

## Chapter 6: Integration Techniques

### 6.1: "The Amazing" Integration by Parts

We don't know how to integrate this:  $\int_a^b f(x) g(x) dx$ .

Let's find out how...

Let  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  be differentiable functions

Recall the product rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x)g(x)] = \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]g(x) + f(x)\frac{d}{dx}[g(x)]$$

Integrate it all wrt  $x$ :

$$\int \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)g(x)] dx = \int \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]g(x) dx + \int f(x)\frac{d}{dx}[g(x)] dx$$

LHS: F.T.C. says  $\int \frac{d}{dx}[\text{---}] dx = \text{---}$

$$f(x)g(x) = \int \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]g(x) dx + \int f(x)\frac{d}{dx}[g(x)] dx$$

Rearrange:

$$\boxed{\int \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]g(x) dx = f(x)g(x) - \int f(x)\frac{d}{dx}[g(x)] dx}$$

This is the integration by parts formula.

It says that we can "move the derivative from  $f$  to  $g$ ".

The idea is to "get rid of  $g$ " by taking its deriv.

Ex.  $\int x \sin x dx = -x \cos x - \int -\cos x (1) dx$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)] = \sin x \quad g(x) = x \\ f(x) = -\cos x \quad \frac{d}{dx}[g(x)] = 1 \end{array} \right\} \begin{aligned} &= -x \cos x + \int \cos x dx \\ &= \boxed{-x \cos x + \sin x + C} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int \ln x \, dx = \int \ln x \cdot 1 \, dx = x \ln(x) - \int x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \, dx$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x)] = 1 \quad g(x) = \ln(x) \quad = x \ln x - \int 1 \, dx$$

$$f(x) = x \quad \frac{d}{dx}[g(x)] = \frac{1}{x} \quad = \boxed{x \ln x - x + C}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int t^2 e^t \, dt$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}[f(t)] = e^t \quad g(t) = t^2$$

$$f(t) = e^t \quad \frac{d}{dt}[g(t)] = 2t$$

$$= t^2 e^t - \underbrace{\int 2t e^t \, dt}_{\text{ }} \quad$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}[f(t)] = e^t \quad g(t) = 2t$$

$$f(t) = e^t \quad \frac{d}{dt}[g(t)] = 2$$

$$= t^2 e^t - 2t e^t + \int 2e^t \, dt$$

$$= \boxed{t^2 e^t - 2t e^t + 2e^t + C}$$

(\*) Make a chart

$$\text{Ex. } \int e^x \sin x \, dx = e^x \sin x - \int e^x \cos x \, dx$$

$$= e^x \sin x - e^x \cos x + \int e^x \sin x \, dx$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \int e^x \sin x \, dx = e^x \sin x - e^x \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow \int e^x \sin x \, dx = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} e^x (\sin x - \cos x) + C}$$

A few more Int. by Parts examples.

$$\text{Ex. } \int \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$u = \theta \quad dv = \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$du = 1 d\theta \quad v = \tan \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \theta \sec^2 \theta = \theta \tan \theta - \int \tan \theta d\theta$$

$$= \theta \tan \theta - \int \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} d\theta \quad \begin{matrix} y = \cos \theta \\ dy = -\sin \theta d\theta \end{matrix}$$

$$= \theta \tan \theta + \int \frac{1}{y} dy$$

$$= \theta \tan \theta + \ln |y| + C$$

$$= \theta \tan \theta + \ln |\cos \theta| + C$$

$$= \boxed{\theta \tan \theta - \ln |\sec \theta| + C}$$

First:  
 let  $u = g(x) \quad dv = \frac{1}{dx}(f(x)) dx$   
 $du = \frac{d}{dx}(g(x)) dx \quad v = f(x)$   
 $\Rightarrow \int u dv = uv - \int v du$

How to choose u:

- L log
- I inv. trig.
- A alg. (polynomial)
- T trig
- E exponential

Ex. A trick:

$$\int x^4 e^{x^5} dx$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \frac{u}{x^4} & \frac{dv}{e^x} & \\ + & e^x & \\ - & 4x^3 & e^x \\ + & 12x^2 & e^x \\ - & 24x & e^x \\ & 24 & e^x \\ - & 0 & e^x \end{array}$$

$$e^x [x^4 - 4x^3 + 12x^2 - 24x + 24] + C$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int 5x^3 \sin(5x) dx$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \frac{u}{5x^3} & \frac{dv}{\sin 5x} & \\ + & 5x^3 & \\ - & 15x^2 & -\frac{1}{5} \cos 5x \\ + & 30x & -\frac{1}{25} \sin 5x \\ - & 30 & \frac{1}{125} \cos 5x \\ 0 & \frac{1}{525} \sin 5x & + C \end{array}$$

## 6.2. Trig Integrals

Ex.  $\int \cos^3 x dx = \int \cos^2 x \cos x dx$

$$= \int (1 - \sin^2 x) \cos x dx$$

$$u = \sin x \quad du = \cos x dx$$

$$= \int 1 - u^2 du$$

$$= u - \frac{1}{3} u^3 + C$$

$$= \boxed{\sin x - \frac{1}{3} \sin^3 x + C}$$


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Ex.  $\int \sin^5 x \cos^2 x dx = \int \sin^4 x \cos^2 x \sin x dx$

$$= \int (1 - \cos^2 x)^2 \cos^2 x \sin x dx$$

$$u = \cos x \quad du = -\sin x$$

$$= - \int (1 - u^2)^2 u^2 du$$

$$= - \int u^2 (1 - 2u^2 + u^4) du$$

$$= - \int u^2 - 2u^4 + u^6 du$$

$$= - \frac{1}{3} u^3 + \frac{2}{5} u^5 - \frac{1}{7} u^7 + C$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x + \frac{2}{5} \cos^5 x - \frac{1}{7} \cos^7 x + C}$$


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Ex.  $\int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 x dx$        $\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos 2x)$        $\cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2x)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi} (1 - \cos 2x) dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{2} x - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2x \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{1}{2} \pi - 0 = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \pi}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int \sin^4 x \, dx$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int \tan^6 x \sec^4 x \, dx \quad \sec^2 x \, dx$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int \tan^5 \theta \sec^7 \theta \, d\theta \quad \tan \theta \sec \theta \, d\theta$$

recall:  $\int \sec x \, dx = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C$

trick: mult by  $\frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x}$

Main idea: these suck, but we can do them.  
leads to trig substitutions.

$$\text{Ex. } \int \frac{\sqrt{9-x^2}}{x^2} \, dx$$

$$\text{let } x = 3 \sin \theta \rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{x}{3}$$

$$dx = 3 \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

$$\mapsto \int \frac{\sqrt{9-9\sin^2 \theta}}{9\sin^2 \theta} 3 \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

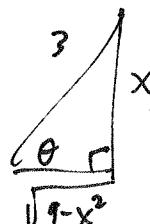
$$= \int \frac{3 \cos \theta \cdot 3 \cos \theta}{9 \sin^2 \theta} \, d\theta$$

$$= 8 \cot^2 \theta \, d\theta = \int \cot^2 \theta \, d\theta = \int (\csc^2 \theta - 1) \, d\theta = -\cot \theta - \theta + C$$

$$= \ln |\sec \theta| + C = \ln \left| \frac{3}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} \right| + C$$

or  $\arcsin(\frac{x}{3})$

$\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$	$1 - \sin^2 \theta = \cos^2 \theta$
$\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}$	$1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta$
$\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$	$\sec^2 \theta - 1 = \tan^2 \theta$
let $x = a \begin{pmatrix} \sin \\ \tan \\ \sec \end{pmatrix} \theta$	

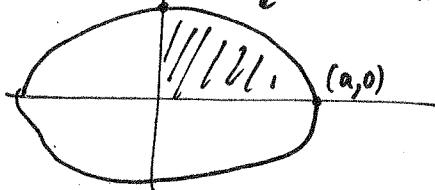


$$= \frac{-\sqrt{9-x^2}}{x} - \arcsin\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + C$$

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Ex. Find the area enclosed by the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

$(a, b)$  find this & mult. by 4.



using + .

$$\frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2} = \frac{a^2 - x^2}{a^2}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{b^2}{a^2} (a^2 - x^2)$$

$$y = \pm \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{4}A = \int_0^a \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx \quad \text{let } x = a \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{b}{a} \int_{\theta_0}^{\pi/2} \sqrt{a^2 - a^2 \sin^2 \theta} \, a \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{b}{a} \int_0^{\frac{T}{2}} a^2 \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{ba}{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 1 + \cos 2\theta \, d\theta$$

$$= \frac{ba}{2} \left[ \theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta \right]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{ba}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} - 0 = \frac{ab\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \cancel{\frac{1}{4}} ab\pi = ab\pi$$

$$dx = a \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) \\ \theta(0) = \sin^{-1}(0) = 0 \\ \theta(a) = \sin^{-1}(1) = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{array} \right.$$

$\rightarrow$  First Ex. (60)  $\int \frac{dt}{\sqrt{t^2 - 6t + 13}}$  evaluate by first completing the square.

$$= \int \frac{dt}{\sqrt{(t-3)^2 + 4}} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{let } x = t-3 \\ dx = dt \end{array}$$

$$= \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 + 4}} \quad \text{let } x = 2 \tan \theta \\ dx = 2 \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$= \int \frac{2 \sec^2 \theta}{2 \sec \theta} d\theta = \int \sec \theta d\theta = \ln |\sec \theta + \tan \theta| + C$$

Solve for these w/  
a Δ.

### 6.3. Partial Fractions

Ex.  $\int \frac{x+5}{x^2+x-2} dx$

$$x^2 + x - 2 = (x+2)(x-1)$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{x+5}{x^2+x-2} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{x-1}$$

$$\text{or } x+5 = A(x-1) + B(x+2)$$

$$x=1: 6 = 3B, B=2$$

$$x=-2: 3 = -3A, A=-1$$

$$\text{and } \frac{x+5}{x^2+x-2} = \frac{-1}{x+2} + \frac{2}{x-1}$$

Then  $\int \frac{x+5}{x^2+x-2} dx = \int \frac{-1}{x+2} dx + \int \frac{2}{x-1} dx = -\ln|x+2| + 2\ln|x-1| + C$

$$= \boxed{\ln \left| \frac{(x-1)^2}{x+2} \right| + C}$$

Ex.  $\int \frac{x^3+x}{x-1} dx$

$$x-1 \overline{) \frac{x^3+2}{x^3+0x^2+x+0}} + \frac{2}{x-1}$$

$$\underline{x^3 - x}$$

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

$$\frac{2x}{2}$$

$$\frac{2x-2}{2}$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{3}x^3 + 2x + 2\ln|x-1| + C}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x &= x(2x^2 + 3x - 2) \\ &= x(2x^2 + 4x - x - 2) \\ &= x[2x(x+2) - (x+2)] \\ &= x(2x-1)(x+2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{2x-1} + \frac{C}{x+2}$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 1 = A(2x-1)(x+2) + B(x)(x+2) + C(x)(2x-1)$$

$$x=0: -1 = A(-1)(2) \quad A = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x=\frac{1}{2}: \frac{1}{4} + 1 - 1 = B\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{5B}{4} \quad B = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$x=-2: 4 - 4 - 1 = C(-2)(-5)$$

$$-1 = 10C \quad C = -\frac{1}{10}$$

$$\int \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{2x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{x} dx + \frac{1}{5} \int \frac{1}{2x-1} dx - \frac{1}{10} \int \frac{1}{x+2} dx$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \ln|x| + \frac{1}{5} \ln|2x-1| - \frac{1}{10} \ln|x+2| + C}$$

Ex.  $\int \frac{2x^2-x+4}{x^3+4x} dx$  \* Irreducible quadratic factors.

$$x^3+4x = x(x^2+4)$$

$$\frac{2x^2-x+4}{x^3+4x} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4}$$

$$2x^2-x+4 = A(x^2+4) + (Bx+C)x$$

$$2x^2-x+4 = Ax^2+4A + Bx^2+Cx$$

$$x^2: 2 = A+B \quad B=1$$

$$x: -1 = C$$

$$\# : 4 = 4A \quad A=1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \int \frac{2x^2-x+4}{x^3+4x} dx &= \int \frac{1}{x} dx + \int \frac{x-1}{x^2+4} dx \quad \cancel{\text{q5/12}} \\ &= \int \frac{1}{x} dx + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{x^2+4} dx - \int \frac{1}{x^2+4} dx \\ &= \boxed{\ln|x| + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+4| - \frac{1}{2} \arctan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + C} \end{aligned}$$

Ex.  $\int \frac{x^4+1}{x(x^2+1)^2} dx$  \* repeated factors

$$\frac{x^4+1}{x(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

$$x^4+1 = A(x^2+1)^2 + (Bx+C)x(x^2+1) + (Dx+E)x$$

$$= A(x^4+2x^2+1) + x(Bx^3+Cx^2+Bx+C) + Dx^2+Ex$$

$$= Ax^4+2Ax^2+A + Bx^4+Cx^3+Bx^2+Cx + Dx^2+Ex$$

$$= x^4(A+B) + x^3(C) + x^2(2A+B+D) + x(C+E) + (A)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A+B &= 1 \\
 C+E &= B = 0 \\
 C &= 0 \\
 D &= -2 \\
 2A+B+D &= 0 \\
 C+E &= 0 \\
 A &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } \int \frac{x^4+1}{x(x^2+1)^2} dx = \int \frac{1}{x} dx + \int \frac{-2x}{(x^2+1)^2} dx = \boxed{\ln|x| + \frac{1}{x^2+1} + C}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= x^2+1 \\
 du &= 2x dx
 \end{aligned}$$

6.4 : Project only. Using WolframAlpha, calculators, and charts (in back of book) to help integrate. For example:

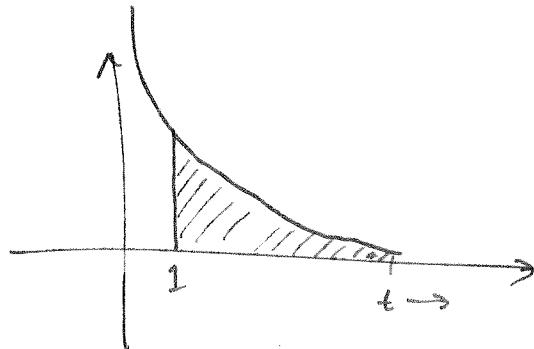
$$17. \int \frac{du}{a^2+u^2} = \frac{1}{a} \arctan\left(\frac{u}{a}\right) + C$$

$$\text{So, } \int \frac{dx}{x^2+2x+10} = \int \frac{dx}{(x+1)^2+3^2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{3} \arctan\left(\frac{x+1}{3}\right) + C}$$

## 6.6 Improper Integrals

Case I. Integrals involving  $\infty$ .

Ex.  $y = \frac{1}{x^2}$



For any  $t > 1$  we can calculate  $\int_1^t \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \left[ -\frac{1}{x} \right]_1^t = \frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{1}$

Reasonable conjecture:  $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^t \frac{1}{x^2} dx$

so  $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{t} \right) = 1 - 0 = \boxed{1}$

Def'n. If  $\int_a^t f(x) dx$  exist for all  $t \geq a$ , then

$$\int_a^\infty f(x) dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^t f(x) dx \quad \text{provided the limit exists.}$$

If  $\int_t^b f(x) dx$  exists for all  $t \leq b$ , then

$$\int_b^\infty f(x) dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_t^b f(x) dx \quad \text{iff it exists.}$$

If these limits exist, then the integrals are said to be convergent, if not they are called divergent.

$$\text{Ex. } \int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^t \frac{1}{x} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (\ln x \Big|_1^t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (\ln t - \ln 1) \\
 &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \ln t - \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \ln 1 \\
 &= \infty - 0 = \infty
 \end{aligned}$$

so the integral diverges.

Thus  $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^2} dx$  converges (=1), but  $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x} dx$  diverges.

- Draw a picture.

$$\boxed{\text{Ex.}} \quad \int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x^n} dx \quad \text{Find out for what } n \text{ this integral will converge.}$$

(Exmpl 4 in book)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Ex. } \int_{-\infty}^0 xe^x dx &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_t^0 xe^x dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (xe^x - e^x \Big|_t^0) \\
 &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} (0 - te^t - 1 + e^t)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} te^t - 1 + \underbrace{\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} e^t}_0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} te^t = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t}{e^{-t}} \stackrel{L'H}{=} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-e^{-t}} = \frac{1}{-\infty} = 0$$

$$\text{So, } \int_{-\infty}^0 xe^x dx = \boxed{-1} \quad \text{converges.}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$$

what to do w/ this?

[Exc. RE #51] Show that ~~If f(x) is odd, then~~ ~~If f(x) is even, then~~  $\int_{-t}^t f(x) dx = 0$  for all t. There is no reason that every odd function should converge. e.g.  $f(x) = x$ .

Defn. If both  $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$  and  $\int_{-\infty}^a f(x) dx$  are convergent, then we define

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_{-\infty}^a f(x) dx + \int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$$

i.e.  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) dx$  converges iff it converges to both  $\pm \infty$ .

$$\text{Ex. } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_{-t}^0 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx + \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^s \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} (\arctan x \Big|_t^0) + \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} (\arctan x \Big|_0^s)$$

$$= \arctan 0 - \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \arctan t + \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \arctan s - \arctan 0$$

$$= 0 - \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - 0 = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2} = \boxed{\pi} \quad \underline{\text{converges.}} \quad // 9/7/12$$

## Project 2: §6.4

4.(a)  $\int x e^x dx = e^x (x-1) + C$

Using  
Wolfram  $\int x^2 e^x dx = e^x (x^2 - 2x + 2) + C$

$$\int x^3 e^x dx = e^x (x^3 - 3x^2 + 6x - 6) + C$$

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(c) Conjecture:

$$\int x^n e^x dx = e^x \left( x^n - \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) + \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(x^n) - \dots - \frac{d^n}{dx^n}(x^n) \right) + C$$

where  $\frac{d^n}{dx^n}(x^n) = n(n-1)(n-2)\dots 1 = n!$

Math. induction:

1. initial case:  $n=1: \int x e^x dx = e^x (x-1) + C = e^x \left( x - \frac{d}{dx}(x) \right) + C \quad \checkmark$

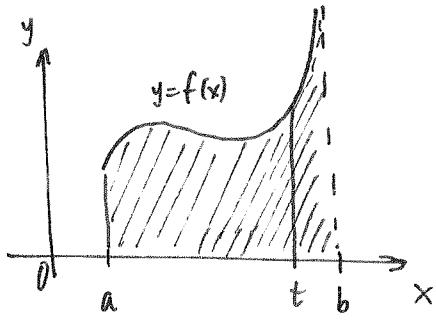
2. induction hypothesis: assume conjecture holds for some  $n \geq 1$ .

3. Prove for  $n+1$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \int x^{n+1} e^x dx &= x^{n+1} e^x - \int \frac{d}{dx}[x^{n+1}] e^x dx \leftarrow \text{Int. by parts} \\ &= x^{n+1} e^x - \int (n+1)x^n e^x dx \\ &= x^{n+1} e^x - (n+1) \int x^n e^x dx \quad \checkmark \text{ by Conj.} \\ &= x^{n+1} e^x - (n+1) e^x \left( x^n - \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) + \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(x^n) - \dots - n! \right) + C \\ &= x^{n+1} e^x - e^x \left[ (n+1)x^n - (n+1)\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) + (n+1)\frac{d^2}{dx^2}(x^n) - \dots - (n+1)n! \right] + C \\ &= e^x \left[ x^{n+1} - \frac{d}{dx}[x^{n+1}] + \frac{d^2}{dx^2}[x^{n+1}] - \frac{d^3}{dx^3}[x^{n+1}] + \dots - (n+1)! \right] + C \end{aligned}$$

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## Case II. Discontinuous Integrands



If  $\int_a^t f(x) dx$  exists for all  $t \in (a, b)$ , then

$$\boxed{\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow b^-} \int_a^t f(x) dx}$$

also left limits  
(from the right)

$$\text{Ex. } \int_2^5 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2}} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow 2^+} \int_t^5 \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2}} dx \quad u = x-2 \quad u(t) = t-2 \\ du = dx \quad u(5) = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 2^+} \int_{t-2}^3 u^{-1/2} du \quad \text{let } s = t-2 \\ &= \lim_{s \rightarrow 0^+} \left[ 2u^{1/2} \right]_s^3 \quad s \rightarrow 0^+ \text{ as } t \rightarrow 2^+ \\ &= \lim_{s \rightarrow 0^+} [2\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{s}] \\ &= 2\sqrt{3} - 0 = \boxed{2\sqrt{3}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Ex. } \int_0^{\pi/2} \sec x dx \quad \sec \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ is undefined.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \int_0^t \sec x dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \left[ \ln |\sec x + \tan x| \Big|_0^t \right] \\ &= \lim_{t \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \left[ \ln |\sec t + \tan t| - \underbrace{\ln |\sec 0 + \tan 0|}_{= \ln 1 = 0} \right] \\ &= \ln \left( \lim_{t \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \sec t + \lim_{t \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \tan t \right) = \infty \Rightarrow \underline{\text{diverges}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex.}} \int_0^3 \frac{dx}{x-1} = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x-1} + \int_1^3 \frac{dx}{x-1}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 1^-} \left[ \ln|x-1| \right]_0^t + \lim_{t \rightarrow 1^+} \left[ \ln|x-1| \right]_t^3 \\ = \underbrace{0 - \ln 0}_{+\infty} + \underbrace{\ln 2 - \ln 0}_{+\infty}$$

each piece diverges, so the whole diverges. // 9/10/12

### The Comparison Theorem.

Suppose the  $f$  and  $g$  are continuous functions with  
 $f(x) \geq g(x) \geq 0 \quad \text{for } x \geq a$

a) If  $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$  is convergent, then so is  $\int_a^\infty g(x) dx$

b) If  $\int_a^\infty g(x) dx$  is divergent, then so is  $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$ .

$$\underline{\text{Ex.}} \int_0^\infty e^{-x^2} dx = \underbrace{\int_0^1 e^{-x^2} dx}_{\text{convergent}} + \underbrace{\int_1^\infty e^{-x^2} dx}_{e^{-x^2} \leq e^{-x} \text{ for all } x \geq 1.}$$

$$\int_1^\infty e^{-x} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^t e^{-x} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} [-e^{-x}]_1^t = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{e^t} + \frac{1}{e} \\ = \boxed{\frac{1}{e}}$$

Thus by comparison thm:  $\int_1^\infty e^{-x^2} dx \leq \frac{1}{e}$  converges.

Using Complex analysis, one can show:

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-x^2} dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$$

Ex.  $\int_1^\infty \frac{1+e^x}{x} dx$  diverges because  $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{x} dx$  diverges.

Ex.  $\int_1^\infty \frac{dx}{x+e^{2x}}$ .

$$x+e^{2x} \underset{x \geq 1}{\approx} e^{2x} \quad \text{if } x \geq 1$$

$$\text{So } \frac{1}{x+e^{2x}} < \frac{1}{e^{2x}}$$

and  $\int_1^\infty \frac{dx}{x+e^{2x}} < \int_1^\infty \frac{1}{e^{2x}} dx$  which is convergent.

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