

Solution (#1559) Recall from #1558 that

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \cos 2ax dx = \sqrt{\pi} e^{-a^2}.$$

As

$$\begin{aligned}\cos^2 x &= \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2x); \\ \sin^2 x &= \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x); \\ \cos^3 x &= \frac{1}{4}(\cos 3x + 3\cos x); \\ \sin^4 x &= \frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{2}\cos 2x + \frac{1}{8}\cos 4x,\end{aligned}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \cos^2 x dx &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}(1 + e^{-1}); \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \sin^2 x dx &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}(1 - e^{-1}); \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \cos^3 x dx &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{4}(3e^{-1/4} + e^{-9/4}); \\ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \sin^4 x dx &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{8}(3 - 4e^{-1} + e^{-4}).\end{aligned}$$