

## 7.2 | TRIGONOMETRIC INTEGRALS

### I) Sin & Cos Integrals:

Ia):  $\int \sin^m(x) \cos^n(x) dx$

If the power of  $\sin/\cos$  is odd, isolate a factor of  $\sin/\cos$ , and use  $\sin^2 + \cos^2 = 1$  to express all remaining terms as  $\cos/\sin$

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \int \cos^3 x dx &= \int \cos^2 x \cdot \cos x dx \\ &= \int (1 - \sin^2 x) \cdot \cos x dx && \begin{array}{l} u = \sin x \\ du = \cos x dx \end{array} \\ &= \int (1 - u^2) du = u - \frac{1}{3} u^3 + C \\ &= \boxed{\sin x - \frac{1}{3} \sin^3 x + C} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \int \sin^3(2x) \cos^2(2x) dx &= \int \sin(2x) \cdot \sin^2(2x) \cos^2(2x) dx \\ &= \int \sin(2x) (1 - \cos^2(2x)) \cos^2(2x) dx && \begin{array}{l} u = \cos(2x) \\ du = -2 \sin(2x) dx \end{array} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \int (1 - u^2) u^2 du = -\frac{1}{2} \int (u^2 - u^4) du \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{3} u^3 - \frac{1}{5} u^5 \right) + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{10} \cos^5(2x) - \frac{1}{6} \cos^3(2x) + C} \end{aligned}$$

If both powers of  $\sin$  &  $\cos$  are even, use:

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2(x) &= \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos(2x)) \\ \cos^2(x) &= \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos(2x)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(x) \cos(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \sin(2x) \\ \text{(Sometimes also useful)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3. \int \sin^4 x dx &= \int (\sin^2 x)^2 dx = \int \left( \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos(2x)) \right)^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \int (1 - 2\cos(2x) + \cos^2(2x)) dx = \frac{1}{4} \left( x - \sin(2x) + \int \cos^2(2x) dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left( x - \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{2} \left( x + \frac{1}{4} \sin(4x) \right) \right) \\ &= \boxed{\frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{3}{2} x - \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{8} \sin(4x) \right) + C} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4. \int \sin^2(7x) \cos^2(7x) dx &= \int (\sin(7x) \cos(7x))^2 dx = \int \left( \frac{1}{2} \sin(14x) \right)^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \int \sin^2(14x) dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{2} (1 - \cos(28x)) dx = \boxed{\frac{1}{8} \left( x - \frac{1}{28} \sin(28x) \right) + C} \end{aligned}$$

Remark: #4 also works by using the half-angle formulas directly:

$$\begin{aligned}
 4. \int \sin^2(7x) \cos^2(7x) dx &= \int \frac{1}{2}(1-\cos(14x)) \cdot \frac{1}{2}(1+\cos(14x)) dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \int (1-\cos^2(14x)) dx = \frac{1}{4} \left( x - \int \frac{1}{2}(1+\cos(28x)) dx \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \left( x - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{28} \sin(28x) \right) + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{8} \left( x - \frac{1}{28} \sin(28x) \right) + C}
 \end{aligned}$$

III b):

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\int \sin(mx) \cos(nx) dx \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

use:

$$\sin A \cdot \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(A-B) + \sin(A+B)]$$

$$\sin A \cdot \sin B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B)]$$

$$\cos A \cdot \cos B = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(A-B) + \cos(A+B)]$$

$$5. \int \sin(4x) \cos(5x) dx = \int \frac{1}{2} (\sin(-x) + \sin(9x)) dx$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \left( \cos(x) - \frac{1}{9} \cos(9x) \right) + C}$$

An example off-pattern:

$$6. \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{1-\cos x}} dx = \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin^2 x}{\sqrt{1-\cos x}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1+\cos x}}{\sqrt{1+\cos x}} dx$$

$$= \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \frac{\sin^2 x \sqrt{1+\cos x}}{\sqrt{1-\cos^2 x}} dx$$

$$\hookrightarrow = \sqrt{\sin^2 x} = |\sin x| = \sin x \text{ b/c } x \in \text{Quad I!}$$

$$= \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \sin x \sqrt{1+\cos x} dx = -\frac{2}{3} (1+\cos x)^{3/2} \Big|_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3} \left( (1)^{3/2} - (1+1/2)^{3/2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} - 1 \right) = \boxed{\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}}$$

## II) Sec & Tan Integrals

IIa:  $\int \sec^n(x) \tan^m(x) dx$

If the power of sec is even, save a factor of sec<sup>2</sup> and use  $\sec^2 - \tan^2 = 1$  to express everything else in terms of tan

$\sec^2 x = \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x)$ , so this sets up a Substitution, with  $u = \tan x$

$$\begin{aligned} 7. \int \tan^4 x \sec^4 x dx &= \int \tan^4 x \cdot \underbrace{\sec^2 x}_{1+\tan^2 x} \cdot \sec^2 x dx \\ &= \int \tan^4 x (1+\tan^2 x) \underbrace{\sec^2 x dx}_{du} \quad u = \tan x \\ &= \int (u^4 + u^6) du = \frac{1}{5} u^5 + \frac{1}{7} u^7 + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{5} \tan^5 x + \frac{1}{7} \tan^7 x + C} \end{aligned}$$

If the power of tan is odd, save a factor of sec · tan and use  $\sec^2 - \tan^2 = 1$  to express everything else in terms of sec

$\sec x \cdot \tan x = \frac{d}{dx}(\sec x)$ , so this sets up a Substitution w/  $u = \sec$

$$\begin{aligned} 8. \int \tan^5 x \sec^6 x dx &= \int \tan^4 x \cdot \sec^5 x (\sec x \tan x) dx \\ &= \int (\sec^2 x - 1)^2 \sec^5 x \underbrace{(\sec x \tan x) dx}_{du} \quad u = \sec x \\ &= \int (u^4 - 2u^2 + 1) u^5 du = \frac{1}{10} u^{10} - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{8} u^8 + \frac{1}{6} u^6 + C \\ &= \boxed{\frac{1}{10} \sec^{10} x - \frac{1}{4} \sec^8 x + \frac{1}{6} \sec^6 x + C} \end{aligned}$$

(Also works the other way):

$$\begin{aligned} 8. \int \tan^5 x \sec^6 x dx &= \int \tan^5 x \sec^4 x \cdot \sec^2 x dx \\ &= \int \tan^5 x (1+\tan^2 x)^2 \underbrace{\sec^2 x dx}_{du} \quad u = \tan x \\ &= \int u^5 (1+2u^2+u^4) du \\ &= \frac{1}{6} u^6 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{8} u^8 + \frac{1}{10} u^{10} + C \\ &= \boxed{\frac{1}{6} \tan^6 x + \frac{1}{4} \tan^8 x + \frac{1}{10} \tan^{10} x + C} \end{aligned}$$

(These answers are really the same)

**IIb): Other sec/tan integrals:**

9.  $\int \tan^3 x \, dx$

$$= \int \tan x \cdot \tan^2 x \, dx$$

$$= \int \tan x \cdot (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx$$

$$= \int \tan x \cdot \sec^2 x \, dx - \int \tan x \, dx = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x - \ln |\sec x| + C}$$

$$\sec^2 x = 1 + \tan^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x; \quad \frac{d}{dx} \sec x = \sec x \tan x$$

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

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

10.  $\int \sec^3 x \, dx =: I$

$$= \int \sec x \cdot \underbrace{\sec^2 x \, dx}_{(\tan x)'} \quad \text{By Parts: } u = \sec x \quad du = \sec x \tan x \, dx$$

$$dv = \sec^2 x \, dx \quad v = \tan x$$

$$= \sec x \cdot \tan x - \int \sec x \cdot \tan^2 x \, dx$$

$$= \sec x \cdot \tan x - \int \sec x (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx$$

$$= \sec x \cdot \tan x - \underbrace{\int \sec^3 x \, dx}_I + \underbrace{\int \sec x \, dx}_{\ln |\sec x + \tan x|} = I$$

$$2I = \sec x \cdot \tan x + \ln |\sec x + \tan x|$$

$$\boxed{I = \frac{1}{2} (\sec x \cdot \tan x + \ln |\sec x + \tan x|)}$$