

8.3 Trig Integrals (part 2)

example

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

two ways to do subs
for this example

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

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

Just like w/ $\cos x$ and $\sin x$,
we want to somehow bring in
something to make substitution
doable

first way: $\int \tan x \cdot \tan^2 x \, dx$

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

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

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

$$u = \tan x$$

$$du = \sec^2 x \, dx$$

$$\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \, dx$$

$$U = \cos x$$

$$dU = -\sin x \, dx$$

$$= \dots = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x + \ln |\cos x| + C}$$

the second way:

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

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

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

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

$$= \int \frac{\tan^3 x}{\sec x} \cdot \sec x \, dx = \int \frac{\tan^2 x}{\sec x} \cdot \tan x \sec x \, dx$$

$$= \int \frac{\sec^2 x - 1}{\sec x} \cdot \sec x \tan x \, dx$$

$$u = \sec x$$

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

$$= \int \frac{u^2 - 1}{u} \, du = \int \left(u - \frac{1}{u} \right) \, du = \frac{1}{2} u^2 - \ln |u| + C$$

they look different

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \sec^2 x - \ln |\sec x| + C}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x - \ln (\cos^{-1} x) + \frac{1}{2} + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x + \ln (\cos x) + B \quad \leftarrow \text{constant}$$

example

$$\int \frac{1}{\sec x - 1} dx$$

another way to handle $\sec x$ and $\tan x$: turn into $\sin x$ and $\cos x$

$$= \int \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\cos x} - 1} dx = \int \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\cos x} - 1} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\cos x} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{\cos x}{1 - \cos x} dx = \int \frac{\cos x}{1 - \cos x} \cdot \frac{1 + \cos x}{1 + \cos x} dx$$

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

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

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

$$= \int \underbrace{\frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x}}_{u = \sin x} dx + \int \underbrace{\csc^2 x}_{- \cot x} dx - \int \underbrace{1}_{x} dx$$

$$u = \sin x$$

$$du = \cos x dx$$

$$\therefore = \boxed{-\frac{1}{\sin x} - \cot x - x + C}$$

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

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cot x = -\csc^2 x$$

strategy for $\int \tan^m x \sec^n x dx$

if n is even and positive \rightarrow save $\sec^2 x$ and use $u = \tan x$
along with identities
 $\sec x$ has pos. even power

if m is odd and positive \rightarrow save $\sec x \tan x$ and use $u = \sec x$
along w/ identities
 $\tan x$ has pos. odd power

example $\int \tan x \sec^7 x dx$

here, $\tan x$ has pos. odd power (1)
save $\sec x \tan x$

$$= \int \sec^6 x \cdot \sec x \tan x dx \quad u = \sec x \quad du = \sec x \tan x dx$$

$$= \int u^6 du = \frac{1}{7} u^7 + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{7} \sec^7 x + C}$$

Example $\int \tan^5 x \sec^6 x$ $\tan x$ has pos. odd, $\sec x$ has pos. even
→ can use either strategy

try saving $\sec^2 x$, $u = \tan x$

$$\int \tan^5 x \sec^4 x \sec^2 x dx$$

$$\hookrightarrow (\sec^2 x)^2 = (\tan^2 x + 1)^2$$

$$= \int \tan^5 x (\tan^2 x + 1)^2 \sec^2 x dx \quad u = \tan x \\ du = \sec^2 x dx$$

$$= \int u^5 (u^2 + 1)^2 du = \int u^5 (u^4 + 2u^2 + 1) du$$

$$= \int (u^9 + 2u^7 + u^5) du = \frac{1}{10} u^{10} + \frac{1}{4} u^8 + \frac{1}{6} u^6 + C$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{10} \tan^{10} x + \frac{1}{4} \tan^8 x + \frac{1}{6} \tan^6 x + C \right]$$

$$\int \tan^5 x \sec^6 x \, dx \quad \text{now try saving } \sec x \tan x \text{ and } u = \sec x$$

$$= \int \tan^4 x \sec^5 x \sec x \tan x \, dx$$

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

$$= \int (\sec^2 x - 1)^2 \sec^5 x \sec x \tan x \, dx \quad u = \sec x \\ du = \sec x \tan x \, dx$$

$$= \int (u^2 - 1)^2 u^5 \, du = \int (u^4 - 2u^2 + 1) u^5 \, du$$

$$= \int (u^9 - 2u^7 + u^5) \, du = \frac{1}{10} u^{10} - \frac{1}{4} u^8 + \frac{1}{6} u^6 + C$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{10} \sec^{10} x - \frac{1}{4} \sec^8 x + \frac{1}{6} \sec^6 x + C}$$