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# Section Twenty

LOGARITHM AND EXPONENTIAL FUNCTION INTEGRALS

# 1. The Integral of Logarithm Function

If  $u$  is a differentiable function that is never zero, then

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

In the sense (بمعنى) that the derivative of the numerator is equal the denominator, the integration is the denominator,  $\ln$ .

## EXAMPLES

$$1. \int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln|x| + c$$

$$2. \int \frac{2x dx}{x^2+1} = \ln|x^2+1| + c$$

$$3. \int \frac{(x+1) dx}{x^2+2x+3} = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(2x+2) dx}{x^2+2x+3} = \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+2x+3| + c$$

$$4. \int \frac{x^2 dx}{1-x^3} = \frac{3}{3} \int \frac{x^2 dx}{1-x^3} = \frac{-1}{3} \int \frac{-x^2}{1-x^3} = \frac{-1}{3} \ln|1-x^3| + c$$

$$5. \int \frac{\sin x dx}{1-\cos x} = -\ln|1-\cos x| + c$$

$$6. \int \frac{\sec^2 x dx}{3+\tan x} = \ln|3+\tan x| + c$$

$$7. \int \frac{(x-2)dx}{x^2-4x-3} = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(2x-4)dx}{x^2-4x-3} = \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2 - 4x - 3| + c$$

$$8. \int \frac{\cos x dx}{1+\sin x} = \ln|1 + \sin x| + c$$

$$9. \text{Prove } \int \frac{\sin 2x dx}{\sin^2 x} = \ln|\sin^2 x| + c$$

**Solution:** Let  $u = \sin^2 x$

$$du = 2\sin x \cos x dx$$

$$\sin 2x = 2\sin x \cos x$$

$$2\sin x \cos x = \frac{1}{2}\sin(x - x) + \frac{1}{2}\sin(x + x) = \frac{1}{2}\sin 2x$$

$$du = \frac{1}{2}2\sin 2x = \sin 2x$$

$$\int \frac{du}{u} = \ln|u| + c = \ln|\sin^2 x| + c$$

## EVALUATE

$$1. \int \frac{\ln x}{x} dx = \int (\ln x) \frac{1}{2} dx = \frac{(\ln x)^2}{2} + c$$

$$2. \int \frac{(\ln x)^3}{x} dx = \int (\ln x)^3 \frac{1}{x} dx = \frac{(\ln x)^4}{4} + c$$

$$3. \int \frac{dx}{x \ln x} = \int \frac{(x)^{-1}}{\ln x} dx = \ln|\ln x| + c$$

$$4. \int \frac{\sqrt{1-\ln x}}{x} dx = \int (1 - \ln x)^{1/2} \frac{1}{x} dx = -\frac{(1-\ln x)^{3/2}}{3/2} + c$$

## The Integrals of tanx, cotx, secx, and cscx

$$1. \int \tan x dx = \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx = \int \frac{-du}{u}$$

$u = \cos x > 0 \text{ on } (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$

$du = -\sin x dx$

$$= -\ln|x| + c = -\ln|\cos x| + c$$
$$= \ln \frac{1}{|\cos x|} + c = \ln|\sec x| + c \text{ Reciprocal Rule}$$

$$2. \int \cot x dx = \int \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} dx = \int \frac{du}{u}$$

$u = \sin x$

$du = \cos x dx$

$$= \ln|x| + c = \ln|\sin x| + c$$
$$= \ln \frac{1}{\sin x} + c = -\ln|\csc x| + c \text{ Reciprocal Rule}$$

To integrate  $\sec x$ , we multiply and divide by  $(\sec x + \tan x)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \int \sec x dx &= \int \sec x \frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x} dx = \int \frac{\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x} dx \\ u &= \sec x + \tan x \\ du &= (\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x) dx \\ &= \int \frac{du}{u} = c = \ln|u| + c = \ln|\sec x + \tan x| + c \\ &= \ln|\sec x + \tan x| + c \end{aligned}$$

For  $\csc x$ , we multiply and divide by  $(\csc x + \cot x)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 4. \int \csc x dx &= \int \csc x \frac{\csc x + \cot x}{\csc x + \cot x} dx = \int \frac{\csc^2 x + \csc x \cot x}{\csc x + \cot x} dx \\ &= - \int \frac{-\csc^2 x - \csc x \cot x}{\csc x + \cot x} dx \\ u &= \csc x + \cot x \\ du &= (-\csc x \cot x - \csc^2 x) dx \\ &= -\ln|\csc x + \cot x| + c \end{aligned}$$

## The Integrals of $\log_a x$

To find integrals involving base a logarithms, we convert them to natural logarithms. If  $u$  is a positive differentiable function of  $x$ , then

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_a u) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{\ln u}{\ln a}\right) = \frac{1}{\ln a} \frac{1}{u} \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\int \log_a x du = \frac{1}{\ln a} \int \ln u du$$

**EXAMPLE:** Find  $\int \frac{\log_2 x}{x} dx$

$$\text{Solution: } \int \frac{\log_2 x}{x} dx = \frac{1}{\ln 2} \int \frac{\ln x}{x} dx = \int u du = \frac{u^2}{2} + C$$

$$\log_2 x = \frac{\ln x}{\ln 2}, \quad u = \ln x \quad du = \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\int \frac{\log_2 x}{x} dx = \frac{1}{\ln 2} \frac{(\ln x)^2}{2} + C = \frac{(\ln x)^2}{2 \ln 2} + C$$

## 2. The Integral of Exponential Function

The general antiderivative of the exponential function

1. If  $y = e^u$

$$y' = e^u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\int e^u du = e^u + c$$

2. If  $y = a^u$

$$y' = a^u \ln a \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\int a^u du = \frac{a^u}{\ln a} + c$$

## EXAMPELS

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \int \frac{e^x}{1+3e^x} dx &= \frac{1}{3} \int 3e^x (1 + 3e^x)^{-1} dx = \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{3e^x}{(1+3e^x)} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \ln|1 + 3e^x| + c \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \int 3x^3 e^{-2x^4} dx = -\frac{3}{8} \int -8x^3 e^{-2x^4} dx = -\frac{3}{8} e^{-2x^4} + c$$

$$3. \int 2^{-4x} dx = -\frac{1}{4} \int 2^{-4x} (-4) dx = -\frac{1}{4} 2^{-4x} \frac{1}{\ln 2} + c$$

$$4. \int \frac{e^{\tan x}}{\cos^2 x} dx = \int e^{\tan x} \sec^2 x dx = e^{\tan x} + c$$

$$5. \int \frac{e^x}{1+e^x} dx = \ln|1 + e^x| + c$$

$$6. \int \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} dx = \ln|e^x + e^{-x}| + c$$

$$7. \int \frac{dx}{1+e^x} = \int \frac{1}{1+e^x} \frac{e^{-x}}{e^{-x}} dx = \int \frac{e^{-x}}{1+e^{-x}} dx = \ln|1 + e^x| + c$$

$$\begin{aligned} 8. \int \left(\frac{e^{-2x}-1}{e^{-2x}+1}\right) dx &= \int \left(\frac{e^{-2x}-1}{e^{-2x}+1}\right) \frac{e^{-x}}{e^{-x}} dx = \int \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{e^x - e^{-x}} dx \\ &= \ln|e^x + e^{-x}| + c \end{aligned}$$