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ANSWER TO ASSIGNMENT III

1. $\int \frac{11-3x}{x^2+2x-3} dx$

Solution

$$\frac{11-3x}{x^2+2x-3} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x+3}$$

$$11-3x = A(x+3) + B(x-1)$$

For A, $x=1$

$$11-3(1) = A(1+3) + B(1-1)$$

$$8 = 4A$$

$$\therefore A = 2$$

For B, $x=-3$

$$11-3(-3) = A(-3+3) + B(-3-1)$$

$$20 = -4B$$

$$\therefore B = -5$$

$$\int \frac{11-3x}{x^2+2x-3} dx = \int \frac{2}{x-1} dx - \int \frac{5}{x+3} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{2dx}{x-1} - \int \frac{5dx}{x+3} = \int \frac{11-3x}{x^2+2x-3} dx$$

$$2 \ln(x-1) - 5 \ln(x+3) + C$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{11-3x}{x^2+2x-3} = 2 \ln(x-1) - 5 \ln(x+3) + C$$

2. $\int \frac{4x-16}{x^2-2x-3} dx$

Solution

$$\frac{4x-16}{x^2-2x-3} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-3}$$

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$$4x - 6 = A(x-3) + B(x+1)$$

At A, $x = -1$

$$A(-1) - 6 = A(-1-3) + B(-1+1)$$

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$$-10 = -4A$$

$$A = 5/2$$

At B, $x = 3$

$$4(3) - 6 = A(3-3) + B(3+1)$$

$$6 = 4B$$

$$B = \frac{6}{4} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\int \frac{4x-6}{x^2-2x-3} dx = \int \frac{5}{2(x+1)} dx + \int \frac{3}{2(x-3)} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{2} \ln(x+1) + \frac{3}{2} \ln(x-3) + C$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{4x-6}{x^2-2x-3} dx = \frac{5}{2} \ln(x+1) + \frac{3}{2} \ln(x-3) + C$$

b.) $\int \frac{2x^2-9x-35}{(x+1)(x-2)(x+3)} dx$

Solution

$$\frac{2x^2-9x-35}{(x+1)(x-2)(x+3)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-2} + \frac{C}{x+3}$$

$$\therefore 2x^2-9x-35 = A(x-2)(x+3) + B(x+1)(x+3) + C(x+1)(x-2)$$

At A, $x = -1$

$$2(-1)^2 - 9(-1) - 35 = A(-1-2)(-1+3)$$

$$2 + 9 - 35 = -6A$$

$$-24 = -6A$$

$$A = 4$$

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At B, $x = 2$

$$2(2)^2 - 9(2) - 35 = B(2+1)(2+3)$$

$$8 - 18 - 35 = 15B$$

$$-45 = -15B$$

$$B = -3$$

At C, $x = -3$

$$2(-3)^2 - 9(-3) - 35 = C(-3+1)$$

$$18 + 27 - 35 = C(-2)(-5)$$

$$10 = 10C$$

$$C = 1$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{5x^2 - 9x - 35}{(x+1)(x-2)(x+3)} dx = \int \frac{4}{x+1} dx - \int \frac{3}{x-2} dx + \int \frac{1}{x+3} dx$$

$$4 \ln(x+1) - 3 \ln(x-2) + \ln(x+3) + C$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{5x^2 - 9x - 35}{(x+1)(x-2)(x+3)} = 4 \ln(x+1) - 3 \ln(x-2) + \ln(x+3) + C$$