

## Today's Topic: Integration by Parts

- The FTC tells us that differentiation and integration are **inverse** to each other.
- every differentiation rule must have a integration rule that reverses the process.

chain rule  $\Leftrightarrow$  substitution

product rule  $\Leftrightarrow$  integration by parts.

Recall: Product rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}(f(x)g(x)) = f(x)g'(x) + f'(x)g(x)$$

Integrate both sides:

$$f(x)g(x) = \int f(x)g'(x) dx + \int f'(x)g(x) dx$$

Rearranging:

$$\int f(x)g'(x) dx = f(x)g(x) - \int f'(x)g(x) dx$$

Let  $u = f(x)$ ,  $v = g(x)$ .

Then  $dv = g'(x)dx$ , and  $du = f'(x)dx$ .

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du.$$

Example: Find  $\int x \sin x dx$ .

• Step 1: choose your  $u$  and  $dv$ .

$$\text{Let: } u = x, \quad dv = \sin x dx$$

$$\text{Then: } du = dx, \quad v = \int \sin x dx = -\cos x.$$

• Step 2: Apply formula

$$\int x \sin x dx = uv - \int v du$$

$$\int u dv = -x \cos x - \int -\cos x dx$$

$$= -x \cos x + \int \cos x dx$$

$$= -x \cos x + \sin x + C.$$

Main difficulty: choosing the right  $u$  and  $dv$ .

Aim: to make the  $\int v du$  to be simpler than we started with.

e.g. if we let  $u = \sin x$ ,  $dv = x dx$   
 $du = \cos x dx$   $v = \frac{x^2}{2}$

$$\int x \sin x \, dx$$

and

$$uv - \int v \, du = \frac{x^2}{2} \sin x - \int \frac{x^2}{2} \cos x \, dx$$

Worse than before!

- if this happens, go back to beginning and try a different choice.

Example: Find  $\int \ln x \, dx = \int \ln x \cdot 1 \, dx$

Step 1:  $u = \ln x$        $dv = 1 \cdot dx$   
 $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$        $v = x$

Step 2:  $\int \ln x \, dx = uv - \int v \, du$   
 $= (\ln x) x - \int x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \, dx$   
 $= x \ln x - \int 1 \, dx$   
 $= x \ln x - x + C$

Example (more than once): Find  $\int t^2 e^t dt$ .

$$\text{Step 1: } \begin{array}{ll} u = t^2 & dv = e^t dt \\ du = 2t dt & v = e^t \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Step 2: } \int t^2 e^t dt &= uv - \int v du \\ &= t^2 e^t - 2 \int t e^t dt \end{aligned}$$

Integral still complicated...

$$\text{Step 3: } \begin{array}{ll} u = t & dv = e^t dt \\ du = dt & v = e^t \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int t e^t dt &= t e^t - \int e^t dt \\ &= t e^t - e^t + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Step 4: } \int t^2 e^t dt &= t^2 e^t - 2 [t e^t - e^t] + C \\ &= t^2 e^t - 2 t e^t + 2 e^t + C \end{aligned}$$

Example: Find  $\int e^x \sin x \, dx$ .

$$\text{Step 1: } \begin{array}{ll} u = e^x & dv = \sin x \, dx \\ du = e^x \, dx & v = -\cos x \end{array}$$

$$\text{Step 2: } \int e^x \sin x \, dx = -e^x \cos x + \int e^x \cos x \, dx$$

$$\text{Step 3: } \begin{array}{ll} u = e^x & dv = \cos x \, dx \\ du = e^x \, dx & v = \sin x \end{array}$$

$$\int e^x \cos x \, dx = e^x \sin x - \int e^x \sin x \, dx \dots$$

$$\int e^x \sin x \, dx = -e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x - \int e^x \sin x \, dx.$$

add  $+\int e^x \sin x \, dx$  to both sides.

$$2 \int e^x \sin x \, dx = -e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x$$

$$\int e^x \sin x \, dx = \frac{-e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x}{2} + C.$$