

# Indefinite Integral

Let  $f(x)$  be a function, the family of all its primitives (or antiderivatives) is called the indefinite integral of  $f(x)$  and is denoted by  $\int f(x)dx$

## 1. Standard Integrals

(i)  $\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C, n \neq -1$     (ii)  $\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \log|x| + C$     (iii)  $\int e^x dx = e^x + C$     (iv)  $\int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\log a} + C$     (v)  $\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$     (vi)  $\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$

(vii)  $\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C$     (viii)  $\int \operatorname{cosec}^2 x dx = -\cot x + C$     (ix)  $\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x + C$     (x)  $\int \operatorname{cosec} x \cot x dx = -\operatorname{cosec} x + C$     (xi)  $\int \cot x dx = \log|\sin x| + C$

(xii)  $\int \tan x dx = \log|\sec x| + C$     (xiii)  $\int \operatorname{cosec} x dx = \log|\operatorname{cosec} x - \cot x| + C$     (xiv)  $\int \sec x dx = \log|\sec x + \tan x| + C$     (xv)  $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$

(xvii)  $\int -\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$     (xviii)  $\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$     (xx)  $\int \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$     (xix)  $\int -\frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$

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## 2. Integration Using Partial Fractions

### Integration By Substitution

Expression	Substitution
$a^2 + x^2$	$x = a \tan \theta$ or $a \cot \theta$
$a^2 - x^2$	$x = a \sin \theta$ or $a \cos \theta$
$x^2 - a^2$	$x = a \sec \theta$ or $a \operatorname{cosec} \theta$
$\sqrt{\frac{a-x}{a+x}}$ or $\sqrt{\frac{a+x}{a-x}}$	$x = a \cos 2\theta$
$\sqrt{\frac{x-\alpha}{\beta-x}}$ or $\sqrt{(x-\alpha)(x-\beta)}$	$x = \alpha \cos^2 \theta + \beta \sin^2 \theta$

(i)  $\frac{px+q}{(x-a)(x-b)} = \frac{A}{x-a} + \frac{B}{x-b}, a \neq b$     (ii)  $\frac{px+q}{(x-a)^2} = \frac{A}{x-a} + \frac{B}{(x-a)^2}$

(iii)  $\frac{px^2+qx+r}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)} = \frac{A}{x-a} + \frac{B}{x-b} + \frac{C}{x-c}$

(iv)  $\frac{px^2+qx+r}{(x-a)^2(x-b)} = \frac{A}{x-a} + \frac{B}{(x-a)^2} + \frac{C}{x-b}$

(v)  $\frac{px^2+qx+r}{(x-a)(x^2+bx+c)} = \frac{A}{x-a} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+bx+c}$

where  $x^2 + bx + c$  cannot be factorised further.

## 3. Integration By Parts

$\int u \cdot v dx = u \int v dx - \int \left[ \frac{du}{dx} \cdot \int v dx \right] dx$   
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- $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 - a^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \log \left| \frac{x-a}{x+a} \right| + C$
- $\int \frac{dx}{a^2 - x^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \log \left| \frac{a+x}{a-x} \right| + C$
- $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} = \log \left| x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right| + C$
- $\int e^x [f(x) + f'(x)] dx = e^x f(x) + C$
- $\int [xf'(x) + f(x)] dx = xf(x) + C$
- $\int \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} dx = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} - \frac{a^2}{2} \log \left| x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right| + C$
- $\int \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} + \frac{a^2}{2} \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{a} \right) + C$
- $\int \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} dx = \frac{x}{2} \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} + \frac{a^2}{2} \log \left| x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right| + C$

### Integrals of different forms:

(1)  $\int \sin^m x dx, \int \cos^m x dx$ , where  $m \leq 4$

express  $\sin^m x$  and  $\cos^m x$  in terms of sines and cosines of multiples of  $x$  by using the following identities:

(i)  $\sin^2 x = \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2}$     (ii)  $\cos^2 x = \frac{1 + \cos 2x}{2}$

(iii)  $\sin 3x = 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x$     (iv)  $\cos 3x = 4 \cos^3 x - 3 \cos x$

(2)  $\int \sin mx \cos nx dx, \int \sin mx \sin nx dx, \int \cos mx \cos nx dx$

use the following trigonometrical identities:

$2 \sin A \cos B = \sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B); 2 \cos A \sin B = \sin(A+B) - \sin(A-B)$

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(3)  $\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \log \{f(x)\} + C$     (4)  $\int \{f(x)\}^n f'(x) dx = \frac{\{f(x)\}^{n+1}}{n+1}, n \neq -1$

(5)  $\int \tan^m x \sec^{2n} x dx, \int \cot^m x \operatorname{cosec}^{2n} x dx; m, n \in \mathbb{N}$

Put  $\tan x = t$  and  $\sec^2 x dx = dt$

(6)  $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx, m, n \in \mathbb{N}$

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(7)  $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$ , Where  $m, n \in \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $m+n$  is a negative even integer

Change the integrand in terms of  $\tan x$  and  $\sec^2 x$  by dividing numerator and denominator by  $\cos^k x$ , where  $k = -(m+n)$  then put  $\tan x = t$

(9)  $\int \frac{px+q}{ax^2+bx+c} dx$

To evaluate this,

$$px+q = \lambda \left\{ \frac{d}{dx}(ax^2+bx+c) \right\} + \mu \text{ i.e. } px+q = \lambda(2ax+b) + \mu$$

(11)  $\int \frac{P(x)}{ax^2+bx+c} dx$ , where  $P(x)$  is a polynomial of degree two or more

to evaluate this, write  $\int \frac{P(x)}{ax^2+bx+c} dx = \int Q(x) dx + \int \frac{R(x)}{ax^2+bx+c} dx$

(13)  $\int \frac{1}{a \sin x + b \cos x} dx, \int \frac{1}{a + b \sin x} dx, \int \frac{1}{a + b \cos x} dx$   
 $\int \frac{1}{a \sin x + b \cos x + c} dx$

To evaluate this, put  $\sin x = \frac{2 \tan x/2}{1 + \tan^2 x/2}$  and,  $\cos x = \frac{1 - \tan^2 x/2}{1 + \tan^2 x/2}$  and simplify.

(8)  $\int \frac{1}{ax^2+bx+c} dx$

express  $ax^2+bx+c$  as the sum or difference of two squares.

(10)  $\int (px+q)\sqrt{ax^2+bx+c} dx$

In order to evaluate this, write

$$px+q = \lambda \frac{d}{dx}(ax^2+bx+c) + \mu \text{ i.e. } px+q = \lambda(2ax+b) + \mu$$

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

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

To evaluate this type of integrals, divide numerator and denominator both by  $\cos^2 x$

(14)  $\int \frac{a \sin x + b \cos x}{c \sin x + d \cos x} dx$

To evaluate this, write Numerator =  $\lambda(\text{Diff. of denominator}) + \mu(\text{Denominator})$

(15)  $\int e^{ax} \sin bx dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2+b^2} (a \sin bx - b \cos bx) + C$

(16)  $\int e^{ax} \cos bx dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2+b^2} (a \cos bx + b \sin bx) + C$

(17)  $\int (px+q)\sqrt{ax^2+bx+c} dx$

In order to evaluate this, write

$$px+q = \lambda \frac{d}{dx}(ax^2+bx+c) + \mu \text{ i.e. } px+q = \lambda(2ax+b) + \mu$$

(18)  $\int \frac{1}{(ax+b)\sqrt{cx+d}} dx$

put  $cx+d = t^2$

(19)  $\int \frac{1}{(ax^2+bx+c)\sqrt{px+q}} dx$

put  $px+q = t^2$

(20)  $\int \frac{1}{(ax+b)\sqrt{px^2+qx+r}} dx$

put  $ax+b = \frac{1}{t}$

(21)  $\int \frac{1}{(ax^2+b)\sqrt{cx^2+d}} dx$

put  $x = \frac{1}{t}$  to obtain

(22)  $\int \frac{-tdt}{(a+bt^2)\sqrt{c+dt^2}}$

substitute  $c+dt^2 = u^2$

## Reduction formulas

### (1) Reduction Formula for Exponential Functions

- $\int x^n e^{mx} dx = \left[ \frac{1}{m} x^n e^{mx} \right] - \left[ \frac{n}{m} \int x^{n-1} e^{mx} dx \right]$
- $\int e^{mx} / x^n dx = - \left[ e^{mx} / (n-1)x^{n-1} \right] + \left[ \frac{m}{n-1} \int e^{mx} / x^{n-1} dx \right], n \neq 1$

### (3) Reduction Formula for Logarithmic Functions

- $\int x^n \ln^m x dx = \frac{x^{n+1} \ln^m x}{n+1} - \frac{m}{n+1} \int x^n \ln^{m-1} x dx$
- $\int \frac{\ln^m x}{x^n} = - \frac{\ln^m x}{(n-1)x^{n-1}} + \frac{m}{n-1} \int \frac{\ln^{m-1} x}{x^n} dx, n \neq 1$

### (4) Reduction Formula for Inverse Trigonometric Functions

- $\int x^n \arcsin x dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \arcsin x - \frac{1}{n+1} \int \frac{x^{n+1}}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$
- $\int x^n \arccos x dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \arccos x + \frac{1}{n+1} \int \frac{x^{n+1}}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$
- $\int x^n \arctan x dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \arctan x - \frac{1}{n+1} \int \frac{x^{n+1}}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} dx$

### (2) Reduction Formula for Trigonometric Functions

- $\int \sin^n(x) dx = \frac{-\sin^{n-1}(x) \cos(x)}{n} + \frac{n-1}{n} \int \sin^{n-2}(x) dx$
- $\int x^n \cos(x) dx = x^n \sin(x) - n \int x^{n-1} \sin(x) dx$
- $\int x^n \sin(x) dx = -x^n \cos(x) + n \int x^{n-1} \cos(x) dx$
- $\int \sin^n(x) \cos^m(x) dx = \frac{\sin^{n+1}(x) \cos^{m-1}(x)}{n+m} + \frac{m-1}{n+m} \int \sin^n(x) \cos^{m-2}(x) dx$
- $\int \frac{dx}{\sin^n x} = - \frac{\cos x}{(n-1)\sin^{n-1} x} + \frac{(n-2)}{(n-1)} \int \frac{dx}{\sin^{n-2} x}, n \neq 1$
- $\int \frac{dx}{\cos^n x} = \frac{\sin x}{(n-1)\cos^{n-1} x} + \frac{(n-2)}{(n-1)} \int \frac{dx}{\cos^{n-2} x}, n \neq 1$
- $\int \tan^n(x) dx = \frac{\tan^{n-1}(x)}{n-1} - \int \tan^{n-2}(x) dx$

### (5) Reduction Formula for Algebraic Functions

$$\int \frac{dx}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^n} = \frac{-2ax - b}{(n-1)(b^2 - 4ac)(ax^2 + bx + c)^{n-1}} - \frac{2(2n-3)a}{(n-1)(b^2 - 4ac)} \int \frac{dx}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^{n-1}}, n \neq 1$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{(x^2 + a^2)^n} = \frac{x}{2(n-1)a^2(x^2 + a^2)^{n-1}} + \frac{2n-3}{2(n-1)a^2} \int \frac{dx}{(x^2 + a^2)^{n-1}}, n \neq 1$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{(x^2 - a^2)^n} = \frac{x}{2(n-1)a^2(x^2 - a^2)^{n-1}} - \frac{2n-3}{2(n-1)a^2} \int \frac{dx}{(x^2 - a^2)^{n-1}}, n \neq 1$$

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### Derived substitutions:

#### A. Algebraic Twins

$$\int \frac{2x^2}{x^4 + 1} dx = \int \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^4 + 1} dx + \int \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^4 + 1} dx,$$

$$\int \frac{2}{x^4 + 1} dx = \int \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^4 + 1} dx - \int \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^4 + 1} dx$$

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

#### B. Trigonometric twins

$$\int \sqrt{\tan x} dx, \int \sqrt{\cot x} dx,$$

$$\int \frac{1}{(\sin^4 x + \cos^4 x)} dx, \int \frac{1}{(\sin^6 x + \cos^6 x)} dx, \int \frac{\pm \sin x \pm \cos x}{a + b \sin x \cos x} dx.$$

