

Integrals involving Trigonometry

Notes

1. **(Review of last lesson)** Find: (a) $\int 8e^{2-7x} dx$ (b) $\int \frac{1}{7x+2} dx$

Working: (a) $-\frac{8}{7}e^{2-7x} + c$

(b) $\frac{1}{7} \ln(7x+2) + c$

2. By using "Let $u = \dots$ " find the following:

(a) $\int \sin(2x+1) dx$ (b) $\int \sec^2(6x-5) dx$

(c) $\int \cos(ax+b) dx$ (d) $\int \sin(x^2-7) dx$

Working: (a) Let $u = 2x + 1 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{2} = dx$

$$\int \sin(2x+1) dx = \int \frac{1}{2} \sin u du \quad \text{replace } 2x+1 \text{ and } dx$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos u + c \quad \text{integrate with respect to } u$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(2x+1) + c \quad \text{replace } u \text{ by } 2x+1$$

(b) Let $u = 6x - 5 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 6 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{6} = dx$

$$\int \sec^2(6x-5) dx = \int \frac{1}{6} \sec^2 u du \quad \text{replace } 6x-5 \text{ and } dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \tan u + c \quad \text{integrate with respect to } u$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \tan(6x-5) + c \quad \text{replace } u \text{ by } 6x-5$$

(c) Let $u = ax + b \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = a \Rightarrow \frac{du}{a} = dx$

$$\int \cos(ax+b) dx = \int \frac{1}{a} \cos u du \quad \text{replace } ax+b \text{ and } dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \sin u + c \quad \text{integrate with respect to } u$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \sin(ax+b) + c \quad \text{replace } u \text{ by } ax+b$$

(d) Not possible since the function in brackets is not linear.

E.g. 1 Find: (a) $\int \sin(9x - 4)dx$ (b) $\int \sec^2(3x - 11)dx$

Working: (a) $-\frac{1}{9} \cos(9x - 4) + c$

(b) $\frac{1}{3} \tan^2(3x - 11) + c$

E.g. 2 Find: (a) $\int_1^{1.5} \cos(2x - 1)dx$ (to 3 s.f.) (b) $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} (\cos 3x + \sin 2x)dx$

Working: (a) $\int_1^{1.5} \cos(2x - 1)dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[\sin(2x - 1) \right]_1^{1.5}$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left[\sin(2 \times 1.5 - 1) - \sin(2 \times 1 - 1) \right]$
 $= \frac{1}{2} (\sin 2^c - \sin 1^c) \approx 0.0339$

Remember 2^c means 2 radians

(b) $\int (\cos 3x + \sin 2x)dx = \left[\frac{1}{3} \sin 3x - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}}$
 $= \left(\frac{1}{3} \sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{3} \sin 0 - \frac{1}{2} \cos 0 \right)$
 $= \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) - \left(0 - \frac{1}{2} \right)$
 $= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}$
 $= \frac{7}{12}$

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Exercise

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