

Section 4.1

Antiderivatives

MATH 1190

- Suppose $g(x)$ is a function such that $g'(x) = 8$. What do you suppose $g(x)$ is equal to?

Guesses:

- $g(x) = 8x$
- $g(x) = 8x - 10$
- $g(x) = 8x + 3$
- $g(x) = 8x + \sqrt{3}$

- *Antidifferentiating* is the opposite of differentiating, also called *integration*.

- **Notation:**

$$\int 8 \, dx = 8x + C$$

where \int is the integration sign and dx represents what variable you are integrating with respect to.

$$\boxed{\int f(x) \, dx = F(x) + C}$$

Here $F(x)$ is called the *antiderivative* of f , i.e. $F'(x) = f(x)$.

- **Integration Formulas:**

- **Integration of a Constant**

$$\boxed{\int k \, dx = kx + C, \, k \text{ is any constant}}$$

Example:

$$\int \frac{1}{2} \, dx = \frac{1}{2}x + C$$

- **Integration of x^r , $r \neq -1$**

$$\boxed{\int x^r \, dx = \frac{x^{r+1}}{r+1} + C, \, r \neq -1}$$

Example:

$$\int x^2 \, dx = \frac{x^{2+1}}{2+1} + C = \frac{x^3}{3} + C$$

To check: $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^3}{3} + C \right) = x^2$ (CORRECT!!)

- **Constant Multiple Rule**

$$\boxed{\int k f(x) \, dx = k \int f(x) \, dx + C, \, k \text{ is any constant}}$$

- **Sum and Difference Rule**

$$\boxed{\int (f(x) \pm g(x)) \, dx = \int f(x) \, dx \pm \int g(x) \, dx}$$

- **Examples**

1. Find $\int (x^2 - x + 2) \, dx$

$$\int (x^2 - x + 2) \, dx = \int x^2 \, dx - \int x \, dx + \int 2 \, dx \quad \text{sum and difference rule}$$

$$= \frac{x^{2+1}}{2+1} - \frac{x^{1+1}}{1+1} + 2x + C \quad \text{using the rules above}$$

$$= \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^2}{2} + 2x + C \quad \text{simplifying}$$

2. Find $\int(x^4 + \frac{1}{8\sqrt{x}} - \frac{4}{5x^{2/5}}) dx$

$$\begin{aligned} \int(x^4 + \frac{1}{8\sqrt{x}} - \frac{4}{5x^{2/5}}) dx &= \int(x^4 + \frac{1}{8}x^{-1/2} - \frac{4}{5}x^{-2/5}) dx && \text{rewriting everything as } x^r \\ &&& \text{in the numerator} \\ &= \int x^4 dx - \frac{1}{8} \int x^{-1/2} dx - \frac{4}{5} \int x^{-2/5} dx && \text{Using the sum and difference rule} \\ &&& \text{as well as the constant multiple} \\ &&& \text{rule} \\ &= \frac{x^{4+1}}{4+1} - \frac{1}{8} \frac{x^{-1/2+1}}{-1/2+1} - \frac{4}{5} \frac{x^{-2/5+1}}{-2/5+1} + C && \text{using the rules above} \\ &= \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{1}{8} \frac{x^{1/2}}{1/2} - \frac{4}{5} \frac{x^{3/5}}{3/5} + C && \text{simplifying} \\ &= \frac{x^5}{5} - 2\frac{1}{8}x^{1/2} - \frac{5}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{5}x^{3/5} + C && \text{multiplying by reciprocal} \\ &= \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{1}{4}x^{1/2} - \frac{4}{3}x^{3/5} + C && \text{simplifying} \end{aligned}$$

– **Integration of x^{-1}**

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

Example: Find

$$\begin{aligned} \int \left(\frac{4}{x^3} + \frac{7}{x} \right) dx &= \int \left(4x^{-3} + 7\frac{1}{x} \right) dx && \text{writing in the correct form} \\ &= 4 \int x^{-3} dx + 7 \int \frac{1}{x} dx && \text{using the constant multiple rule} \\ &= 4 \frac{x^{-2}}{-2} + 7 \ln|x| + C && \text{using the integration formulas} \\ &= \frac{-2}{x^2} + 7 \ln|x| + C && \text{simplifying} \end{aligned}$$

– **Integration of e^x**

$$\boxed{\int e^x dx = e^x + C}$$

$$\boxed{\int e^{kx} dx = \frac{1}{k} e^{kx} + C}$$

Example: Find

$$\begin{aligned} \int (2x^5 - 4e^{3x}) dx &= 2 \int x^5 dx - 4 \int e^{3x} dx && \text{using constant multiple and sum and difference rule} \\ &= \frac{1}{3}x^6 - \frac{4}{3}e^{3x} + C && \text{using the integration formulas} \end{aligned}$$

– **Integration of Trig Functions**

$$\boxed{\int \cos(kx) dx = \frac{1}{k} \sin kx + C}$$

$$\boxed{\int \sin(kx) dx = -\frac{1}{k} \cos kx + C}$$

$$\boxed{\int \sec^2(kx) dx = \frac{1}{k} \tan kx + C}$$

$$\int \csc^2(kx) dx = -\frac{1}{k} \cot kx + C$$

$$\int \sec(kx) \tan(kx) dx = \frac{1}{k} \sec(kx) + C$$

$$\int \csc(kx) \cot(kx) dx = -\frac{1}{k} \csc(kx) + C$$

Example: Find

$$\begin{aligned} \int (2 \cos(2x) - 3 \sin(3x)) dx &= 2 \frac{1}{2} \sin(2x) - 3 \frac{1}{3} (-\cos(3x)) + C \\ &= \sin(2x) + \cos(3x) + C \end{aligned}$$

– Integration Resulting in Inverse Trig Functions

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-k^2x^2}} dx = \frac{1}{k} \sin^{-1}(kx) + C$$

$$\int \frac{1}{1+k^2x^2} dx = \frac{1}{k} \tan^{-1}(kx) + C$$

$$\int \frac{1}{kx\sqrt{k^2x^2-1}} dx = \frac{1}{k} \sec^{-1} kx + C$$

Example: Find

$$\begin{aligned} \int \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}} - \frac{2}{x} \right) dx &= 3 \int \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-2^2x^2}} dx - 2 \int \frac{1}{x} dx \right) \\ &= 3 \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1}(2x) - 2 \ln|x| + C \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \sin^{-1}(2x) - 2 \ln|x| + C \end{aligned}$$

• Group Work:

– Problems: Determine the following integrals.

1. $\int \left(\frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{y^{5/4}} \right) dy$
2. $\int x^{-3}(x+1) dx$
3. $\int \frac{4+\sqrt{t}}{t^3} dt$
4. $\int 3 \cos(5\theta) d\theta$
5. $\int (2e^x - 3e^{-2x}) dx$
6. $\int \frac{1-\cos(6t)}{2} dt$
7. $\int \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{1-y^2}} - \frac{1}{y^{1/4}} \right) dy$

– Answers:

1. $\frac{1}{7}y + \frac{4}{y^{1/4}} + C$
2. $-\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2x^2} + C$
3. $\frac{-2}{t^2} - \frac{2}{3t^{3/2}} + C$
4. $\frac{3}{5} \sin(5\theta) + C$
5. $2e^x + \frac{3}{2}e^{-2x} + C$
6. $\frac{1}{2}t - \frac{1}{12} \sin(6t) + C$
7. $2 \sin^{-1}(y) - \frac{4}{3}y^{3/4} + C$