

## MATH 155 - Chapter 8.3 - Trigonometric Integrals

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### 1. Evaluating $\int \sin^m x \cos^n x dx$ :

Case 1. n=odd: Save one cosine factor and use  $\cos^2 x = 1 - \sin^2 x$ . Let  $u = \sin x$ .

Case 2. m=odd: Save one sine factor and use  $\sin^2 x = 1 - \cos^2 x$ . Let  $u = \cos x$ .

Case 3. n=even, m=even: Use half-angle identities, and other identities.

$$\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x), \quad \cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2x), \quad \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x = \sin x \cos x$$

Case 4. n=odd and m=odd: Cannot use these formulas give above. Try something else!

### 2. Evaluating $\int \tan^m x \sec^n x dx$ :

Case 1. n=even: Save one factor of  $\sec^2 x$  and use  $\sec^2 x = 1 + \tan^2 x$ . Let  $u = \tan x$ .

Case 2. m=odd: Save one factor of  $\sec x \tan x$  and use  $\tan^2 x = \sec^2 x - 1$ . Let  $u = \sec x$ .

Case 3. Other than case 1 and 2: Cannot apply the formulas given above. Try something else.

### 3. Useful Formulas:

1.  $\int \tan x dx = \ln |\sec x| + c$

2.  $\int \sec x dx = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + c$

3.  $\int \csc x dx = \ln |\csc x - \cot x| + c$

4.  $\sin(x + y) = \sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y$

5.  $\sin(x - y) = \sin x \cos y - \cos x \sin y$

6.  $\cos(x + y) = \cos x \cos y - \sin x \sin y$

7.  $\cos(x - y) = \cos x \cos y + \sin x \sin y$