Math137 - November 18, 2015 Anti-Derivatives

Notice:

From this point out, all notes will be taken in Mike Edens class.

Anti-Derivatives

An anti-derivative is the opposite of a derivative. You will be given a derivative and asked to find the original function that gave that derivative.

Ex. Given f'(x), find f(x).

a)
$$f'(x) = 6$$

 $f(x) = 6x + C$ (C is some constant)

b)
$$f'(x) = 2x$$

 $f(x) = x^2 + C$

c)
$$f'(x) = 3x$$

 $f(x) = \frac{3}{2}x^2 + C$

d)
$$f'(x) = -3x^5$$

 $f(x) = \frac{-3x^6}{6} + C$
 $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^6 + C$

When we differentiate powers of x, we:

- 1) Multiply by the exponent.
- 2) Subtract 1 from the exponent.

When anti-differentiate powers of x, we:

- 1) Add 1 to the exponent.
- 2) Divide by the new exponent.
- 3) Add a constant C

Notation: We denote the anti-derivative of f(x) as F(x)

Anti-Derivatives We Know

Ex. a)
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{3x} + \sin(3x) \ F(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{3x} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + (-\cos(3x)) \cdot \frac{1}{3} + C$$

 $F(x) = \frac{1}{6}e^{3x} - \frac{1}{3}\cos(3x) + C$

b)
$$f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x} - x^2}{x^3}$$
$$f(x) = x^{\frac{1}{2} - 3} - x^{2 - 3}$$
$$f(x) = x^{-5}2 - x^{-1}$$
$$F(x) = \frac{x^{-3}2}{\frac{-3}{2}} - \ln|x| + C$$

$$F(x) = \frac{-2}{3}x^{\frac{-3}{2}} - \ln|x| + C$$

c)
$$f(x) = 2\sec^2(\frac{2}{\pi})$$
$$F(x) = \frac{2\tan(\frac{x}{\pi})}{\frac{1}{\pi}}$$
$$F(x) = 2\pi\tan(\frac{x}{\pi}) + C$$

d)
$$f(x) = \frac{2x^2 - 1}{1 + x^2}$$

 $f(x) = 2 + \frac{-3}{1 + x^2}$
 $F(x) = 2x - \arctan(x) + C$