

Exercises

Integration rules

Exercise 1. Use the partial integration rule to compute the following integrals:

$$(a) \int e^{2x}(3x - 2) dx \quad (b) \int_0^{\pi} (x + 1) \sin(x) dx \quad (c) \int (2x^2 - 3) \cdot \sin(x) dx$$

Exercise 2. Use the substitution rule to compute the following integrals:

$$(a) \int_{-1}^0 \frac{1}{(2x + 3)^4} dx \quad (b) \int x e^{-x^2+1} dx \quad (c) \int x \cos(x^2) dx$$
$$(d) \int \frac{\cos(x)}{\sin(x)} dx \quad (e) \int x^2 e^{-x^3+1} dx \quad (f) \int_1^e \frac{\sqrt{\ln(x)}}{x} dx$$

Exercise 3. Use partial integration twice to compute the integral

$$\int e^x \cos(x) dx.$$

Hint: After using partial integration twice substitute $A := \int e^x \cos(x) dx$ and solve the resulting equation for A .

Exercise 4. The expectation of a random variable X with density function $f(t)$ is defined as

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} t f(t) dt.$$

1. Compute the expectation of an exponentially distributed random variable, i.e. a random variable with density function

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ \lambda e^{-\lambda t} & t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

(Use partial integration this time to solve the integral).

2. Compute the expectation of a Gaussian random variable, i.e. a random variable with density function

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}}.$$