# CHAPTER 6 Additional Topics in Integration

- Integration by Parts; Integral Tables
- Introduction to Differential Equations
- Improper Integrals; Continuous Probability
- Numerical Integration

#### 6.1 Integration By Parts (IBP, 分部積分)

- The derivation of the formula of IBP, see p476.
- Practice Example 6.1.1, find  $\int x^2 \ln x dx$
- Procedure for IBP, see p477.
- Q1: What is the timing for the use of IBP?
- Q2: What are items included in IBP?
- Q3: What are the characteristics of IBP?

### Example 6.1.2-3



Definite IBP, see p479.

Find the area of the region bounded by the curve  $y = \ln x$ , the *x* axis, and the lines x = 1 and x = e.



**FIGURE 6.1** The region under  $y = \ln x$  over  $1 \le x \le e$ .

• Joyce is considering a 5-year investment and estimates that *t* years from now it will be generating a continuous income stream of 3,000+50t dollars per year.

• If the prevailing annual interest rate remains fixed at 4% compounded continuously during the entire 5-year term, what should the investment be worth in 5 years?

#### Example 6.1.6-11



#### Table 6.1: A short table of integrals (p484)

#### **SECTION 6.2 Introduction to Differential Equations**

- Recall a dynamic process involving 3 stages in Section 1.4
- Sometimes the mathematical formulation of a problem involves an equation in which
  - a quantity and the rate of change of that quantity are related by an equation.
- Since rates of change are expressed in terms of derivatives or differentials, such an equation is approximately called a differential equation (DE).
  - Examples, see p491.

#### **SECTION 6.2 Introduction to Differential Equations**

- DE are among the most useful tools for modeling continuous phenomena, such as
  - population dynamics, chemical kinetics, spread of disease, dynamic economic behavior, ecology, and the transmission (傳送) of information.
- The simplest type of DE has the form, dy/dx=g(x), in which
  - the derivative of the quantity y is given explicitly as a function of the independent variable x.

#### **SECTION 6.2 Introduction to Differential Equations**

• A complete characterization of all possible solutions of the equation is called a **general solution**.

• A differential equation coupled with (連接) a side condition is referred to as an **initial value problem**, and a solution that satisfies both the differential equation and the side condition is called a **particular solution** of the initial value problem.

Find the general solution of the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + 3x$ and the particular solution that satisfies y = 2 when x = 1.

• The resale value of a certain industrial machine decrease over a 10-year period at a rate that depends on the age of the machine.

• When the machine is x years old, the rate at which its value is changing is 220(x - 10) dollars per year.

• Q1: Express the value of the machine as function of its age and initial value.

• Q2: If the machine was originally worth \$12,000, how much will it be worth when it is 10 years old ?



FIGURE 6.2 The value of the machine and its rate of depreciation.

• An oil well that has just been opened is expected to yield 300 barrels of crude oil per month and, at that rate, is expected to run dry in 3 years.

• It is estimated that *t* months from now, the price of crude oil will be  $P(t) = 28 + 0.3\sqrt{t}$  dollars per barrel.

• Q: If the oil is sold as soon as it is extracted from the ground, what is the total revenue generated by the well during its operation?

### Separable differential equations (p494)

Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 x}{y^2}$$

An object moves along the x axis in such a way that at each time *t*, its velocity is given by the differential equation  $\frac{dx}{dt} = x^2 \ln t$ 

If the object is at x = -2 when t = 1, where is it when t = 3?

### Exponential growth and decay (P495) Example 6.2.6

## Example 6.2.7 (learning model, p496)

• The rate at which people hear about a new increase in postal rates is proportional to the number of people in the country who have not yet heard about it.

• Q: Express the number of people who have heard already about the increase as a function of time.



FIGURE 6.3 A learning curve:  $Q(t) = B - Ae^{-kt}$ .

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**FIGURE 6.4** Graph of the population rate function R(Q) = kQ(B - Q).

## Example 6.2.8 (logistic growth)

• The rate at which an epidemic spreads through a community is jointly proportional to the number of residents who have been infected and the number of susceptible residents who have not.

• Q: Express the number of residents who have been infected as a function of time.



## Example 6.2.9 (dilution models)

• The residents of a certain community have voted to discontinue the fluoridation (加氟) of their water supply.

• The local reservoir currently holds 200 million gallons of fluoridated water that contains 1,600 pounds of fluoride.

• The fluoridated water is flowing out of the reservoir at the rate of 4 million gallons per day and is being replaced at the same rate by unfluoridated water.

• At all times, the remaining fluoride is evenly distributed in the reservoir.

•Q: Express the amount of fluoride in the reservoir as a function of time.

![](_page_25_Figure_0.jpeg)

Suppose the price p(t) of a particular commodity varies in such a way that its rate of change with respect to time is proportional to the shortage C - S, where D(p) and S(p) are the linear demand and supply functions D = 8 - 2p and S = 2 + p.

a.If the price is \$5 when t = 0 and \$3 when t = 2, find p(t). b.Determine what happens to p(t) in the "long run" (as  $t \rightarrow +\infty$ ).

#### SECTION 6.3 Improper Integrals (瑕積分); Continuous Probability

#### o The Improper Integral

If f(x) is continuous for  $x \ge a$ , then

$$\int_{a}^{-\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{N \to +\infty} \int_{a}^{N} f(x) dx$$

If the limit exists, the improper integral is said to **converge** to the value of the limit.

If the limit does not exist, the improper integral **diverges**.

![](_page_28_Figure_0.jpeg)

**FIGURE 6.9** Area =  $\int_{0}^{+\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{N \to +\infty} \int_{0}^{N} f(x) dx.$ 

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## Example 6.3.1-3

Either evaluate the improper integral or show that it diverges.

$$\int_{a}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{x^{2}} dx$$
$$\int_{a}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\int_{0}^{+\infty} x e^{-2x} dx \qquad (\text{Hint: A useful limit on p511})$$

![](_page_30_Figure_0.jpeg)

**FIGURE 6.10** Comparison of the area under  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  with that under  $y = \frac{1}{x^2}$ .

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• A donor wishes to endow a scholarship at a local college with a gift that provides a continuous income stream at the rate of 25,000+1,200t dollars per year in perpetuity (x x).

• Assuming the prevailing annual interest rate stays fixed at 5% compounded continuously, what donation is required to finance the endowment?

• It is estimated that *t* years from now, a certain nuclear power plant will be producing radioactive waste at the rate of f(t)=400t pounds per year.

• The waste decays exponentially at the rate of 2% per year.

•Q: What will happen to the accumulation of radioactive waste from the plant in the long run?

![](_page_33_Figure_0.jpeg)

FIGURE 6.11 Radioactive waste generated during the *j*th subinterval.

### Continuous probability function

![](_page_34_Figure_1.jpeg)

FIGURE 6.12 A possible probability density function for the life span of a lightbulb.

**Continuous Probability** 

o Probability Density Functions (PDF)

A probability density function for the continuous random variable X is a function f(x) that satisfies the following three conditions:

1.  $f(x) \ge 0$  for all real x

- 2. The total area under the graph of f(x) is 1
- 3. The probability that X lies in the interval  $a \le X \le b$  is given by the integral

$$P(a \le X \le b) = \int_{a}^{b} f(x) dx$$

4. Consider the improper integrals,  $P(-\infty < X < \infty)$  and  $P(X \ge a)$ .

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#### A uniform pdf (see Figure 6.13)

- A uniform pdf is constant over a bounded interval  $A \leq X \leq B$  and zero outside that interval.
- A random variable that has a uniform density function is said to be uniformly distributed.
- Roughly speaking, for a uniformly distributed random variable, all values in some bounded interval are "equally likely".
- Example: the waiting time of a motorist at a traffic light that remains red for, say, 40 seconds at a time. This random variable has a uniform distribution because all waiting times between 0 and 40 seconds are equally likely.

![](_page_37_Figure_0.jpeg)

# FIGURE 6.13 A uniform density function.

#### oUniform Density Function (p517)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{B - A} & \text{if } A \le x \le B \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• A certain traffic light remains red for 40 seconds at a time.

•You arrive (at random) at the light and find it red.

• Use an appropriate uniform density function to find the probability that you will have to wait at least 15 seconds for the light to turn green. **o** Exponential Density Function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} k e^{-kx} & \text{if } x \ge 0\\ 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

A random variable that has an exponential density function is said to be **exponentially distributed**.

![](_page_40_Figure_3.jpeg)

# **FIGURE 6.14** An exponential density function.

• Let X be a random variable that measures the duration of telephone calls in a certain city and suppose that a probability density function for X is

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5e^{-0.5x} & \text{if } x \ge 0\\ 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

where x denotes the duration (in minutes) of a randomly selected call.

Q1: Find the probability that a randomly selected call will last between 2 and 3 minutes.

Q2: Find the probability that a randomly selected call will last at least 2 minutes.

# The most widely used probability density functions are the **normal density functions**.

![](_page_42_Figure_1.jpeg)

FIGURE 6.15 Graph of a normal density function.

#### o Expected Value

If X is a continuous random variable with probability density function *f*, the expected value (or mean) of X is  $F(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} w(x) dx$ 

$$E(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x f(x) dx$$

Find the expected value of the uniformly distributed random variable from Example 6.3.6 with density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{40} & \text{if } \le x \le 40\\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Find the expected value of the exponentially distributed random variable from Example 6.3.7 with density function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5e^{-0.5x} & \text{if } x \ge 0\\ 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

#### **SECTION 6.4 Numerical Integration**

• Numerical methods are needed when the function to be integrated does not have an elementary antiderivative.

#### Approximation by rectangles

![](_page_46_Figure_1.jpeg)

FIGURE 6.16 Approximation by rectangles.

#### o The Trapezoidal Rule (see p527)

![](_page_47_Figure_1.jpeg)

FIGURE 6.17 Approximation by trapezoids.

Note: The accuracy of the approximation improves significantly if trapezoids are used instead of rectangles.

Use the trapezoidal rule with n=10 to approximate

$$\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$$

Note: Error estimate for the trapezoidal rule (p528).

Estimate the accuracy of the approximation of  $\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$ by the trapezoidal rule with *n*=10.

Ans: 0.00167

How many subintervals are required to guarantee that the error will be less than 0.00005 in the approximation of

 $\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$ using the trapezoidal rule?

Ans: 58 subintervals are required for achieving the above accuracy (**too many subintervals**).

### Approximation Using Parabolas: Simpson's Rule (p530)

![](_page_51_Figure_1.jpeg)

FIGURE6.19 Approximation using parabolas.

Note: Comparing to Trapezoidal rule, Simpson's rule requires substantially fewer calculations to achieve a specified degree of accuracy.

Use Simpson's rule with n=10 to approximate

$$\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$$

Note: Error estimate for Simpson's rule (p531)

Estimate the accuracy of the approximation of

 $\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$ by Simpson's rule with n=10.

Ans: 0.000013

How many subintervals are required to ensure accuracy to within 0.00005 in the approximation of  $\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$ 

by Simpson's rule?

Ans: 8 subintervals are needed to achieve the above accuracy.

#### Notes

- All methods use the area under the shapes of curves selected to approximate the area under the true curve.
- Timing for determining the approximation methods?
- Error estimation is a criterion for choosing the approximation method, given the same number of subintervals.

• Jack needs to know the area of his swimming pool in order to buy a pool cover, but this is difficult because of the pool's irregular shape.

• Suppose Jack makes the measurements shown in Figure 6.20 at 4-ft intervals along the base of the pool (all measurements are in feet).

•Q: How can he use the trapezoidal rule to estimate the area?

![](_page_57_Figure_1.jpeg)

FIGURE6,20 Measurements across a pool.