An **antiderivative** of a function $f(x)$ is a function $F(x)$ with $F'(x) = f(x)$.

If $F(x)$ is a particular antiderivative of $f(x)$, then so is $F(x) + C$ for any constant C.

If the domain of $f(x)$ is an interval, and if $F(x)$ is a particular antiderivative of $f(x)$, then any antiderivative has the form $F(x) + C$ for some constant C.

If $F(x)$ and $G(x)$ are antiderivatives of $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ then

- $aF(x)$ is an antiderivative of $af(x)$ for any constant a.
- $F(x) + G(x)$ is an antiderivative of $f(x) + g(x)$.

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1. Find a particular antiderivative of $x - x^2 + 9$.

$$F(x) = \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} + 9x + 7$$

$$F'(x) = \frac{2x}{2} - \frac{3x^2}{3} + 9 = x - x^2 + 9 \checkmark$$

2. Find all antiderivatives of $x - x^2 + 9$.

$$F(x) = x^2 - x^2 + C$$

3. Find an antiderivative of $1/x^2$.

$$F(x) = -\frac{1}{x} \quad \text{since} \quad F'(x) = \frac{-(-1)}{x^2} = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

4. If $F(x)$ is your answer to the previous problem, does every antiderivative of $1/x^2$ have the form $F(x) + C$ for some constant C?

No.

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{x} & x > 0 \\ -\frac{1}{x} + 9 & x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{is}$$

an antiderivative.

5. For each of the following functions, find a particular antiderivative.

Function	Antiderivative
x	$x^2/2$
x^2	$x^3/3$
x^3	$x^4/4$
x^k $(k \neq -1)$	$x^{k+1}/k+1$
x^{-1} for $x > 0$	$\ln(x)$
x^{-1} for $x < 0$	$\ln(-x)$
x^{-1} for all x	$\ln(\lvert x \rvert)$

Function	Antiderivative
$\sin(x)$	$-\cos(x)$
$\cos(x)$	$\sin(x)$
e^x	e^x
$1/(1+x^2)$	$\arctan(x)$
$\sec^2(x)$	$\tan(x)$
$\sec(x)\tan(x)$	$\sec(x)$
1	x

6. Compute three different antiderivatives of $f(x) = x^{20} + 4x^{10} + 8$

$$F(x)\ \frac{x^{21}}{21} + \frac{4}{11}x^{11} + 8x + \begin{cases} 9, \text{ or} \\ -3, \text{ or} \\ \pi \end{cases}$$

7. Compute an antiderivative of $f(t) = \dfrac{5\sec t \tan t}{3} - 4\sin t - \dfrac{1}{\cancel{4}\, t} + e^2$

$$F'(t) = \frac{5}{3}\sec(t) + 4\cos(t) - \ln(|t|) + e^2 t + 6$$

8. Compute an antiderivative of $f(x) = \cos(3x)$.

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{3}\sin(3x) \qquad \text{since}$$

$$F'(x) = \frac{1}{3}\cos(3x)\cdot 3 = \cos(3x)$$

9. Compute the antiderivative of $f(t) = t^2$ that equals 5 when $t = 2$.

$$F(t) = \frac{t^3}{3} + C$$

$$F(2) = 5 \Rightarrow \frac{8}{3} + C = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{7}{3}$$

$$F(t) = \frac{t^3}{3} + \frac{7}{3}$$

10. A particle moves in a straight line and has acceleration given by $a(t) = 5\cos t - 2\sin t$. Its initial velocity is $v(0) = -6$ m/s and its initial position is $s(0) = 2$ m. Find its position function $s(t)$.

$$s''(t) = 5\cos(t) - 2\sin(t)$$

$$s'(t) = 5\sin(t) + 2\cos(t) + C_1$$

$$s(t) = -5\cos(t) + 2\sin(t) + C_1 t + C_2$$

$$s(0) = -5 + C_2 = 2 \Rightarrow C_2 = 7$$

$$s'(0) = 2 + C_1 = -6 \Rightarrow C_1 = -8$$

$$s(t) = -5\cos(t) + 2\sin(t) - 8t + 7$$

11. A stone is dropped from a cliff and hits the ground three seconds later. How high is the cliff? (Acceleration due to gravity is 9.8 m/s^2.)

$$h''(t) = -9.8$$

$$h'(t) = -9.8t + C_1$$

$$h(t) = -\frac{9.8}{2}t^2 + C_1 t + C_0$$

$$h'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0 \;;\; h(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_0 = 0$$

$$h(t) = -\frac{9.8}{2}t^2$$

$$h(3) = -\frac{9 \cdot 9.8}{2} = -44.1$$

stone fell 44.1 m, which is the cliff height

12. What constant acceleration is needed to take a car from 10 mph to 60 mph in 5 seconds?

$$x''(t) = a$$

$$\underbrace{x'(t)}_{\text{velocity } v(t)} = at + c_1$$

$$v(t) = at + c_1$$

want $v(0) = 10 \Rightarrow c_1 = 10$

$v(5) = 60 \Rightarrow a \cdot 5 + 10 = 60$

$a = 10$ mph/s

$= \frac{1}{360} \cdot \frac{\text{mile}}{s^2} \approx 4.4\ m/s^2.$