

INTEGRALS

INTEGRALS OF SOME PARTICULAR FUNCTIONS

Integration of type

$$\int \frac{dx}{ax^2 + bx + c}, \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{ax^2 + bx + c}}, \int \sqrt{ax^2 + bx + c} \, dx$$

Express $ax^2 + bx + c$ in the form of perfect square & then apply the standard results.

Ex.1 Evaluate : $\int \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 5} \, dx$

Sol. We have,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 5} &= \int \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 1 + 4} \, dx = \int \sqrt{(x+1)^2 + 2^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (x+1) \sqrt{(x+1)^2 + 2^2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot (2)^2 \ln |(x+1) + \sqrt{(x+1)^2 + 2^2}| + C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (x+1) \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 5} + 2 \ln |(x+1) + \sqrt{x^2 + 2x + 5}| + C \end{aligned}$$

Ex.2 Evaluate : $\int \frac{1}{x^2 - 2x + 3} \, dx$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } I &= \int \frac{1}{x^2 - 2x + 3} \, dx \\ &= \int \frac{1}{(x-1)^2 + 2} \, dx \\ &= \int \frac{1}{(x-1)^2 + (\sqrt{2})^2} \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x-1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + C \end{aligned}$$

Ex.3 Evaluate : $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{33 + 8x - x^2}} \, dx$

$$\text{Sol. } \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{33 + 8x - x^2}} \, dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{-\{x^2 - 8x - 33\}}} dx \\
&= \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{-\{x^2 - 8x + 16 - 49\}}} dx \\
&= \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{-\{(x-4)^2 - 7^2\}}} dx \\
&= \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{7^2 - (x-4)^2}} dx \\
&= \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x-4}{7} \right) + C
\end{aligned}$$

Integration of type

$$\int \frac{px+q}{ax^2+bx+c} dx, \int \frac{px+q}{\sqrt{ax^2+bx+c}} dx, \int (px+q)\sqrt{ax^2+bx+c} dx$$

Express $px + q = A$ (differential co-efficient of denominator) + B.

Ex.4 Evaluate : $\int \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{x^2+4x+1}} dx$

Sol.
$$\begin{aligned}
&\int \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{x^2+4x+1}} dx \\
&= \int \frac{(2x+4)-1}{\sqrt{x^2+4x+1}} dx \\
&= \int \frac{2x+4}{\sqrt{x^2+4x+1}} dx - \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+4x+1}} dx \\
&= \int \frac{dt}{\sqrt{t}} - \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{(x+2)^2 - (\sqrt{3})^2}} dx,
\end{aligned}$$

where $t = (x^2 + 4x + 1)$ for 1st integral

$$= 2\sqrt{t} - \lambda n |(x+2) + | + \sqrt{x^2+4x+1} C$$

$$= 2\sqrt{x^2+4x+1} - \lambda n |x+2 + \sqrt{x^2+4x+1} | + C$$

Ex.5 Evaluate : $\int (x-5)\sqrt{x^2+x} \, dx$

Sol. Let $(x-5) = \lambda \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (x^2+x) + \mu$.

Then, $x-5 = \lambda (2x+1) + \mu$.

Comparing coefficients of like powers of x , we get

$$1 = 2\lambda \text{ and } \lambda + \mu = -5 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } \mu = -\frac{11}{2}$$

$$\text{Hence, } \int (x-5)\sqrt{x^2+x} \, dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{2}(2x+1) - \frac{11}{2} \right) \sqrt{x^2+x} \, dx$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{2}(2x+1) \sqrt{x^2+x} \, dx - \frac{11}{2} \int \sqrt{x^2+x} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \sqrt{t} \, dt - \frac{11}{2} \int \sqrt{\left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} \, dx \quad (\text{where } t = x^2+x \text{ for first integral})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{t^{3/2}}{3/2} - \frac{11}{2} \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right) \sqrt{\left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} \right]$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \ln \left[\left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right) + \sqrt{\left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} \right] + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} t^{3/2} - \frac{11}{2} \left[\frac{2x+1}{4} \sqrt{x^2+x} - \frac{1}{8} \ln \left| \left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right) + \sqrt{x^2+x} \right| \right] + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (x^2+x)^{3/2} - \frac{11}{2} \left[\frac{2x+1}{4} \sqrt{x^2+x} - \frac{1}{8} \ln \left| \left(x+\frac{1}{2}\right) + \sqrt{x^2+x} \right| \right] + C$$