

8.2 Trigonometric Integrals:

The purpose is to find $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$:

Case 1: If m is an odd number, then:

We write $m = 2k + 1$, then use: $\sin^2 x = 1 - \cos^2 x$.

$$\Rightarrow \int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx = \int (\sin^2 x)^k \cos^n x \sin x dx$$

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

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

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

Example: $\int \sin^3 x \cos^2 x dx$, $m = 3$ (odd)

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

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

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

$$= -\frac{u^3}{3} + \frac{u^5}{5} + C = -\frac{\cos^3 x}{3} + \frac{\cos^5 x}{5} + C \quad (168)$$

Case 2: $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$

If m is even and n is odd

Then: $n = 2k+1$ & Use $\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$.

$$\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx = \int \sin^m x (\cos^2 x)^k \cos x dx$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \int u^m (1 - u^2)^k du$$

Example: $\int \cos^5 x dx$.

Here $m = 0$ and $n = 5$ (odd)

$$\int \cos^5 x dx = \int (\cos^2 x)^2 \cos x dx = \int (1 - \sin^2 x)^2 \cos x dx$$

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

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

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

$$= \sin x - \frac{2 \sin^3 x}{3} + \frac{\sin^5 x}{5} + C$$

Case 3: $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$

If both m and n are even, we use:

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

Example: $\int \sin^2 x \cos^4 x dx$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sin^2 x (\cos^2 x)^2 dx &= \int \left(\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1 + \cos 2x}{2} \right)^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \int (1 - \cos 2x)(1 + 2\cos 2x + \cos^2 2x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \int (1 + 2\cos 2x + \cos^2 2x - \cos 2x - 2\cos^2 2x - \cos^3 2x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \left[\int (1 + \cos 2x) dx - \int \cos^2 2x dx - \int \cos^3 2x dx \right] \end{aligned}$$

Case 3
(*)
Case 2
(**)

$$(*) \int \cos^2 2x dx = \int \frac{1 + \cos 4x}{2} dx = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{\sin 4x}{8}$$

$$(**) \int \cos^3 2x dx = \int (\cos^2 2x) \cos 2x dx = \int (1 - \sin^2 2x) \cos 2x dx$$

Let $u = \sin 2x \Rightarrow du = 2 \cos 2x dx$

$$\Rightarrow \int (1 - u^2) \frac{du}{2} = \frac{1}{2}u - \frac{u^3}{6} = \frac{\sin 2x}{2} - \frac{\sin^3 2x}{6}$$

Therefore: The whole Integral:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{8} \left[x + \frac{\sin 2x}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{\sin 4x}{8} - \frac{\sin 2x}{2} + \frac{\sin^3 2x}{6} \right] + C \\ &= \frac{1}{8} \left[\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{\sin 4x}{8} + \frac{\sin^3 2x}{6} \right] + C. \quad (170) \end{aligned}$$

Eliminating Square Roots:

Example: $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sqrt{1 + \cos 4x} \, dx$

Recall: $\cos 2x = 2\cos^2 x - 1 \Rightarrow \cos 4x = 2\cos^2 2x - 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sqrt{1 + \cos 4x} \, dx &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sqrt{2\cos^2 2x} \, dx = \sqrt{2} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos 2x \, dx \\ &= \sqrt{2} \left[\frac{\sin 2x}{2} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Integrals of Powers of $\tan x$ and $\sec x$:

Example: $\int \tan^4 x \, dx$

$$\int \tan^4 x \, dx = \int \tan^2 x (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx$$

$$= \int \tan^2 x \sec^2 x - \tan^2 x \, dx$$

$$= \int (\tan^2 x \sec^2 x) \, dx - \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx$$

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substitution: $u = \tan x$

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$$= \int u^2 \, du - \int \sec^2 x \, dx + \int 1 \, dx$$

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

$$= \frac{\tan^3 x}{3} - \tan x + x + C.$$

Example: $\int \sec^3 x dx$

Integration by Parts:

Let $u = \sec x$, $dv = \sec^2 x dx$

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

$$\Rightarrow \int \sec^3 x dx = \sec x \tan x - \int \tan^2 x \sec x dx.$$

$$= \sec x \tan x - \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \sec x dx$$

$$= \sec x \tan x - \int \sec^3 x dx + \int \sec x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \int \sec^3 x dx = \sec x \tan x + \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \sec^3 x dx = \frac{1}{2} \sec x \tan x + \frac{1}{2} \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C.$$

Products of Sines and Cosines:

$$1) \sin mx \sin nx = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(m-n)x - \cos(m+n)x]$$

$$2) \sin mx \cos nx = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(m-n)x + \sin(m+n)x]$$

$$3) \cos mx \cos nx = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(m-n)x + \cos(m+n)x]$$

Example: $\int \sin 3x \cos 5x dx = \int \frac{1}{2} (\sin(-2x) + \sin(8x)) dx$

$$\frac{1}{4} \cos 2x - \frac{\cos 8x}{16} + C.$$

Q19) $\int 16 \sin^2 x \cos^2 x dx$

$$= \int 16 \left(\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1 + \cos 2x}{2} \right) dx$$

$$= \int 4 (1 - \cos^2 2x) dx = 4 \int \left(1 - \frac{1 + \cos 4x}{2} \right) dx$$

$$= 4 \int \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos 4x \right) dx = 2 \int (1 - \cos 4x) dx$$

$$= 2x - \frac{\sin 4x}{2} + C.$$

Q34) $\int \sec x \tan^2 x dx = \int \sec x \tan x \tan x dx$

Let $u = \tan x$, $dv = \sec x \tan x dx$
 $du = \sec^2 x dx$, $v = \sec x$

$$\Rightarrow \int \sec x \tan^2 x dx = \tan x \sec x - \int \sec^3 x dx.$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \tan x \sec x - \frac{1}{2} \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C,$$

8.3. Trigonometric Substitutions:

The most common substitutions are:

$$x = a \sin \theta, \quad x = a \tan \theta, \quad x = a \sec \theta.$$

These substitutions are effective in transforming

Integrals involving:

$$\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}, \quad \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}, \quad \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$$

into Integrals we can evaluate directly.

Case 1: $\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$:

In this case, Let $x = a \sin \theta$, then

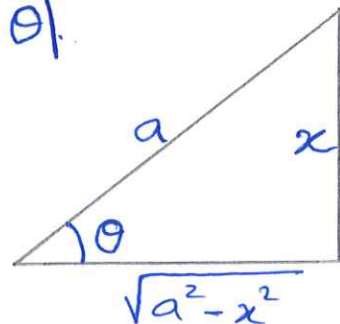
$$\begin{aligned} a^2 - x^2 &= a^2 - a^2 \sin^2 \theta = a^2 (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \\ &= a^2 \cos^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

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$$\text{where } \Rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} = \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2 \theta} = |a \cos \theta|.$$

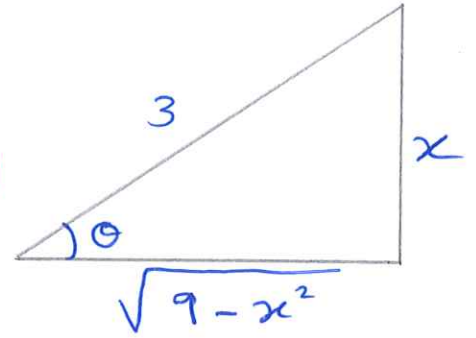
$$\text{where } \theta = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right), \quad \underbrace{-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}}_{\cos \theta > 0}.$$



Example: Evaluate $\int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dx$.

Let $x = 3 \sin \theta \Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$

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



where $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

$\Rightarrow \sqrt{9-x^2} = \sqrt{9-9\sin^2\theta} = \sqrt{9\cos^2\theta} = |3\cos\theta|$

$\Rightarrow \int \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dx = \int \frac{9\sin^2\theta}{|3\cos\theta|} \cdot (3\cos\theta) d\theta$

$= 9 \int \sin^2\theta d\theta = 9 \int \left(\frac{1-\cos 2\theta}{2}\right) d\theta$

$= 9 \left(\frac{1}{2}\theta - \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2 \cdot 2}\right) + C$

$= \frac{9}{2}\theta - \frac{9}{2}\sin\theta\cos\theta + C$

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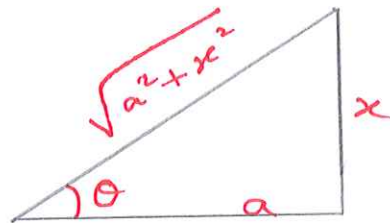
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$= \frac{9}{2}\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) - \frac{9}{2}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{9-x^2}}{3}\right) + C$

$= \frac{9}{2}\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) - \frac{1}{2}x\sqrt{9-x^2} + C$

Case 2: $\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}$:

In this case, Let $x = a \tan \theta$.



$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \sqrt{a^2 + x^2} &= \sqrt{a^2 + a^2 \tan^2 \theta} = \sqrt{a^2(1 + \tan^2 \theta)} \\ &= \sqrt{a^2 \sec^2 \theta} = |a \sec \theta|. \end{aligned}$$

Notice that : $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$.

Example : Evaluate $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4+x^2}}$

$\sec \theta > 0$
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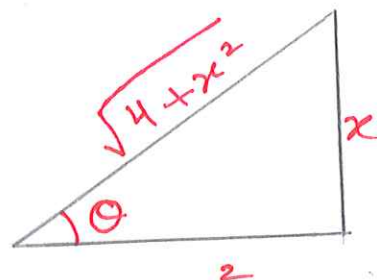
Let $x = 2 \tan \theta \Rightarrow \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$.

$$\Rightarrow dx = 2 \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

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

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

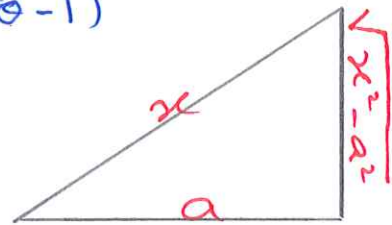
$$= \ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{4+x^2}}{2} + \frac{x}{2} \right| + C.$$



Case 3: $\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$

In this case, let $x = a \sec \theta$

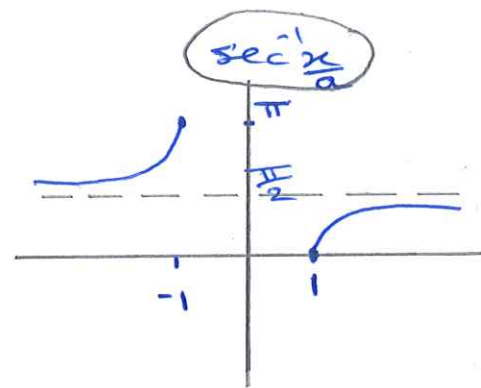
$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} &= \sqrt{a^2 \sec^2 \theta - a^2} = \sqrt{a^2 (\sec^2 \theta - 1)} \\ &= \sqrt{a^2 \tan^2 \theta} = |a \tan \theta|\end{aligned}$$



Notice that: $\theta = \sec^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

where

$$\begin{cases} 0 \leq \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}, & \frac{x}{a} \geq 1 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} < \theta \leq \pi, & \frac{x}{a} \leq -1 \end{cases}$$



Example: Evaluate $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{25x^2 - 4}}$, $x > \frac{2}{5}$.

$$\sqrt{25x^2 - 4} = \sqrt{25 \left(x^2 - \frac{4}{25} \right)} = 5 \sqrt{x^2 - \left(\frac{2}{5} \right)^2}$$

\Rightarrow Let $x = \frac{2}{5} \sec \theta$, $0 \leq \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$dx = \frac{2}{5} \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$$

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$$\left(\frac{x}{a} \geq 1 \Leftrightarrow \frac{x}{\frac{2}{5}} \geq 1 \Leftrightarrow x \geq \frac{2}{5} \right)$$

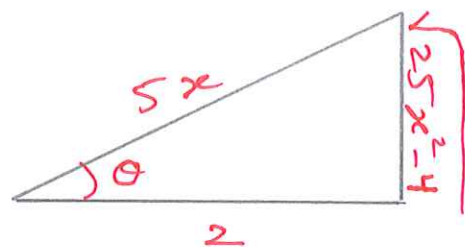
Now, $5 \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{5} \right)^2 \sec^2 \theta - \left(\frac{2}{5} \right)^2} = 5 \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{5} \right)^2 (\sec^2 \theta - 1)}$

$$= 5 \cdot \left| \frac{2}{5} \tan \theta \right| = 2 \tan \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{25x^2-4}} = \int \frac{\frac{2}{5} \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta}{2 \tan \theta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \int \sec \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{5} \ln |\sec \theta + \tan \theta| + C$$

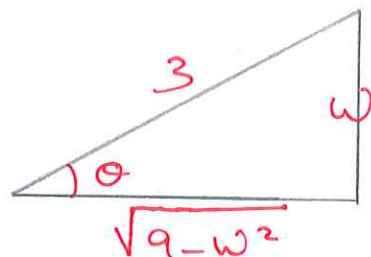
$$= \frac{1}{5} \ln \left| \frac{5x}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{25x^2-4}}{2} \right| + C$$



Q20) Evaluate $\int \frac{\sqrt{9-w^2}}{w^2} dw$

Let $w = 3 \sin \theta$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$dw = 3 \cos \theta d\theta$$



$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{9-w^2} = \sqrt{9-9\sin^2\theta} = \sqrt{9\cos^2\theta} = 3\cos\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{\sqrt{9-w^2}}{w^2} dw = \int \frac{3\cos\theta (3\cos\theta) d\theta}{9\sin^2\theta}$$

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

$$= -\cot\theta - \theta + C = -\frac{\sqrt{9-w^2}}{w} - \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{w}{3}\right) + C$$