



Definite Integrals Ex 20.4B Q41

We have,

$$I = \int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_a^{2a} f(x) dx$$

$$I = \int_0^a f(x) dx + I_1$$

Let $2a - t = x$ then $dx = -dt$

$$t = a, \quad x = a$$

$$t = 2a \quad x = 0$$

$$I_1 = \int_0^a f(x) dx = \int_a^0 f(2a - t)(-dt)$$

$$= - \int_a^0 f(2a - t) dt$$

$$I_1 = \int_0^a f(2a - t) dt = \int_0^a f(2a - x) dx$$

$$I = \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_0^a f(2a - x) dx$$

$$I = \int_0^a f(x) dx - \int_0^a f(x) dx \quad [\because f(2a - x) = -f(x)]$$

$$I = 0$$

Hence,

$$\int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = 0$$

Definite Integrals Ex 20.4B Q42

(i) We have,

$$I = \int_{-a}^a f(x^2) dx$$

Clearly $f(x^2)$ is an even function.

So,

$$\int_{-a}^a f(t) = 2 \int_0^a f(t) dt$$

$$I = 2 \int_0^a f(x^2) dx$$

(ii) We have,

$$I = \int_{-a}^a xf(x^2) dx$$

Clearly, $xf(x^2)$ is odd function.

So, $I = 0$

$$\therefore \int_{-a}^a xf(x^2) dx = 0$$

Definite Integrals Ex 20.4B Q43

We have from LHS,

$$I = \int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_a^{2a} f(x) dx \quad \dots(i)$$

Let $x = 2a - t$, then $dx = -dt$

$x = a \Rightarrow t = a$, and $x = 2a \Rightarrow t = 0$

$$\therefore \int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = -\int_a^0 f(2a - t) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(2a - t) dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(2a - x) dx$$

Substituting $\int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(2a - x) dx$ in (i)

we get,

$$\int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_0^a f(2a - x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a \{f(x) + f(2a - x)\} dx$$

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