

Round 1

$$\int (3x^2 - 4x + 5)dx = x^3 - 2x^2 + 5x + C$$

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

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

$$\begin{aligned} I = \int \sqrt{1 - x^2}dx &= x\sqrt{1 - x^2} + \int \frac{x^2 - 1 + 1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}dx = x\sqrt{1 - x^2} - I + \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}dx \\ &\implies I = \frac{1}{2}(x\sqrt{1 - x^2} + \sin^{-1}(x)) + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\int \sec x dx = \int \frac{\sec x(\tan x + \sec x)}{\sec x + \tan x}dx = \int \frac{\sec x \tan x + \sec^2 x}{\sec x + \tan x}dx = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{x^2 + 3}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6}dx &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{x^2 + 3}{x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6}dx = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{2}{x - 1} + \frac{-7}{x - 2} + \frac{6}{x - 3} \right) dx \\ &= 2 \ln \frac{1}{2} - 2 \ln 0 - 7 \ln \frac{3}{2} + 7 \ln 2 + 6 \ln \frac{5}{2} - 6 \ln 3 = 6 \ln 5 - 13 \ln 3 + 6 \ln 2 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2 - 1}{(x^2 + 1)^2}dx &= 2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1 - \frac{1}{x^2}}{(x + \frac{1}{x})^2}dx \\ &= 2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\frac{d}{dx} (x + \frac{1}{x})}{(x + \frac{1}{x})^2}dx \\ &= -2 \left(\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x + \frac{1}{x}} - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x + \frac{1}{x}} \right) \\ &= -2(0 - 0) \\ &= 0 \quad (\text{trig sub also works and may be easier to see}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\int 10^x dx = \frac{1}{\ln(10)} \int \ln(10) e^{\ln(10)x} dx = \frac{10^x}{\ln(10)} + C$$

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

Round 2

$$\int (\sin(x) \cos(x) + 2023) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \sin(2x) dx + 2023x = -\frac{1}{4} \cos(2x) + 2023x + C$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{2 \cos^2 x}{\cos x + 1} dx &= \int \left(\frac{2 \cos^2 x + 2 \cos x}{\cos x + 1} - \frac{2 \cos x + 2}{\cos x + 1} + \frac{2}{\cos x + 1} \right) dx \\ &= \int \left(\cos x - 1 + \sec^2 \frac{x}{2} \right) dx = 2 \sin x - 2x + 2 \tan \frac{x}{2} + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin^4(x)}{\sin^4(x) + \cos^4(x)} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin^4(x)}{\sin^4(x) + \cos^4(x)} dx + \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin^4(\frac{\pi}{2} - x)}{\sin^4(\frac{\pi}{2} - x) + \cos^4(\frac{\pi}{2} - x)} dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin^4(x) + \cos^4(x)}{\sin^4(x) + \cos^4(x)} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 1 dx = \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x \sin^2(x) \cos^5(x) dx = 0 \quad (x \text{ is odd, but } \sin^2(x) \text{ and } \cos^5(x) \text{ are even, so function is odd})$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x \sqrt{1 - (\ln x)^2}} dx = \sin^{-1}(\ln x) + C \quad (\text{reverse chain rule})$$

$$\int_0^3 \frac{x^3 + 3}{x^2 - 1} dx \text{ is undefined since we are integrating over } x = 1, \text{ which the function does not exist over}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + x^4}} dx &= \int \frac{1 - \frac{1}{x^2}}{x + \frac{1}{x}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{x^2} + x^2}} dx = \int \frac{1}{u\sqrt{(u^2 - 2)}} du \quad (\text{let } u = x + \frac{1}{x}) \\
&= \int \frac{\sqrt{u^2 - 2}}{u} \cdot \frac{1}{u\sqrt{u^2 - 2}} dk \quad (\text{let } k = \sqrt{u^2 - 2}) \\
&= \int \frac{1}{k^2 + (\sqrt{2})^2} dk = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 - 2} \right) + C
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{1}{1 + x^4} dx &= \int \frac{1}{(x^2 - \sqrt{2}x + 1)(x^2 + \sqrt{2}x + 1)} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \left(\frac{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + 1}{(x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^2 + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + 1}{(x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^2 + \frac{1}{2}} \right) dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int \left(\frac{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + \frac{1}{2}}{(x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^2 + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + \frac{1}{2}}{(x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^2 + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{(x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^2 + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{(x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})^2 + \frac{1}{2}} \right) dx \\
&= \frac{1}{4\sqrt{2}} \ln \left(\frac{x^2 + \sqrt{2}x + 1}{x^2 - \sqrt{2}x + 1} \right) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \left(\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}x - 1) + \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{2}x + 1) \right) + C
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x + \frac{\pi}{3})} dx &= \int \frac{\sin(x + \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{3})}{\cos(x + \frac{\pi}{3})} dx = \int \frac{\sin(x + \frac{\pi}{3}) \cos \frac{\pi}{3} - \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{3}) \sin \frac{\pi}{3}}{\cos(x + \frac{\pi}{3})} dx \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \ln \left| \cos \left(x + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \right| - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} x + C
\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
\int_2^\infty \ln \left(1 - \frac{1}{[x]^2} \right) dx &= \sum_{n=2}^\infty \ln \left(1 - \frac{1}{x^2} \right) \\
&= \ln \left(\prod_{n=2}^\infty \left(1 - \frac{1}{n^2} \right) \right) \\
&= -\ln 2 \quad (\text{telescoping})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \cot^5 x dx &= \int \frac{\cos^5 x}{\sin^5 x} dx \\
&= \int \frac{(1 - \sin^2)^2}{\sin^5 x} \cos x dx \quad \text{let } u = \sin x \\
&= \int \frac{(1 - u^2)^2}{u^5} du \\
&= \int \frac{1 - 2u^2 + u^4}{u^5} du \\
&= \int u^{-5} - 2u^{-3} + u^{-1} du \\
&= -\frac{1}{4}u^{-4} + u^{-2} + \ln|x| \\
&= -\frac{1}{4}\sin^{-4}x + \sin^{-2}x + \ln|\sin x| + C
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{e^x + 1}{e^{2x} + 1} dx &= \int \left(\frac{e^x}{e^{2x} + 1} + \frac{1 + e^{2x}}{e^{2x} + 1} - \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x} + 1} \right) dx \\
&= \int \left(\frac{d(e^x)}{(e^x)^2 + 1} + \frac{e^{2x} + 1}{e^{2x} + 1} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2e^{2x}}{e^{2x} + 1} \right) dx \\
&= \tan^{-1}(e^x) + x - \frac{1}{2} \ln |e^{2x} + 1| + C
\end{aligned}$$

Tiebreaker:

Let (x, y) be parametrically defined as $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ where $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$. Define a function f such that $y = f(x)$ for all values of x . Find

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx$$

Solution: This integral represents the area of an ellipse, which is πab

Semi-finals round 2

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

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_0^1 \frac{1}{\lfloor \frac{1}{x} \rfloor} dx &= \int_1^\infty \frac{1}{\lfloor x \rfloor} \frac{1}{x^2} dx && \text{with sub } u = \frac{1}{x} \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_n^{n+1} \frac{1}{n} \frac{1}{x^2} dx \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right) \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} \\
&= \frac{\pi^2}{6} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right) \\
&= \frac{\pi^2}{6} - 1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{\sqrt{x}}{1 + \sqrt[3]{x}} dx &= \int \frac{6u^5 \cdot u^3}{1 + u^2} du \quad (\text{with } u = \sqrt[6]{x}) \\
&= 6 \int \frac{u^8 + u^6 - u^6 - u^4 + u^4 + u^2 - u^2 - 1 + 1}{u^2 + 1} du \\
&= 6 \left(\frac{\sqrt[6]{x}^7}{7} - \frac{\sqrt[6]{x}^5}{5} + \frac{\sqrt{x}}{3} - \sqrt[6]{x} + \tan^{-1}(\sqrt[6]{x}) \right) + C
\end{aligned}$$

Tiebreaker:

$$\int (21x^{2023} - 420x^{69}) \ln x dx = \left(\frac{21x^{2024}}{2024} - \frac{420x^{70}}{70} \right) \ln x - \frac{21x^{2024}}{2024^2} + \frac{420x^{70}}{70^2} + C$$

Finals

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x}{1 + e^{\frac{1}{x}}} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x + \cos x}{1 + e^{\frac{1}{x}}} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x}{1 + e^{\frac{1}{x}}} + \frac{\cos x}{1 + e^{-\frac{1}{x}}} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x(1 + e^{-\frac{1}{x}}) + \cos x(1 + e^{\frac{1}{x}})}{(1 + e^{-\frac{1}{x}})(1 + e^{\frac{1}{x}})} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x(2 + e^{-\frac{1}{x}} + e^{\frac{1}{x}})}{2 + e^{-\frac{1}{x}} + e^{\frac{1}{x}}} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos x dx \\ &= 1.\end{aligned}$$

Define the function $f_1(x) = e^x$ and any subsequent function $f_n(x) = e^{f_{n-1}(x)}$ where $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Find

$$\int f_n(x) f_{n-1}(x) \dots f_1(x) dx$$

Solution: Substitute $u = e^x \implies du = e^x dx$

$$\int f_{n-1}(u) f_{n-2}(u) \dots f_1(u) du$$

Rinse and repeat. Once you reverse all the substitutions, you'd eventually get the answer of $f_n(x) + C$. (Anything along the lines of this is okay)

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{\cos^{1010} x}{\sin x \sqrt{\sin^{2022} x - \cos^{2022} x}} dx &= \int \frac{\sec^2 x}{\tan x \sqrt{\tan^{2022} x - 1}} dx \\ &= \int \frac{du}{u \sqrt{u^{2022} - 1}} \quad (\text{let } u = \tan x) \\ &= \int \frac{2\sqrt{u^{2022} - 1}}{2022u^{2021} \cdot u \sqrt{u^{2022} - 1}} dk \quad (\text{let } k = \sqrt{\tan^{2022} x - 1}) \\ &= \frac{1}{1011} \int \frac{dk}{k^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{1011} \tan^{-1} \left(\sqrt{\tan^{2022}(x) - 1} \right) + C\end{aligned}$$