{n-2} x \, dx - (n-1) \int \sinh^n x \, dx
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Giving } I_n = \sinh^{n-1} x \cosh x - (n-1)I_{n-2} - (n-1)I_n$$

$$\text{So } nI_n = \sinh^{n-1} x \cosh x - (n-1)I_{n-2}, \quad n \geq 2 \quad *$$

17b i $I_5 = \frac{1}{5} \sinh^4 x \cosh x - \frac{4}{5} I_3$ Using * with $n = 5$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \sinh^4 x \cosh x - \frac{4}{5} \left\{ \frac{1}{3} \sinh^2 x \cosh x - \frac{2}{3} I_1 \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \sinh^4 x \cosh x - \frac{4}{15} \sinh^2 x \cosh x + \frac{8}{15} \int \sinh x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \sinh^4 x \cosh x - \frac{4}{15} \sinh^2 x \cosh x + \frac{8}{15} \cosh x + C$$

When $x = \ln 3$, $\sinh x = \frac{e^{\ln 3} - e^{-\ln 3}}{2} = \frac{3 - \frac{1}{3}}{2} = \frac{4}{3}$, $\cosh x = \frac{e^{\ln 3} + e^{-\ln 3}}{2} = \frac{3 + \frac{1}{3}}{2} = \frac{5}{3}$

When $x = 0$, $\sinh x = 0$, $\cosh x = 1$

Applying the limits 0 and $\ln 3$ to the result in b

$$\int_0^{\ln 3} \sinh^5 x dx = \left[\frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{4}{5} \right)^4 \left(\frac{5}{3} \right) - \frac{4}{15} \left(\frac{4}{3} \right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{3} \right) + \frac{8}{15} \left(\frac{5}{3} \right) \right] - \left[0 + 0 + \frac{8}{15} \right]$$

$$= \frac{752}{1215} = 0.619 \text{ (3 s.f.)}$$

ii $\int \sinh^4 x dx = I_4 = \frac{1}{4} \sinh^3 x \cosh x - \frac{3}{4} I_2$ Using * with $n = 4$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sinh^3 x \cosh x - \frac{3}{4} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \sinh x \cosh x - \frac{1}{3} I_0 \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sinh^3 x \cosh x - \frac{3}{8} \sinh x \cosh x + \frac{3}{8} \int 1 dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sinh^3 x \cosh x - \frac{3}{8} \sinh x \cosh x + \frac{3}{8} x + C$$

When $x = \operatorname{arsinh} 1$, $\sinh x = 1$, $\cosh x = \sqrt{1 + \sinh^2 x} = \sqrt{2}$

When $x = 0$, $\sinh x = 0$, $\cosh x = 1$

Applying the limits 0 and $\operatorname{arsinh} 1$ gives

$$\int_0^{\operatorname{arsinh} 1} \sinh^4 x dx = \frac{1}{4} (1)^3 (\sqrt{2}) - \frac{3}{8} (1)(\sqrt{2}) + \frac{3}{8} \operatorname{arsinh} 1$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} - \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{8} + \frac{3}{8} \ln \left(1 + \sqrt{1^2 + 1} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{8} + \frac{3}{8} \ln \left(1 + \sqrt{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left\{ 3 \ln \left(1 + \sqrt{2} \right) - \sqrt{2} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 18\text{a} \quad I_n &= \int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^n x dx \\
 &= \int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^{n-2} x \tanh^2 x dx \\
 &= \int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^{n-2} x (1 - \operatorname{sech}^2 x) dx \\
 &= \int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^{n-2} x dx - \int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^{n-2} x \operatorname{sech}^2 x dx \\
 &= I_{n-2} - \int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^{n-2} x \operatorname{sech}^2 x dx
 \end{aligned}$$

Now if we use the substitution

$$u = \tanh x,$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \operatorname{sech}^2 x,$$

we get

$$\int_0^{\ln\sqrt{3}} \tanh^{n-2} x \operatorname{sech}^2 x dx$$

$$= \int_0^{0.5} u^{n-2} du$$

$$= \left[\frac{u^{n-1}}{n-1} \right]_0^{0.5}$$

$$= \frac{0.5^{n-1}}{n-1}.$$

$$\text{So, } I_n = I_{n-2} - \frac{1}{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{n-1}$$

18 b By letting $n=2r+1$ in the previous result, we may write $I_{2r+1}=I_{2r-1}-\frac{1}{2r}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2r}$

This can be expressed as $\frac{1}{2r}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2r}=I_{2r-1}-I_{2r+1}$.

So in order to find

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{r=1}^m \frac{1}{2r}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2r} &= \sum_{r=1}^m (I_{2r-1} - I_{2r+1}) \\ &= (I_1 - I_3) + (I_3 - I_5) + \cdots + (I_{2m-1} - I_{2m+1}) \end{aligned}$$

we notice that all middle terms cancel out and so we are left with

$$\sum_{r=1}^m \frac{1}{2r}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2r} = I_1 - I_{2m+1}.$$

As $m \rightarrow \infty$, we have $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sum_{r=1}^m \frac{1}{2r}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2r} \right) = I_1 - \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (I_{2m+1})$.

We have assumed that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\int_0^{\ln \sqrt{3}} \tanh^n x dx \right) = 0$ and so $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (I_{2m+1}) = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left(\int_0^{\ln 3} \tanh^{2m+1} x dx \right) = 0$.

Thus we have $\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2r}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2r} = I_1 - 0$.

Where

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &= \int_0^{\ln \sqrt{3}} \tanh x dx \\ &= \left[\ln(\cosh x) \right]_0^{\ln \sqrt{3}} \\ &= \ln \left(\cosh \left(\frac{\ln 3}{2} \right) \right) \\ &= \ln \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

19 a First set $\frac{du}{dx} = x^2$, $v = (\ln x)^n$ which gives $u = \frac{x^3}{3}$ and $\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{n}{x}(\ln x)^{n-1}$.

Now apply integration by parts to get

$$\begin{aligned} I_n &= \int_0^e x^2 (\ln x)^n dx \\ &= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (\ln x)^n \right]_0^e - \int_0^e \frac{x^3 n}{3x} (\ln x)^{n-1} dx \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{n}{3} \int_0^e x^2 (\ln x)^{n-1} dx \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{n}{3} I_{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

19 b This volume of revolution is calculated by

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_1^e \pi \left(3x(\ln x)^2 \right)^2 dx \\ &= 9\pi \int_1^e x^2 (\ln x)^4 dx \end{aligned}$$

Fortunately, the same relation holds in this case even though we have different limits. This can be seen by

$$\begin{aligned} J_m &= \int_1^e x^2 (\ln x)^m dx \\ &= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} (\ln x)^m \right]_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{x^3 m}{3x} (\ln x)^{m-1} dx \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{m}{3} \int_1^e x^2 (\ln x)^{m-1} dx \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{m}{3} J_{m-1} \end{aligned}$$

In this case we have $V = 9\pi J_4$ and so we calculate

$$\begin{aligned} J_4 &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{4}{3} J_3 \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{3}{3} J_2 \right) \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{3}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{2}{3} J_1 \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{3}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{1}{3} J_0 \right) \right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

this certainly looks horrible, but it'll be ok. Using the above equation for J_m , we calculate

$$\begin{aligned} J_0 &= \int_1^e x^2 dx \\ &= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^e \\ &= \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} V &= 9\pi J_4 \\ &= 9\pi \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{3}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{1}{3} J_0 \right) \right) \right) \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{9} (11e^3 - 8) \end{aligned}$$

Challenge

- a Using integration by parts, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} I_n &= \int x^a (\ln x)^n dx \\ &= \frac{x^{a+1}}{a+1} (\ln x)^n - \int \frac{x^{a+1} n}{(a+1)x} (\ln x)^{n-1} dx \\ &= \frac{x^{a+1}}{a+1} (\ln x)^n - \frac{n}{a+1} \int x^a (\ln x)^{n-1} dx \end{aligned}$$

Thus $(a+1)I_n = x^{a+1}(\ln x)^n - nI_{n-1}$.

- b $I_3 = \int \sqrt{x} (\ln x)^3 dx$ and $a = \frac{1}{2}$

So by using the above result we calculate

$$(a+1)I_n = x^{a+1}(\ln x)^n - nI_{n-1}$$

$$(0.5+1)I_n = x^{0.5+1}(\ln x)^n - nI_{n-1}$$

$$I_n = \frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^n - nI_{n-1} \right)$$

$$I_3 = \frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^3 - 3I_2 \right)$$

$$\text{and so } = \frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^3 - 3 \left(\frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^2 - 2I_1 \right) \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^3 - 3 \left(\frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} \ln x - I_0 \right) \right) \right) \right) \right)$$

$$\text{and } I_0 \text{ can be easily calculated as } I_0 = \int \sqrt{x} dx = \frac{2x^{1.5}}{3}$$

Combining the above results we get

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^3 - 3 \left(\frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} (\ln x)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{2}{3} \left(x^{1.5} \ln x - 1 \left(\frac{2x^{1.5}}{3} \right) \right) \right) \right) \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{3} x^{1.5} \left((\ln x)^3 - \left(2 \left((\ln x)^2 - \left(\frac{4}{3} \left(\ln x - \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \right) \right) \right) \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{27} x^{1.5} \left(9(\ln x)^3 - 18(\ln x)^2 + 24 \ln x - 16 \right) \end{aligned}$$