

Answer on Question #71028 – Math – Calculus

Question

Using integration by parts to solve

1) $\int x \sin 2x dx$

2) $\int x \arctan x dx$

3) $\int \ln x / (1 + x)^2 dx$

4) $\int (\ln x)^2 dx$

Solution

The formula for integration by parts is

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

1) $\int x \sin 2x dx$

Let

$$u = x, \quad dv = \sin 2x dx = d\left(-\frac{1}{2} \cos 2x\right)$$

then

$$du = dx, \quad v = -\frac{1}{2} \cos 2x$$

Integrating by parts, we get

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

2) $\int x \arctan x dx$

Let

$$u = \arctan x, \quad dv = x dx = d\left(\frac{x^2}{2}\right)$$

then

$$du = d(\arctan x) = (\arctan x)' dx = \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx, \quad v = \frac{x^2}{2}$$

Integrating by parts, we get

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

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

Let

$$u = \ln x, \quad dv = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} dx = \left(-\frac{1}{1+x}\right)' dx = d\left(-\frac{1}{1+x}\right)$$

then

$$du = d\ln x = (\ln x)' dx = \frac{1}{x} dx, \quad v = -\frac{1}{1+x}$$

Integrating by parts, we get

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

Decompose the fraction

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

The coefficients of like terms in the numerators must be equal:

$$\text{coefficients of } x: A + B = 0$$

$$\text{constant terms: } A = 1$$

Then we get $A = 1$, $B = -1$ and

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

Integral becomes

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

$$4) \int (\ln x)^2 dx$$

Let

$$u = \ln^2 x, \quad dv = dx$$

then

$$du = d(\ln^2 x) = (\ln^2 x)' dx = 2\ln x \cdot (\ln x)' \cdot dx = 2\ln x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \cdot dx, \quad v = x$$

Integrating by parts, we get

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

Integrate by parts one more time

Let

$$u = \ln x, \quad dv = dx$$

then

$$du = d(\ln x) = (\ln x)' dx = \frac{1}{x} dx, \quad v = x$$

We get

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

Answer:

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

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

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

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