

§7.2 Trig Integrals

ex. $\int \sin^3 x \cos x \, dx$ ex. $\int \cos^8 x \sin^3 x \, dx = \int \cos^6 x (\sin^2 x) \sin x \, dx$

SUMMARY: (1) APPLY TRIG IDENTITIES (e.g. $\sin^2 x = 1 - \cos^2 x$)
(2) USE u-SUB. ($\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$)

MORE SPECIFICALLY,

$\int \sin^m x \cos^n x \, dx \dots$

→ IF m ODD: $\rightarrow \int (\text{ALL } \cos) \sin x \, dx$
 $\uparrow$
 $\sin^2 x = 1 - \cos^2 x$

→ IF n ODD: $\rightarrow \int (\text{ALL } \sin) \cos x \, dx$
 $\uparrow$
 $\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$

→ IF m, n BOTH EVEN: LESS STRAIGHT FORWARD

TRIG ID: $\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x)$
 $\cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2x)$

ex. $\int \sin^9 x \cos^5 x \, dx$ ex. $\int \sin^2 x \, dx$ ex. $\int \sin^4 x \, dx$

ex. $\int \sin^2 x \cos^2 x \, dx = \int \sin^2 x (1 - \sin^2 x) \, dx = \int \sin^2 x - \sin^4 x \, dx$

SIMILAR: $\int \tan^m x \sec^n x \, dx$

→ IF m IS ODD:

$\int \overbrace{\tan^{m-1} x \sec^{n-1} x}^{\text{ALL } \sec x} \underbrace{\tan x \sec x}_{du} \, dx$
 (Note: $m-1$ is circled in blue, and "even power" is written below the tan term)

ID: $\tan^2 x = \sec^2 x - 1$

$\rightarrow$ IF n IS EVEN : $\int \overbrace{\tan^m x \sec^{n-2} x}^{\text{ALL TAN X}} \underbrace{\sec^2 x}_{\text{EVEN POWER}} dx$

ID: $\sec^2 x = 1 + \tan^2 x$

$\rightarrow$ IF m IS EVEN & n IS ODD : NOT SO STRAIGHTFORWARD
 TRY THIS ID, INTEGRATION BY PARTS.

ex. $\int \tan^2 x \sec^4 x dx$

NOTE: $\int \sec x dx = \int \frac{\sec x (\sec x + \tan x)}{(\sec x + \tan x)} dx$

$\int \frac{\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x} dx$

$u = \sec x + \tan x$

$du = (\sec x \tan x + \sec^2 x) dx$

$\rightarrow \int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln|u| + C$

$\rightarrow \ln|\sec x + \tan x| + C$

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