

QB365 Question Bank Software Study Materials

Applications of Integration Important 2 Marks Questions With Answers (Book Back and Creative)

12th Standard

Maths

Total Marks : 40

2 Marks

20 x 2 = 40

- 1) Evaluate $\int_0^1 x dx$, as the limit of a sum.

Answer : Here $f(x) = x$, $a = 0$ and $b = 1$. Hence, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b f(x) dx &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n f\left(\frac{r}{n}\right) \Rightarrow \int_0^1 x dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{r}{n} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2} [1 + 2 + \dots + n] \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

- 2) Evaluate: $\int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos x dx$.

Answer : Let $f(x) = x \cos x$

Then $f(-x) = (-x) \cos(-x) = -x \cos x = -f(x)$.

So $f(x) = x \cos x$ is an odd function.

Hence, applying the property, for odd function $f(x)$, $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 0$

$$\therefore \text{we get } \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos x dx = 0$$

- 3) Evaluate the following definite integrals:

$$\int_3^4 \frac{dx}{x^2-4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Answer : } \int_3^4 \frac{dx}{x^2-4} &= \int_3^4 \frac{dx}{x^2-2^2} \\ &\left[\because \int \frac{dx}{x^2-a^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \log \left| \frac{x-a}{x+a} \right| + c \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left[\log \left(\frac{4-2}{4+2} \right) - \log \left(\frac{3-2}{3+2} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \log \left[\left(\frac{2}{6} \right) - \log \frac{1}{5} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \log \left(\frac{1}{3} \times 5 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \log \left(\frac{5}{3} \right) \end{aligned}$$

- 4) Evaluate $\int_b^\infty \frac{1}{a^2+x^2} dx$, $a > 0$, $b \in R$

$$\text{Answer : } \int_b^\infty \frac{1}{a^2+x^2} dx = \left[\frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \right]_b^\infty = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \infty - \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} = \frac{1}{a} \left[\frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a} \right]$$

- 5) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\sin^2 x + \cos^4 x) dx$

$$\text{Answer : Given that } I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\sin^2 x + \cos^4 x) dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x dx + \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 x dx = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{7\pi}{16}$$

- 6) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left| \begin{array}{cc} \cos^4 x & 7 \\ \sin^5 x & 3 \end{array} \right| dx$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Answer : } I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (3\cos^4 x - 7\sin^5 x) dx = 3 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 x dx - 7 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^5 x dx \\ &= 3 \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{2} - 7 \times \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} = \frac{9\pi}{16} - \frac{56}{15}. \end{aligned}$$

By applying the reduction formula III iteratively, we get the following results (stated without proof):

(i) If n is even and m is even,

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^m x \cos^n x dx = \frac{(n-1)}{m+n} \frac{(n-3)}{m+n-2} \frac{(n-5)}{m+n-4} \dots \frac{1}{m+2} \frac{m-1}{m} \frac{m-3}{m-2} \frac{m-5}{m-4} \dots \frac{1}{2} \frac{\pi}{2}$$

(ii) If n is odd and m is any positive integer (even or odd), then

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^m x \cos^n x dx = \frac{(n-1)}{m+n} \frac{(n-3)}{m+n-2} \frac{(n-5)}{m+n-4} \dots \frac{2}{m+3} \frac{1}{m+1}$$

- 7) Find the values of the following:

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^5 x \cos^4 x dx$$

Answer : $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^4 x \cos^6 x dx = \frac{(6-1)}{(6+4)} \cdot \frac{(6-3)}{(6+4-2)} \cdot \frac{(6-5)}{(6+4-4)} \cdot \frac{(4-1)}{(4)} \cdot \frac{(4-3)}{(4-2)} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$= \frac{(5)}{(10)} \frac{(3)}{(8)} \frac{(1)}{(6)} \frac{(3)}{(4)} \frac{(1)}{(2)} \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{512}$$

Also, $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^4 x \cos^6 x dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^6 x \cos^4 x dx = \frac{(3)}{(10)} \frac{(1)}{(8)} \frac{(5)}{(6)} \frac{(3)}{(4)} \frac{(1)}{(2)} \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{512}$

8) Evaluate $\int_0^1 x^3(1-x)^4 dx$

Answer : $\int_0^1 x^m(1-x)^n dx = \frac{m! \times n!}{(m+n+1)!}$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 x^3(1-x)^4 dx = \frac{3! \times 4!}{(3+4+1)!} = \frac{3! \times 4!}{8!} = \frac{3 \times 2 \times 1 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1}{8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = \frac{1}{280}$$

9) Evaluate the following

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^3 \theta \cos^5 \theta d\theta$$

Answer : $I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^3 \theta \cos^5 \theta d\theta$

$$m = 3, n = 5$$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} (\cos^5 \theta - \cos^7 \theta) \sin \theta d\theta$$

$$t = \cos \theta$$

$$dt = -\sin \theta d\theta$$

$$= \int_1^0 (t^2 - t^7)(-dt)$$

$$= \int_1^0 (t^5 - t^7)(dt) = [\frac{t^6}{6} - \frac{t^8}{8}]$$

$$\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{8-6}{48}$$

$$= \frac{1}{24}$$

Aliter method:

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^3 \theta \cos^5 \theta d\theta$$

Here m = 3, which is odd and n = 5, which is odd

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^m \theta \cos^n x dx$$

$$\frac{n-1}{m+n} \cdot \frac{n-3}{m+n-2} \cdot \frac{n-5}{m+n-4} \cdots \frac{2}{m+3} \cdot \frac{1}{m+1}$$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^3 \theta \cos^5 \theta d\theta = \frac{A}{8} \times \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{1}{A}$$

$$= \frac{1}{24}$$

10) Evaluate $\int_0^\infty e^{-ax} x^n dx$, where $a > 0$.

Answer : Making the substitution $t = ax$, we get $dt = adx$ and $x = 0 \Rightarrow t = 0$ and $x = \infty \Rightarrow t = \infty$

Hence, we get

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-ax} x^n dx = \int_0^\infty e^{-t} \left(\frac{t}{a}\right)^n \frac{dt}{a} = \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^n dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{a^{n+1}} \int_0^\infty e^{-x} x^n dx = \frac{n!}{a^{n+1}}$$

Thus

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-ax} x^n dx = \frac{n!}{a^{n+1}}$$

11) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} e^{3x} \cos x dx$

Answer : $\frac{1}{10} \left[e^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} - 1 \right]$

12) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{e^x}{1+e^{2x}} dx$

Answer : $\tan^{-1} e - \frac{\pi}{4}$

13) Find the area of the region bounded by the curves $y=2^x$, $y=-2x-x^2$ and the lines $x=0$ and $x=2$

Answer : $\frac{a}{\log 2} - \frac{20}{2}$

14) Find the area of the region bounded by the curve $y = \sin x$ and the ordinate $x=0$, $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$

Answer : $\frac{1}{2}$

15) Find the area of the region bounded by the curve $y=\sin x$ and the ordinate $x=0$, $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$

Answer : $\frac{1}{2}$

16) Write the Reduction Formulae III and IV

Answer : G

17) Evaluate $\int_0^2 \sqrt{\frac{2+x}{2-x}} dx$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Answer : } I &= \int_0^2 \sqrt{\frac{2+x}{2-x} \times \frac{2+x}{2+x}} dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \sqrt{\frac{(2+x)^2}{4-x^2}} dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \frac{2+x}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx \\ &= \int_0^2 \frac{2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx + \int_0^2 \frac{x}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx \\ &= [2 \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{2}]_0^2 - [\sqrt{4-x^2}]_0^2 = 2 \times \frac{\pi}{2} + 2 \\ I &= \pi + 2\end{aligned}$$

18) Evaluate $\int_0^\pi \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Answer : } u &= \theta \quad dv = \sec^2 \theta d\theta \\ u' &= 1 \quad v = \tan \theta \\ v_1 &= \log \sec \theta \\ \int_0^{\pi/4} \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta &= [\theta \tan \theta - \log \sec \theta]_0^{\pi/4} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4} - \log \sqrt{2} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \log 2 \\ \int_0^{\pi/4} \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta &= \frac{1}{4}(\pi - 2 \log 2)\end{aligned}$$

19) Prove that $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{f(\sin x)}{f(\sin x) + f(\cos x)} dx = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Answer : } \text{Let } I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{f(\sin x)}{f(\sin x) + f(\cos x)} dx \dots\dots\dots(1) \\ I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{f(\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}-x))}{f(\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}-x))+f(\cos(\frac{\pi}{2}-x))} dx \\ [\because \int_0^a f(x) dx &= \int_0^a f(a-x) dx] \\ I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{f(\cos x)}{f(\cos x) + f(\sin x)} dx \dots\dots\dots(2)\end{aligned}$$

From (1) and (2) we get,

$$\begin{aligned}2I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{f(\sin x) + f(\cos x)}{f(\sin x) + f(\cos x)} dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} dx = [x]_0^{\pi/2} \\ 2I &= \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \therefore I &= \frac{\pi}{4}\end{aligned}$$

Hence proved.

20) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{|x|}{x} dx$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Answer : } I &= \int_0^1 \frac{|x|}{x} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 1 dx \\ &= [x]_0^1 \\ I &= 1 \\ f(x) &= \begin{cases} \frac{x}{x}, x > 0 \\ \frac{-x}{x}, x \leq 0 \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} +1, x > 0 \\ -1, x \leq 0 \end{cases}\end{aligned}$$