

MATH 152

Today

1. Questions/WeBWorK
2. 6.1 Integration by Parts

Goals:

1. 6.1 Integration by Parts (Understand how to perform integration by parts as a technique for reversing the Product Rule)

Where is today's material used?

1. Physics: distance traveled by a particle (among many others)
2. Chemistry: fraction of gas molecules that can participate in a reaction (among many others)
3. Economics: finding total cost given marginal cost (among many others)
4. Any discipline that includes a notion of accumulated change.

6.1 Integration by Parts

1. **Theorem (The Product Rule):** If f and g are differentiable functions and $F = fg$ is their product, then F is differentiable and

$$F'(x) = f'(x)g(x) + g'(x)f(x).$$

2. **Theorem (Integration by Parts):** $\int f(x)g'(x)dx = f(x)g(x) - \int g(x)f'(x)dx$. Putting $u = f(x)$ and $v = g(x)$, this can be expressed as

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du.$$

3. **Strategy:**

- (a) Choose u to be a factor of the integrand whose derivative is “simpler.”
- (b) Then dv is the rest of the integrand, and it needs to be something you can integrate. If it isn't, go back to step 1 and try again.
- (c) $\int vdu$ should be easier to integrate than $\int u dv$. If it isn't, go back to step 1 and try again. If it is, treat $\int vdu$ as a new problem and go from there.
- (d) **NOTE:** This technique does not always work. Also, be aware that the u and du in this technique are not the same as those in u -substitution.

4. Examples: 6.1, p. 316: 12, 16, 20

Next Time

1. Catch up/review for Exam
2. Turn in WeBWork 6.1, Set08-IntbyParts: 2, 4