

INTEGRATION

This can be seen as the anti derivatives of something.

Take a look at the power rule of differentiation:

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

You'll see that the power rule for integration will be

$$\int [x^n] dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + c$$

If we find the derivative of x^3 , it will be

$$\frac{d}{dx}[x^3] = 3x^2$$

Now, if we find the integral of $3x^2$, we will have

$$\int 3x^2 dx = \frac{3x^3}{3} + c$$

1: Find the anti derivative of

1. x^4 Answer: $\frac{x^5}{5} + c$

2. $\frac{x}{4}$ Answer: $\frac{x^2}{8} + c$

3. $8x^3$ Answer: $2x^4 + c$

2. Find the integral of 4

$$\int 4 dx = 4x + c$$

$$\int 5 dy = 5y + c$$

3. Find $\int (7x - 6) dx$ Answer: $\frac{7x^2}{2} - 6x + c$

DEFINITE INTEGRALS

The process by which we evaluate the anti derivatives comes from the fundamental theorem of calculus.

A function represented with $f(x)$ – small f – while the anti-derivative $F(x)$ – capital F –

One of the theorems says, the integral from a to b of a function $f(x)$ where this function is continuous on a closed interval $[a, b]$ is given below.

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

You should note that

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

Example 7: $\int_1^2 6x^2 dx$

$$\int_1^2 6x^2 dx = 2x^3 + c \Big|_1^2$$

$$\left[2(2)^3 + c \right] - \left[2(1)^3 + c \right] \# \text{ The c will cancel out}$$

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METHODS OF SOLVING INTEGRATION

1. Direct method
2. Substitution method
3. Integration by Parts
4. Integration by Partial Fractions
5. Integration by trigonometry

METHOD OF SUBSTITUTION

Given this

$$\int e^{8x} dx$$

We can say, let

$$u = 8x$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 8$$

Making dx the subject of the formula,

$$dx = \frac{du}{8}$$

$$\int e^{8x} dx = \int e^u \frac{du}{8}$$

$$\frac{1}{8} \int e^u du = \frac{1}{8} e^u + c$$

$$\frac{1}{8} e^{8x} + c$$

Looking at another example,

$$\int 4x e^{x^2} dx$$

Let

$$u = x^2$$

$$du = 2x dx$$

$$dx = \frac{du}{2x}$$

$$\int 4x e^u \frac{du}{2x}$$

$$2 \int e^u du$$

$$2e^u + c$$

$$\text{But } u = x^2$$

$$2e^{x^2} + c$$

Solve

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2} dx \text{ Answer: } \frac{-1}{x} + c$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x^3} dx$$

$$\int \frac{8}{x^4} dx$$

Using the u substitution

Typically you want to make “u” the stuff that is more complicated.

When using the substitution method, you want to make eliminate every value of x when you are substituting the u

$$\int \frac{1}{(4x-3)^2} dx \text{ Answer: } \frac{-1}{4(4x-3)} + c$$

$$\int 4x[x^2+5]^3 dx \text{ Answer: } \frac{1}{2}[x^2+5]^4 + c$$

$$\int x^3 e^{x^4} dx \text{ Answer: } \frac{1}{4} e^{x^4} + c$$

$$\int \frac{x^3}{(2+x^4)^2} dx \text{ Answer: } \frac{-1}{4(2+x^4)} + c$$

$$\int \sin^4(x) \cos(x) dx \text{ Let } u = \sin(x). \text{ Answer: } \frac{1}{5} \sin^5(x) + C$$

$$\int \sqrt{5x+4} dx \text{ Answer: } \frac{2}{15} [5x+4]^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$$

$$\int x \sqrt{3x+2} dx$$

$$\text{Let } u = 3x + 2$$

If you do it the normal way, you'll see that you'll get a value like

$$dx = \frac{du}{3}$$

And the value 3 won't be able to cancel out the outstanding x.

So in this situation where it both expressions, they have the same power. That is in x and {3x + 2}, you'll have to solve for x

$$u = 3x + 2$$

$$x = \frac{u-2}{3}$$

$$\int x \sqrt{3x+2} dx$$

$$\int \frac{u-2}{3} \sqrt{u} \frac{du}{3}$$

$$\frac{2}{45} [3x+2]^{5/2} - \frac{4}{27} [3x+2]^{3/2} + c$$

$$\int 8x \sqrt{40 - 2x^2} dx$$

EXPONENTIAL INTEGRATION

Recall that, given a function

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{f(x)}) = f'(x) \cdot e^{f(x)}$$

For the anti-derivatives,

$$\int e^{f(x)} = \frac{e^{f(x)}}{f'(x)} + c.$$

This applies if and only if the function $f(x)$ is a linear function like $ax+b$ or something.

For example

$$\int e^x dx = e^x + c$$

$$\int e^{5x} dx = \frac{e^{5x}}{5} + c$$

INTEGRATION TO THE FORM

$$\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \ln(f(x)) + c$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x + c$$

Example

$$\int \frac{\ln x}{x} dx$$

$$\int \ln x \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx$$

Proving it by the method of substitution

Let $u = \ln x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$dx = x du$$

$$\int \ln x \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx = u \cdot \frac{1}{x} \cdot x du$$

$$\int u du$$

$$\frac{u^2}{2}$$

But $u = \ln x$

$$\frac{\ln^2 x}{2}$$

When you don't know what to do again, just use integration by parts. Don't follow me oh :-)