

2.3 Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

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Fundamental Theorem of Calculus I: If

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt,$$

Then

$$F'(x) = f(x).$$

There are a few generalizations of this that are also very useful to know. For instance, if $g(x)$ is another function, and

$$G(x) = \int_a^{g(x)} f(t) dt$$

Then we have $G(x) = F(g(x))$, so that the chain rule gives

$$G'(x) = F'(g(x))g'(x) = f(g(x))g'(x).$$

Also, the endpoints can be switched. For instance,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_x^a f(t) dt = \frac{d}{dx} \left(- \int_a^x f(t) dt \right) = -f(x).$$

Most generally, we have

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_{g(x)}^{h(x)} f(t) dt \right) = f(h(x))h'(x) - f(g(x))g'(x).$$

71-84 Use FTC I to find the derivative of the given function.

1.

$$F(x) = \int_{\pi x}^{x^3} \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt.$$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \int_{\pi x}^{x^3} \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt &= \frac{d}{dx} \int_0^{x^3} \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt + \frac{d}{dx} \int_{\pi x}^0 \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt \\ &= \frac{d}{dx} \int_0^{x^3} \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt - \frac{d}{dx} \int_0^{\pi x} \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt \\ &= \left(\frac{\sin(x^3)}{x^3} \right) (3x^2) - \left(\frac{\sin(\pi x)}{\pi x} \right) (\pi) \\ &= \frac{3 \sin(x^3) - \sin(\pi x)}{x} \quad \square. \end{aligned}$$

2.

$$F(x) = \int_{-2}^{\cos(x)} \sqrt{1+t^3} dt.$$

3.

$$F(x) = \int_{5x+1}^{3x-2} \cos(t^2) dt.$$

4.

$$F(x) = \int_{-x^2}^{x^2} \frac{\sin(t)}{t} dt.$$

The second fundamental theorem of calculus tells us that area can be evaluated by antiderivatives.

Fundamental Theorem of Calculus II: If f is continuous on $[a, b]$ and F is an antiderivative of f , then

$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = F(b) - F(a).$$

Since we will see $F(b) - F(a)$ so much in the future, we often abbreviate it as $F(x)|_a^b$.

29-54 Evaluate the integrals by the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

1.

$$\int_{-1}^2 x^2 dx.$$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-1}^2 x^2 dx &= \left. \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right|_{-1}^2 \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{3}(2^3) \right) - \left(\frac{1}{3}(-1)^3 \right) \\ &= \frac{8}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = 3 \quad \square.\end{aligned}$$

2.

$$\int_{-1}^2 x^2 - 2x + 2 dx$$

3.

$$\int_1^2 \frac{2}{x^2} dx.$$

4.

$$\int_0^\pi \sin(x) dx$$

5.

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sec^2(x) dx$$