

6.4: The fundamental Theorem of Calculus

The fundamental Theorem of Calculus :

PART I If $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ then $g(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable on (a, b) and $g'(x) = f(x)$.

EXAMPLE 1. Differentiate $g(x) = \int_{-4}^x e^{2t} \underbrace{\cos^2(1 - 5t)}_{f(t) \text{ cont and diff}} dt$

$$\text{By FTC } \Rightarrow g'(x) = f(x) = e^{2x} \cos^2(1 - 5x)$$

EXAMPLE 2. Let $u(x)$ be a differentiable function and $f(x)$ be a continuous one. Prove that

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\underbrace{\int_a^{u(x)} f(t) dt}_{g(u(x))} \right) = f(u(x))u'(x).$$

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$g(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt \rightarrow g(u(x))$

By Chain Rule

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

By FTC

Let $u(x)$ and $v(x)$ be differentiable functions and $f(x)$ be a continuous one. Then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_{v(x)}^{u(x)} f(t) dt \right) = f(u(x))u'(x) - f(v(x))v'(x).$$

EXAMPLE 3. Differentiate $g(x)$ if

$$(a) g(x) = \int_{-4}^{x^3} e^{2t} \cos^2(1-5t) dt$$

$$u(x) = x^3 \Rightarrow u'(x) = 3x^2$$

$$g'(x) = f(u) \quad u' = e^{2x^3} \cos^2(1-5x^3) \cdot 2x^2$$

$$\int_{v(x)}^{u(x)} f(t) dt = \int_{v(x)}^c f(t) dt + \int_c^{u(x)} f(t) dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \int_{v(x)}^{u(x)} f(t) dt &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_c^{v(x)} f(t) dt + \int_c^{u(x)} f(t) dt \right) \\ &= -f(v(x))v'(x) + f(u(x))u'(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$(b) \quad g(x) = \int_{e^{x^2}}^1 \frac{t+1}{\ln t + 3} dt = - \int_1^{e^{x^2}} \frac{t+1}{\underbrace{\ln t + 3}_{f(t)}} dt$$

$$u(x) = e^{x^2}$$

$$u'(x) = 2x e^{x^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g'(x) &= -f(u) u' \\ &= -\frac{e^{x^2} + 1}{\ln e^{x^2} + 3} \cdot 2x e^{x^2} \quad \leftarrow \ln e^a = a \\ &= -\frac{2x e^{x^2} (e^{x^2} + 1)}{x^2 + 3} \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \ g(x) = \int_{x^2}^{\sin x} \frac{\cos t}{t} dt$$

$$f(t) = \frac{\cos t}{t}$$

$$u(x) = \sin x \Rightarrow u'(x) = \cos x$$

$$v(x) = x^2 \Rightarrow v'(x) = 2x$$

$$\begin{aligned} g'(x) &= f(u)u' - f(v)v' \\ &= \frac{\cos(\sin x)}{\sin x} \cdot \cancel{\cos x} - \frac{\cos x^2}{x^2} \cdot \cancel{2x} \\ &= \cancel{\cot x} \cos(\sin x) - \frac{2\cos x^2}{x} \end{aligned}$$

Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

PART II If $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ and $F(x)$ is any antiderivative for $f(x)$ then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(x) \Big|_a^b = F(b) - F(a).$$

Newton-Leibniz formula

$$\begin{aligned} & (F(x) + C) \Big|_a^b = \\ &= F(b) + C - (F(a) + C) \\ &= F(b) - F(a) \end{aligned}$$

$$F'(x) = f(x)$$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b F'(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

EXAMPLE 4. Evaluate

$$1. \int_1^5 \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \int_1^5 x^{-2} dx = \frac{x^{-2+1}}{-2+1} \Big|_1^5 = -\frac{1}{x} \Big|_1^5 = -\left(\frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{1}\right) = -\left(-\frac{4}{5}\right) = \frac{4}{5}$$

Question: $\int_{-1}^5 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$ Newton-Leibnitz formula is not applicable here because $\frac{1}{x^2}$ has infinite discontinuity at $x=0$.



$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\sin x - 4(-\cos x) \right) \Big|_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^0 = \left(\sin x + 4\cos x \right) \Big|_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^0 \\ & = \sin 0 + 4\cos 0 - \left(\sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 4\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \right) \\ & = 0 + 4 - ((-1) + 0) = 4 + 1 = \boxed{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 3. \quad & \int_0^1 (u^3 + 2)^2 du \quad (a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2 \\
 &= \int_0^1 ((u^3)^2 + 2 \cdot u^3 \cdot 2 + 2^2) du \\
 &= \int_0^1 (u^6 + 4u^3 + 4) du = \left(\frac{u^{6+1}}{6+1} + 4 \frac{u^{3+1}}{3+1} + 4u \right) \Big|_0^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{7} + 1 + 4 = \frac{36}{7}
 \end{aligned}$$

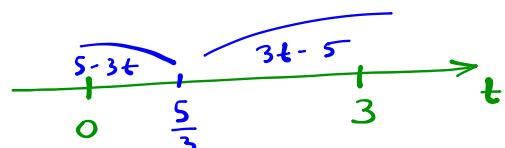
EXAMPLE 5. Evaluate

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \int_1^2 \frac{2x^5 - x + 3}{x^2} dx &= \int_1^2 \left(\frac{2x^5}{x^2} - \frac{x}{x^2} + \frac{3}{x^2} \right) dx \\
 &= \int_1^2 \left(2x^3 - \frac{1}{x} + 3x^{-2} \right) dx \\
 &= \left(\frac{2x^{3+1}}{3+1} - \ln|x| + \frac{3x^{-2+1}}{-2+1} \right) \Big|_1^2 \\
 &= \left(\frac{x^4}{2} - \ln x - \frac{3}{x} \right) \Big|_1^2 = \frac{2^4}{2} - \ln 2 - \frac{3}{2} - \left(\frac{1}{2} - \ln 1 - 3 \right) \\
 &= 8 - \underbrace{\ln 2 - \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}}_{-2} + 0 + 3 = \boxed{9 - \ln 2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \int_0^3 |3t - 5| dt$$

$$|x| = \begin{cases} x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x, & \text{if } x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$|3t - 5| = \begin{cases} 3t - 5, & \text{if } 3t - 5 \geq 0 \\ -(3t - 5), & \text{if } 3t - 5 \leq 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 3t - 5 & \text{if } t \geq \frac{5}{3} \\ 5 - 3t & \text{if } t \leq \frac{5}{3} \end{cases}$$



$$\int_0^3 |3t - 5| dt = \int_0^{5/3} |3t - 5| dt + \int_{5/3}^3 |3t - 5| dt$$

$$= \int_0^{5/3} (5 - 3t) dt + \int_{5/3}^3 (3t - 5) dt$$

$$= \left(5t - \frac{3t^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^{5/3} + \left(\frac{3t^2}{2} - 5t \right) \Big|_{5/3}^3$$

$$= \underbrace{\left(\frac{25}{3} - \frac{25}{6} \right)}_{\frac{25}{6}} - 0 + \frac{27}{2} - 15 - \underbrace{\left(\frac{25}{6} - \frac{25}{3} \right)}_{-\frac{25}{6}}$$

$$2 \cdot \frac{25}{6} = \frac{25}{3}$$

$$= \frac{25}{3} + \underbrace{\frac{27}{2} - 15}_{-\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{25}{3} - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{50-9}{6} = \frac{41}{6}$$

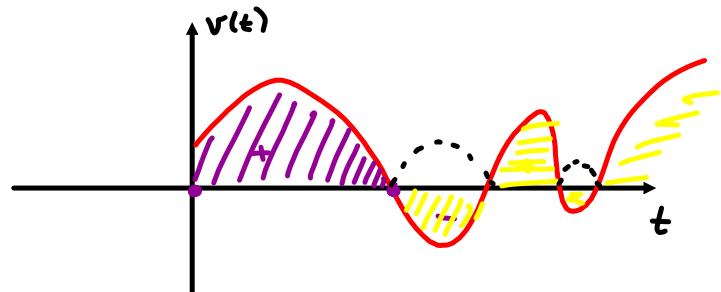
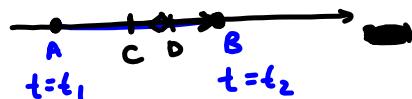
Applications of the Fundamental Theorem

If a particle is moving along a straight line then application of the Fundamental Theorem to $s'(t) = v(t)$ yields:

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} v(t) dt = s(t_2) - s(t_1) = \text{displacement.}$$

Show that

$$\text{total distance traveled} = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} |v(t)| dt.$$



EXAMPLE 6. A particle moves along a line so that its velocity at time t is $v(t) = t^2 - 2t - 8$. Find the displacement and the distance traveled by the particle during the time period $1 \leq t \leq 6$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Displacement} &= \int_1^6 v(t) dt = \int_1^6 (t^2 - 2t - 8) dt = \left(\frac{t^3}{3} - t^2 - 8t \right) \Big|_1^6 \\ &= 72 - 36 - 48 - \left(\frac{1}{3} - 1 - 8 \right) = -12 - \frac{1}{3} + 9 \\ &= -3 - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{10}{3}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total Distance Traveled} &= \int_1^6 |v(t)| dt = \int_1^6 |t^2 - 2t - 8| dt \\ t^2 - 2t - 8 &= (t - 4)(t + 2) = \begin{cases} t^2 - 2t - 8, & 4 \leq t \leq 6 \\ -(t^2 - 2t - 8), & 1 \leq t \leq 4 \end{cases} \\ &\text{Graph: } \text{A number line from } -2 \text{ to } 6. \text{ At } t = -2, \text{ sign } +. \text{ At } t = 1, \text{ sign } -. \text{ At } t = 4, \text{ sign } +. \text{ At } t = 6, \text{ sign } +.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{TDT} &= - \int_1^4 (t^2 - 2t - 8) dt + \int_4^6 (t^2 - 2t - 8) dt \\ &= - \left(\frac{t^3}{3} - t^2 - 8t \right) \Big|_1^4 + \left(\frac{t^3}{3} - t^2 - 8t \right) \Big|_4^6 \\ &= - \left(\frac{64}{3} - 16 - 32 - \left(\frac{1}{3} - 1 - 8 \right) \right) \\ &+ \left(\frac{216}{3} - 36 - 48 - \left(\frac{64}{3} - 16 - 32 \right) \right) = \dots = \boxed{\frac{98}{3}}\end{aligned}$$