

Last time

- useful results for integrating partial fractions

- t-substitution: $t = \tan \frac{x}{2}$

- Definite Integral (Riemann integral)

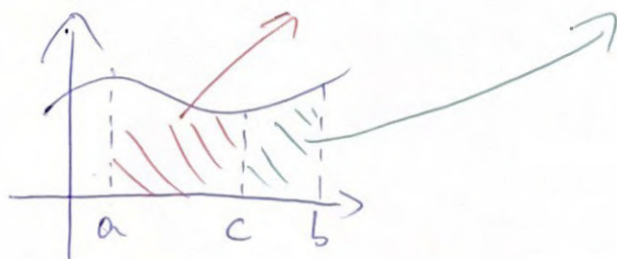
$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \text{signed area under the graph of } y = f(x) \text{ between } x = a \text{ and } x = b$$

- Thm: $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f(x_k) \Delta x_k$

where $a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_n = b$
and $\Delta x_k = x_k - x_{k-1}$.

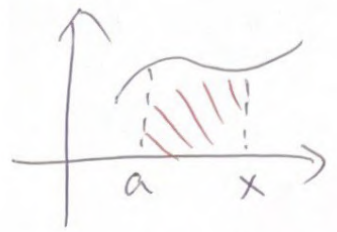
Prop

- $\int_a^a f(x) dx = 0$
- $\int_a^b k f(x) dx = k \int_a^b f(x) dx$
- $\int_a^b (f(x) + g(x)) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_a^b g(x) dx$
- $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx$ if $c \in (a, b)$



Remark For consistency, we also define $\int_b^a f(x) dx = -\int_a^b f(x) dx$.
(where $a \leq b$)

Fundamental theorem of calculus (FTC)



Idea: Note that

$$\int_a^x f(t) dt = \text{signed Area under the graph of } f(t) \text{ on } a \leq t \leq x$$

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dummy variable

$$= \underline{A(x)}$$

actual variable that we are interested in.

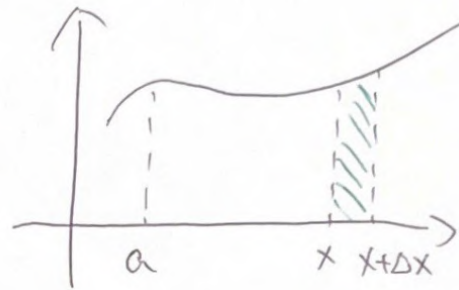
(area as a function: if x changes, the total area will also change)

Then we have

$$A(x+\Delta x) - A(x)$$

$$= \text{Area of } \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{shaded rectangle} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\approx f(x) \cdot \Delta x$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{A(x+\Delta x) - A(x)}{\Delta x} \approx f(x)$$

Taking $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$, we have: $\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{A(x+\Delta x) - A(x)}{\Delta x} = f(x)$

$\leftarrow = A'(x)!$

Thm (1st FTC)

Let $f(t)$ be a continuous function.

Then

$$\boxed{\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_a^x f(t) dt \right) = f(x)}$$

Example If $g(x) = \int_1^x \ln(t^2+1) dt$, find $g'(2)$.

Solution By 1st FTC, $g'(x) = \ln(x^2+1)$

$$\therefore g'(2) = \ln(2^2+1) = \ln 5 //$$

(Note: no need to explicitly calculate $\int_1^x \ln(t^2+1) dt$ first!)

Example If $g(x) = \int_1^{x^2} \cos(t^2) dt$, find $g'(x)$.

Solution Let $u = x^2$. We have

$$g'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_1^u \cos(t^2) dt \right) \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \quad (\text{by Chain rule})$$

$$= \cos(u^2) \cdot 2x \quad (\text{by 1st FTC})$$

$$= \cos(x^4) \cdot 2x //$$

Thm (2nd FTC)

Suppose $F'(x) = f(x)$ on $[a, b]$. (i.e. $F(x)$ is an antiderivative of $f(x)$)

Then $\boxed{\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)}$.

Proof Let $g(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt + F(a)$.

By 1st FTC, $g'(x) = \left(\int_a^x f(t) dt + F(a) \right)'$

$$= f(x) + 0$$

$$= f(x) = F'(x)$$

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$$\therefore g(x) = F(x) + C, \text{ where } C \text{ is a const.}$$

$$\text{Put } x=a, \quad g(a) = F(a) + C$$

$$0 + F(a) = F(a) + C$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$\therefore g(x) = F(x)$$

$$\text{Now, } F(b) = g(b)$$

$$= \int_a^b f(t) dt + F(a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow F(b) - F(a) &= \int_a^b f(t) dt \\ &= \int_a^b f(x) dx \end{aligned} \quad \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow \text{just dummy variables here} \\ \leftarrow \end{array} \quad //$$

Remark From the 2nd FTC,

finding area
(definite integral) = finding antiderivative and
taking their difference at endpoints
(related to indefinite integral
and differentiation)

Example $\int_1^2 x^2 dx$

$$= \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^2 \quad (\text{finding antiderivative of } x^2)$$
$$= \frac{2^3}{3} - \frac{1^3}{3} = \frac{7}{3} //$$

Prop (Definite integral by substitution)

Let $u = u(x)$. We have

$$\int_a^b f(u(x)) u'(x) dx = \int_{\underline{u(a)}}^{\underline{u(b)}} f(u) du$$

Example $\int_0^{\pi^2} \frac{\sin \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx = ?$

Solution Let $u = \sqrt{x}$, then $\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \Rightarrow du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx$

When $x=0$, $u = \underline{0}$

When $x = \pi^2$, $u = \underline{\pi}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_0^{\pi^2} \frac{\sin \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx &= \int_0^{\pi^2} \sin \sqrt{x} \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi} 2 \sin u du \\ &= [-2 \cos u]_0^{\pi} \\ &= (-2 \cos \pi) - (-2 \cos 0) \\ &= 2 + 2 = 4 // \end{aligned}$$

Prop (Integration by parts for definite integral)

$$\int_a^b u v' dx = [uv]_a^b - \int_a^b v u' dx$$

Example $\int_1^2 \ln x \, dx$

$$= [x \ln x]_1^2 - \int_1^2 x (\ln x)' \, dx$$

$$= (2 \ln 2 - 1 \ln 1) - \int_1^2 x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \, dx$$

$$= (2 \ln 2 - 0) - \int_1^2 1 \, dx$$

$$= 2 \ln 2 - [x]_1^2 = 2 \ln 2 - (2 - 1) \\ = 2 \ln 2 - 1 \quad //$$

Prop (Derivative of functions defined by definite integrals)

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{u(x)}^{v(x)} f(t) \, dt = f(v(x)) \underline{v'(x)} - f(u(x)) \underline{u'(x)}$$

Proof By FTC, $\int_{u(x)}^{v(x)} f(t) \, dt = F(v(x)) - F(u(x))$

(where F is an antiderivative of f)

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} \int_{u(x)}^{v(x)} f(t) \, dt = \frac{d}{dx} (F(v(x)) - F(u(x)))$$

$$= F'(v(x)) \cdot v'(x) - F'(u(x)) \cdot u'(x)$$

(by chain rule)

$$= f(v(x)) v'(x) - f(u(x)) u'(x)$$

$$(\because F' = f)$$

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Example $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^{\sin x} \sqrt{1+t^4} dt \right)$

$$= \sqrt{1+(\sin x)^4} \cdot (\sin x)' - \sqrt{1+0^4} \cdot 0'$$

$$= \cos x \sqrt{1+\sin^4 x} \quad //$$

Example $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_{-x}^{x^2} e^{t^2} dt \right)$

$$= e^{(x^2)^2} \cdot (x^2)' - e^{(-x)^2} \cdot (-x)'$$

$$= 2x e^{x^4} + e^{x^2} \quad //$$

Evaluating limits by integrals

For limits in the form of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right)$, we have

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(0 + \frac{k}{n}(1-0)\right) \cdot \frac{1-0}{n}$$

$$= \int_0^1 f(x) dx$$

Example $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} \right) = ?$

Solution $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} \right)$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{n+k} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{1+\frac{k}{n}}$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x} dx = [\ln|1+x|]_0^1 = \ln 2 //$$

Example $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n}{n^2+1^2} + \frac{n}{n^2+2^2} + \frac{n}{n^2+3^2} + \dots + \frac{n}{n^2+n^2} \right) = ?$

Solution Note that $\frac{n}{n^2+k^2} = \frac{1}{n} \cdot \frac{n^2}{n^2+k^2}$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{k}{n}\right)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n}{n^2+1^2} + \dots + \frac{n}{n^2+n^2} \right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{k}{n}\right)^2} \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= \left[\tan^{-1} x \right]_0^1 \\ &= \tan^{-1} 1 - \tan^{-1} 0 = \frac{\pi}{4} // \end{aligned}$$

Example $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{(n+1)(n+2)\dots(2n)}}{n} = ?$

Solution We have

$$\begin{aligned} \ln \left(\frac{\sqrt[n]{(n+1)\dots(2n)}}{n} \right) &= \frac{1}{n} \ln \left(\frac{(n+1)(n+2)\dots(2n)}{n^n} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \ln \left(\frac{n+1}{n} \cdot \frac{n+2}{n} \cdot \dots \cdot \frac{2n}{n} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \ln \left(\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right) \dots \left(1 + \frac{n}{n}\right) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{n} \left[\ln \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) + \ln \left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right) + \dots \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \ln \left(1 + \frac{n}{n}\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\therefore \ln \left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{(n+1) \dots (2n)}}{n} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \left[\ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) + \dots + \ln\left(1 + \frac{n}{n}\right) \right]$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \ln\left(1 + \frac{k}{n}\right)$$

$$= \int_0^1 \ln(1+x) dx$$

$$= \left[x \ln(1+x) \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 x (\ln(1+x))' dx \quad (\text{integration by parts})$$

$$= (1 \cdot \ln 2 - 0) - \int_0^1 \frac{x}{1+x} dx$$

$$= (\ln 2 - 0) - \int_0^1 \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+x}\right) dx$$

$$= \ln 2 - \left[x - \ln|1+x| \right]_0^1$$

$$= \ln 2 - \left[(1 - \ln 2) - (0 - \ln 1) \right] = 2 \ln 2 - 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{(n+1) \dots (2n)}}{n} = e^{2 \ln 2 - 1} = \frac{4}{e} //$$

Other definite integration techniques

|| • If f is an odd function (i.e. $f(-x) = -f(x)$ for all x),
then $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 0$

Proof $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_{-a}^0 f(x) dx$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_a^0 f(-u) \cdot (-1) du \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{sub.} \\ u = -x \end{array} \right) \\
&= \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_a^0 f(u) du \quad (\because -f(-u) = f(u)) \\
&= \int_0^a f(x) dx - \int_0^a f(u) du = 0 \quad //
\end{aligned}$$

|| • If f is even (i.e. $f(x) = f(-x)$ for all x),

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx$$

Example $\int_{-5}^5 \frac{x^3 \sin^2 x}{x^4 + 2x^2 + 1} dx = ?$

Solution Note that for $f(x) = \frac{x^3 \sin^2 x}{x^4 + 2x^2 + 1}$,

$$f(-x) = \frac{(-x)^3 \sin^2(-x)}{(-x)^4 + 2(-x)^2 + 1} = -\frac{x^3 \sin^2 x}{x^4 + 2x^2 + 1} = -f(x)$$

$\therefore f$ is odd.

$$\therefore \int_{-5}^5 f(x) dx = 0 \quad //$$