

Definite Integration

DEFINITION

Let $f(x)$ be a continuous function defined on a closed interval $[a, b]$ and

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(x) + c \text{ then}$$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = [F(x)]_a^b \quad \text{or} \quad \int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

is called definite integral of $f(x)$ within limits a and b .
The interval $[a, b]$ is called range of integration.
Every definite integral has a unique value.

Solved Examples

Ex.1 $\int_1^2 x^2 dx$

Sol. $\int_1^2 x^2 dx = \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_1^2 = \frac{8}{3} - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{7}{3}$

Ex.2 $\int_0^2 \frac{dx}{4+x^2}$

Sol. $\int_0^2 \frac{dx}{4+x^2} = \frac{1}{2} [\tan^{-1} x/2]_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} (\tan^{-1} 1 - 0) = \pi/8$

Ex.3 $\int_0^1 x e^{x^2} dx$

Sol. $\int_0^1 x e^{x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} [e^{x^2}]_0^1 = \frac{1}{2} (e - 1)$

Ex.4 $\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2 x dx.$

Sol. $\int_0^{\pi/4} \sec^2 x dx = [\tan x]_0^{\pi/4} = \tan \pi/4 - \tan 0 = 1$

Ex.5 $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 x dx$

Sol. $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 x dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \right) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[x - \frac{\sin 2x}{2} \right]_0^{\pi/2}$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\pi}{2} - 0 \right] = \pi/4$

Ex.6 Evaluate $\int_1^2 \frac{dx}{(x+1)(x+2)}$

Sol. $\therefore \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x+2}$

(by partial fractions)

$$\int_1^2 \frac{dx}{(x+1)(x+2)} = [\ln(x+1) - \ln(x+2)]_1^2$$

$$= \ln 3 - \ln 4 - \ln 2 + \ln 3 = \ln \left(\frac{9}{8} \right)$$

PROPERTIES OF DEFINITE INTEGRATION

$$(P-1) \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(t) dt = \int_a^b f(u) du$$

Here x is a dummy variable, it can be replaced by any other variable t, u,

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(x) dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin t dt = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin u du =$$

$$\text{Similarly } \sum_{r=1}^{10} r^2 = \sum_{r=1}^{10} t^2 = \sum_{u=1}^{10} u^2 = \dots$$

$$(P-2) \int_a^b f(x) dx = - \int_b^a f(x) dx$$

i.e. the interchange of limits of a definite integral changes only its sign.

$$(P-3) \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx + \int_c^b f(x) dx \quad (a < c < b)$$

Generally this property is used when the integrand has two or more rules in the integration interval.

Solved Examples

Ex.7 If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2, & 0 < x < 2 \\ 3x-4, & 2 \leq x < 3 \end{cases}$ then evaluate

$$\int_0^3 f(x) dx$$

$$\text{Sol. } \int_0^3 f(x) dx = \int_0^2 f(x) dx + \int_2^3 f(x) dx = \int_0^2 x^2 dx + \int_2^3 (3x-4) dx$$

$$= \left(\frac{x^3}{3} \right)_0^2 + \left(\frac{3x^2}{2} - 4x \right)_2^3 = \frac{8}{3} + \frac{27}{2} - 12 - 6 + 8 = 37/6$$

Ex.8 Evaluate $\int_0^2 |1-x| dx$

$$\text{Sol. } \because |1-x| = \begin{cases} 1-x, & \text{when } 0 < x < 1 \\ x-1, & \text{when } 1 \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore I = \int_0^1 (1-x) dx + \int_1^2 (x-1) dx$$

$$= \left[x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^1 + \left[\frac{x^2}{2} - x \right]_1^2 = (1/2 - 0) + (0 + 1/2) = 1$$

Ex.9 If $f(x) = \begin{cases} x+3 & : x < 3 \\ 3x^2+1 & : x \geq 3 \end{cases}$, then find $\int_2^5 f(x) dx$.

$$\text{Sol. } \int_2^5 f(x) dx = \int_2^3 f(x) dx + \int_3^5 f(x) dx = \int_2^3 (x+3) dx +$$

$$\int_3^5 (3x^2+1) dx = \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + 3x \right]_2^3 + \left[x^3 + x \right]_3^5$$

$$= \frac{9-4}{2} + 3(3-2) + 5^3 - 3^3 + 5 - 3 = \frac{211}{2}$$

Ex.10 Evaluate $\int_2^8 |x-5| dx$.

$$\text{Sol. } \int_2^8 |x-5| dx = \int_2^5 (-x+5) dx + \int_5^8 (x-5) dx = 9$$

Ex.11 Show that $\int_0^2 (2x+1) dx = \int_0^5 (2x+1) dx + \int_5^2 (2x+1) dx$

$$\text{Sol. L.H.S.} = [x^2 + x]_0^2 = 4 + 2 = 6$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = 25 + 5 - 0 + (4 + 2) - (25 + 5) = 6$$

Property (5) $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(a+b-x) dx$

$$\text{Application: } \int_a^b \frac{f(x)}{f(x) + f(a+b-x)} dx = \frac{b-a}{2}$$

Solved Examples

Ex.12 Evaluate: $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{dx}{1 + \sqrt{\tan x}}$

$$\text{Sol. } = \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{\sqrt{\cos x}}{\sqrt{\sin x} + \sqrt{\cos x}} dx \quad \dots (1)$$

$$= \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{\sqrt{\cos(\pi/2-x)}}{\sqrt{\sin(\pi/2-x)} + \sqrt{\cos(\pi/2-x)}} dx$$

[$\because$ here $a+b = \pi/2$]

$$= \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \frac{\sqrt{\sin x}}{\sqrt{\cos x} + \sqrt{\sin x}} dx \quad \dots (2)$$

$$\therefore 2I = \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} 1 dx = [x]_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} = \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow I = \pi/12$$

Ex.13 Prove that $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{g(\sin x)}{g(\sin x) + g(\cos x)} dx$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{g(\cos x)}{g(\sin x) + g(\cos x)} dx = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

Sol. Let $I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{g(\sin x)}{g(\sin x) + g(\cos x)} dx$

$$\Rightarrow I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{g\left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right)}{g\left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right) + g\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right)} dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{g(\cos x)}{g(\cos x) + g(\sin x)} dx \text{ on adding, we obtain } 2I$$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{g(\sin x)}{g(\sin x) + g(\cos x)} + \frac{g(\cos x)}{g(\cos x) + g(\sin x)} \right) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} dx \Rightarrow I = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

(P-4) $\int_0^a f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(a-x) dx$

With the help of above property following integrals can be obtained.

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\sin x) dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\cos x) dx$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\tan x) dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\cot x) dx$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\sin 2x) \sin x dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} f(\sin 2x) \cos x dx$$

$$* \int_0^1 f(\log x) dx = \int_0^1 f[\log(1-x)] dx$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin^n x}{\sin^n x + \cos^n x} dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos^n x}{\cos^n x + \sin^n x} dx = \pi/4$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\tan^n x}{1 + \tan^n x} dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cot^n x}{1 + \cot^n x} dx = \pi/4$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{1 + \tan^n x} dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{1 + \cot^n x} dx = \pi/4$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\sec^n x}{\sec^n x + \operatorname{cosec}^n x} dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\operatorname{cosec}^n x}{\operatorname{cosec}^n x + \sec^n x} dx = \pi/4$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/4} \log(1 + \tan x) dx = \frac{\pi}{8} \log 2$$

$$* \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \cot x dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \tan x dx = 0$$

Solved Examples

Ex.14 $\int_0^{\pi/2} \log \tan x dx$

Sol. $I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \tan x dx \quad \dots(1)$

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \tan \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x \right) dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log \cot x dx \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\therefore 2I = \int_0^{\pi/2} (\log \tan x + \log \cot x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/2} \log (\tan x \cot x) dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \log 1 dx = 0 \Rightarrow I = 0$$

Ex.15 $\int_0^1 \log \left(\frac{1}{x} - 1 \right) dx$

Sol. $I = \int_0^1 \log \left(\frac{1-x}{x} \right) dx \quad \dots(1)$

$$\Rightarrow I = \int_0^1 \log \left[\frac{1-(1-x)}{1-x} \right] dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \log \left(\frac{x}{1-x} \right) dx = - \int_0^1 \log \left(\frac{1-x}{x} \right) dx = -I$$

$$\Rightarrow 2I = 0 \Rightarrow I = 0$$

Ex.16 $\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{a \sin x + b \cos x}{\sin x + \cos x} dx$

Sol. $I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{a \sin x + b \cos x}{\sin x + \cos x} dx \quad \dots(1)$

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{a \sin(\pi/2 - x) + b \cos(\pi/2 - x)}{\sin(\pi/2 - x) + \cos(\pi/2 - x)} dx$$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{a \cos x + b \sin x}{\sin x + \cos x} dx \quad \dots(2)$$

$$\therefore 2I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{(a+b)(\sin x + \cos x)}{\sin x + \cos x} dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/2} (a+b) dx = (a+b) \pi/2 \Rightarrow I = (a+b) \pi/4$$

Property (4) $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \int_0^a (f(x) + f(-x)) dx$

$$= \begin{cases} 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx, & \text{if } f(-x) = f(x) \text{ i.e. } f(x) \text{ is even} \\ 0, & \text{if } f(-x) = -f(x) \text{ i.e. } f(x) \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Solved Examples

Ex.17 Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{1 + e^x} dx$

Sol. $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{1 + e^x} dx = \int_0^1 \left(\frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{1 + e^x} + \frac{e^{-x} + e^x}{1 + e^{-x}} \right) dx$

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

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

Ex.18 Evaluate $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos x dx$.

Sol. $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos x dx = 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x dx = 2$

($\because \cos x$ is even function)

Ex.19 Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 \log_e \left(\frac{2-x}{2+x} \right) dx$.

Sol. Let $f(x) = \log_e \left(\frac{2-x}{2+x} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow f(-x) = \log_e \left(\frac{2+x}{2-x} \right) = -\log_e \left(\frac{2-x}{2+x} \right) = -f(x)$$

i.e. $f(x)$ is odd function

$$\therefore \int_{-1}^1 \log_e \left(\frac{2-x}{2+x} \right) dx = 0$$

Ex.20 $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^2 x dx$ is equal to

- (1) $\pi/4$ (2) $\pi/2$
(3) $\pi/6$ (4) $\pi/3$

Sol. Here $I = 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 x dx \{ \because f(-x) = f(x) \}$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} (1 + \cos 2x) dx = \left(x + \frac{\sin 2x}{2} \right)_0^{\pi/2} = \pi/2$$

Ex.21 $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{x^3 \sin(1+x^2)}{1+x^2} dx$ is equal to

- (1) 1 (2) 2
(3) 0 (4) none of these

Sol. Here $f(x) = \frac{x^3 \sin(1+x^2)}{1+x^2}$

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

$$\therefore f(x) = -f(-x)$$

$$\therefore I = 0$$

Property (6) $\int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a (f(x) + f(2a-x)) dx$

$$= \begin{cases} 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx, & \text{if } f(2a-x) = f(x) \\ 0, & \text{if } f(2a-x) = -f(x) \end{cases}$$

Solved Examples

Ex.22 Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi} \sin^3 x \cos^3 x \, dx$.

Sol. Let $f(x) = \sin^3 x \cos^3 x \Rightarrow f(\pi - x) = -f(x)$

$$\therefore \int_0^{\pi} \sin^3 x \cos^3 x \, dx = 0$$

Ex.23 Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi} \frac{dx}{1+2\sin^2 x}$.

Sol. Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+2\sin^2 x} \Rightarrow f(\pi - x) = f(x)$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{\pi} \frac{dx}{1+2\sin^2 x} = 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dx}{1+2\sin^2 x} = 2$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sec^2 x \, dx}{1 + \tan^2 x + 2\tan^2 x}$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sec^2 x \, dx}{1+3\tan^2 x} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left[\tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3} \tan x) \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$\therefore \tan \frac{\pi}{2}$ is undefined, we take limit

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}^-} \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3} \tan x) - \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3} \tan 0) \right]$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Alternatively : $\int_0^{\pi} \frac{dx}{1+2\sin^2 x} = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\operatorname{cosec}^2 x}{\operatorname{cosec}^2 x + 2} \, dx$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\operatorname{cosec}^2 x \, dx}{\cot^2 x + 3}$$

Observe that we are not converting in terms of $\tan x$ as it is not continuous in $(0, \pi)$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cot x}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \right]_0^{\pi}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi^-} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cot x}{\sqrt{3}} \right) - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\cot x}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left[-\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right] = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Ex.24 Prove that $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln \sin x \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln \cos x \, dx$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\sin 2x) \, dx = -\frac{\pi}{2} \ln 2$$

Sol. Let $I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln \sin x \, dx$ (i)

$$\Rightarrow I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln \left(\sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x \right) \right) \, dx \text{ (by property P-5)}$$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\cos x) \, dx$$
(ii)

Adding (i) and (ii)

$$2I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\sin x \cdot \cos x) \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln \left(\frac{\sin 2x}{2} \right) \, dx$$

$$2I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\sin 2x) \, dx - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln 2 \, dx$$

$$2I = I_1 - \frac{\pi}{2} \ln 2$$
(iii)

where $I_1 = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\sin 2x) \, dx$

$$\text{put } 2x = t \Rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{2} dt$$

$$L : x = 0 \Rightarrow t = 0$$

$$U : x = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow t = \pi$$

$$\Rightarrow I_1 = \int_0^{\pi} \ln(\sin t) \cdot \frac{1}{2} dt = \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\sin t) \, dt$$

(by using property P-6)

$$\Rightarrow I_1 = I$$

$$\therefore \text{(iii) gives } I = -\frac{\pi}{2} \ln 2$$

Property (7)

If $f(x)$ is a periodic function with period T , then

$$(i) \int_0^{nT} f(x) dx = n \int_0^T f(x) dx, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$(ii) \int_a^{a+nT} f(x) dx = n \int_0^T f(x) dx, n \in \mathbb{Z}, a \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$(iii) \int_{mT}^{nT} f(x) dx = (n-m) \int_0^T f(x) dx, m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$(iv) \int_{nT}^{a+nT} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(x) dx, n \in \mathbb{Z}, a \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$(v) \int_{a+nT}^{b+nT} f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx, n \in \mathbb{Z}, a, b \in \mathbb{R}$$

Solved Examples

Ex.25 Evaluate $\int_{-1}^2 e^{\{x\}} dx$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \int_{-1}^2 e^{\{x\}} dx &= \int_{-1}^{-1+3} e^{\{x\}} dx = 3 \int_0^1 e^{\{x\}} dx = 3 \int_0^1 e^{\{x\}} dx \\ &= 3(e-1) \end{aligned}$$

Ex.26 Evaluate $\int_0^{n\pi+v} |\cos x| dx$, $\frac{\pi}{2} < v < \pi$ and $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \int_0^{n\pi+v} |\cos x| dx &= \int_0^v |\cos x| dx + \int_v^{n\pi+v} |\cos x| dx \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos x - \int_{\pi/2}^v \cos x dx + n \int_0^{\pi} |\cos x| dx \\ &= (1-0) - (\sin v - 1) + 2n \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos x dx \\ &= 2 - \sin v + 2n(1-0) = 2n + 2 - \sin v \end{aligned}$$

Property (8)

If $\psi(x) \leq f(x) \leq \phi(x)$ for $a \leq x \leq b$,

$$\text{then } \int_a^b \psi(x) dx \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq \int_a^b \phi(x) dx$$

Property (9)

If $m \leq f(x) \leq M$ for $a \leq x \leq b$, then $m(b-a) \leq$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \leq M(b-a)$$

Further if $f(x)$ is monotonically decreasing in (a, b) ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } f(b)(b-a) &< \int_a^b f(x) dx < f(a)(b-a) \text{ and if } f(x) \\ &\text{is monotonically increasing in } (a, b), \text{ then } f(a)(b-a) \\ &< \int_a^b f(x) dx < f(b)(b-a) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Property (10)} \quad \left| \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \int_a^b |f(x)| dx$$

Property (11) If $f(x) \geq 0$ on $[a, b]$, then $\int_a^b f(x) dx \geq 0$

Solved Examples

Ex.27 For $x \in (0, 1)$ arrange $f_1(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}$,

$$f_2(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-2x^2}} \text{ and } f_3(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2-x^3}} \text{ in}$$

ascending order and hence prove that $\frac{\pi}{6} <$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2-x^3}} < \frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}}.$$

Sol. $\because 0 < x^3 < x^2 \Rightarrow x^2 < x^2 + x^3 < 2x^2$

$$\Rightarrow -2x^2 < -x^2 - x^3 < -x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - 2x^2 < 4 - x^2 - x^3 < 4 - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{4-2x^2} < \sqrt{4-x^2-x^3} < \sqrt{4-x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_1(x) < f_3(x) < f_2(x) \text{ for } x \in (0, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^1 f_1(x) dx < \int_0^1 f_3(x) dx < \int_0^1 f_2(x) dx$$

$$\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right) \Big|_0^1 < \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2-x^3}} < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} \Big|_0^1$$

$$\frac{\pi}{6} < \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2-x^3}} < \frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}}$$

Ex.28 Estimate the value of $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$.

Sol. Let $f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{x \cos x - \sin x}{x^2} = \frac{(\cos x)(x - \tan x)}{x^2} < 0$$

$\Rightarrow f(x)$ is monotonically decreasing function.

$f(0)$ is not defined, so we evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1. \text{ Take } f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 1$$

$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

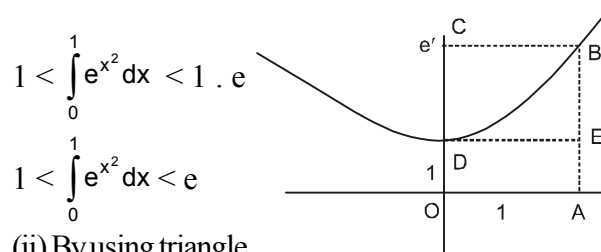
$$\frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 0\right) < \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx < 1 \cdot \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - 0\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 < \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Ex.29 Estimate the value of $\int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx$ using (i) rectangle,
(ii) triangle.

Sol. (i) By using rectangle

$$\text{Area OAED} < \int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx < \text{Area OABC}$$



(ii) By using triangle

$$\text{Area OAED} < \int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx < \text{Area OAED} + \text{Area of triangle DEB}$$

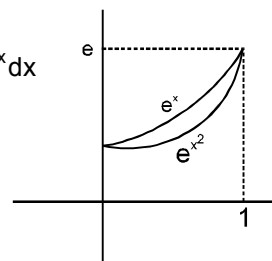
$$1 < \int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx < 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \cdot (e - 1)$$

$$1 < \int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx < \frac{e+1}{2}$$

Ex.30 Estimate the value of $\int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx$ by using $\int_0^1 e^x dx$.

Sol. For $x \in (0, 1)$, $e^{x^2} < e^x$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \times 1 < \int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx < \int_0^1 e^x dx$$



$$1 < \int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx < e - 1$$

$$(P-9) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \int_{g(x)}^{h(x)} f(t) dt = h'(x) f(h(x)) - g'(x) f(g(x))$$

$$\text{In particular } \frac{d}{dx} \int_a^{h(x)} f(t) dt = h'(x) f(h(x))$$

[a is any constant independent of x]

$$\text{or } \frac{d}{dx} \int_a^x f(t) dt = f(x)$$

Solved Examples

$$\text{Ex.31} \quad \frac{d}{dt} \int_{t^2}^{t^3} \frac{1}{\log x} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \frac{d}{dt} \int_{t^2}^{t^3} \frac{1}{\log x} dx &= \frac{1}{\log t^3} \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(t^3) - \frac{1}{\log t^2} \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(t^2) \\ &= \frac{3t^2}{3 \log t} - \frac{2t}{2 \log t} = \frac{t(t-1)}{\log t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Ex.32} \quad \text{If } F(x) = \int_x^{x^2} \sqrt{\sin t} dt, \text{ then find } F'(x).$$

$$\text{Sol. } F'(x) = 2x \cdot \sqrt{\sin x^2} - 1 \cdot \sqrt{\sin x}$$

$$\text{Ex.33} \quad \text{If } F(x) = \int_{e^{2x}}^{e^{3x}} \frac{t}{\log_e t} dt, \text{ then find first and second derivative of } F(x) \text{ with respect to } \ln x \text{ at } x = \ln 2.$$

Sol. $\frac{dF(x)}{d(\ln x)} = \frac{dF(x)}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{d(\ln x)}$

$$= \left[3 \cdot e^{3x} \cdot \frac{e^{3x}}{\ln e^{3x}} - 2 \cdot e^{2x} \cdot \frac{e^{2x}}{\ln e^{2x}} \right] x = e^{6x} - e^{4x}.$$

$$\frac{d^2F(x)}{d(\ln x)^2} = \frac{d}{d(\ln x)} (e^{6x} - e^{4x}) = \frac{d}{dx} (e^{6x} - e^{4x}) \times$$

$$\frac{1}{d \ln x / dx} = (6e^{6x} - 4e^{4x}) x$$

First derivative of F(x) at $x = \ln 2$

(i.e. $e^x = 2$) is $2^6 - 2^4 = 48$

Second derivative of F(x) at $x = \ln 2$

(i.e. $e^x = 2$) is $(6 \cdot 2^6 - 4 \cdot 2^4) \cdot \ln 2 = 5 \cdot 2^6 \cdot \ln 2$.

Ex.34 Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\int_0^x e^{t^2} dt}{\int_0^x e^{2t^2} dt}$.

Sol. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\int_0^x e^{t^2} dt \right)^2}{\int_0^x e^{2t^2} dt} \quad \left(\frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ form} \right)$

Applying L' Hospital rule

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \cdot \int_0^x e^{t^2} dt \cdot e^{x^2}}{1 \cdot e^{2x^2}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \cdot \int_0^x e^{t^2} dt}{e^{x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \cdot e^{x^2}}{2x \cdot e^{x^2}} = 0$$

Ex.35 If $f(x) = \int_{\log_e x}^x \frac{dt}{x+t}$, then find $f'(x)$.

Sol. $f'(x) = \int_{\ln x}^x \frac{-1}{(x+t)^2} dt + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{2x} - \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{(x+\ln x)} =$

$$\left[\frac{1}{(x+t)} \right]_{\ln x}^x + \frac{1}{2x} - \frac{1}{x(x+\ln x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2x} - \frac{1}{x+\ln x} + \frac{1}{2x} - \frac{1}{x(x+\ln x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x} - \frac{x+1}{x(x+\ln x)} = \frac{\ln x - 1}{x(x+\ln x)}$$

Alternatively :

$$f(x) = \int_{\ln x}^x \frac{dt}{x+t} = \left[\ln(x+t) \right]_{\ln x}^x$$

(treating 't' as constant)

$$f(x) = \ln 2x - \ln(x + \ln x)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{(x+\ln x)} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x} \right) = \frac{\ln x - 1}{x(x+\ln x)}$$

Ex.36 Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{x^b - 1}{\ln x} dx$, 'b' being parameter.

Sol. Let $I(b) = \int_0^1 \frac{x^b - 1}{\ln x} dx$

$$\frac{dI(b)}{db} = \int_0^1 \frac{x^b \ln x}{\ln x} dx + 0 - 0$$

(using modified Leibnitz Theorem)

$$= \int_0^1 x^b dx = \left[\frac{x^{b+1}}{b+1} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{b+1}$$

$$I(b) = \ln(b+1) + c$$

$$b = 0 \Rightarrow I(0) = 0$$

$$\therefore c = 0 \therefore I(b) = \ln(b+1)$$

Ex.37 Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{\tan^{-1}(ax)}{x\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$, 'a' being parameter.

Sol. Let $I(a) = \int_0^1 \frac{\tan^{-1}(ax)}{x\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$

$$\frac{dI(a)}{da} = \int_0^1 \frac{x}{(1+a^2x^2)} \cdot \frac{1}{x\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{(1+a^2x^2)\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\text{Put } x = \sin t \Rightarrow dx = \cos t dt$$

$$\text{L.L. : } x = 0 \Rightarrow t = 0$$

$$\text{U.L. : } x = 1 \Rightarrow t = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Note :

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dI(a)}{da} &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{1+a^2 \sin^2 t} \cdot \frac{1}{\cos t} \cos t \, dt \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{dt}{1+a^2 \sin^2 t} = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\sec^2 t \, dt}{1+(1+a^2)\tan^2 t} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+a^2}} \tan^{-1} \left(\sqrt{1+a^2} \tan t \right) \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+a^2}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow I(a) = \frac{\pi}{2} \ln \left(a + \sqrt{1+a^2} \right) + c$$

$$\text{But } I(0) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow I(a) = \frac{\pi}{2} \ln \left(a + \sqrt{1+a^2} \right)$$

REDUCTION FORMULAE IN DEFINITE INTEGRALS

$$1. \text{ If } I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^n x \, dx, \text{ then show that } I_n = \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right) I_{n-2}$$

$$\text{Proof: } I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^n x \, dx$$

$$I_n = \left[-\sin^{n-1} x \cos x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (n-1) \sin^{n-2} x \cdot \cos^2 x \, dx$$

$$= (n-1) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{n-2} x \cdot (1 - \sin^2 x) \, dx$$

$$= (n-1) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{n-2} x \, dx - (n-1) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^n x \, dx$$

$$I_n + (n-1) I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2}$$

$$I_n = \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right) I_{n-2}$$

$$1. \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^n x \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x \, dx$$

$$2. I_n = \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right) \left(\frac{n-3}{n-2} \right) \left(\frac{n-5}{n-4} \right) \dots I_0 \text{ or } I_1$$

according as n is even or odd. $I_0 = \frac{\pi}{2}, I_1 = 1$

Hence

$$I_n = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right) \left(\frac{n-3}{n-2} \right) \left(\frac{n-5}{n-4} \right) \dots \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ \left(\frac{n-1}{n} \right) \left(\frac{n-3}{n-2} \right) \left(\frac{n-5}{n-4} \right) \dots \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot 1, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Solved Examples

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Ex.38} \text{ If } I_n &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^n x \, dx, \text{ then show that } I_n + I_{n-2} \\ &= \frac{1}{n-1}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Sol. } I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\tan x)^{n-2} \cdot \tan^2 x \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\tan x)^{n-2} (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\tan x)^{n-2} \sec^2 x \, dx - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\tan x)^{n-2} \, dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{(\tan x)^{n-1}}{n-1} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} - I_{n-2}$$

$$I_n = \frac{1}{n-1} - I_{n-2}$$

$$\therefore I_n + I_{n-2} = \frac{1}{n-1}$$

Ex.39 If $I_{m,n} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^m x \cdot \cos^n x \, dx$, then show that $I_{m,n}$

$$= \frac{m-1}{m+n} I_{m-2,n}$$

Sol. $I_{m,n} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^{m-1} x (\sin x \cos^n x) \, dx$

$$= \left[-\frac{\sin^{m-1} x \cdot \cos^{n+1} x}{n+1} \right]_0^{\pi/2} + \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos^{n+1} x}{n+1}$$

$$(m-1) \sin^{m-2} x \cos x \, dx$$

$$= \left(\frac{m-1}{n+1} \right) \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^{m-2} x \cdot \cos^n x \cdot \cos^2 x \, dx$$

$$= \left(\frac{m-1}{n+1} \right) \int_0^{\pi/2} (\sin^{m-2} x \cdot \cos^n x - \sin^m x \cdot \cos^n x) \, dx$$

$$= \left(\frac{m-1}{n+1} \right) I_{m-2,n} - \left(\frac{m-1}{n+1} \right) I_{m,n} \Rightarrow \left(1 + \frac{m-1}{n+1} \right) I_{m,n}$$

$$= \left(\frac{m-1}{n+1} \right) I_{m-2,n}$$

$$I_{m,n} = \left(\frac{m-1}{m+n} \right) I_{m-2,n}$$

Note :

$$I_{m,n} = \left(\frac{m-1}{m+n} \right) \left(\frac{m-3}{m+n-2} \right) \left(\frac{m-5}{m+n-4} \right) \dots I_{0,n} \text{ or}$$

$I_{l,n}$ according as m is even or odd.

$$I_{0,n} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^n x \, dx \text{ and } I_{l,n} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin x \cdot \cos^n x \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{n+1}$$

IMPORTANT INTEGRALS

(i) **Walli's formula**

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^n x \, dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^n x \, dx = \frac{(n-1)(n-3)\dots 2}{n(n-2)\dots 1}$$

(if n is odd positive interger)

$$= \frac{(n-1)(n-3)\dots 1}{n(n-2)\dots 2} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right) \text{ (if } n \text{ is even positive integer)}$$

Solved Examples

Ex.40 Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^6 x \, dx$

$$\text{Sol. } I = \frac{5.3.1}{6.2.4} \times \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{5}{32} \pi$$

Ex.41 Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^7 x \, dx$

$$\text{Sol. } I = \frac{6.4.2}{7.5.3} = \frac{48}{105}$$

$$(ii) \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^m x \cos^n x \, dx = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{m+1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)}{2\Gamma\left(\frac{m+n+2}{2}\right)}$$

where $\Gamma(n)$ is called **gamma function**

OR

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^m x \cos^n x \, dx = \frac{((m-1)(m-3)\dots(2 \text{ or } 1))((n-1)(n-3)\dots(2 \text{ or } 1))}{(m+n)(m+n-2)\dots(2 \text{ or } 1)}$$

(if m and n both are not simultaneously even positive integers)

$$\frac{((m-1)(m-3)\dots(1))((n-1)(n-3)\dots(1))}{(m+n)(m+n-2)\dots(2)} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

(if m and n are both even positive integers)

Solved Examples

Ex.42 Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^4 x \cos^5 x \, dx$.

Sol. Using gamma function formula

$$I = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{4+1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{5+1}{2}\right)}{2\Gamma\left(\frac{4+5+2}{2}\right)} = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) \Gamma(3)}{2\Gamma\left(\frac{11}{2}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} \cdot 2 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot \frac{9}{2} \cdot \frac{7}{2} \cdot \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}} = \frac{8}{315}$$

Ex.43 Evaluate $\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin^2 x \cos^2 x (\sin x + \cos x) \, dx$.

Sol. Given integral

$$= \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin^3 x \cos^2 x \, dx + \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \sin^2 x \cos^3 x \, dx$$

$$= 0 + 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 x \cos^3 x \, dx$$

($\because \sin^3 x \cos^2 x$ is odd and $\sin^2 x \cos^3 x$ is even)

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{1 \cdot 2}{5 \cdot 3 \cdot 1} = \frac{4}{15}$$

Ex.44 Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi} x \sin^5 x \cos^6 x \, dx$.

Sol. Let $I = \int_0^{\pi} x \sin^5 x \cos^6 x \, dx$

$$I = \int_0^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin^5(\pi - x) \cos^6(\pi - x) \, dx$$

$$= \pi \int_0^{\pi} \sin^5 x \cos^6 x \, dx - \int_0^{\pi} x \sin^5 x \cos^6 x \, dx$$

$$\Rightarrow 2I = \pi \cdot 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^5 x \cos^6 x \, dx$$

$$I = \pi \frac{4 \cdot 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 3 \cdot 1}{11 \cdot 9 \cdot 7 \cdot 5 \cdot 3 \cdot 1} \quad I = \frac{8\pi}{693}$$

Ex.45 Evaluate $\int_0^1 x^3(1-x)^5 \, dx$.

Sol. Put $x = \sin^2 \theta \Rightarrow dx = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta$

L.L. : $x = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 0$

U.L. : $x = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 x^3(1-x)^5 \, dx = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^6 \theta (\cos^2 \theta)^5 \cdot 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^7 \theta \cos^{11} \theta \, d\theta$$

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{6 \cdot 4 \cdot 2 \cdot 10 \cdot 8 \cdot 6 \cdot 4 \cdot 2}{18 \cdot 16 \cdot 14 \cdot 12 \cdot 10 \cdot 8 \cdot 6 \cdot 4 \cdot 2} = \frac{1}{504}$$

SUMMATION OF SERIES BY INTEGRATION

For finding sum of an infinite series with the help of definite integration, following formula is used-

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} f\left(\frac{r}{n}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \int_0^1 f(x) \, dx$$

The following method is used to solve the questions on summation of series.

(i) After writing $(r-1)$ th or r th term of the series, express

it in the form $\frac{1}{n} f\left(\frac{r}{n}\right)$. Therefore the given series will take the form

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

(ii) Now writing $\int$ in place of $\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum\right)$, x in place

of $\frac{1}{n}$, we get the integral $\int f(x) \, dx$ in place of above series.

(iii) The lower limit of this integral

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{r}{n} \right)_{r=0}$$

where $r = 0$ is taken corresponding of first term of the series and uppen limit

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{r}{n} \right)_{r=n-1}$$

where $r = n - 1$ is taken corresponding to the last term.

Solved Examples

Ex.46 Evaluate $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} \right]$

Sol. Limit

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

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x} dx = [\log(1+x)]_0^1 = \log 2.$$

Ex.47 Find the value of

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{n}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{n}{(n+2)^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{4n} \right]$$

Sol. Here $t_r = \frac{n}{(n+r)^2} = \frac{1}{n} \cdot \frac{1}{[1+(r/n)]^2}$

Therefore given series

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{[1+(r/n)]^2} \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \int \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} dx$$

Now lower limit $= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{r}{n} \right)_{r=1} = 1$

upper limit $= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{r}{n} \right)_{r=n} = 0$

$\therefore$ Given series

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} dx = \left[-\frac{1}{1+x} \right]_0^1 = \frac{-1}{2} + 1 = 1/2$$