

**Algebra:**  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0 \quad x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

## Geometry

Triangle: the law of cosines

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos \phi \quad \text{Area} = \frac{1}{2}(\text{base})(\text{height})$$

Parallelogram: Area=(base)(height)

Circle: center  $(h, k)$ , radius  $r$

$$(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$$

$$\text{Area} = \pi r^2 \quad \text{Circumference } s = 2\pi r$$

Ellipse: center  $(h, k)$ , axes  $a, b$

$$\left(\frac{x - h}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y - k}{b}\right)^2 = 1$$

Hyperbola: center  $(h, k)$ , axes  $a, b$

$$\left(\frac{x - h}{a}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{y - k}{b}\right)^2 = \pm 1$$

Parabola: tip  $(h, k) \quad y = a(x - h)^2 + k$

Cylinder Volume=(base area)(height)

Cone Volume= $\frac{1}{3}$ (base area)(height)

Sphere Volume= $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$  SurfaceArea =  $4\pi r^2$

## Vectors, Matrices, and Linear Algebra

Multiplication: row  $\times$  column

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x & z \\ y & w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax + by & az + bw \\ cx + dy & cz + dw \end{pmatrix}$$

Determinants  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$

Cramer's rule<sup>1</sup> to solve linear system  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{f}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} e \\ f \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} e & b \\ f & d \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}} \quad y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} a & e \\ c & f \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}}$$

Inverse matrix:  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{f} \Rightarrow \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{f}$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

## Complex Algebra: $i = \sqrt{-1}$

Complex number  $z = x + iy$  ( $x, y$  real numbers)

Usual algebra for  $z_1 + z_2$ , use  $i^2 = -1$  for  $z_1 z_2$

Conjugate:  $\bar{z} = x - iy$  with  $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2$ ,  $\overline{z_1 z_2} = \bar{z}_1 \bar{z}_2$

Real, imaginary parts of  $z$ :

$$\text{Re}(z) = \frac{1}{2}(z + \bar{z}) = x \quad \text{Im}(z) = \frac{1}{2i}(z - \bar{z})$$

Modulus (magnitude or length) of  $z$ :

$$|z|^2 \equiv z\bar{z} = (x + iy)(x - iy) = x^2 + y^2 \quad |z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{z} \frac{\bar{z}}{\bar{z}} = \frac{\bar{z}}{|z|^2} = \frac{x - iy}{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} - i \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$z = x + iy$  is the rectangular coordinate form

Euler's formula:  $e^{iz} = \cos(z) + i \sin(z)$

$z = re^{i\theta} = r \cos \theta + ir \sin \theta$  is the polar form

Rect to polar coords ("modulus" ( $r$ ) and "argument" ( $\theta$ ))

$$\left. \begin{matrix} x = r \cos \theta \\ y = r \sin \theta \end{matrix} \right\} \leftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{matrix} r = |z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \geq 0 \\ \theta = \arg(z) = \tan^{-1}(y/x) \end{matrix} \right.$$

Multiplication and division in polar coords

$$z_1 z_2 = r_1 r_2 e^{i(\theta_1 + \theta_2)} \quad \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{r_1}{r_2} e^{i(\theta_1 - \theta_2)}$$

## Trigonometry

### Identities

$$\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1 \quad \sec^2 x = 1 + \tan^2 x$$

$$\begin{matrix} \tan x = \sin x / \cos x & \sec x = 1 / \cos x \\ \cot x = \cos x / \sin x & \csc x = 1 / \sin x \end{matrix}$$

### Complementary angles

$$\begin{matrix} \sin x = \cos(\pi/2 - x) & \cos x = \sin(\pi/2 - x) \\ \tan x = \cot(\pi/2 - x) & \cot x = \tan(\pi/2 - x) \\ \sec x = \csc(\pi/2 - x) & \csc x = \sec(\pi/2 - x) \end{matrix}$$

### Addition formulas

$$\begin{matrix} \sin(x + y) = \sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y \\ \cos(x + y) = \cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y \end{matrix}$$

### Half-angle formulas (from $\cos(x + x)$ )

$$\cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(2x)) \quad \sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2x))$$

### Product formulas (from $\pm$ Addition formulas)

$$\sin x \cos y = \frac{1}{2}(\sin(x - y) + \sin(x + y))$$

$$\sin x \sin y = \frac{1}{2}(\cos(x - y) - \cos(x + y))$$

$$\cos x \cos y = \frac{1}{2}(\cos(x - y) + \cos(x + y))$$

$$\sin(2x) = 2 \sin x \cos x \quad \cos(2x) = 2 \cos^2 x - 1$$

### Derivatives

$$(d/dx) \sin x = \cos x \quad (d/dx) \cos x = -\sin x$$

$$(d/dx) \tan x = \sec^2 x \quad (d/dx) \sec x = \sec x \tan x$$

$$(d/dx) \sin^{-1} x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}} \quad (d/dx) \tan^{-1} x = \frac{1}{1 + x^2}$$

### Integrals

$$\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$$

Via  $u$ -Substitution: if  $m$  = odd, then let  $u = \cos x$

if  $n$  = odd, then let  $u = \sin x$

$\sec x, \tan x$  integrals<sup>2</sup>: use SET, TOS,  $\sec^2 x = 1 + \tan^2 x$

Polar coordinates:  $x = r \cos \theta, y = r \sin \theta$

$$r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \quad \theta = \arctan(y/x)$$

<sup>1</sup>The general formula for the solution is:  $n^{\text{th}}$  variable = (det with  $n^{\text{th}}$  column replaced by RHS) divided by (det of LHS matrix).

<sup>2</sup> $u = \text{Sec}$  if  $\text{Even}$  power of  $\text{Tan}$  and  $u = \text{Tan}$  if  $\text{Odd}$  power of  $\text{Sec}$ .

## Logs, Exponentials

Notations:  $\ln x = \log x = \log_e x$

$$\ln(xy) = \ln x + \ln y \quad e^{x+y} = e^x e^y$$

$$\ln(x^a) = a \ln x \quad e^{ax} = (e^x)^a \quad b^a = e^{a \ln b}$$

$$e^{\ln x} = \ln(e^x) = x$$

$$\int \frac{du}{u} = \ln|u| + C \quad \int e^{au} du = \frac{1}{a} e^{au} + C$$

## Hyperbolic Trig

$$\cosh x = \frac{1}{2}(e^x + e^{-x}) \quad \sinh x = \frac{1}{2}(e^x - e^{-x})$$

Identity:  $\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$

$$(d/dx) \cosh x = \sinh x \quad (d/dx) \sinh x = \cosh x$$

$$\int \cosh x dx = \sinh x + C \quad \int \sinh x dx = \cosh x + C$$

## Limits

Function  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = a$  if

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$$

If all the limits exist, then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} [f(x) + g(x)] = \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) \right] + \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)g(x) = \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) \right] \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) \right] \bigg/ \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(g(x)) = f \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) \right)$$

L'Hospital's rule: if  $f(a)/g(a) = 0/0$  or  $\infty/\infty$ , then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

## Differential Calculus

Limit definition of derivative for  $y = f(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

Power rule:  $y = x^r \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = rx^{r-1}$

Product rule:  $y = f(x)g(x) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$

Quotient rule:  $y = f(x)/g(x) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{g(x)^2}$

Chain rule:  $y = f(g(x)) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(g(x))g'(x)$

Taylor series for  $f(t)$  at  $t = t_0$

$$f(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left( \frac{d^n f}{dt^n} \bigg|_{t=t_0} \right) (t - t_0)^n$$

## Integral Calculus

Fundamental theorem of calculus: if  $F'(x) = f(x)$  then

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

Anti-derivatives/Indefinite integrals

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

Definite integrals

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(x) \bigg|_{x=a}^{x=b} = F(b) - F(a)$$

Riemann sum definition of definite integral

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left( \sum_{n=0}^N f(x_n) \Delta x_n \right)$$

Integration by parts (def integral of  $(uv)' = u'v + uv'$ )

$$\int_a^b u(x)v'(x) dx = u(x)v(x) \bigg|_a^b - \int_a^b u'(x)v(x) dx$$

Leibniz's rule

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \int_{a(t)}^{b(t)} f(x, t) dx \right) = f(b, t) \frac{db}{dt} - f(a, t) \frac{da}{dt} + \int_a^b \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} dx$$

## A table of basic integrals

$$1) \int u^n du = \frac{u^{n+1}}{n+1} + C \quad (n \neq -1)$$

$$4) \int \cos u du = \sin u + C$$

$$8) \int \sec^2 u du = \tan u + C$$

$$2) \int \frac{du}{u} = \ln|u| + C$$

$$5) \int \sin u du = -\cos u + C$$

$$9) \int \sec u \tan u du = \sec u + C$$

$$6) \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} = \sin^{-1} u + C$$

$$3) \int e^u du = e^u + C$$

$$7) \int \frac{du}{1+u^2} = \tan^{-1} u + C$$

$$10) \int \sec u du = \ln|\sec u + \tan u| + C$$

Brief review of methods of integration:  $u$ -substitutions, integration by parts, use of trigonometric identities, trigonometric substitutions, completing the square, partial fractions...