

CHAPTER 3

INTEGRATION

- 3.1 Integration of hyperbolic functions
- 3.2 Integration of inverse trigonometric functions
- 3.3 Integration of inverse hyperbolic functions

Recall: Methods involved:

- Substitution of u
- By parts
- Tabular method
- Partial fractions

REVISION: Techniques of integration

(a) Integration by substitution

Example:

$$1. \int \frac{\sin x}{1 - \cos x} dx$$

$$2. \int \sin x \cos^4 x dx$$

$$3. \int x \cos x^2 e^{\sin x^2} dx$$

(b) Integration by parts

Example:

$$1. \int x \cos x dx$$

$$2. \int x \sin 2x dx$$

(c) Tabular methods

Example:

$$1. \int x \sec^2 x \, dx$$

$$2. \int e^{3x} \cos 2x \, dx$$

(d) Integration using partial fractions

Example:

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

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

3.1 Integrals of Hyperbolic Functions

Integral Formulae

$$1. \int \sinh x dx = \cosh x + C$$

$$2. \int \cosh x dx = \sinh x + C$$

$$3. \int \sec h^2 x dx = \tanh x + C$$

$$4. \int \operatorname{cosech}^2 x dx = -\coth x + C$$

$$5. \int \sec hx \tanh x dx = -\sec hx + C$$

$$6. \int \operatorname{cosech} x \coth x dx = -\operatorname{cosech} x + C$$

Example 3.1 : Evaluate the following integrals

a) $\int \sinh x \cosh x \, dx$

b) $\int \sqrt{\tanh x} \operatorname{sech}^2 x \, dx$

c) $\int x \cosh x \, dx$

d) $\int x^3 \cosh x \, dx$

3.2 Integration of Inverse Trigonometric Functions

Integration formulae of the Inverse Trigonometric Functions

Differentiation	Integration
$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \sin^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos^{-1} x) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\int \frac{-dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \cos^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\int \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \tan^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\cot^{-1} x) = \frac{-1}{1+x^2}$	$\int \frac{-dx}{1+x^2} = \cot^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\sec^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{ x \sqrt{x^2-1}}$	$\int \frac{dx}{ x \sqrt{x^2-1}} = \sec^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\csc^{-1} x) = \frac{-1}{ x \sqrt{x^2-1}}$	$\int \frac{-dx}{ x \sqrt{x^2-1}} = \csc^{-1} x + C$

Example 3.2 : Evaluate the following integrals

a) $\int_0^1 \tan^{-1} x \, dx$

b) $\int \frac{e^{\sin^{-1} x}}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \, dx$

c) $\int \frac{\sqrt{\tan^{-1} x}}{1+x^2} \, dx$

What about

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}, \int \frac{dx}{9+x^2}, \int \frac{dx}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-10}} \dots?$$

To find the answer for this question, lets try

to solve $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}}.$

Solution:

Let $x = au$, then $dx = adu$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} &= \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \\ &= \sin^{-1} u + C \\ &= \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right) + C \end{aligned}$$

Using the same method, we can find the solution for

$$\int \frac{dx}{a^2+x^2}, \int \frac{dx}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-a^2}}, \dots$$

From the above discussions, we obtain the general integration formulae as follows:

$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{-dx}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{dx}{a^2 + x^2} = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{-dx}{a^2 + x^2} = \frac{1}{a} \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{dx}{ x \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} = \frac{1}{a} \sec^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{-dx}{ x \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} = \frac{1}{a} \csc^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$

Example 3.3 : Evaluate the following integrals

1. a) $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{16-x^2}}$

b) $\int \frac{2dx}{3+x^2}$

2. a) $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$

b) $\int \frac{dx}{4+3x^2}$

3. a) $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{-x^2+2x+3}}$

b) $\int \frac{dx}{x^2-2x+2}$

3.3 Integration involving Inverse Hyperbolic Functions

Integration formulae of the Inverse Hyperbolic Functions:

Differentiation	Integration
$\frac{d}{dx}(\sinh^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$	$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} = \sinh^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\cosh^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$	$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} = \cosh^{-1} x + C$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\tanh^{-1} x) = \frac{1}{1-x^2}$	$\int \frac{dx}{1-x^2} = \tanh^{-1} x + C$

What about

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4+x^2}}, \int \frac{dx}{x^2-8}, \int \frac{dx}{25-x^2} \dots?$$

To find the answer for this question, lets try

to solve $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2+x^2}}.$

Solution:

Let $x = au$, then $dx = adu$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2+x^2}} &= \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{1+u^2}} \\ &= \sinh^{-1} u + C \\ &= \sinh^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right) + C \end{aligned}$$

Using the same method, we can find the solution for

$$\int \frac{dx}{a^2-x^2}, \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2-a^2}}, \dots$$

From the above discussions, we obtain the general integration formulae as follows:

$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} = \sinh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} = \cosh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{dx}{a^2 - x^2} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{a} \tanh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C, & x < a \\ \frac{1}{a} \coth^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C, & x > a \end{cases}$
$\int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} = -\frac{1}{a} \operatorname{sech}^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$
$\int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} = -\frac{1}{a} \operatorname{cosech}^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$

Examples 3.4:

1. Solve the following:

$$\text{a) } \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{3x^2 + 2}}$$

$$\text{b) } \int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{9 - 4x^2}}$$

$$\text{c) } \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{2(x-3)^2 + 1}}$$

$$\text{d) } \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 + 4x + 3}}$$

2. Show that $\int \frac{x+1}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} dx = \sqrt{x^2 + 1} + \sinh^{-1} x + C.$