

INTEGRATION BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS

Question 1

Carry out each of the following integrations.

$$1. \int \frac{17-4x}{(x-2)(x+1)} dx = 3\ln|x-2| - 7\ln|x+1| + C$$

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

$$3. \int \frac{4}{(x-2)(2-3x)} dx = \ln\left|\frac{3x-2}{x-2}\right| + C$$

$$4. \int \frac{5x-7}{(x-1)(5x-3)} dx = 2\ln|5x-3| - \ln|x-1| + C$$

$$5. \int \frac{18x-1}{(2x+1)(3x-1)} dx = 2\ln|2x+1| + \ln|3x-1| + C$$

$$6. \int \frac{3x-5}{x(1-x)} dx = 2\ln|x-1| - 5\ln|x| + C$$

$$7. \int \frac{7x-19}{x^2-2x-15} dx = 5\ln|x+3| + 2\ln|x-5| + C$$

$$8. \int \frac{x^2+14x+1}{(x+3)(x-5)(x+7)} dx = \ln\left|\frac{x^2-2x-15}{x+7}\right| + C$$

$$9. \int \frac{7x+4}{(x-2)(x+1)^2} dx = 2\ln\left|\frac{x-2}{x+1}\right| - \frac{1}{x+1} + C$$

$$10. \int \frac{2x^2+x+8}{(x-2)(x+1)^2} dx = 2\ln|x-2| + \frac{3}{x+1} + C$$

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| <p>1. $\int \frac{17-4x}{(2x-2)(3x+1)} dx = \int \frac{\frac{3}{x-2} - \frac{7}{3x+1}}{} dx$</p> $= 3\ln x-2 - 7\ln 3x+1 + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{17-4x}{(2x-2)(3x+1)} \equiv \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{3x+1}$ $17-4x \equiv A(3x+1) + B(x-2)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=1$, $9=A$ $\Rightarrow [A=9]$ • If $x=-\frac{1}{3}$, $28=B$ $\Rightarrow [B=28]$ | <p>5. $\int \frac{(8x-1)}{(2x+1)(3x-1)} dx$</p> $= \int \frac{\frac{4}{x+1} + \frac{3}{x-1}}{} dx$ $= 2\ln x+1 + 3\ln x-1 + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{8x-1}{(2x+1)(3x-1)} \equiv \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{3x-1}$ $8x-1 \equiv A(3x-1) + B(2x+1)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=\frac{1}{3}$, $5=\frac{4}{3}A$ $\Rightarrow [A=\frac{15}{4}]$ • If $x=-\frac{1}{2}$, $-3=\frac{3}{2}B$ $\Rightarrow [B=-2]$ |
| <p>2. $\int \frac{2-x}{(2x+1)(2x-1)} dx = \int \frac{\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x-1}}{} dx$</p> $= \frac{1}{2}\ln 2x+1 - \ln 2x-1 + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{2-x}{(2x+1)(2x-1)} \equiv \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-1}$ $2-x \equiv A(2x-1) + B(2x+1)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=1$, $1=A+B$ $\Rightarrow [A=1]$ • If $x=0$, $2=-A+B$ $\Rightarrow [B=2]$ | <p>6. $\int \frac{3x-5}{x(x-2)} dx = \int \frac{-\frac{2}{x} - \frac{5}{x-2}}{} dx$</p> $= 2\ln x - 5\ln x-2 + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{3x-5}{x(x-2)} \equiv \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x-2}$ $3x-5 \equiv A(x-2) + Bx$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=1$, $-2=B$ $\Rightarrow [B=-2]$ • If $x=0$, $-5=A$ $\Rightarrow [A=-5]$ |
| <p>3. $\int \frac{4}{(x-2)(2x-3)} dx = \int \frac{\frac{3}{x-2} - \frac{1}{x-3}}{} dx$</p> $= \ln x-2 - \ln x-3 + C$ $= \ln 3x-2 - \ln 2x-3 + C$ $= \ln \left \frac{3x-2}{2x-3} \right + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{4}{(x-2)(2x-3)} \equiv \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{2x-3}$ $4 \equiv A(2x-3) + B(x-2)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=2$, $4=2A$ $\Rightarrow [A=2]$ • If $x=0$, $4=-2B$ $\Rightarrow [B=-2]$ • If $x=3$, $4=4A$ $\Rightarrow [A=1]$ | <p>7. $\int \frac{7x-19}{x^2-2x-15} dx = \int \frac{\frac{7x-19}{x^2-2x-15}}{} dx$</p> $= \frac{5}{x+3} + \frac{2}{x-5} dx$ $= 5\ln x+3 + 2\ln x-5 + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{7x-19}{x^2-2x-15} \equiv \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{x-5}$ $7x-19 \equiv A(x-5) + B(x+3)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=5$, $15=5B$ $\Rightarrow [B=3]$ • If $x=-3$, $-40=8A$ $\Rightarrow [A=-5]$ |
| <p>4. $\int \frac{5x-7}{(x-1)(2x-3)} dx = \int \frac{\frac{10}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x-3}}{} dx$</p> $= 2\ln x-3 - \ln x-1 + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{5x-7}{(x-1)(2x-3)} \equiv \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{2x-3}$ $5x-7 \equiv A(2x-3) + B(x-1)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=1$, $-2=2A$ $\Rightarrow [A=-1]$ • If $x=\frac{3}{2}$, $-\frac{1}{2}=B$ $\Rightarrow [B=\frac{1}{2}]$ | <p>8. $\int \frac{x^2+14x+1}{(2x+5)(x-5)(x+1)} dx$</p> $= \frac{1}{x+3} - \frac{1}{x-5} + \frac{1}{x+1} dx$ $= \ln x+3 - \ln x+1 + \ln x-5 + C$ $= \ln \left \frac{x+3}{x+1} \cdot \frac{x-5}{x+1} \right + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{x^2+14x+1}{(2x+5)(x-5)(x+1)} \equiv \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{x-5} + \frac{C}{x+1}$ $x^2+14x+1 \equiv A(x+3)(x-5) + B(x+3)(x+1) + C(x-5)(x+1)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=5$, $96=8B$ $\Rightarrow [B=12]$ • If $x=-1$, $-10=C$ $\Rightarrow [C=-10]$ • If $x=0$, $1=4A-2B-2C$ $\Rightarrow [A=1]$ |
| <p>9. $\int \frac{7x+4}{(2x+1)(x+1)^2} dx = \int \frac{\frac{2}{x-2} + \frac{3}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{2}{x+1}}{} dx$</p> $= 2\ln x-2 - (x+1)^{-1} + 2\ln x+1 + C$ $= 2\ln \left \frac{x-2}{x+1} \right - \frac{1}{x+1} + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{7x+4}{(2x+1)(x+1)^2} \equiv \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{C}{x+1}$ $7x+4 \equiv A(2x+1) + B(x+1)^2 + C(x+1)(x-2)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=2$, $18=5A$ $\Rightarrow [A=\frac{18}{5}]$ • If $x=-1$, $-3=3B$ $\Rightarrow [B=-1]$ • If $x=0$, $4=A-2B-2C$ $\Rightarrow [C=-2]$ | <p>10. $\int \frac{2x^2+2x+8}{(2x-2)(3x+1)^2} dx = \int \frac{\frac{2}{x-2} - 3(x+1)^{-2}}{} dx$</p> $= 2\ln x-2 + 3(x+1)^{-1} + C$ $= 2\ln x-2 + \frac{3}{x+1} + C$ <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\frac{2x^2+2x+8}{(2x-2)(3x+1)^2} \equiv \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{C}{x+1}$ $2x^2+2x+8 \equiv A(3x+1)^2 + B(x-2) + C(x+1)(x-2)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=2$, $16=3A$ $\Rightarrow [A=\frac{16}{3}]$ • If $x=-1$, $9=-3B$ $\Rightarrow [B=-3]$ • If $x=0$, $8=4-A-2B$ $\Rightarrow [C=0]$ $2c=0$ $\Rightarrow [C=0]$ |

Question 2

Carry out each of the following integrations.

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

$$2. \int \frac{2}{(x-2)(x-4)} dx = \ln\left|\frac{x-4}{x-2}\right| + C$$

$$3. \int \frac{3}{(2+x)(1-x)} dx = \ln\left|\frac{2+x}{1-x}\right| + C$$

$$4. \int \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} dx = \ln\left|\frac{x+1}{x+2}\right| + C$$

$$5. \int \frac{x+1}{9x^2-1} dx = \frac{2}{9} \ln|3x-1| - \frac{1}{9} \ln|3x+1| + C$$

$$6. \int \frac{6}{x^2-2x-8} dx = \ln\left|\frac{x-4}{x+2}\right| + C$$

$$7. \int \frac{17-5x}{(2x+3)(2-x)^2} dx = \ln\left|\frac{2x+3}{2-x}\right| + \frac{1}{2-x} + C$$

$$8. \int \frac{14x+1}{(1-x)(2x+1)} dx = -5 \ln|1-x| - 2 \ln|2x+1| + C$$

$$9. \int \frac{4x^2-6x+5}{(2-x)(2x-1)^2} dx = -\frac{1}{2x-1} - \ln|2-x| + C$$

$$10. \int \frac{x+2}{x(x-1)} dx = 3 \ln|x-1| - 2 \ln|x| + C$$

1. $\int \frac{3x-1}{(2x+1)(2x-2)} dx = \dots$ PARTIAL FRACTIONS

$$\frac{3x-1}{(2x+1)(2x-2)} \equiv \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{2x-2}$$

$$3x-1 \equiv A(2x-2) + B(2x+1)$$

$$\begin{cases} 3x-1 \\ 2x+1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 3=2A+B \\ -1=-2A+2B \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} B=5 \\ A=1 \end{cases}$$

$$A=1$$

$$\int \frac{1}{2x+1} + \frac{1}{2x-2} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln|2x+1| + \ln|2x-2| + C$$

2. $\int \frac{2}{(2x-4)(2x-2)} dx = \dots$ PARTIAL FRACTIONS

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{1}{2x-4} - \frac{1}{2x-2} dx \\ &= \ln|2x-4| - \ln|2x-2| + C \\ &= \ln \left| \frac{2x-4}{2x-2} \right| + C \end{aligned}$$

3. $\int \frac{3}{(2x+2)(2x-3)} dx = \dots$ PARTIAL FRACTIONS

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{1}{2x+2} + \frac{1}{2x-3} dx \\ &\quad \boxed{\frac{3}{(2x+2)(2x-3)} \equiv \frac{A}{2x+2} + \frac{B}{2x-3}} \\ &\quad \begin{cases} 3=3A-3 \\ 3=2B+6 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A=1 \\ B=-3 \end{cases} \\ &= \ln|2x+2| - \ln|2x-3| + C \\ &= \ln \left| \frac{2x+2}{2x-3} \right| + C \end{aligned}$$

4. $\int \frac{1}{(2x+1)(2x^2)} dx = \dots$ PARTIAL FRACTIONS

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

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

BY PARTIAL FRACTION

$$\frac{2x-1}{(2x+1)(2x-1)} \equiv \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{2x-1}$$

$$2x-1 \equiv A(2x-1) + B(2x+1)$$

$$\begin{cases} 2=2A+B \\ -1=-2A+2B \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} B=\frac{3}{2} \\ A=-\frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

$$A=-\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{2x+1} - \frac{1}{2x-1} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln|2x+1| + C$$

6. $\int \frac{6}{(2x-4)(2x+2)} dx = \int \frac{6}{(2x-4)(2x+2)} dx$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{1}{2x-4} - \frac{1}{2x+2} dx \\ &= \ln|2x-4| - \ln|2x+2| + C \\ &= \ln \left| \frac{2x-4}{2x+2} \right| + C \end{aligned}$$

7. $\int \frac{17-5x}{(2x+3)(2x-2)} dx = \int \frac{17-5x}{(2x+3)(2x-2)} dx$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{2}{2x+3} + \frac{C-2}{2x-2} + \frac{1}{2x-2} dx \\ &= \ln|2x+3| + \ln|2-x| - \ln|2x-2| + C \\ &= \ln \left| \frac{2x+3}{2x-2} \right| + \frac{1}{2x-2} + C \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} &\int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = -\ln|x-1| \\ &\int \frac{8}{2x+1} dx = \frac{8}{2} \ln|2x+1| + C \\ &\begin{cases} 1=3A+1 \\ 1=8B+1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A=0 \\ B=\frac{1}{8} \end{cases} \\ &\begin{cases} 1=15 \\ 1=16 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A=0 \\ B=\frac{1}{8} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

9. $\int \frac{4x^2-6x+5}{(2x-2)(2x+1)^2} dx = \int \frac{4x^2-6x+5}{(2x-2)(2x+1)^2} dx$

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

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

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{2}{x} dx \\ &= \ln|x-1| + 2 \ln|x| + C \\ &= \ln|x-1| - 2 \ln|x| + C \end{aligned}$$

Question 3

Carry out each of the following integrations.

$$1. \int \frac{10x^2 - 23x + 11}{(2-3x)(2x-1)^2} dx = -\frac{2}{2x-1} - \frac{1}{3} \ln|2-3x| - \frac{1}{2} \ln|2x-1| + C$$

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

$$3. \int \frac{8(x^2+1)}{(x-3)(x+1)^2} dx = 5 \ln|x-3| + 3 \ln|x+1| + \frac{4}{x+1} + C$$

$$4. \int \frac{1}{x(x-2)} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left|\frac{x-2}{x}\right| + C$$

$$5. \int \frac{1}{x^2-4} dx = \frac{1}{4} \ln\left|\frac{x-2}{x+2}\right| + C$$

$$6. \int \frac{4x^2 - x + 1}{(x-1)(2x-1)} dx = 2x + 4 \ln|x-1| - \frac{3}{2} \ln|2x-1| + C$$

$$7. \int \frac{2}{x(x^2-1)} dx = \ln\left|\frac{x^2-1}{x^2}\right| + C$$

$$8. \int \frac{2x^2 + 5x - 1}{x^3 + x^2 - 2x} dx = 2 \ln|x-1| + \frac{1}{2} \ln\left|\frac{x}{x+2}\right| + C$$

$$9. \int \frac{1}{x^2-4} dx = \frac{1}{4} \ln\left|\frac{x-2}{x+2}\right| + C$$

$$10. \int \frac{2}{2x-x^2} dx = \ln\left|\frac{x}{2-x}\right| + C$$

6. $\int \frac{dx}{(x-2)(x-1)} dx$ BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS

$$= \int \left[\frac{2}{x-2} + \frac{1}{x-1} \right] dx$$

$$= 2x + \ln|x-2| - \frac{1}{x-1} + C$$

$$= 2x + 4\ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{x-1} + C$$

$$= 2x + 4\ln|x-1| + C$$

$$\boxed{A = 2, B = 1}$$

7. $\int \frac{2}{x(x-1)} dx = \int \frac{2}{x(x-1)} dx$

$$= \int \left[-\frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x-1} \right] dx$$

$$= -2\ln|x| + \ln|x-1| + \ln|x-1| + C$$

$$= -2\ln|x| + 2\ln|x-1| + C$$

$$= -\ln|x|^2 + \ln|(x-1)^2| + C$$

$$\boxed{A = -2, B = 1, C = 1}$$

8. $\int \frac{2x^2+5x-1}{2x^2+5x-2} dx = \int \frac{2x^2+5x-1}{2x(2x+1)-2} dx$

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

$$= 2\ln|x+1| + \frac{1}{2}\ln|2x+1| - \frac{1}{2}\ln|2x+2| + C$$

$$= 2\ln|x+1| + \frac{1}{2}\ln\left|\frac{2x+1}{2x+2}\right| + C$$

$$\boxed{A = \frac{1}{2}, B = \frac{5}{2}, C = -\frac{1}{2}}$$

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

$$= \int \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{x-2} - \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{x+2} dx = \frac{1}{2}\ln|x-2| - \frac{1}{2}\ln|x+2| + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\ln\left|\frac{|x-2|}{|x+2|}\right| + C$$

$$\boxed{A = 1, B = -1}$$

10. $\int \frac{2}{2x-2} dx = \int \frac{2}{2(x-1)} dx$

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

$$= \ln|x-1| - \ln|2-x| + C$$

$$= \ln\left|\frac{x-1}{2-x}\right| + C$$

$$\boxed{A = 1, B = -1}$$

Question 4

Carry out each of the following integrations.

$$1. \int_0^1 \frac{3x}{(x+1)(x-2)} dx = -\ln 2$$

$$2. \int_{\frac{1}{6}}^{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{14x+1}{(2x+1)(1-x)} dx = 3\ln\left(\frac{5}{4}\right)$$

$$3. \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{(1-x)(1+x)^2} dx = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{4}\ln 3$$

$$4. \int_2^6 \frac{5x+3}{(2x-3)(x+2)} dx = \ln 54$$

$$5. \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{3-5x}{(1-x)(2-3x)} dx = \frac{4}{3}\ln 2$$

$$6. \int_{-1}^1 \frac{9+4x^2}{9-4x^2} dx = -2 + 3\ln 5$$

$$7. \int_0^1 \frac{18-4x-x^2}{(4-3x)(1+x)^2} dx = \frac{7}{3}\ln 2 + \frac{3}{2}$$

$$8. \int_2^3 \frac{x^2+x+2}{x^2+2x-3} dx = 1 + \ln\left(\frac{25}{18}\right)$$

$$9. \int_0^{\frac{1}{4}} \frac{4}{(2x+1)(1-2x)} dx = \ln 3$$

$$10. \int_0^1 \frac{17-5x}{(3+2x)(2-x)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} + \ln\left(\frac{10}{3}\right)$$

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| <p><u>1.</u> $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{3x}{(2x+1)(x-2)} dx =$</p> $\begin{aligned} &\int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{2x+1} + \frac{2}{x-2} dx \\ &= \left[\ln 2x+1 + 2\ln x-2 \right]_{-1}^1 \\ &= [2\ln 2 + 2\ln -1] - [0 + 2\ln -1] = [2\ln 2 + 2\ln 1] - [0 + 2\ln 1] = 2\ln 2 \end{aligned}$ | <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\begin{aligned} \frac{3x}{(2x+1)(x-2)} &\equiv \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{x-2} \\ 3x &\equiv A(x-2) + B(2x+1) \\ 3x &\Rightarrow 6 = 3B \Rightarrow \boxed{B=2} \\ 2x+1 &\Rightarrow 2 = A \Rightarrow \boxed{A=2} \\ 2x-2 &\Rightarrow -3 = -3A \Rightarrow \boxed{A=-1} \end{aligned}$ |
| <p><u>2.</u> $\int_{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{(2x+1)(1-x)} dx$</p> $\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{2x+1} + \frac{1}{1-x} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2x+1} + \frac{1}{1-x} dx \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2x+1} \cdot 2x \Big _{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{1}{1-x} \Big _{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \left[-2\ln 2x+1 - 5\ln 1-x \right]_{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \left[2\ln\frac{1}{2} + 2\ln\frac{1}{3} + 5\ln\frac{1}{2} - 5\ln\frac{1}{3} \right]_{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} = \left(2\ln\frac{1}{2} + 5\ln\frac{1}{3} \right) - \left(2\ln\frac{1}{2} + 5\ln\frac{1}{3} \right) = 0 \\ &= 2\ln\frac{1}{2} - 2\ln\frac{1}{3} + 5\ln\frac{1}{2} - 5\ln\frac{1}{3} = 2\left(\ln\frac{1}{2} - \ln\frac{1}{3}\right) + 5\left(\ln\frac{1}{2} - \ln\frac{1}{3}\right) \\ &= 2\ln\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{5}{3} + 5\ln\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{3} = 2\ln\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{5}{3} + 5\ln\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{3} = -2\ln\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{5}{3} + 5\ln\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{3} = 3\ln\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$ | <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(2x+1)(1-x)} &\equiv \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{1-x} \\ 1 &\equiv A(2x+1)(1-x) + B(2x+1)(1-x) \\ 4x+2 &\Rightarrow 4A = 4 \Rightarrow \boxed{A=1} \\ 2x-1 &\Rightarrow -1 = B \Rightarrow \boxed{B=-1} \\ 2x+1 &\Rightarrow 1 = A \Rightarrow \boxed{A=1} \\ 2x-2 &\Rightarrow -3 = -3B \Rightarrow \boxed{B=1} \end{aligned}$ |
| <p><u>3.</u> $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{(1-2x)(x+1)^2} dx$</p> $\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{1-2x} + \frac{1}{x+1} + \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1-2x} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{1}{1-2x} dx \\ &= \left[-\frac{1}{4} \ln 1-2x - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln 1-2x \right]_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{4} \ln -1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(1+0)^2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln 1-2 \cdot 0 \right]_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{4} \ln 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(-1)^2} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{4} \ln 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(-1)^2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 \right) = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 1 = \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 \end{aligned}$ | <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTIONS</p> $\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(1-2x)(x+1)^2} &\equiv \frac{A}{1-2x} + \frac{B}{x+1} + \frac{C}{(x+1)^2} \\ 1 &\equiv A(1-2x)(x+1)^2 + B(1-2x)(x+1) + C(1-2x) \\ 4x+2 &\Rightarrow 4A = 4 \Rightarrow \boxed{A=1} \\ 2x-1 &\Rightarrow -1 = B \Rightarrow \boxed{B=-1} \\ 2x+1 &\Rightarrow 1 = C \Rightarrow \boxed{C=1} \end{aligned}$ |

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| <p><u>4.</u></p> $\int_{-2}^{\infty} \frac{5x+3}{(2x-3)(x+2)} dx$ $= \int_{-2}^{\infty} \frac{3}{2x-3} + \frac{1}{x+2} dx$ $= \int_{-2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \ln 2x-3 + \ln x+2 dx$ $= \left[\frac{1}{2} \ln 2x-3 + \ln x+2 \right]_{-2}^{\infty}$ $= \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln 1 + \ln 1 \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln 1 + \ln 4 \right)$ $= 3\ln 2 + 1\ln 1 - 1\ln 2 + 4\ln 1$ $= 3\ln 2 + 1\ln 1 - 1\ln 2 + 4\ln 1$ $= 3\ln 2 + 1\ln 1 - 1\ln 2 + 4\ln 1$ | <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTION</p> $\frac{5x+3}{(2x-3)(x+2)} = \frac{A}{2x-3} + \frac{B}{x+2}$ $5x+3 = A(x+2) + B(2x-3)$ $5x+3 = Ax+2A+Bx-3B$ $5x+3 = (A+B)x + 2A - 3B$ $\begin{cases} A+B=5 \\ 2A-3B=3 \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} A=2 \\ B=3 \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} A=2 \\ B=3 \end{cases}$ |
| <p><u>5.</u></p> $\int_{-1}^{\infty} \frac{3-x}{(1-x)(2-x)} dx = \int_{-1}^{\infty} \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{2-x} - \frac{1}{2x-1} dx$ $= \left[-2\ln 1-x + \frac{1}{2} \ln 2-x \right]_{-1}^{\infty}$ $= \left(-2\ln 1 + \frac{1}{2} \ln 1 \right) - \left(-2\ln(-1) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(-1) \right)$ $= 2\ln 2 - \frac{1}{2}\ln 2 - \frac{1}{2}\ln 2 = \frac{3}{2}\ln 2$ | <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTION</p> $\frac{3-x}{(1-x)(2-x)} = \frac{A}{1-x} + \frac{B}{2-x}$ $3-x = A(2-x) + B(1-x)$ $3-x = 2A - Ax + B - Bx$ $3-x = (2-A-B)x + (B+2A)$ $\begin{cases} 2-A-B=1 \\ B+2A=3 \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} A=1 \\ B=1 \end{cases}$ |
| <p><u>6.</u></p> $\int_{-1}^{1} \frac{q+4x^2}{q-4x^2} dx = \int_{-1}^{1} \frac{q+4x^2}{(2-x)(2+x)} dx$ $\text{UPTO 100% FRACTION}$ $= \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2-x} + \frac{3}{2+x} \right] dx$ $= \left[-x - \frac{3}{2} \ln 2-x + \frac{3}{2} \ln 2+x \right]$ $= \left[2x - \frac{3}{2} \ln(2-x) + \frac{3}{2} \ln(2+x) \right]$ $= \left[2x - \frac{3}{2} \ln \left \frac{2-x}{2+x} \right \right]$ $= \left[1 + \frac{3}{2} \ln S \right] - \left[1 + \frac{3}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1}{S} \right) \right] = -\left(\frac{3}{2} \ln S - \frac{3}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1}{S} \right) \right)$ $= -2 + \frac{3}{2} \ln S + \frac{3}{2} \ln S = -2 + 3\ln S$ | <p>BY PARTIAL FRACTION</p> $\frac{q+4x^2}{q-4x^2} = A + \frac{B}{2-x} + \frac{C}{2+x}$ $(q-4x^2) = A(q-4x^2) + B(2-x)(2+x) + C(2-x)(2+x)$ $(q-4x^2) = (A+B+C)x^2 + (2A-2B+2C)x + (4A-4B+4C)$ $\begin{cases} A+B+C=1 \\ 2A-2B+2C=0 \\ 4A-4B+4C=q \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} A=1 \\ B=1 \\ C=-1 \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} A=1 \\ B=1 \\ C=-1 \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} A=1 \\ B=1 \\ C=-1 \end{cases}$ |

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| <p>METHOD FRACTION</p> <p>7. $\int \frac{1}{(4-3x)(1+x^2)} dx = \int \frac{\frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{4x} + \frac{3}{4}(x^2+1)^{-1}}{(4-3x)(1+x^2)} dx$</p> $= \int \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{4x} - 3 \ln 1+x^2 \right] dx$ $= \left[\frac{1}{4} \ln 4x - \frac{3}{4} \ln x - \frac{3}{4} \ln 1+x^2 \right]$ $= \left(\frac{3}{4} \ln 4x + 3 - \frac{3}{4} \ln x \right) - \left(\frac{3}{4} \ln 4x + \frac{3}{4} \ln 1+x^2 \right)$ $= \frac{3}{4} \ln 4x + 3 - \frac{3}{4} \ln x + \frac{3}{4} \ln 1+x^2 $ | <p>METHOD FRACTION</p> <p>$\frac{10-12x-2}{(4-3x)(1+x^2)} = \frac{A}{4-3x} + \frac{B}{1+x^2}$</p> $10-12x-2 = A(4-3x) + B(1+x^2)(4-3x)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=1$: $10-12+2 = 4A + 4B \Rightarrow 4A+4B=0$ • If $x=0$: $10-0-2 = A(4-0) + B(1+0^2) \Rightarrow A=2$ • If $x=2$: $10-24-2 = 4A + B(1+4) \Rightarrow 4A+B=10$ |
| <p>METHOD FRACTION</p> <p>8. $\int \frac{2x^2+2}{x^2+2x-3} dx = \int \frac{2x^2+2}{(x+3)(x-1)} dx$</p> $= \int \left[1 + \frac{1}{2-x} - \frac{2}{3+x} \right] dx$ $= \left[x + \ln 2-x - 2\ln 3+x \right]$ $= (3+2\ln 2) - 2\ln(2-2x)$ $= 3+2\ln 2 - 2\ln(2-2x)$ $= 3+2\ln 2 - 2\ln \frac{2}{2x}$ $= 1 + \ln \frac{(2x+2)^2}{(2x-1)^2}$ | <p>METHOD FRACTION</p> <p>$\frac{2x^2+2}{x^2+2x-3} = \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{x-1}$</p> $2x^2+2 = A(x-1) + B(x+3)(x-1)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=-3$: $2(9)+2 = 4B \Rightarrow B=5$ • If $x=1$: $2(1)+2 = 2A \Rightarrow A=2$ • If $x=2$: $2(4)+2 = 2A+4B \Rightarrow 2A+4(5)=10 \Rightarrow A=1$ |
| <p>METHOD FRACTION</p> <p>9. $\int \frac{4}{(2x+1)(x-2)} dx = \int \frac{\frac{4}{2x+1} + \frac{2}{x-2}}{2x+1-x+2} dx$</p> $= \int \left[\ln 2x+1 - \ln x-2 \right] dx$ $= \int \left[\ln \left \frac{2x+1}{x-2} \right \right] dx$ $= \ln \left \frac{2x+1}{x-2} \right - 4x$ $= \ln 3$ | <p>METHOD FRACTION</p> <p>$\frac{4}{(2x+1)(x-2)} = \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{x-2}$</p> $4 = A(x-2) + B(2x+1)(x-2)$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If $x=\frac{1}{2}$: $4 = \frac{1}{2}B \Rightarrow B=8$ • If $x=2$: $4 = 2A \Rightarrow A=2$ • If $x=\frac{1}{2}$: $4 = 2A+4B \Rightarrow 4=2 \Rightarrow B=2$ |

10. $\int \frac{t-5x}{(2+5x)(2-x)} dt = \left[\frac{2}{5x} + G(x)^{-1} \right] + C_1$

$$= \left[\frac{2}{5x} + \frac{1}{2-x} + \frac{1}{2+x} \right] + C_1$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{5x}(2x+1) - \frac{1}{2}(x-1) + \frac{1}{2}(x+1) \right] + C_1$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{10}x^2 + x + \frac{1}{2}$$

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

BY FACTORING RADICALS

$$\begin{aligned} 11-5x &= \frac{A}{2+5x} + \frac{B}{2-x} \\ (2+5x)(2-x) &= 2A(2-x) + B(2+5x) \\ 11-5x &= (A-5B)x + 4A + 7B \Rightarrow \{ A=2, B=-1 \} \\ \bullet 4 &+ 2(-2) = 4 - 78 \Rightarrow [x=1] \\ \bullet 2+2 &= \frac{4}{5}x + \frac{4}{5} \Rightarrow [x=2] \\ \bullet 2+5 &= 17 + 5B \Rightarrow [x=5] \\ \bullet 2+5 &= 17 + 5B \Rightarrow [x=5] \\ \boxed{C=1} & \end{aligned}$$

Question 5

Carry out each of the following integrations.

$$1. \int_4^9 \frac{5x^2 - 8x + 1}{2x(x-1)^2} dx = \ln\left(\frac{32}{3}\right) - \frac{5}{24}$$

$$2. \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{x^2 - 4} dx = 1 - \ln 3$$

$$3. \int_0^5 \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)(x+3)} dx = \ln\left(\frac{8}{7}\right)$$

$$4. \int_0^1 \frac{10}{(x+1)(x+3)(2x+1)} dx = 3\ln 3 - 3\ln 2$$

$$5. \int_0^4 \frac{13 - 2x}{(x+4)(2x+1)} dx = 4\ln 3 - 3\ln 2$$

$$6. \int_2^6 \frac{2x^2 - x + 11}{(x+2)(2x-3)} dx = 4 + 4\ln 3 - 3\ln 2$$

$$7. \int_0^2 \frac{25x+1}{(2x-1)(x+1)^2} dx = \frac{16}{3}$$

$$8. \int_5^8 \frac{2x^2}{x^2 - 16} dx = 6 + 4\ln 3$$

$$9. \int_2^3 \frac{x^2 - 3x + 5}{(4-x)(1-x)^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} + \ln 2$$

$$10. \int_0^2 \frac{4x^3 - 12x^2 - 22x - 3}{(4-x)(2x+1)} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{5}{64}\right) - 6$$

1. $\int_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{9}{4}} \frac{2x^2 - x + 1}{2x(x-2)^2} dx$

Partial Fraction

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

$\int \left[\frac{9}{4} - (x-2)^{-2} + \frac{2}{x-1} \right] dx$

$= \int \left[\frac{1}{4}(6x) + (x-2)^{-1} + 2\ln|x-1| \right] dx$

$= \left(\frac{1}{4}(6x) + \frac{1}{x-2} + 2\ln|x-1| \right)$

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

$= \frac{5}{2} + \ln 3 + \ln 32 = \ln \left(32 \cdot \frac{5}{2} \right) - \frac{5}{2}$

2. $\int \frac{x^2}{x^2 - 4} dx$

IMPROPER FRACTION
PARTIAL FRACTION

$\int_0^1 \left(1 + \frac{4}{x^2 - 4} \right) dx = \int_0^1 \left(1 + \frac{4}{(x+2)(x-2)} \right) dx$

$= \left[x + 4 \ln|x+2| - 4 \ln|x-2| \right]_0^1$

$= (1 + 4 \ln 1 - 4 \ln 3) - (4 \ln 1 - 4 \ln 2)$

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

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

BY PARTS

$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} dx = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{x+3} dx$

$= \left[\frac{1}{2} \ln|x+2| - \frac{1}{2} \ln|x+3| \right]_0^1$

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

$= \frac{1}{2} \ln 6 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 8 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 3 \right)$

$= \frac{1}{2} \ln 6 + \frac{1}{2} \ln 3 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 8 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\ln 6 + \ln 3 - \ln 8 - \ln 2 \right) = \ln \left(\frac{6}{8} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \right)$

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| $\begin{aligned} & \int_0^1 \frac{10}{(2x+1)(3x-2)} dx \quad \text{Partial Fraction Decomposition} \\ &= \int_0^1 \left[\frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{3x-2} \right] dx \\ &= \left[\ln 2x+1 + 4\ln 3x-2 - \left. S(x) \right _0^1 \right] \\ &= \left(3\ln 3 + 4\ln 3 - 5\ln 1 \right) - \left(3\ln 1 + 4\ln 1 - 5\ln 1 \right) \\ &= 3\ln 3 + 4\ln 3 - 5\ln 2 - 3\ln 3 = 3\ln 3 - 3\ln 2. \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} \frac{10}{(2x+1)(3x-2)} &= \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{3x-2} \\ 10 &\equiv A(3x-2) + B(2x+1) \\ \bullet 1 &\cdot 3x-1 \quad 10 \rightarrow A=5 \\ \bullet 2 &\cdot 2x+1 \quad 10 \rightarrow B=8 \\ \bullet 1 &\cdot 2x+\frac{1}{2} \quad 10 \rightarrow C=1 \\ \bullet 2 &\cdot 3x-\frac{1}{2} \quad 10 \rightarrow D=4 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} 5. \quad & \int_0^4 \frac{13-2x}{(2x+1)(3x-1)} dx \quad \text{Partial Fraction Decomposition} \\ &= \int_0^4 \left[\frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{3x-1} \right] dx \\ &= \left[\frac{A}{2} \ln 2x+1 - \frac{3}{3} \ln 3x-1 \right]_0^4 \\ &= \left(2\ln 9 - 3\ln 1 \right) - \left(2\ln 1 - 3\ln 1 \right) = 4\ln 9 - 3\ln 2 + 3\ln 2 = 4\ln 9 - 3\ln 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} \frac{13-2x}{(2x+1)(3x-1)} &= \frac{A}{2x+1} + \frac{B}{3x-1} \\ 13-2x &\equiv A(3x-1) + B(2x+1) \\ \bullet 1 &\cdot 3x-1 \quad 21-2=7 \rightarrow A=7 \\ \bullet 2 &\cdot 2x+1 \quad 14=7 \rightarrow B=7 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} 6. \quad & \int_2^6 \frac{2x^2-x+11}{(x+2)(x^2-2)} dx \quad \text{Partial Fraction Decomposition} \\ &= \int_2^6 \left[\frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2-2} \right] dx \\ &= \left[A \cdot \frac{1}{x+2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2-2} \right]_2^6 \\ &= \left(6-3\ln 6 + 2\ln 2 \right) - \left(2-3\ln 2 + 2\ln 2 \right) \\ &= 6-9\ln 6 + 4\ln 3 - 2 + 8\ln 2 \\ &= 4 + 4\ln 3 - 3\ln 2. \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} \frac{2x^2-x+11}{(x+2)(x^2-2)} &= \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2-2} \\ 2x^2-x+11 &\equiv A(x^2-2) + B(x+2) + C(x+2) \\ \bullet 1 &\cdot x+2 \quad 8+4A=-7 \rightarrow A=-\frac{15}{4} \\ \bullet 2 &\cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot x^2-2 \quad \frac{9}{2}+B=11 \rightarrow B=\frac{13}{2} \\ & T=3, x=2 \quad \frac{1}{2}(3)^2-2=\frac{1}{2}C \\ \bullet 3 &\cdot x+2 \quad 11+C=4 \rightarrow C=-7 \end{aligned}$ |

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| <p><u>7</u></p> $\int_{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{2x+1}{(2x-1)(5x^2)} dx$ $= \int_{-1}^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\frac{1}{2}(2x-1) - \frac{3}{2}}{(2x-1)(5x^2)} dx$ $= \left[\frac{1}{2} \ln 2x-1 - \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{5} x^{-1} \right]_0^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $= \left[\frac{1}{2} \ln\left \frac{2x-1}{5x^2}\right - \frac{3}{10} \right]_0^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $= \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln\left \frac{\frac{1}{2}-1}{5 \cdot \frac{1}{4}}\right - \frac{3}{10} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln 1-1 - \frac{3}{10} \right)$ $= B - \frac{16}{5}$ $= B - \frac{16}{5} = \frac{16}{3}$ | <p><u>8</u></p> $\int_{-5}^8 \frac{2x^2}{3x^2-16} dx$ $= \int_{-5}^8 \frac{2 + \frac{4}{3x^2-16} - \frac{4}{3x^2-16}}{3x^2-16} dx$ $= \left[2x + \frac{4}{3} \ln 3x^2-16 - \frac{4}{3} \ln 3x^2-16 \right]_{-5}^8$ $= (16 + 4 \ln(128-16)) - (10 + 4 \ln(128-16))$ $= 6 + 4(\ln 124 - \ln 112)$ |
| | $\frac{2x+1}{(2x-1)(5x^2)} = \frac{A}{2x-1} + \frac{B}{5x^2-16}$ $2x+1 \equiv A(5x^2-16) + B(2x-1) + C(2x-1)(5x^2-16)$ $\begin{cases} 2x+1 & \text{if } 2x-1 = -3x \\ 2x+1 & \Rightarrow x=-3 \\ 2x+1 & \text{if } 2x-1 = 2x \\ 2x+1 & \Rightarrow 1 = -8-C \\ 2x+1 & \Rightarrow 1 = 8-C \\ C & = -3 \end{cases}$ $\frac{2x+1}{(2x-1)(5x^2)} = \frac{1}{2x-1} + \frac{4}{5x^2-16}$ $2x^2 = A(-1)(3x^2-16) + B(4)(2x-1) + C(2x-1)(5x^2-16)$ $\begin{cases} 2x^2 & \text{if } 3x^2-16 = 3x^2-16 \\ 2x^2 & \Rightarrow 0 = 0 \\ 2x^2 & \text{if } 2x-1 = 2x \\ 2x^2 & \Rightarrow 0 = -8-C \\ 2x^2 & \Rightarrow 0 = 8-C \\ C & = -8 \end{cases}$ |

9. $\int_{-2}^2 \frac{x^2 - 3x + 5}{(4-x)(-x-2)} dx$ INTRODUCE
FRACTION

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_{-2}^2 \frac{x^2 - 3x + 5}{(4-x)(-x-2)} dx \\ &= \left[-\frac{1}{2} \ln|4-x| + \frac{1}{1-x} \right]_2 \\ &= \left[-\frac{1}{2} \ln|4-x| + \frac{1}{1-x} \right]_2 \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{2} \ln|4-(-1)| - (-\ln 2 - 1) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \ln 2 \end{aligned}$$

10. $\int_0^2 \frac{(2+2x^2-2x-3)}{(4-2x)(2x+1)} dx$

$$\begin{aligned} &\approx \int_0^2 -2x-1 + \frac{3}{2x+1} + \frac{1}{4-2x} dx \\ &= \left[-x^2 - 2x + 3 \ln|2x+1| + \frac{1}{2} \ln|4-2x| \right]_0^2 \\ &= \left[-4 - 3 + 3 \ln(2+1) + \frac{1}{2} \ln(4-4) \right] \\ &= -6 + 3 \ln 2 + \frac{1}{2} \ln 3 - 3 \ln 4 \\ &= -6 - \frac{1}{2} \left[\ln(4 \cdot 2 \cdot 3) - \ln 4096 \right] \\ &= -6 + \frac{1}{2} \left[\ln \left(\frac{4 \cdot 2 \cdot 3}{4096} \right) \right] \\ &= -6 + \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{3}{4096} \right) \end{aligned}$$

INTRODUCE FRACTION

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{4x^2+12x-20-3}{(4-2x)(2x+1)} &\equiv A + B \cdot \frac{C}{4-2x} + \frac{D}{2x+1} \\ 4x^2+12x-20-3 &\equiv (A+2B)x^2 + (B-2A+12)x + (C+2D) \\ \begin{cases} 4 = A+2B \\ 12 = B-2A+12 \\ -20 = C+2D \\ -3 = D \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

SUM UP

$$\begin{aligned} &\begin{cases} 4 = A+2B \\ 12 = B-2A+12 \\ -20 = C+2D \\ -3 = D \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A = -2 \\ B = 4 \\ C = 16 \\ D = -3 \end{cases} \\ &A = -2 \end{aligned}$$