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2.1 Integration by Substitution Examples

Example 2.1

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \frac{x^3}{(x+5)^2} &= \int \frac{(u-5)^3}{u} du \quad \text{Let } u = x + 5 \\
&= \int \frac{u^3 - 15u^2 + 75u - 125}{u^2} \\
&= \int u - 15 + \frac{75}{u} - \frac{125}{u^2} \\
&= \left[\frac{u^2}{2} - 15u + 75 \ln u + \frac{125}{u} + c \right] \\
&= \left[\frac{(x+5)^2}{2} - 15(x+5) + 75 \ln(x+5) + \frac{125}{x+5} + c \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{2.1}$$

Example 2.2

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_1^2 \frac{e^{\frac{1}{x}}}{x^2} dx &= -1 \int_1^{\frac{1}{2}} e^u du \quad \text{Let } u = \frac{1}{x} \\
&= -[e^u]_1^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= -e^{\frac{1}{2}} + e
\end{aligned} \tag{2.2}$$

Example 2.3 -

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \tan x dx &= \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = - \int \frac{1}{u} du && \text{Let } u = \cos x \\
&= -\ln |u| + c && du = -\sin x dx \\
&= -\ln |\cos x| + c \quad \text{or } \ln |\sec x| + c
\end{aligned}$$

Practice Problem

$$\int \sec x dx \text{ Hint : Multiply by } \frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x}$$

Example 2.4

$$\int_{-1}^1 \frac{\sin x}{1+x^2} dx = 0 \quad \text{Integral is 0 because the function is odd} \tag{2.3}$$

2.2 Integration by Parts (IBP)

IBP Formula

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

Why?

Reverse Engineering the product rule results in the IBP formula

Proof:

The product rule : $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x)g(x)) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$

Integrate both sides with respect to x

$$\int \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)g(x))dx = \int f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)dx$$

$$\implies \int f'(x)g(x)dx = \int f'(x)g(x)dx + \int f(x)g'(x)dx$$

$$\implies \int f(x)g'(x)dx = f(x)g(x) - \int f'(x)g(x)dx$$

let $u = f(x)$ and $v = g'(x)$

$$\therefore \int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

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Process :

So, divide the integrand into 2 parts u & dv. Then apply the IBP formula.

You'll find that calculating $\int u dv$ reduces to $\int v du$

Example 2.5

$$\int x e^x$$

Suppose $u = x$ & $dv = e^x dx \rightarrow du = dx$ & $v = e^x$

$$\int x e^x dx = x e^x - \int e^x dx$$

$$= x e^x - e^x + c$$

Practice Problem

$$\int x^2 \cos x dx$$

End of Lecture Notes
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