# MA.4.1 不定积分及其基本计算方法

# 一、基本概念

# 原函数

### #原函数

设  $f(x):I\to \mathbb{R}$ , 若  $\exists F(x)$  使得  $F'(x)=f(x)(\forall x\in I)$ , 则称 F(x) 是 f(x) 在 I 上的一个原函数.

## 全体原函数

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设 F(x) 是 f(x) 在 I 上的一个原函数,则 F(x)+C(C) 为任意常数)为 f(x) 在 I 上的**全体**原函数.

### **Proof:**

$$(F(x)+c)'=F'(x):=f(x)$$
 令 $G(x)$  为 $f(x)$ 任意原函数 
$$\therefore G'(x)=f(x)=F'(x) \quad (x\in I)$$
  $\stackrel{\exists C\in\mathbb{R}}{\Longrightarrow} \quad G(x)=F(x)+C$ 

# 不定积分

### #不定积分

设 f(x) 存在原函数,则 f(x) 的全体原函数称为 f(x) 的**不定积分**,记作

$$\int f(x) \mathrm{d}x$$

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- ∫ 一不定积分号
- f(x) 一被积函数
- *x* 一积分变量

# 被积表达式

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设 F(x) 是 f(x) 在 I 上的一个原函数, 则

$$\int f(x)\mathrm{d}x = F(x) + C.$$

# 不定积分与微分运算互逆

### 不定积分与微分运算互逆

即: 左边不积分=右边求导数

### **Proof:**

(\*) 若f可导,则

$$\int f'(x)dx = f(x) + C$$

即:

$$\int d(f(x)+C)=f(x)+C$$

若 f 存在原函数,则

$$\left(\int f(x)dx
ight)'=f(x)$$

即:

$$d\int f(x)dx=f(x)dx$$

# 不定积分的线性运算

### 线性运算

若 f,g 在 I 上存在原函数, 则对任意  $a \in \mathbf{R}$  有

$$\int af(x)\mathrm{d}x = a\int f(x)\mathrm{d}x\ \int [f(x)\pm g(x)]\mathrm{d}x = \int f(x)\mathrm{d}x \pm \int g(x)\mathrm{d}x$$

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# 不定积分表

1. 
$$\int k \, \mathrm{d}x = kx + C \quad \left( \int 0 \, \mathrm{d}x = C \right)$$
;

2. 
$$\int x^{lpha} \mathrm{d}x = rac{1}{lpha+1} x^{lpha+1} + C \quad (lpha 
eq -1);$$

常用形式:

$$\bullet \quad \int \sqrt{x} \mathrm{d}x = \frac{2}{3} x^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$$

$$\bullet \quad \int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\sqrt{x}} = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} + C = 2\sqrt{x} + C$$

• 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{x^2} = -x^{-1} + C = -\frac{1}{x} + C$$

3. 
$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| + C$$
;

$$\bullet \int \frac{1}{ax+b} dx = \frac{\ln(ax+b)}{a}$$

4. 
$$\int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\ln a} + C \quad (0 < a \neq 1);$$

$$5. \int e^x dx = e^x + C;$$

6. 
$$\int \sin x \, \mathrm{d}x = -\cos x + C;$$

$$7. \int \cos x \, \mathrm{d}x = \sin x + C;$$

$$8. \int \sec^2 x \, \mathrm{d}x = \tan x + C;$$

$$\bullet \quad \int \sec x \mathrm{d}x = \ln|\sec x + \tan x|$$

$$9. \int \csc^2 x \, \mathrm{d}x = -\cot x + C;$$

10. 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{a^2 + x^2} = \frac{1}{a}\arctan\frac{x}{a} + C(a \neq 0);$$

**P.S.** 
$$\left(\frac{1}{a}\arctan\frac{x}{a}\right)' = \frac{1}{a} \cdot \frac{1}{a} \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2}$$

11. 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{x^2-a^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \frac{x-a}{x+a} \right| + C \quad (a \neq 0);$$

• 
$$\int \frac{dx}{a^2 - x^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \frac{x+a}{x-a} \right| + C$$

12. 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} = \arcsin\frac{x}{a} + C(a>0);$$

13. 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} = \ln \left| x + \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \right| + C.$$

# 例题

例1 求 
$$\int \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right) \mathrm{d}x$$

### Solution

$$= \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}} - \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}$$
$$= 2\sqrt{x} - \arcsin x + c$$

## **Example**

例 2 求 
$$\int \frac{1}{\sin^2 x \cos^2 x} \, \mathrm{d}x$$

### Solution

$$= \int \frac{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x}{\sin^2 x \cos^2 x} dx$$

$$= \int \left(\frac{1}{\sin^2 x} + \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}\right) dx$$

$$= \int (\csc^2 x + \sec^2 x) dx$$

$$= -\cot x + \tan x + C$$

## **Example**

例3 求 
$$\int \frac{1}{x^2(1+x^2)} dx$$

### **Solution**

$$=\int \left(rac{1}{x^2}-rac{1}{1+x^2}
ight)\!dx \ =-rac{1}{x}-rctan x+C$$

# 二、换元积分法

# 第一代换法 / 凑微分法

### #凑微分法

若
$$\int f(u)\mathrm{d}u=F(u)+C$$
,而 $arphi(x)$ 可导,则

$$\int f(\varphi(x)) rac{arphi'(x) \mathrm{d} x}{\mathrm{d} x} = F(arphi(x)) + C,$$

或 
$$\int f(\varphi(x))\mathrm{d}\varphi(x) = F(\varphi(x)) + C.$$

• 分析

## **Analysis**

$$egin{aligned} &[F(arphi(x))]' = f(arphi(x))arphi'(x) \ \Rightarrow & \int f(arphi(x))arphi'(x)dx = F(arphi(x)) + C \end{aligned}$$

• 运算步骤

# 例题

## **Example**

## 例4 求下列不定积分

1. 
$$\int \tan x dx$$

### **Solution**

$$= \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{-d\cos x}{\cos x}$$

$$= -\cos x - \int \frac{du}{u}$$

$$= -\ln|u| + C$$

$$= -\ln|\cos x| + C$$

2. 
$$\int (2x-1)^{10} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{(2x-1)^{20}}{12} \cdot \frac{1}{2} d(2x-1)$$

$$= \frac{u^{-2x-1}}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} u^{10} du$$

$$= \frac{u^{11}}{22} + C$$

$$= \frac{(2x-1)^{11}}{22} + C$$

## **Example**

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

## Solution

$$= \frac{1}{a} \int \frac{\frac{1}{a} dx}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \int \frac{d\frac{x}{a}}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \int \frac{du}{1 + u^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \arctan \frac{x}{a} + C$$

# Example

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

### Solution

$$= \int \frac{dx}{(x-a)(x+a)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2a} \int \left(\frac{1}{x-a} - \frac{1}{x+a}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2a} \left(\int \frac{d(x-a)}{x-a} - \int \frac{d(x+a)}{x+a}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2a} \left[\ln|x-a| - \ln|x+a|\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2a} \ln\left|\frac{x-a}{x+a}\right| + C$$

5. 
$$\int \sec x dx$$

## Solution 凑微分

### **Example**

$$6. \int \frac{\ln x}{x\sqrt{1+\ln x}} dx$$

### Solution 添项

$$\int \frac{\ln x}{x\sqrt{1+\ln x}} \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$= \int \frac{\ln x \cdot d \ln x}{\sqrt{1+\ln x}}$$

$$= \frac{u=\ln x}{\int \frac{(1+u-1)du}{\sqrt{1+u}}}$$

$$= \int \left(\sqrt{1+u} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+u}}\right) d(1+u)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}(1+u)^{3/2} - 2\sqrt{1+u} + C$$

$$= \frac{2}{3}(1+\ln x)^{3/2} - 2\sqrt{1+\ln x} + C$$

# Example

7. 
$$\int \frac{2x-1}{x^2-4x+5} dx$$

## Solution 配方

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

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

$$= \ln|x^2 - 4x + 5| + 3\arctan(x - 2) + C$$

## **Example**

例 5 求 
$$\int \frac{x^2+1}{x^4+x^2+1} dx$$
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### Solution

分式上下同时除去 $x^2$ , 凑微分+配方:

$$= \int \frac{\left(1 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right) dx}{x^2 + 1 + \frac{1}{x^2}}$$

$$= \int \frac{d\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)}{\left(x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 + \sqrt{3}^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \arctan \frac{x - \frac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{3}} + C$$

# 注意到,该式在x=0时无意义,继续补充

设 
$$f(x)=rac{x^2+1}{x^4+x^2+1}$$
 原函数为  $F(x)$ 

$$\therefore F(x) = egin{cases} rac{1}{\sqrt{3}}rctanrac{x-rac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{3}} + C_1, & x>0 \ \ C, & x=0 \ \ rac{1}{\sqrt{3}}rctanrac{x-rac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{3}} + C_2, & x<0 \end{cases}$$

$$:: F(x)$$
 在  $x = 0$  连续.

$$\therefore F(0+0) = F(0) = F(0-0),$$
此时 $x - \frac{1}{x}$ 趋近正负无穷
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + C_1 = C = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} + C_2$$

$$\therefore C_1 = C + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$C_2 = C - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$$

从而原函数 
$$F(x)=\left\{egin{array}{c} rac{1}{\sqrt{3}}rctanrac{x-rac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{3}}+rac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\cdotrac{\pi}{2}+C,\quad x\geq0 \ rac{1}{\sqrt{3}}rctanrac{x-rac{1}{x}}{\sqrt{3}}-rac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\cdotrac{\pi}{2}+C,\quad x<0 \ \end{array}
ight.$$

下说明 
$$F'(x)\big|_{x=0}=f(0)$$
  
由于  $\lim_{x\to 0}F'(x)=\lim_{x\to 0}f(x)=f(0)=1$   
又:  $F(x)$  在  $x=0$  连续:  
 $\Rightarrow F'(0)=f(0)=1$  (运用 #导数极限定理:导函数极限→导数极限)

# 第二代换法/换元积分法

已知右端求左端积分为第一代换法;已知左端,能否求右端积分呢?此即下面的第二换元法.

## #换元积分法

若 
$$\int f(arphi(t))arphi'(t)\mathrm{d}t=G(t)+C$$
 , 又  $x=arphi(t)$  , 且  $arphi'(t)
eq 0$  , 則  $\int f(x)\mathrm{d}x=G\left(arphi^{-1}(x)
ight)+C$ 

运算步骤

$$\int f(x) dx \xrightarrow{x = \varphi(t)} \int f(\varphi(t)) \varphi'(t) dt$$

$$= \frac{\exists \exists \exists}{\exists G(t) + C}$$

$$= \frac{\exists \exists \exists}{\exists G(\varphi^{-1}(x)) + C}.$$

• 证明

#### Proof

$$egin{aligned} rac{d}{dx}G\left(arphi^{-1}(x)
ight)\ rac{t:=arphi^{-1}(x)}{=}G'(t)rac{dt}{dx}\ &=G'(t)\cdotrac{1}{rac{dx}{dt}}\ &=f(arphi(t))arphi'(t)\cdotrac{1}{arphi'(t)}=f(arphi(t))\ &=f(x) \end{aligned}$$

## 例题

# 三角代换去根号

含无理式  $\sqrt{a^2-x^2}, \sqrt{x^2+a^2}$  和  $\sqrt{x^2-a^2}$  时,可采用  $x=a\sin t, x=a\tan t$  和  $x=a\sec t$  等三角代换去根号.

例6 求 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\sqrt{x^2+a^2}}, (a>0).$$

## Solution

$$\diamondsuit x = a \tan t, |t| < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} = \int \frac{a \sec^2 t \mathrm{d}t}{\sqrt{a^2 \tan^2 t + a^2}}$$

$$= \int \frac{\sec^2 t}{\sqrt{\sec^2 t}} dt$$

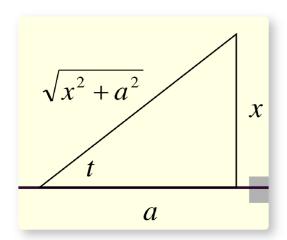
$$= \int \sec t dt$$

$$= \ln|\sec t + \tan t| + C$$

$$= \ln\left|\frac{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}}{a} + \frac{x}{a}\right| + C$$

$$= \ln\left|x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2}\right| + C_1$$

## Tip



# Example

例7 求 
$$\int \sqrt{a^2-x^2} \,\mathrm{d}x, (a>0).$$

### **Solution**

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令 
$$x = a \sin t$$

原式 =  $\int \sqrt{a^2 - a^2 \sin^2 t} (a \cos t dt)$ 

=  $a^2 \int \cos^2 t dt$ 

=  $\frac{a^2}{2} \int (1 + \cos^2 t) dt$ 

=  $\frac{a^2}{2} \left( t + \frac{\sin 2t}{2} \right) + c$ 

=  $\frac{a^2}{2} t + \frac{a^2}{2} \sin t \cos t + c$ 

=  $\frac{a^2}{2} \arcsin \frac{x}{a} + \frac{a^2}{2} \cdot \frac{x}{a} \cdot \sqrt{1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2}} + C$ 

=  $\frac{a^2}{2} \arcsin \frac{x}{a} + \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} + c$ 

## **Example**

例8 求 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\sqrt{x(1-x)}}$$
.

### **Solution**

### 法I.配方

原式 = 
$$\int \frac{d\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2}}$$

$$= \arcsin(2x - 1)$$

或:

### 法II.灵机一动

注意到: 
$$\sin^2 x + \cos^x = x + (1-x) = 1$$
 令  $x = \sin^2 t, t \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ 

∴ 原式 = 
$$\int \frac{2\sin t \cos t dt}{\sqrt{\sin^2 t \cos^2 t}}$$
$$= 2 \int dt$$
$$= 2t + C$$
$$= 2\arcsin \sqrt{x} + C$$

#### Tip

上述例子很好地说明了原函数可不唯一(C不同)

### 倒数代换

# 分母含因子 x 时, 可用倒代换 x=1/t.

## **Example**

例9 求 
$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{x\sqrt{x^2+x+1}}$$
.

### Solution

$$\frac{x=1/t}{t>0} \int \frac{-\frac{1}{t^2}dt}{\frac{1}{t}\sqrt{\frac{1}{t^2} + \frac{1}{t} + 1}}$$

$$= -\int \frac{dt}{\sqrt{1+t+t^2}}$$

$$= -\int \frac{d(t+\frac{1}{2})}{\sqrt{(t+\frac{1}{2})^2 + \frac{3}{4}}}$$

$$= -\ln\left|t + \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{1+t+t^2}\right| + C$$

$$= -\ln\left|\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{x^2 + x + 1}}{x}\right| + C$$

# 三、分部积分法

### #分部积分法

若 u'(x), v'(x) 连续, 则

$$\int u(x)v'(x)\mathrm{d}x = u(x)v(x) - \int v(x)u'(x)\mathrm{d}x.$$

- 记忆
  - $ullet \int u(x) \mathrm{d}v(x) = u(x) v(x) \int v(x) \mathrm{d}u(x).$
  - 前后相乘 [ 交换位置
- 凑微分函数依次是: 指数函数, 三角函数, 幕函数,对数函数, 反三角函数.
- 证明

#### Proof

$$(u(x)v(x))'=u'(x)v(x)+u(x)v'(x)$$
有  $\int \left[u'(x)v(x)+u(x)v'(x)
ight]=u(x)v(x)+c$ 
即:  $\int u(x)dv(x)=u(x)v(x)-\int v(x)du(x)$ 

# 例题

## **Example**

例 10 求  $\int \ln x \, \mathrm{d}x$ .

### Solution

$$= x \ln x - \int x d \ln x$$

$$= x \ln x - \int x \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$= x \ln x - x + C$$

## **Example**

例11 求  $I = \int \mathrm{e}^x \sin x \, \mathrm{d}x$ .

### **Solution**

$$I = \int e^x \sin x \, dx$$
  $e^x, dx$ 合并  
 $= \int \sin x de^x$  分部积分  
 $= e^x \sin x - \int e^x d \sin x$   $e^x, dx$ 合并  
 $= e^x \sin x - \int \cos x de^x$  分部积分  
 $= e^x \sin x - e^x \cos x + \int e^x d \cos x$   
 $= e^x (\sin x - \cos x) - \int \sin x de^x$   
 $\therefore I = e^x (\sin x - \cos x) - I$   
 $\therefore 2I = e^x (\sin x - \cos x) + C$   
 $I = \frac{1}{2} e^x (\sin x - \cos x) + C$ 

## **Example**

例12 求 
$$I_n=\intrac{\mathrm{d}x}{(x^2+a^2)^n}, (a>0,n\in\mathbb{N}).$$

### **Solution**

$$egin{aligned} I_n &= rac{lpha}{\left(x^2 + a^2
ight)^n} - \left(-2\int rac{\left(x^2 + a^2 - a^2
ight)}{\left(x^2 + a^2
ight)^{n+1}} dx
ight) \ &= rac{x}{\left(x^2 + a^2
ight)} + 2nI_n - 2na^2I_{n+1} \ \Rightarrow I_n &= rac{x}{2na^2(x^2 + a^2)^n} + rac{2n-1}{2na^2}I_n \end{aligned}$$

其中:  $I_1 = \frac{1}{a} \arctan \frac{x}{a}$ 

## **Example**

例13 求 
$$\int x e^x (1 + e^x)^{\frac{-3}{2}} dx$$
.

### Solution

故原式 = 
$$-\frac{2x}{\sqrt{1+e^x}} + 2\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+e^2}} dx$$
=  $-\frac{2x}{\sqrt{1+e^{-2}}} + \ln\left|\frac{\sqrt{10x-1}-1}{\sqrt{1+c^2+1}}\right| + c$ 

### Intro

$$\int \frac{x}{\left(x^2+1\right)^{3/2}} \, dx$$

# Wolframalpha

### **Soution**

Take the integral:

$$\int \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^{3/2}} dx$$

 $rac{\int rac{x}{(x^2+1)^{3/2}}\,dx}{ ext{For the integrand }rac{x}{(x^2+1)^{3/2}}, ext{substitute }u=x^2+1 ext{ and }du=2x\,dx:}$ 

$$=rac{1}{2}\intrac{1}{u^{3/2}}\,du$$

The integral of  $\frac{1}{u^{3/2}}$  is  $-\frac{2}{\sqrt{u}}$ :

$$=-\frac{1}{\sqrt{u}}+{
m constant}$$

Substitute back for  $u = x^2 + 1$ :

$$=-rac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}+ ext{constant}$$

## **Example**

⇒习题P154.3.(6) 
$$\int \frac{x \log(x)}{(x^2+1)^{3/2}} dx$$

## Wolframalpha

# Solution

For the integrand  $\frac{x \log(x)}{(x^2+1)^{3/2}}$ , integrate by parts,  $\int f \, dg = fg - \int g \, df$ , where  $f = \log(x), dg = \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^3 2} \, dx, df = \frac{1}{x} \, dx,$   $g = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}:$   $= -\frac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} + \int \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2+1}} \, dx$ 

For the integrand  $\frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2+1}}$ , substitute  $x=\tan(u)$  and  $dx=\sec^2(u)\,du$ .

Then 
$$\sqrt{x^2+1}=\sqrt{\tan^2(u)+1}=\sec(u)$$
 and  $u=\tan^{-1}(x):=-rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}+\int\csc(u)\,du$ 

Multiply numerator and denominator of  $\csc(u)$  by  $\cot(u) + \csc(u)$ :

$$= -rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} + \int -rac{-\cot(u)\csc(u)-\csc^2(u)}{\cot(u)+\csc(u)} \ du$$

For the integrand  $-\frac{-\cot(u)\csc(u)-\csc^2(u)}{\cot(u)+\csc(u)}$ , substitute  $s=\cot(u)+\csc(u)$  and  $ds=\left(-\csc^2(u)-\cot(u)\csc(u)\right)du: = -\frac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}+\int -\frac{1}{s}\,ds$ 

Factor out constants:

$$= -rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} - \int rac{1}{s} \, ds$$

The integral of  $\frac{1}{s}$  is  $\log(s)$ :

$$= -\log(s) - rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} + ext{constant}$$

Substitute back for  $s = \cot(u) + \csc(u)$ :

$$= -\log(\cot(u) + \csc(u)) - rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} + ext{constant}$$

Substitute back for  $u = \tan^{-1}(x)$ :

$$= -rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} - \log\left(\cot\left( an^{-1}(x)
ight) + \csc\left( an^{-1}(x)
ight)
ight) + ext{constant}$$

Simplify using 
$$\cot \left(\tan^{-1}(z)\right) = \frac{1}{z}$$
 and  $\csc \left(\tan^{-1}(z)\right) = \frac{\sqrt{z^2+1}}{z}$ :
$$= -\frac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} - \log\left(\frac{\sqrt{x^2+1}+1}{x}\right) + \text{constant}$$

An alternative form of the integral is:

$$= -rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} - \operatorname{csch}^{-1}(x) + \operatorname{constant}$$

Which is equivalent for restricted xvalues to:

Answer: 
$$= -rac{\log(x)}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} - \log\left(\sqrt{x^2+1}+1
ight) + \log(x) + ext{constant}$$