

$$\boxed{\int_0^a \frac{1}{x^p} dx \begin{array}{l} \text{convg. } p < 1 \\ \text{divg. } p \geq 1 \end{array}} \quad (1)$$

$$\boxed{\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^p} dx \begin{array}{l} \text{convg. } p > 1 \\ \text{divg. } p \leq 1 \end{array}} \quad (2)$$

For  $f(x) \leq g(x)$ , where  $0 < x < m$ , if  $I_f = \int_0^1 f(x) dx$   $I_g = \int_0^1 g(x)$ , then; (a) if  $I_g$  convg., then  $I_f$  is too, and (b) if  $I_g$  digv., then  $I_f$  is too.

**EXAMPLE**  $\int_0^1 \frac{4+\sin x}{x\sqrt{x}} dx \leq \int_0^1 \frac{2}{x^{3/2}} dx$

**EXAMPLE**  $\int_0^1 \frac{\sin x}{x\sqrt{x}} dx$

$$\sin x \sim x \implies \frac{\sin x}{x\sqrt{x}} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \left( \frac{\sin x}{x\sqrt{x}} \div \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \right) = 1$$

**EXAMPLE**  $\int_a^\infty \frac{x \arctan x}{(1+x^2)^2} dx$

$\arctan x \leq \pi/2$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^\infty \frac{x \arctan x}{(1+x^2)^2} dx &\leq \frac{\pi}{2} \int_a^\infty \frac{x}{(1+x^2)^2} dx \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^\infty \frac{0.5 d(1+x^2)}{(1+x^2)^2} \\ &\Rightarrow \text{convg.} \end{aligned}$$

Knowing that it is convergent, we can evaluate it with integration by parts;  $u = \arctan x$

**EXAMPLE**  $\int_{\pi/2}^\pi \frac{1}{\sin x} dx$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\pi/2}^\pi \frac{1}{\sin x} dx &= \left( \begin{array}{ll} x = \pi - t & x = \pi \implies t = 0 \\ dx = -dt & x = \frac{\pi}{2} \implies t = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{array} \right) \\ &= - \int_{\frac{\pi}{2}}^\pi \frac{1}{\sin t} dt = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{\sin t} dt \\ \frac{1}{\sin t} &\sim \frac{1}{t} \text{ when } t \rightarrow 0^+ \\ &\therefore \text{divergent by comparison.} \end{aligned}$$