

# Notes - 4.1 Antiderivatives and Indefinite Integration

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## 1 Warm-up

1. Let  $y = x^2 \cos x$ .  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$   
Apply the product rule:

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

Therefore,

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

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

2. If  $y = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$  Remember the trigonometric identity:

$$\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \tan x$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right) = \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) = \sec^2 x$$

## 2 Reversing derivatives

$$2x = \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) = \int 2x dx = x^2 + C \quad (1)$$

$$6x = \frac{d}{dx}(3x^2) = \int x^{-2/3} dx = 3x^{1/3} + C \quad (2)$$

$$x^{-2/3} = \frac{d}{dx}(3x^{1/3}) = \int x dx = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + C \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{5}{3}x^{2/3} = \frac{d}{dx}(x^{5/3}) = \int \frac{5}{3}x^{2/3} dx = x^{5/3} + C \quad (4)$$

$$-\sin x = \frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) \quad (5)$$

$$\sin x = \frac{d}{dx}(-\cos x) \therefore \int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C \quad (6)$$

## 3 Applying an integral:

$$\int (3x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 4) dx \quad (1)$$

$$= x^3 + \frac{1}{6}x^3 + 4x + C \quad (2)$$

## 4 The fundamental theorem of Calculus:

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

Where

1.  $f$  is the integrand.
2.  $dx$  is the variable of integration.
3.  $F$  is an antiderivative of  $f(x)$ .
4.  $C$  is the constant of integration.

Note the capital  $F$ .

Integral is a synonym of antiderivative.

## 5 Integrals inside a derivative:

If  $\int f(x)dx = F(x) + C$ , then:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( \int f(x)dx \right) = f(x)$$

In conclusion, differentiation is the "inverse" of integration and vice versa.

### BASIC INTEGRATION RULES

#### Differentiation Formula

$$\frac{d}{dx} [C] = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [kx] = k$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [kf(x)] = kf'(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [f(x) \pm g(x)] = f'(x) \pm g'(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [x^n] = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\sin x] = \cos x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\cos x] = -\sin x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\tan x] = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\sec x] = \sec x \tan x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\cot x] = -\csc^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\csc x] = -\csc x \cot x$$

#### Integration Formula

$$\int 0 dx = C$$

$$\int k dx = kx + C$$

$$\int kf(x) dx = k \int f(x) dx$$

$$\int [f(x) \pm g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx \pm \int g(x) dx$$

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C, \quad n \neq -1 \quad \text{Power Rule}$$

$$\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$$

$$\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$$

$$\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C$$

$$\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x + C$$

$$\int \csc^2 x dx = -\cot x + C$$

$$\int \csc x \cot x dx = -\csc x + C$$

## 6 Warm-up 11/13/2023

1. Let  $y = \tan^2(3x)$ .  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2(\tan(3x)) \frac{d}{dx}(\tan(3x)) \frac{d}{dx}(3x) \quad (1)$$

$$= 2(\tan(3x)) \sec^2(3x) \cdot 3 \quad (2)$$

$$= 6(\tan(3x)) \sec^2(3x) \quad (3)$$

2.

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi + h) - \sin(\pi)}{h}$$

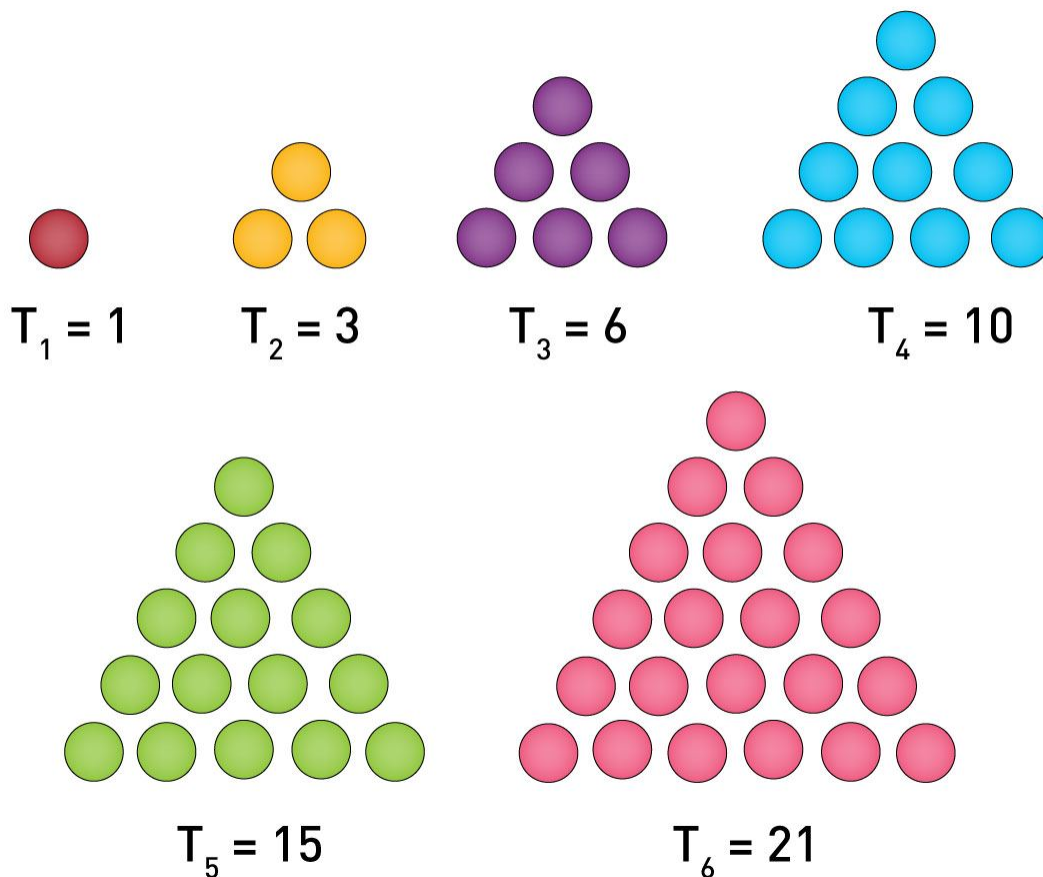
$$= \frac{d}{dx}(\sin(\pi)) \quad (1)$$

$$= \cos(\pi) \quad (2)$$

$$= -1 \quad (3)$$

## 7 Triangular numbers

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Triangular\\_number](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Triangular_number)



bers are given by the following formulas:

Triangular num-

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k = 1 + 2 + 3 + \cdots + n$$

$$\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\frac{n^2+n}{2}$$

$$\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)$$

The first equation can be illustrated using a visual proof.[1] For every triangular number  $T_n$ , imagine a "half-rectangle" arrangement of objects corresponding to the triangular number, as in the figure below. Copying this arrangement and rotating it to create a rectangular figure doubles the number of objects, producing a rectangle with dimensions  $n \times (n+1)$ , which is also the number of objects in the rectangle. Clearly, the triangular number itself is always exactly half of the number of objects in such a figure, or:  $T_n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$ . The example  $T_4$  follows:

$$2^{1/3} = \sqrt[3]{2} \approx 1.26$$

$$2^{-2/7} = \frac{1}{\sqrt[7]{(2)^2}} \approx 0.82$$