

Lecture 3

Integration by substitution
(Change of variables).

Let's calculate

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx$$

by changing $x = \varphi(t)$ and

1. f is continuous on $[a, b]$,

2. $\varphi(t)$ and $\varphi'(t)$ are continuous

on $[\alpha, \beta]$,

3. $\varphi: [\alpha, \beta] \rightarrow [\varphi(\alpha), \varphi(\beta)]$ (the range of φ is $[a, b]$)

4. For lower and upper limits we have

$$\varphi(\alpha) = a, \quad \varphi(\beta) = b.$$

Then

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} f(\varphi(t)) \varphi'(t) dt.$$

Proof. Take a primitive function $F(x)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b f(x) dx &= F(b) - F(a) \\ &= F(\varphi(\beta)) - F(\varphi(\alpha)) \\ &= \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} dF(\varphi(t)) = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} F'(\varphi(t)) dt. \end{aligned}$$

and

$$F'(\varphi(t)) = \frac{d}{dx} F(\varphi(t)) \cdot \varphi'(t) = f(\varphi(t)) \varphi'(t).$$

Thus it is proved that

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} f(\varphi(t)) \varphi'(t) dt \quad \blacktriangleright$$

Example Calculate $\int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx$

We change variable x by

$$x = a \sin t, \quad 0 \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$dx = a \cos t dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx &= \int_0^{\pi/2} a^2 \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 t} \cos t dt \\ &= a^2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 t dt = \frac{\pi a^2}{4} \quad \blacktriangleright \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2. If function is continuous
on $[-a, a]$, then

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \begin{cases} 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx, & \text{if } f \text{ is even,} \\ 0, & \text{if } f \text{ is odd function.} \end{cases}$$

(*) Assume, that $f(x) = -f(-x)$

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \int_{-a}^0 f(x) dx + \int_0^a f(x) dx$$

~~$t = -x$~~
 $dt = -dx$.

$$\begin{aligned} &= - \int_a^0 f(-t) dt + \int_0^a f(x) dx \\ &= - \int_a^0 f(t) dt + \int_0^a f(x) dx = 0. \quad \blacktriangleright \end{aligned}$$

Integration By Parts

Theorem 3. Assume that $u(x)$ and $v(x)$ are differentiable (continuously) on $[a, b]$. Integration by parts is given by the following formula:

$$\int_a^b u dv = u(x)v(x) \Big|_a^b - \int_a^b v du.$$

Proof.

$$d(uv) = u dv + v du$$

Then

$$\int_a^b d(uv) = \int_a^b u dv + \int_a^b v du$$

$$u(x)v(x) \Big|_a^b$$



Example. Calculate $\int_1^e x \ln x dx$

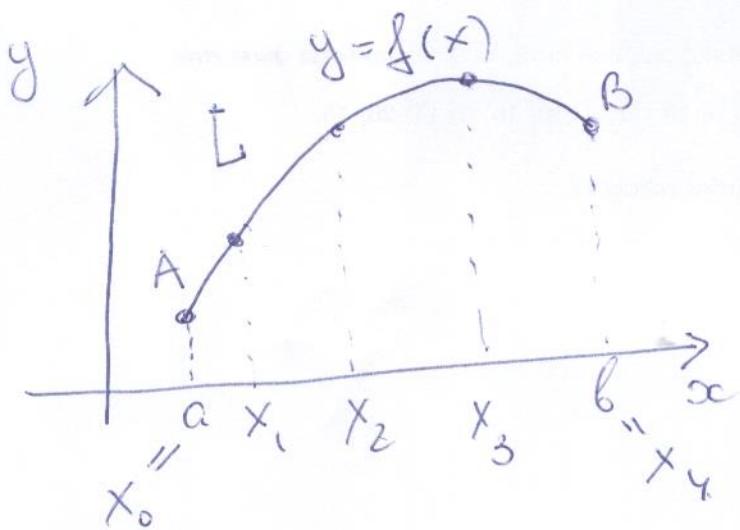
$$\textcircled{e} \quad \int_1^e x \ln x dx = \int_1^e \ln x d \frac{x^2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x \Big|_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{x^2}{2} d \ln x$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \int_1^e x dx = \frac{e^2 + 1}{4}$$

Applications. Geometry.

Using integration to find
Arc Lengths. of a curve



Definition. The arc length of the curve $y = f(x)$, $a \leq x \leq b$ is equal to the limit of a sum of line approximations of this curve

$$L = \lim_{\Delta \rightarrow 0} \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta s_i$$

$$\Delta s_i = \sqrt{(\Delta x_i)^2 + (\Delta y_i)^2} = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\Delta y_i}{\Delta x_i}\right)^2} \Delta x_i$$

Since $\frac{\Delta y_i}{\Delta x_i} = \frac{f'(c_i) \Delta x_i}{\Delta x_i} = f'(c_i)$

$$x_{i-1} \leq c_i \leq x_i$$

we get

$$\Delta s_i = \sqrt{1 + (f'(c_i))^2} \Delta x_i$$

and

$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx$$

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Example 1. Find the arc length
of the curve $y = x^{1.5}$, $0 \leq x \leq 2$.

$$y' = 1.5\sqrt{x}$$

$$L = \int_0^2 \sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{4}x} dx$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} \int_0^2 \sqrt{1 + \frac{9}{4}x} d\left(\frac{9}{4}x + 1\right)$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \left(1 + \frac{9}{4}x\right)^{3/2} \Big|_0^2 = \frac{8}{27} \left(\left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^{3/2} - 1\right)$$

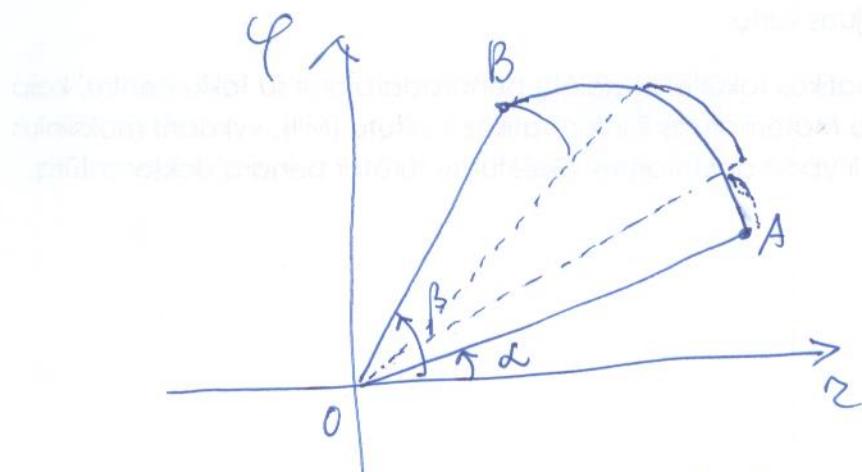
Example 2

Find the formula in the case
when a curve is defined in parametric
form

$$x = \varphi(t), \quad y = \psi(t), \quad t \in [t_0, T].$$

Area of regions bounded by polar curves

Now we define formulae for calculation the area of a region given in polar coordinates.



Consider a curve defined by the function

$$r = f(\varphi), \quad \alpha \leq \varphi \leq \beta.$$

1. The first step is to partition the interval into subintervals

$$P = \{ \varphi_0 = \alpha, \varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n = \beta \}$$

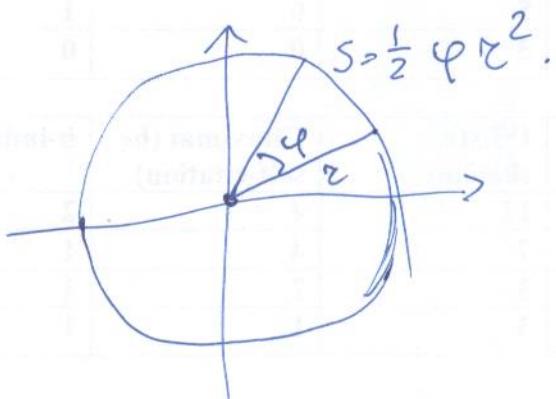
$$\Delta \varphi_i = \varphi_i - \varphi_{i-1}, \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n.$$

2. The regions in each subintervals are replaced by sectors with radius

$$r_i = f(\varphi_i)$$

The ~~area~~ areas of these sectors are calculated as

$$\Delta S_i = \frac{1}{2} r_i^2 \Delta \varphi_i = \frac{1}{2} f(\varphi_i)^2 \Delta \varphi_i$$



$$\left(S = \left(\frac{\varphi}{2\pi} \right) \pi r^2 = \frac{1}{2} r^2 \varphi \right)$$

Therefore a Riemann sum that approximates the full area is given by

$$S_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \Delta S_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2} f(\varphi_i)^2 \Delta \varphi_i$$

We take the limit as $\Delta \varphi \rightarrow 0$ and get the exact area

$$S = \lim_{\Delta \varphi \rightarrow 0} S_n = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\alpha}^{\beta} f(r) r^2 d\varphi.$$

Example. Calculate areas bounded by curves:

$$y = ae^{0.2\varphi}, \quad 0 \leq \varphi \leq 2\pi$$

and

$$y = ae^{0.2\varphi}, \quad 2\pi \leq \varphi \leq 4\pi.$$

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{2\pi}^{4\pi} a^2 e^{0.4\varphi} d\varphi - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} a^2 e^{0.4\varphi} d\varphi \\ &= \dots = 1.25a^2 (e^{0.8\pi} - 1)^2. \end{aligned}$$