

Lecture 13 (2/27/2019)

* Integration by parts:

• Indefinite integral:

$$\int u v' dx = uv - \int v u' dx$$

• Definite integral:

$$\int_a^b u v' dx = uv \Big|_a^b - \int_a^b v u' dx$$

Ex: $I = \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \cos x dx$

$$u = x^2 \quad \dots \quad du = 2x dx$$

$$dv = \cos x dx \quad \dots \quad v = \sin x$$

$$I = \underbrace{x^2 \sin x \Big|_0^{\pi}}_{=0} - \int_0^{\pi} 2x \sin x dx = \int_0^{\pi} -2x \sin x dx$$

$$u = -2x \quad \dots \quad du = -2 dx$$

$$dv = \sin x dx \quad \dots \quad v = -\cos x$$

$$I = (-2x)(-\cos x) \Big|_0^{\pi} - \int_0^{\pi} (-\cos x)(-2 dx)$$

$$= 2x \cos x \Big|_0^{\pi} - \int_0^{\pi} 2 \cos x dx$$

$$= 2\pi \cos \pi - 2(0) \cos 0 - 2 \sin x \Big|_0^{\pi}$$

$$= -2\pi$$

Ex: $I = \int e^x \sin x \, dx$

$$u = e^x \quad \dots \quad du = e^x dx$$

$$dv = \sin x dx \quad \dots \quad v = -\cos x$$

$$I = -e^x \cos x + \int e^x \cos x dx$$

$$u = e^x \quad \dots \quad du = e^x dx$$

$$dv = \cos x dx \quad \dots \quad v = \sin x$$

$$I = -e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x - \underbrace{\int e^x \sin x dx}_I$$

Therefore,
$$I = \frac{-e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x}{2}$$

More examples on worksheet

* Partial fraction decomposition:

How to integrate rational function $f(x) = \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$?

polynomial

$$\frac{x+1}{x^2+x-2}$$

Note: $x^2+x-2 = (x-1)(x+2)$

Write
$$\frac{x+1}{x^2+x-2} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x+2}$$

Equate numerators:
$$x+1 = \underbrace{A(x+2) + B(x-1)}_{(A+B)x + 2A - B}$$

We get a system of two equations and two unknowns:

$$\begin{cases} A+B = 1 \\ 2A-B = 1 \end{cases}$$

From the first eq. $B = 1-A$

Substitute B into second eq.
$$2A - (1-A) = 1$$

$$\underbrace{3A - 1}_{3A - 1} = 1$$

This gives $A = \frac{2}{3}$.

Then $B = 1 - A = \frac{1}{3}$

$$\frac{x+1}{x^2+x-2} = \frac{1/3}{x-1} + \frac{2/3}{x+2}$$

$$\int \dots dx = \int \frac{1/3}{x-1} dx + \int \frac{2/3}{x+2} dx$$
$$= \frac{1}{3} \ln|x-1| + \frac{2}{3} \ln|x+2| + C$$

Ex:

$$\frac{x^3+x+1}{x^2+x-2}$$

Degree of numerator is not less than degree of denominator. We need to do long division first.

$$\begin{array}{r} x-1 \quad \leftarrow \text{quotient} \\ x^2+x-2 \overline{) x^3+0x^2+x+1} \\ \underline{-x^2+x^2-2x} \\ 0-x^2+3x+1 \\ \underline{-x^2-x+2} \\ 0+4x-1 \quad \leftarrow \text{remainder} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{x^3+x+1}{x^2+x-2} = x-1 + \frac{4x-1}{x^2+x-2}$$

Partial fraction:

$$\frac{4x-1}{x^2+x-2} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{x+2}$$

Equate numerators:

$$4x-1 = A(x+2) + B(x-1)$$

Plug $x=1$: $3 = 3A \rightsquigarrow A=1$

Plug $x=-2$: $-9 = -3B \rightsquigarrow B=3$

$$\frac{x^3+x+1}{x^2+x-2} = x-1 + \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{3}{x+2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int \dots dx &= \int (x-1) dx + \int \frac{dx}{x-1} + \int \frac{3}{x+2} \\ &= \frac{x^2}{2} - x + \ln|x-1| + 3 \ln|x+2| + C \end{aligned}$$

Ex

$$\frac{x^2-x+1}{x^3-x^2} = \frac{x^2-x+1}{x^2(x-1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x-1}$$

Equate numerators:

$$x^2-x+1 = Ax(x-1) + B(x-1) + Cx^2$$

Plug $x=1$: $1 = C$

Plug $x=0$: $1 = -B \rightsquigarrow B=-1$

Substitute back:

$$x^2-x+1 = Ax(x-1) - (x-1) + x^2$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \underbrace{x^2-x+1 + (x-1) - x^2}_{=0} = Ax(x-1)$$

$$\rightsquigarrow A=0$$

$$\frac{x^2-x+1}{x^3-x^2} = -\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{x-1}$$

$$\int \dots dx = \int -\frac{dx}{x^2} + \int \frac{dx}{x-1} = \frac{1}{x} + \ln|x-1| + C$$