

Goal: Finish learning how to integrate trig function and introduce trig substitution.

7.2 Trig Integrals (*continued*)

Entry Task: Fill in the blanks in the tables of identities, then try to integrate

$$\int \sin^3(x)\cos^2(x)dx$$

Square Identities
$\sin^2(x) = 1 -$
$\cos^2(x) = 1 -$
$\tan^2(x) =$
$\sec^2(x) =$

Half Angle Identities
$\sin^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}$
$\cos^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}$
$\sin(x) \cos(x) = \frac{1}{2}$

Case 1

cos(x) or sin(x) with odd power

1. Factor out one from an odd power.
2. Change rest of integrand to other function via
 $\sin^2(x) = 1 - \cos^2(x)$ or $\cos^2(x) = 1 - \sin^2(x)$
3. Use u-substitution.

Example

$$\int \sin^3(x) \cos^5(x) dx$$

Case 2

Both $\sin(x)$, $\cos(x)$ even powers

Example:

$$\int \cos^4(x) dx$$

1. Factor into squares.
2. Use $\sin^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2x))$ or $\cos^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(2x))$
3. Expand and simplify
Use half-angle again if you encounter another square.
4. Continue until done!

Case 3

sec(x) has an even power

1. Factor out $\sec^2(x)$.
2. Change rest of integrand to $\tan(x)$ via
$$\sec^2(x) = 1 + \tan^2(x)$$
3. Use u-substitution.

Example:

$$\int \tan^5(x) \sec^4(x) dx$$

Case 4

*tan(x) has an odd power
and at least one sec(x)*

Example:

$$\int \tan^3(x) \sec(x) dx$$

1. Factor out $\sec(x)\tan(x)$.
2. Change rest of integrand to $\sec(x)$ via
 $\tan^2(x) = \sec^2(x) - 1$
3. Use u-substitution.

Tried the four cases and still stuck?

Try:

1. Rewrite in terms of $\sin(x)$ and $\cos(x)$.
2. Rewrite in terms of $\sec(x)$ and $\tan(x)$.
3. Try using trig identities.

There are still a few “holes”.

Namely, when there is one $\tan(x)$ or an odd power on $\sec(x)$. You can quote these (proof in the book):

$$\int \tan(x) dx = \ln|\sec(x)| + C$$

$$\int \sec(x) dx = \ln|\sec(x) + \tan(x)| + C$$

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

7.3 Trigonometric Substitution

Goal: Evaluate integrals involving $\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$, $\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}$, or $\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$.

Example:

1. $\int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{4 - x^2}} dx$

CASE	SUBSTITUTION
$a^2 - x^2$	$x = a \sin(\theta), \quad -\pi/2 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2$
$a^2 + x^2$	$x = a \tan(\theta), \quad -\pi/2 < \theta < \pi/2$
$x^2 - a^2$	$x = a \sec(\theta), \quad 0 \leq \theta < \pi/2, \\ \pi \leq \theta < 3\pi/2$

Trigonometric Substitution Method:

- A) Substitute, don't forget $dx = ??d\theta$.
Simplify (eliminate root)
- B) Use 7.2 methods for trig integrals.
- C) Draw a triangle and return to x .

2. $\int \sqrt{9 + x^2} dx$

$$3. \int \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 16}}{x} dx$$