

7.2 - Trigonometric Integrals

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Exercise:

Evaluate the integral.

$$\int \sin^3 \theta \cos^4 \theta d\theta$$

Rewrite $\sin^3 \theta = \sin^2 \theta \sin \theta$

Pythagorean identity $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \theta$$

$$- \int (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \cos^4 \theta (-\sin \theta) d\theta$$

$$u = \cos \theta$$

$$du = -\sin \theta d\theta$$

$$- \int (\cos^4 \theta - \cos^6 \theta) (-\sin \theta) d\theta = - \int (u^4 - u^6) du$$

$$= - \left(\frac{1}{5} u^5 - \frac{1}{7} u^7 \right) + C = \frac{1}{7} \cos^7 \theta - \frac{1}{5} \cos^5 \theta + C$$

Pythagorean Identities

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\tan^2 \theta + 1 = \sec^2 \theta$$

$$1 + \cot^2 \theta = \csc^2 \theta$$

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Recall:

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \quad (\text{double-angle formula})$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta = \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

Power-reducing formulas

Exercise:

Evaluate the integral.

$$\int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 t \cos^4 t \, dt$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta)$$

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta)$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} \boxed{\sin^2 t \cos^2 t} \cos^2 t \, dt$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 2t \cos^2 t \, dt$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 2t \cdot \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2t) \, dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \int_0^{\pi} (\sin^2 2t + \sin^2 2t \cos 2t) \, dt$$

$u = \sin 2t \Rightarrow du = 2 \cos 2t \, dt$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \int_0^{\pi} \left[\frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 4t) + \frac{1}{2}(\sin^2 2t)(2 \cos 2t) \right] dt$$

$\frac{1}{2} \quad u^2 \quad du$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{16}(t - \frac{1}{4} \sin 4t) + \frac{1}{48} \sin^3 2t \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{\pi}{16}$$

Power-reducing formulas

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta)$$

$$\sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta)$$

The double-angle formula

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

Exercises:

Evaluate the integral.

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$$\int \frac{\sin^2\left(\frac{1}{t}\right)}{t^2} dt$$

we don't have this du

$$u = \tan x \Rightarrow du = \sec^2 x dx$$

$$\int \tan^2 x \cos^3 x dx$$

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

$$\int (\sec^2 x - 1) \cos^3 x dx$$

will work a la #1 above

$$\rightarrow \int \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} \cos^3 x dx = \int \sin^2 x \cos x dx$$

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

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

$$\int u^2 du$$

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$$\int x \sin^3 x dx$$

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$$\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^6 x \tan^6 x \, dx$$

even on secant

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sec x) = \sec x \tan x$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \sec^4 x = \tan^4 x + 2\tan^2 x + 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^4 x \tan^6 x \sec^2 x \, dx \\ = \int_0^{\pi/4} (\tan^4 x + 2\tan^2 x + 1) \tan^6 x \sec^2 x \, dx \end{aligned}$$

$$u = \tan x \leftarrow du = \sec^2 x \, dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^{\pi/4} (\tan^{10} x + 2\tan^8 x + \tan^6 x) \sec^2 x \, dx \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{11} \tan^{11} x + \frac{2}{9} \tan^9 x + \frac{1}{7} \tan^7 x \right) \Big|_0^{\pi/4} = \frac{316}{693} \end{aligned}$$

$$\int \tan^5 x \sec^3 x \, dx$$

$$\int_0^1 (u^{10} + 2u^8 + u^6) \, du$$

x	$u = \tan x$
$\pi/4$	1
0	0

odd power on tangent, $u = \sec x$

$$du = \sec x \tan x \, dx$$

$$\int \tan^4 x \sec^2 x \sec x \tan x \, dx$$

$$\tan^2 x + 1 = \sec^2 x \Rightarrow \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x - 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \int (\sec^4 x - 2\sec^2 x + 1) \sec^2 x \sec x \tan x \, dx \\ &= \int (\sec^6 x - 2\sec^4 x + \sec^2 x) \sec x \tan x \, dx \\ &= \int (u^6 - 2u^4 + u^2) \, du = \frac{1}{7} u^7 - \frac{2}{5} u^5 + \frac{1}{3} u^3 + C \end{aligned}$$

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Useful strategies

For $\int \sin^m \theta \cos^n \theta \, d\theta$:

Odd power
that's du

du is here
↓

$$\sin^3 \theta = \sin^2 \theta \sin \theta = (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \sin \theta$$

$$\text{If } u = \cos \theta, \, du = -\sin \theta \, d\theta$$

$$\text{If } u = \sin \theta, \, du = \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

Even powers

power-reducing formula

For $\int \tan^m \theta \sec^n \theta \, d\theta$

Even power on secant

use $\sec^2 \theta = du$

↳ $u = \tan \theta$ Replace: $\sec^2 = \tan^2 \theta + 1$

Odd power on tangent

use $\sec \theta \tan \theta = du$

$u = \sec \theta$
Replace: $\tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta - 1$

Two useful integration rules

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

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

$$\int \sin x \cos x dx$$

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

$$\int u du = \frac{1}{2} u^2 + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 x + C$$

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

$$-\int u du$$

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

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos^2 x + C$$

But $\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \cos^2 x = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 x$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sin^2 x - \frac{1}{2} + C$$

Consider $\int \tan x dx = \int \frac{-\sin x}{\cos x} dx$

$$u = \cos x \Rightarrow du = -\sin x dx$$

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

$$= -\ln |\cos x| + C$$

exponent

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

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

$$u = \sec x + \tan x$$

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

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