

## Chapter 2 : Integrating Functions of Linear Function & Using Trigo. Identities

### Objectives :

1. Integrate functions of a linear function
2. Integrate trigonometric functions using trigonometric identities.

### 2.1 Revision on Integration

2.1.1 Integration is the process of finding anti-derivatives.

$$\text{If } \frac{d}{dx}(F(x)) = f(x) \text{ ,}$$

$$\text{then } \int f(x) dx = F(x) + C, \text{ where } C \text{ is an arbitrary constant.}$$

2.1.2 **Standard Integrals:** (Fill in the blanks)

- Algebraic Function

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

- Reciprocal Function

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

- Exponential Function

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

- Trigonometric Function

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

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

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

$$\int \tan(x) dx = -\ln|\cos x| + C$$

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

$$\int \cot(x) dx = \ln|\sin x| + C$$

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

$$\int \sec(x) dx = \ln|\sec x + \tan x| + C$$

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

$$\int \csc(x) dx = -\ln|\csc x + \cot x| + C$$

2.1.3 **Properties of Indefinite integral**

- $\int k \cdot f(x) dx = k \int f(x) dx \quad , \quad k \text{ is a constant.}$
- $\int [f(x) \pm g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx \pm \int g(x) dx$

**Example 1:**

$$(a) \quad \int \left( x - \frac{1}{x^2} - 3 \right) dx =$$

$$(b) \quad \int \left( \frac{5}{x} + \sqrt{x} - 5e^{2x} \right) dx =$$

$$(c) \quad \int (\sin x - \cos x + 3 \sec^2 x) dx =$$

$$(d) \quad \int \tan x (1 + \sec x) dx =$$

**2.1.4 Definite Integrals**

If  $\int f(x) dx = F(x) + C$ , then  $\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$

In definite integral, whenever trigonometric functions, such as  $\sin x$  or  $\cos x$ , is involved, the limits for  $x$  are measured in **radians**. Therefore, when evaluating a definite integral involving trigonometric function, your calculator has to be in radian mode.

**Example 2: Evaluate:**

$$(a) \quad \int_0^2 (x + 2) dx$$

$$(b) \quad \int_0^{0.5} \left( 3e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{2} \cos \pi t \right) dt$$



This is the wrong move

$$\int \cos(\pi t) dt = \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\pi} + C$$

$$\neq \sin(t) + C$$

## 2.2 Integration of Functions of a Linear Function

### 2.2.1 Linear Function

A function  $f(x) = ax + b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants and  $a \neq 0$ , is known as a linear function of  $x$ . E.g.  $2x + 1$ ,  $-5x + 1$ ,  $\frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} - 3$  are linear functions of  $x$ .

### 2.2.2 Functions of a Linear Function

Functions of a linear function are functions that are in terms of  $(ax + b)$ , e.g.  $(5x + 2)^3$  is a cubic function of the linear function  $5x + 2$ ,

$\cos\left(\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  is a cosine function of the linear function  $\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4}$ , also written as  $\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

### 2.2.3 Integration of Algebraic Functions of a Linear Function

Consider the differentiation of the function  $(ax + b)^{n+1}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}(ax + b)^{n+1} &= (n+1) \cdot (ax + b)^n \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(ax + b) \\ &= (n+1) \cdot (ax + b)^n \cdot a \\ &= a(n+1) \cdot (ax + b)^n\end{aligned}$$

The **reverse process** (i.e. integration) gives:

$$\int a(n+1) \cdot (ax + b)^n dx = (ax + b)^{n+1} + C_1$$

$$a(n+1) \int (ax + b)^n dx = (ax + b)^{n+1} + C_1$$

$$\int (ax + b)^n dx = \frac{(ax + b)^{n+1}}{a(n+1)} + C$$

Hence  $\int (ax + b)^n dx = \frac{1}{a} \cdot \frac{(ax + b)^{n+1}}{(n+1)} + C, \quad n \neq -1$

**Example 3:** Find: (a)  $\int (3x+1)^9 dx$  (b)  $\int \frac{1}{(3x+4)^2} dx$  (c)

$$\int \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-3u}} du$$

**Solution:** (a)  $\int (3x+1)^9 dx =$

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

$$(c) \int \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-3u}} du =$$

### 2.2.4 Integration of the Reciprocal of a Linear Function

Consider the differentiation of the function  $\ln(ax+b)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \ln(ax+b) &= \frac{1}{(ax+b)} \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(ax+b) \\ &= \frac{a}{ax+b} \end{aligned}$$

The reverse process gives  $\int \frac{a}{ax+b} dx = \ln(ax+b) + C_1$

Hence  $\boxed{\int \frac{1}{ax+b} dx = \frac{1}{a} \ln |ax+b| + C}$

**Example 4:** Find : (a)  $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{3x+4} dx$  (b)  $\int \frac{2}{1-4x} dx$  (c)  $\int \frac{x+2}{x+1} dx$

*Solution:*

$$(a) \int_0^1 \frac{1}{3x+4} dx =$$

$$(b) \int \frac{2}{1-4x} dx =$$

$$(c) \int \frac{x+2}{x+1} dx =$$

### 2.2.5 Integration of Exponential Functions of a Linear Function

Consider the differentiation of the function  $e^{ax+b}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}(e^{ax+b}) &= e^{ax+b} \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(ax+b) \\ &= e^{ax+b} \cdot a\end{aligned}$$

The reverse process gives  $\int a \cdot e^{ax+b} dx = e^{ax+b} + C_1$

Hence  $\boxed{\int e^{ax+b} dx = \frac{1}{a} \cdot e^{ax+b} + C}$

**Example 5:** Find : (a)  $\int e^{7x+2} dx$  (b)  $\int \frac{dx}{e^{3+x}}$  (c)  $\int \sqrt{e^{x+3}} dx$

*Solution:*

(a)  $\int e^{7x+2} dx =$

(b)  $\int \frac{dx}{e^{3+x}} =$

(c)  $\int \sqrt{e^{x+3}} dx =$

### 2.2.6 Summary (Integration of Functions of a Linear Function)

In general,

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{if } \int f(x) dx = F(x) + C \leftarrow \{\text{Basic Formula}\} \\ \text{then } \int f(ax+b) dx = \frac{1}{a} \cdot F(ax+b) + C \end{array}$$

That is, the steps to integrate function of a linear function are outlined as follow:

1. apply the basic formula (standard integral), then
2. include the extra factor “ $\frac{1}{a}$ ” in the result.

**Example 6:** Find  $\int 3^{2x+7} dx$

*Solution:*  $\int 3^{2x+7} dx =$

Standard Integral (given in formulae card)

$$\int k^x dx = \frac{k^x}{\ln k} + C, \text{ where } k \text{ is a constant}$$

### 2.2.7 Integration of Trigonometric Functions of a Linear Function

**Example 7:** Using the method of section 2.2.6, find the following integrals.

(a)  $\int \cos(2x + \pi) dx =$

(b)  $\int_0^1 \sin(3x + 1) dx =$

(c)  $\int 2 \sec^2(\pi t - 1) dt =$

#### Standard Integral

(given in formulae card)

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

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

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

In general, there is always a factor of “ $\frac{1}{a}$ ” in the result of integration of trigonometric function of a linear function.

## 2.3 Integration using Trigonometric Identities

### 2.3.1 Integrals of Product of Sine and Cosine Functions

Apply the following **Product to Sum** identities:

$$\sin x \cos y = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(x + y) + \sin(x - y)]$$

$$\cos x \sin y = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(x + y) - \sin(x - y)]$$

$$\cos x \cos y = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(x + y) + \cos(x - y)]$$

$$\sin x \sin y = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(x - y) - \cos(x + y)]$$

Remember also that

$$\sin(-A) = -\sin A \quad \text{and} \quad \cos(-A) = \cos A$$

**Example 8:** Find  $\int \sin 2x \cos 3x dx$

$$\text{Ans: } -\frac{\cos 5x}{10} + \frac{\cos x}{2} + C$$

### 2.3.2 Integrals of Even Powers of Sine and Cosine Functions

If the integral is of the form  $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$ , and both  $m$  and  $n$  are even, we use the formulae for **Reducing Power**:

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 x &= \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \\ \cos^2 x &= \frac{1 + \cos 2x}{2}\end{aligned}$$

One of the exponents  $m$  or  $n$  may be zero.

**Example 9:** Find  $\int 5 \sin^2 3x dx$

$$\text{Ans: } \frac{5}{2} \left( x - \frac{\sin 6x}{6} \right) + C$$

**Example 10:** Find  $\int \sin^2 x \cos^2 x dx$

$$\text{Ans: } \frac{1}{8} x - \frac{1}{32} \sin 4x + C$$

**2.4 Application: Root-Mean-Square (RMS) Value**

The **root-mean-square (rms) value** of a function  $y = f(x)$  over an interval  $x = a$  to  $x = b$  is defined as

$$y_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b [f(x)]^2 dx}$$

Note that  $y_{rms}$  is non-negative.

**Example 11:** Find the rms value of the voltage  $y = 2x + 1$  over the interval  $x = 1$  to  $x = 4$ .

**Example 12:** Find the rms value of the voltage  $v = 3 \sin 2t$ .

Ans:  $\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$



## **Tutorial 2**

### **Section A: Basic Integration**

1. Find the following integrals:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} \quad \int \left( x - \frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx & \text{(b)} \quad \int \left( e^{5x} + \frac{3}{e^{3x}} \right) dx \\
 \text{(c)} \quad \int \frac{x}{3} (2x + \sqrt{x}) dx & \text{(d)} \quad \int (x^2 + 2)(4x - 3) dx \\
 \text{(e)} \quad \int e^x \left( 2e^x + \frac{1}{e^{3x}} \right) dx & \text{(f)} \quad \int 2 \tan 3x dx \\
 \text{(g)} \quad \int \cot 6x dx & \text{(h)} \quad \int \frac{2}{9 + x^2} dx
 \end{array}$$

2. Evaluate the following definite integrals:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} \quad \int_1^3 x^3 dx & \text{(b)} \quad \int_2^5 dx \\
 \text{(c)} \quad \int_1^{10} \frac{1}{2x} dx & \text{(d)} \quad \int_0^1 e^{2x} dx \\
 \text{(e)} \quad \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi} \cos 2x dx & \text{(f)} \quad \int_1^4 (x^2 + 3x) dx \\
 \text{(g)} \quad \int_1^2 \left( x^2 + \frac{1}{x} - 3 \right) dx & \text{(h)} \quad \int_{-2}^{-1} \left( 4e^{-2x} + \frac{3}{x} \right) dx \\
 \text{(i)} \quad \int_0^1 (5x - \sin 3x) dx & \text{(j)} \quad \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} (\sin 3x - \cos 4x) dx \\
 \text{(k)} \quad \int_2^4 \left( 5 \sin 3x + \frac{2}{x} \right) dx &
 \end{array}$$

### **Section B: Integration of functions of linear function**

1. Find the following integrals.

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \text{(a)} \quad \int (3x + 2)^4 dx & \text{(b)} \quad \int (1 - 2x)^2 dx & \text{(c)} \quad \int \sqrt{4 - 3x} dx \\
 \text{(d)} \quad \int \frac{1}{(2x - 3)^5} dx & \text{(e)} \quad \int \sin(2x + 1) dx & \text{(f)} \quad \int \cos \left( 3x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) dx \\
 \text{(g)} \quad \int e^{\frac{x}{2} + 5} dx & \text{(h)} \quad \int 5e^{3x - 2} dx & \text{(i)} \quad \int \frac{1}{8x + 3} dx \\
 \text{(j)} \quad \int \frac{3}{2x - 25} dx & \text{(k)} \quad \int \frac{1}{2 - x} dx & \text{(l)} \quad \int \frac{4}{25 - 4x} dx
 \end{array}$$

2. Evaluate the following definite integrals.

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \text{(a)} \quad \int_{-1}^1 (4x - 3)^2 dx & \text{(b)} \quad \int_{4.5}^{10.5} \frac{2}{\sqrt{2x - 5}} dx & \text{(c)} \quad \int_{-2/3}^0 \frac{1}{e^{3x + 2}} dx
 \end{array}$$

**Section C: Integration using trigo. identities**

1. Find the following integrals:

(a)  $\int 2 \sin x \cos x \, dx$

(b)  $\int \frac{1}{\cos^2(2x)} \, dx$

(c)  $\int 2 \tan^2 2x \, dx$

(d)  $\int 2 \sin 3x \cos 5x \, dx$

(e)  $\int 3 \sin \frac{3t}{2} \sin \frac{5t}{2} \, dt$

(f)  $\int \sin^2 \theta \cos 3\theta \, d\theta$

\*(g)  $\int \cos^4 x \, dx$

\*(h)  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^4 x \, dx$

2. Find the root-mean-square (rms) value of

(a)  $f(t) = 1 + 3e^{-t}$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 2$

(b)  $y = 2(\sin x + \cos x)$  from  $x = 0$  to  $x = \pi$

\*3. If  $a$  and  $b$  are integers, find the following integrals for each of the following 3 cases

(i)  $a \neq b$ ,      (ii)  $a = b \neq 0$ ,      (iii)  $a = b = 0$ :

(a)  $\int \cos ax \cos bx \, dx$

(b)  $\int \sin ax \sin bx \, dx$

(c)  $\int \sin ax \cos bx \, dx$

\*4. If  $m$  and  $n$  are integers, use the results of question 3 to show that

(a)  $\int_0^{2\pi} \cos mx \cos nx \, dx = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } m \neq n \\ \pi & \text{if } m = n \neq 0 \\ 2\pi & \text{if } m = n = 0 \end{cases}$ ,

(b)  $\int_0^{2\pi} \sin mx \sin nx \, dx = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } m \neq n \\ \pi & \text{if } m = n \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } m = n = 0 \end{cases}$ ,

(c)  $\int_0^{2\pi} \cos mx \sin nx \, dx = 0$ .

**Miscellaneous Exercises**

\*1. Find the results of the integrals.

$$(a) \int \frac{(x-2)^2}{x} dx$$

$$(b) \int (2e^{-x} + e^x)^2 dx$$

$$(c) \int \frac{e^{2x} + 2e^x}{e^{2x}} dx$$

$$(d) \int (1 - e^{-x})^2 dx$$

$$*(e) \int \frac{x}{x-1} dx$$

$$*(f) \int \sin^2 x \cos^4 x dx$$

$$*(g) \int \cos^4 2x \sin^3 2x dx$$

$$*(h) \int \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 \theta d\theta$$

$$*(i) \int \cot^2 \pi x dx$$

\*2. If the current in an electric circuit is given by  $i = I_p \sin \omega t$ , where  $I_p$  is the maximum current, show that the rms value of the current from  $t = 0$  to  $t = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$  is  $\frac{I_p}{\sqrt{2}}$ .

**Multiple Choice Questions**

1. Given that  $\frac{d}{dx}(\sin^3 x \tan x) = \sin x \tan^2 x + 3 \sin^3 x$ , which of the following is equivalent to  $\int 3 \sin^3 x dx$ ?

$$(a) \int \sin^3 x \tan x dx$$

$$(b) \sin^3 x \tan x - \int \sin x \tan^2 x dx$$

$$(c) \int (\sin^3 x \tan x - \sin x \tan^2 x) dx$$

$$(d) \sin^3 x \tan x - \sin x \tan^2 x + C$$

2. Given the expression  $\int f(x) dx = [f(x)]^2 + C$ , where  $C$  is an arbitrary constant, which of the following could be  $f(x)$ ?

$$(a) f(x) = x + 1$$

$$(b) f(x) = 2x + 1$$

$$(c) f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x + 1$$

$$(d) f(x) = x + \frac{1}{2}$$

**Answers****Section A**

1. (a)  $\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{1}{x} + C$  (b)  $\frac{1}{5}e^{5x} - \frac{1}{e^{3x}} + C$  (c)  $\frac{2}{9}x^3 + \frac{2}{15}x^{\frac{5}{2}} + C$   
 (d)  $x^4 - x^3 + 4x^2 - 6x + C$  (e)  $e^{2x} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x} + C$  (f)  $-\frac{2}{3}\ln|\cos 3x| + C$   
 (g)  $\frac{1}{6}\ln|\sin 6x| + C$  (h)  $\frac{2}{3}\tan^{-1}\frac{x}{3} + C$
2. (a) 20 (b) 3 (c) 1.15  
 (d) 3.195 (e)  $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$  (f) 43.5  
 (g) 0.026 (h) 92.34 (i) 1.84  
 (j) 0.766 (k) 1.581

**Section B**

1. (a)  $\frac{1}{15}(3x+2)^5 + C$  (b)  $-\frac{1}{6}(1-2x)^3 + C$  (c)  $-\frac{2}{9}(4-3x)^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$   
 (d)  $-\frac{1}{8(2x-3)^4} + C$  (e)  $-\frac{1}{2}\cos(2x+1) + C$  (f)  $\frac{1}{3}\sin\left(3x - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + C$   
 (g)  $2e^{\frac{x}{2}+5} + C$  (h)  $\frac{5}{3}e^{3x-2} + C$  (i)  $\frac{1}{8}\ln|8x+3| + C$   
 (j)  $\frac{3}{2}\ln|2x-25| + C$  (k)  $-\ln|2-x| + C$  (l)  $-\ln|25-4x| + C$
2. (a) 86/3 (b) 4 (c) 0.2882

**Section C**

1. (a)  $-\frac{1}{2}\cos 2x + C$  (b)  $\frac{1}{2}\tan 2x + C$   
 (c)  $\tan 2x - 2x + C$  (d)  $\frac{\cos 2x}{2} - \frac{\cos 8x}{8} + C$   
 (e)  $\frac{3}{2}(\sin t - \frac{1}{4}\sin 4t) + C$  (f)  $\frac{\sin 3\theta}{6} - \frac{\sin 5\theta}{20} - \frac{1}{4}\sin \theta + C$   
 (g)  $\frac{1}{8}(3x + 2\sin 2x + \frac{1}{4}\sin 4x) + C$  (h)  $\frac{3\pi}{16}$
2. (a) 2.41 (b) 2
3. (a) (i)  $\frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{\sin[(a-b)x]}{a-b} + \frac{\sin[(a+b)x]}{a+b}\right] + C$ ; (ii)  $\frac{1}{2}\left[x + \frac{\sin 2ax}{2a}\right] + C$ ; (iii)  $x + C$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b) (i)} \quad & \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\sin[(a-b)x]}{a-b} - \frac{\sin[(a+b)x]}{a+b} \right] + C; & \text{(ii)} \quad & \frac{1}{2} \left[ x - \frac{\sin 2ax}{2a} \right] + C; & \text{(iii)} \quad & 0 \\
 \text{(c) (i)} \quad & -\frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\cos[(a-b)x]}{a-b} + \frac{\cos[(a+b)x]}{a+b} \right] + C; & \text{(ii)} \quad & -\frac{\cos 2ax}{4a} + C; & \text{(iii)} \quad & 0
 \end{aligned}$$

### **Miscellaneous Exercises**

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \text{ (a)} \quad & \frac{x^2}{2} - 4x + 4 \ln|x| + C & \text{(b)} \quad & -2e^{-2x} + 4x + \frac{e^{2x}}{2} + C \\
 \text{(c)} \quad & x - 2e^{-x} + C & \text{(d)} \quad & x + 2e^{-x} - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2x} + C \\
 \text{(e)} \quad & x + \ln|x-1| + C & \text{(f)} \quad & \frac{1}{16} \left( x - \frac{1}{12} \sin 6x - \frac{1}{4} \sin 4x + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2x \right) + C \\
 \text{(g)} \quad & \frac{1}{32} \left( -\frac{3}{4} \cos 2x - \frac{1}{4} \cos 6x + \frac{1}{20} \cos 10x + \frac{1}{28} \cos 14x \right) + C \\
 \text{(h)} \quad & \frac{1}{32} \left( -\frac{3}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{1}{6} \cos 6\theta \right) + C & \text{(i)} \quad & -\frac{1}{\pi} \cot \pi x - x + C
 \end{aligned}$$

### **MCQ**

$$1. \text{ (b)} \qquad 2. \text{ (c)}$$