

Antiderivatives and the Indefinite Integral

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Concepts

- Antiderivatives and the Constant of Integration
- Basic Integration Formulas
- Integration by Substitution
- Substitution with Exponential and Trigonometric Integrands (theory)
- Recovering a Function from Its Rate of Change (theory)

Antiderivatives and the Constant of Integration

1. Find the most general antiderivative of

$$f(x) = 6x^2 - \frac{4}{x^3} + \sqrt[3]{x},$$

then verify your result by differentiating it. State the values of x for which your answer is valid.

Basic Integration Formulas

2. Evaluate each indefinite integral, and state where the answer is valid.

a) $\int \frac{2x^3 - 5\sqrt{x} + 7}{x^2} dx$

b) $\int \left(3e^x + \sec^2 x - \frac{2}{x} \right) dx$

Integration by Substitution

3. Evaluate, stating the substitution you use and checking each answer by differentiation.

a) $\int x^2 \sqrt{x^3 + 5} \, dx$

b) $\int \frac{6x}{(3x^2 + 4)^2} \, dx$

Substitution with Exponential and Trigonometric Integrands

4. Evaluate each integral. In each case state the substitution, and give any restriction on x that your answer needs.

a) $\int x e^{-x^2} \, dx$

b) $\int \frac{\cos(\ln x)}{x} \, dx$

c) $\int \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x} + 1} \, dx$

Recovering a Function from Its Rate of Change

5. A survey drone rises vertically from its launch pad. Its vertical velocity t seconds after launch is

$$v(t) = 12 - 6\sqrt{t} \quad \text{metres per second,} \quad 0 \leq t \leq 9,$$

and at the moment of launch the drone sits 2 metres above the ground.

- a) Find the height $h(t)$ of the drone above the ground.
- b) The drone stops climbing when its vertical velocity first reaches zero. How high is it then?

Synthesis — drawing on several topics in this set

6. Rainwater is fed into a storage cistern at a rate

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{60t}{\sqrt{t^2 + 9}} \quad \text{litres per hour,}$$

where t is the number of hours since the storm began. The cistern already holds 100 litres when the storm starts.

- a) Find $V(t)$, the volume of water in the cistern.
- b) How much water is in the cistern four hours into the storm, and how much of that arrived during the storm? Give both answers with units.

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The *Challenge Problems* set and the *Answer Keys* for Antiderivatives and the Indefinite Integral — with the reasoning written out in full — are available at tutorinmontreal.ca.