

INTEGRALS - REVIEW FROM CALCULUS I

We summarize the Riemann definition of the integral and the main theorems from Calculus I.

Riemann definition of the integral

Let $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function with $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ and $[a, b] \subseteq A$.

We define:

$$x_k = a + (b-a)(k/n), \quad \forall k \in [n] \cup \{0\}$$

$$m_k(f|a, b, n) = \min_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x), \quad \forall k \in [n]$$

$$M_k(f|a, b, n) = \max_{x \in [x_{k-1}, x_k]} f(x), \quad \forall k \in [n]$$

$$L_n(f|a, b) = \sum_{k=1}^n m_k(f|a, b, n) (x_k - x_{k-1})$$

$$U_n(f|a, b) = \sum_{k=1}^n M_k(f|a, b, n) (x_k - x_{k-1})$$

We say that:

f integrable on $[a, b] \iff \exists l \in \mathbb{R} : \lim_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} L_n(f a, b) = \lim_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} U_n(f a, b) = l$
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If f is integrable on $[a, b]$, then we define the definite integral as follows:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} L_n(f|a,b) = \lim_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} U_n(f|a,b)$$

$$\int_b^a f(x) dx = - \int_a^b f(x) dx \quad \text{and} \quad \int_a^a f(x) dx = 0$$

Basic properties of integrals

1) f continuous on $[a,b] \Rightarrow f$ integrable on $[a,b]$

2) Let $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function with $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ and assume that f integrable on $[a,b]$. Then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*} \left[\frac{b-a}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(a + k \frac{b-a}{n}\right) \right]$$

3) Let f, g be integrable on $[a,b]$. Then:

$$\int_a^b [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

$$\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}: \int_a^b \lambda f(x) dx = \lambda \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

$$\forall k \in [n]: f_k \text{ integrable on } [a,b] \Big\} \Rightarrow$$

$$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_a^b \left[\sum_{k=1}^n \lambda_k f_k(x) \right] dx = \sum_{k=1}^n \lambda_k \int_a^b f_k(x) dx$$

3) Chasles theorem

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ integrable at } I \\ I \text{ interval} \\ a, b, \gamma \in I \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^\gamma f(x) dx + \int_\gamma^b f(x) dx$$

By induction, Chasles theorem can be generalized to give:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ integrable on } I \\ I \text{ interval} \\ a, b, \gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_n \in I \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^{\gamma_1} f(x) dx + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \int_{\gamma_k}^{\gamma_{k+1}} f(x) dx + \int_{\gamma_n}^b f(x) dx$$

4) Integral bounding / comparison

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ integrable on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: f(x) \geq m \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx \geq m(b-a)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ integrable on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: f(x) \leq m \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq m(b-a)$$

← Note the implicit requirement that a < b !!

↕ For $m=0$, the above statement gives:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ integrable on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: f(x) \geq 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx \geq 0$$

and an immediate corollary is that:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f, g \text{ integrable at } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: f(x) \geq g(x) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx \geq \int_a^b g(x) dx$$

5) Integral Mean-Value theorem

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ continuous on } [a, b] \\ g \text{ integrable on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: g(x) \geq 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \exists \xi \in [a, b]: \int_a^b f(x)g(x)dx = f(\xi) \int_a^b g(x)dx$$

6) Absolute value of integral

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ integrable on } [a, b] \\ |f| \text{ integrable on } [a, b] \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left| \int_a^b f(x)dx \right| \leq \int_a^b |f(x)|dx$$

▼ Fundamental theorem of calculus

1) Fundamental Theorem. I.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} f \text{ continuous on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} F \text{ differentiable on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: F'(x) = f(x) \end{array} \right.$$

Immediate consequences:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_c^x f(t) dt = f(x)$$
$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f(t) dt = f(b(x)) b'(x) - f(a(x)) a'(x)$$

2) Fundamental theorem II

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} F \text{ differentiable on } [a, b] \\ \forall x \in [a, b]: F'(x) = f(x) \\ f \text{ continuous on } [a, b] \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

↳ The FTC II motivates the definition of the indefinite integral.

$$\int f(x) dx = F(x) + c \Leftrightarrow \forall x \in \text{dom}(F): F'(x) = f(x)$$

F is the antiderivative of f .

3) Method of substitution theorem

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} g \text{ differentiable on } [a, b] \\ g' \text{ continuous on } [a, b] \\ f \text{ continuous on } g([a, b]) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \int_a^b f(g(x))g'(x)dx = \int_{g(a)}^{g(b)} f(y)dy$$

→ Basic Integration formulas

$$1) \int x^a dx = \begin{cases} \frac{x^{a+1}}{a+1} + c, & \text{if } a \neq -1 \\ \ln|x| + c, & \text{if } a = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$2) \int \sin(x) dx = -\cos x + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int \sin(ax+b) dx = \frac{-1}{a} \cos(ax+b) + c$$

$$3) \int \cos(x) dx = \sin x + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int \cos(ax+b) dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin(ax+b) + c$$

$$4) \int \frac{dx}{\cos^2 x} = \tan x + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int \frac{dx}{\cos^2(ax+b)} = \frac{1}{a} \tan(ax+b) + c$$

$$5) \int \frac{dx}{\sin^2 x} = -\cot x + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int \frac{dx}{\sin^2(ax+b)} = \frac{-1}{a} \cot(ax+b) + c$$

$$6) \int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\ln a} + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int a^{bx} dx = \frac{a^{bx}}{b \ln a} + c$$

$$7) \int \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \operatorname{Arctan}(x) + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int \frac{dx}{x^2+a^2} = \frac{1}{a} \operatorname{Arctan}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + c$$

$$8) \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \operatorname{Arcsin}(x) + c \quad \longrightarrow \quad \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} = \operatorname{Arcsin}\left(\frac{x}{|a|}\right) + c$$