

TRIGONOMETRIC INTEGRALS. PART IVIntegrals of Powers of Tangent and Secant

$$\int \tan^n x \, dx$$

$$\int \sec^n x \, dx$$

Ex 1:  $\int \tan x \, dx = \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{\cos x} \cdot \sin x \, dx$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u = \cos x \\ du = -\sin x \, dx \end{array} \right\} = - \int \frac{1}{\cos x} (-\sin x) \, dx$$

$$= - \int \frac{1}{u} \, du = -\ln |u| + C = -\ln |\cos x| + C$$

$$\cos x = \frac{1}{\sec x} = \sec^{-1} x \quad \left. \vphantom{\cos x} \right\} = -\ln |\sec^{-1} x| + C$$

$$\log_b x^n = n \log_b x \quad \left. \vphantom{\log_b x^n} \right\} = \boxed{\ln |\sec x| + C}$$

Ex 2:  $\int \sec x \, dx = \int \sec x \left( \frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x} \right) \, dx$

$$= \int \frac{\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x}{\sec x + \tan x} \, dx = \int \frac{1}{u} \, du = \ln |u| + C$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u = \sec x + \tan x \\ du = (\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x) \, dx \end{array} \right\} = \boxed{\ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C}$$

$$\text{Ex 3: } \int \tan^2 x \, dx = \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx =$$

$$1 + \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \int \sec^2 x \, dx - \int dx \\ = \tan x - x + C \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{Ex 4: } \int \sec^2 x \, dx = \tan x + C$$

$$\text{Ex 5: } \int \tan^3 x \, dx = \int \tan^2 x \tan x \, dx$$

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

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

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u = \tan x \\ du = \sec^2 x \, dx \end{array} \right\} = \int u \, du - \int \tan x \, dx$$

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

$$\text{Ex 6: } \boxed{\int \sec^3 x \, dx} = \int \sec x \cdot \sec^2 x \, dx = uv - \int v \, du$$

$$u = \sec x$$

$$du = \sec x \cdot \tan x \, dx$$

$$dv = \sec^2 x \, dx$$

$$v = \tan x$$

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \sec x \tan x - \int \sec x \tan^2 x \, dx \\ &= \sec x \tan x - \int \sec x (\sec^2 x - 1) \, dx \\ &= \sec x \tan x - \underbrace{\int \sec^3 x \, dx} + \int \sec x \, dx \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\boxed{I = \frac{1}{2} \sec x \tan x + \frac{1}{2} \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C'}$$

NEXT VIDEO: Reduction Formulas

$$\int \tan^n x \, dx = \frac{\tan^{n-1} x}{n-1} - \int \tan^{n-2} x \, dx$$

$$\int \sec^n x \, dx = \frac{\sec^{n-2} x \tan x}{n-1} + \frac{n-2}{n-1} \int \sec^{n-2} x \, dx$$