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$$1. \int_0^1 \frac{x dx}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{2x dx}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{d(1+x^2)}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{2\sqrt{1+x^2}}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} dx$$

$$= \sqrt{1+1^2} - \sqrt{1+0^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1} \text{ Ans:}$$

$$2. \text{ Let, } I = \int_0^{\log 2} \frac{e^x}{1+e^x} dx$$

$$\text{Put, } 1 + e^x$$

$$= e^x dx = dy$$

Limit:

$$\text{When, } x=0$$

$$\text{Then, } Y=2$$

$$\text{When, } x=\log 2$$

$$\text{Then, } y=3$$

$$I = \int_2^3 \frac{dy}{y}$$

$$= \left| \log y \right|$$

$$= \log 3 - \log 2$$

$$= \log \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{Hence } \int_0^{\log 2} \frac{e^x}{1+e^x} dx = \log \frac{3}{2} \text{ Ans:}$$

$$\mathbf{3. \int \frac{dx}{x(\log x)^2}}$$

$$\mathbf{Sol: \text{ Let, } I = \int \frac{dx}{x(\log x)^2}}$$

$$\mathbf{Put, \log x=y}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{x} dx = dy$$

$$\therefore I = \int \frac{dy}{y^2}$$

$$= \int y^{-2} dy$$

$$= \frac{y^{-2+1}}{-2+1} + c$$

$$= -\frac{1}{y} + c$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\log x} + c \mathbf{Ans:}$$

## FINITE DIFFERENCES :

Assume that we have a table of values  $(x_i, y_i)$ ,  $i=0,1,2,3,\dots,n$ , of any function  $y=f(x)$ , the  $x$  being equally spaced, ie,  $x_i=x_0+ih$ ,  $i=0,1,2,3,\dots,n$ . Supposed that we are required to recover the values of  $f(x)$  for some intermediate values of  $x$ , or to obtain the derivative of  $f(x)$  for some  $x$  in the range  $x_0 \leq x \leq x_n$ . The methods of the solution of these problems are based on the concept of the differences of a function which we now proceed to define.

### Forward Differences :

If  $y_0, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  denote a set of values of  $y$ , then  $y_1 - y_0, y_2 - y_1, \dots, y_n - y_{n-1}$  are called the differences of  $y$ . Denoted these differences by  $\Delta y_0, \Delta y_1, \dots, \Delta y_{n-1}$  respectively. We have,  $\Delta y_0 = y_1 - y_0, \Delta y_1 = y_2 - y_1, \dots, \Delta y_{n-1} = y_n - y_{n-1}$  where  $\Delta$  is called the forward difference operator and  $\Delta y_0, \Delta y_1, \dots, \Delta y_{n-1}$  are called first forward differences. The differences of the first forward differences are called second forward differences and are denoted by  $\Delta^2 y_0, \Delta^2 y_1, \dots$ . Similarly, one can define third forward differences, fourth forward differences, Etc. thus

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta^2 y_0 &= \Delta y_1 - \Delta y_0 \\ &= y_2 - y_1 - (y_1 - y_0) \\ &= y_2 - y_1 - y_1 + y_0 \\ &= y_2 - 2y_1 + y_0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta^3 y_0 &= \Delta^2 y_1 - \Delta^2 y_0 \\ &= y_3 - 2y_2 + y_0 - (y_2 - 2y_1 + y_0) \\ &= y_3 - 2y_2 + y_0 - y_2 + 2y_1 - y_0 \\ &= y_3 - 3y_2 + 3y_1 - y_0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{and } \Delta^4_{y_0} &= \Delta^3_{y_1} - \Delta^3_{y_0} \\
&= y_4 - 3y_3 + 3y_2 - y_1 - (y_3 - 3y_2 + 3y_1 - y_0) \\
&= y_4 - 3y_3 + 3y_2 - y_1 - y_3 + 3y_2 - 3y_1 + y_0 \\
&= y_4 - 4y_3 + 6y_2 - 4y_1 + y_0
\end{aligned}$$

It is therefore clear that any higher order difference can easily be expressed in terms of the ordinates, since the coefficients occurring on the right side are the binomial coefficients.

The following table shows how the forward differences of all orders can be formed :

X	y	$\Delta$	$\Delta^2$	$\Delta^3$	$\Delta^4$	$\Delta^5$
$\Delta^6$						
$x_0$	$y_0$	$\Delta_{y_0}$				
$x_1$	$y_1$	$\Delta_{y_1}$	$\Delta^2_{y_0}$	$\Delta^3_{y_0}$		
$x_2$	$y_2$	$\Delta_{y_2}$	$\Delta^2_{y_1}$	$\Delta^3_{y_1}$	$\Delta^4_{y_0}$	
$\Delta^5_{y_0}$						
$x_3$	$y_3$		$\Delta^2_{y_2}$		$\Delta^4_{y_1}$	
$\Delta^6_{y_0}$						
	$\Delta_{y_3}$			$\Delta^3_{y_2}$		
$\Delta^5_{y_1}$						
$x_4$	$y_4$		$\Delta^2_{y_3}$		$\Delta^4_{y_2}$	
	$\Delta_{y_4}$			$\Delta^3_{y_3}$		
$x_5$	$y_5$		$\Delta^2_{y_4}$			
	$\Delta_{y_5}$					
$x_6$	$y_6$					