

Solution of Problem 3

First Method

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{\ln(x)}{x(1+\ln^4(x))} dx &= \int \frac{u}{1+u^4} du, \text{ where } u = \ln x, du = \frac{1}{x} dx \quad (7 \text{ points}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{1+w^2} dw, \text{ where } w = u^2, dw = 2u du \quad (5 \text{ points}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(w) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(\ln^2(x)) + C \quad (8 \text{ points})\end{aligned}$$

Second Method

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{\ln(x)}{x(1+\ln^4(x))} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{1+u^2} du, \text{ where } u = \ln^2(x), du = \frac{2 \ln x}{x} dx \quad (12 \text{ points}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(u) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(\ln^2(x)) + C \quad (8 \text{ points})\end{aligned}$$