

1. Calculate the following using the FTC Part I when appropriate.

(a) $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^x \sqrt{1-t^2} dt \right)$

Solution. $\sqrt{1-x^2}$, with the restriction $-1 \leq x \leq 1$.

(b) $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_{-5}^x t^3 - 2t^2 + 1 dt \right)$

Solution. $x^3 - 2x^2 + 1$.

(c) $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_2^7 t^2 dt \right)$

Solution. 0, since $\int_2^7 t^2 dt$ is a number.

2. In this problem we will use the FTC to evaluate $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^{x^3} t^2 dt \right)$

(a) Let $u(x) = x^3$. Explain why $\frac{d}{dx} F(u(x)) = F'(u(x)) \cdot 3x^2$ for any differentiable function F .

Solution. Chain Rule is why.

(b) Define $F(x) = \int_0^x t^2 dt$. Use FTC to find $F'(x)$.

Solution. x^2 .

(c) Use the previous two parts to find $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^{x^3} t^2 dt \right)$.

Solution. By the Chain Rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^{x^3} t^2 dt \right) = (x^3)^2 (3x^2) = 3x^8.$$

Writing $F(x) = \int_0^x t^2 dt$ may help. Then $F'(x) = x^2$ by FTC, so by the Chain Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx} F(x^3) = F'(x^3)(3x^2) = 3x^8.$$

3. Compute $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_2^{1/x} \arctan t \, dt \right)$.

Solution. Similarly to the previous one, from the Chain Rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_2^{1/x} \arctan t \, dt \right) = \arctan(1/x) \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right).$$

4. Let $F(x) = \int_2^x \frac{\cos(\sin(t^2))}{t^3} dt$. Compute $F'(x)$.

Solution. Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

$$F'(x) = \frac{\cos(\sin(x^2))}{x^3},$$

when $x \neq 0$.

5. Compute $\left(\int_{\frac{1}{x^2}}^0 \cos(t^4 \sin(t)) \, dt \right)'$.

Solution. From the Chain Rule:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\int_{\frac{1}{x^2}}^0 \cos(t^4 \sin(t)) \, dt \right)' &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(- \int_0^{\frac{1}{x^2}} \cos(t^4 \sin(t)) \, dt \right) \\ &= - \cos \left(\left(\frac{1}{x^2} \right)^4 \sin \left(\frac{1}{x^2} \right) \right) \cdot (-2)x^{-3} \\ &= \frac{2}{x^3} \cos \left(\left(\frac{1}{x^2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{1}{x^2} \right) \right). \end{aligned}$$

6. Compute $\frac{d}{dx} \int_{\pi x}^{\cos(x)} \frac{1}{1+t^3} dt$.

Solution. Split up the integral in order to apply FTC / Chain Rule.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \int_{\pi x}^{\cos(x)} \frac{1}{1+t^3} dt &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_{\pi x}^0 \frac{1}{1+t^3} dt + \int_0^{\cos(x)} \frac{1}{1+t^3} dt \right) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(- \int_0^{\pi x} \frac{1}{1+t^3} dt + \int_0^{\cos(x)} \frac{1}{1+t^3} dt \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{1+(\pi x)^3} \cdot \pi + \frac{1}{1+\cos^3(x)} (-\sin(x)) \\ &= \frac{-\pi}{1+\pi^3 x^3} - \frac{\sin(x)}{1+\cos^3(x)}. \end{aligned}$$

7. On what interval is the function $F(x) = \int_2^x \frac{1}{1+t+t^2} dt$ concave up? Concave down? Find the x -coordinates of any inflection points.

Solution. Let's see. By FTC:

$$F'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x+x^2}.$$

Then

$$F''(x) = \frac{-(2x+1)}{(1+x+x^2)^2}.$$

The denominator $(1+x+x^2)^2$ is always positive. Therefore $F''(x) > 0$ when $-(2x+1) > 0$, which happens when $2x+1 > 0$, which happens when $x > -\frac{1}{2}$. The function $F(x)$ is concave up on the interval $(-\frac{1}{2}, +\infty)$. Likewise, $-(2x+1) < 0$ when $x < -\frac{1}{2}$. The function $f(x)$ is concave down on the interval $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2})$.

8. Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 1$.

- (a) Sketch the graph of $f(x)$ on the interval $[0, 3]$. Use your picture to calculate the area under the curve on this interval.

Solution. Picture omitted. Signed area is $\frac{-3}{4}$.

- (b) Find a function $F(x)$ so that $F'(x) = f(x)$ ($F(x)$ is an antiderivative of $f(x)$).

Solution. $F(x) = \frac{1}{4}x^2 - x$.

- (c) Calculate $F(3) - F(0)$.

Solution. $\frac{-3}{4}$. Behold, it is the same number as part (a).

9. Evaluate the following definite integrals.

(a) $\int_1^4 2x^4 - 3x^2 dx$

Solution. By the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus:

$$\begin{aligned}\int_1^4 2x^4 - 3x^2 dx &= \int_1^4 \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{2}{5}x^5 - x^3 \right) dx \\ &= \left(\frac{2}{5}x^5 - x^3 \right) \Big|_{x=1}^{x=4} - \left(\frac{2}{5}x^5 - x^3 \right) \Big|_{x=1} \\ &\cong 346.2.\end{aligned}$$

(b) $\int_0^4 x\sqrt{x^3} dx$

Solution. By the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus:

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^4 x\sqrt{x^3} dx &= \int_0^4 x^{5/2} dx \\ &= \int_0^4 \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{2}{7}x^{7/2} \right) dx \\ &= \left(\frac{2}{7}x^{7/2} \right) \Big|_{x=0}^{x=4} - \left(\frac{2}{7}x^{7/2} \right) \Big|_{x=0} \\ &= \frac{2}{7}(2^7 - 0).\end{aligned}$$

(c) $\int_0^{\pi/4} \sin(x) dx$

Solution.

$$\int_0^{\pi/4} \sin(x) dx = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) - (-\cos(0)) = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

(d) $\int_0^1 (x^3 - 1)^2 dx$

Solution. Expand first, then FTC. $(x^3 - 1)^2 = x^6 - 2x^3 + 1$. Therefore:

$$\int_0^1 (x^3 - 1)^2 dx = \int_0^1 x^6 - 2x^3 + 1 dx = \left(\frac{1}{7}x^7 - \frac{1}{2}x^4 + x \right) \Big|_{x=0}^{x=1} = \frac{9}{14}.$$

(e) $\int_{-1}^3 |x - 2| dx$

Solution. $|x - 2| = x - 2$ when $x \geq 2$ and $|x - 2| = -(x - 2)$ when $x < 2$. Split up the integral at $x = 2$, the point where the piecewise function changes formulas.

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-1}^3 |x - 2| dx &= \int_{-1}^2 |x - 2| dx + \int_2^3 |x - 2| dx \\ &= \int_{-1}^2 -(x - 2) dx + \int_2^3 x - 2 dx \\ &= 4.5 + 0.5 \\ &= 5.\end{aligned}$$

$$(f) \int_{-1}^5 (1 + 3x) dx$$

Solution.

$$\int_{-1}^5 (1 + 3x) dx = \left(x + \frac{3}{2}x^2 \right) \Big|_{x=-1}^{x=5} = 42.$$

$$(g) \int_0^2 (2 - x^2) dx$$

Solution.

$$\int_0^2 (2 - x^2) dx = \left(2x - \frac{1}{3}x^3 \right) \Big|_{x=0}^{x=2} = \frac{-2}{3}.$$

10. Compute $\int_{-1}^1 x + x^3 dx$. Does your answer make sense geometrically?

Solution.

$$\int_{-1}^1 x + x^3 dx = \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{4}x^4 \right) \Big|_{x=-1}^1 = 0.$$

The geometry is: $f(x) = x + x^3$ is an odd function, and the interval $[-1, 1]$ is symmetric about 0. The area between $x = 0$ and $x = 1$ is the exact negative of the area between $x = -1$ and $x = 0$, and the two cancel.

11. Find $\int_0^5 f(x) dx$ if

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3, & x < 3 \\ x, & x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

Solution. Split up at $x = 3$.

$$\int_0^5 f(x) dx = \int_0^3 f(x) dx + \int_3^5 f(x) dx = \int_0^3 3 dx + \int_3^5 x dx = 9 + 8 = 17.$$

12. Find the area under the curve $y = \sqrt{4x + 4}$ and above the x -axis between the vertical lines $x = 0$ and $x = 2$. Sketch a graph of the curve and the area.

Solution. Sketch omitted, but here's how you can sketch it. Write

$$y = \sqrt{4x + 4} = \sqrt{4(x + 1)} = 2\sqrt{x + 1}.$$

So, shift the graph of $y = \sqrt{x + 1}$ horizontally by one unit, then scale vertically $2\times$.

13. Find two functions $F_1(x), F_2(x)$ such that $F_1'(x) = F_2'(x) = 4x - \cos(x)$. Use both of them to compute $\int_0^\pi 4x - \cos(x) dx$. Do you get the same answer?

Solution. The point is, in FTC # 2, you can use any antiderivative $F(x)$ of a given function $f(x)$, because all antiderivatives are constant shifts of one another.

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a) = (F(b) + C) - (F(a) + C).$$

14. The velocity (in meters per second) of a particle moving along a line is given by $v(t) = t^2 - 2t - 3$ for $2 \leq t \leq 4$. Find the displacement of the particle and the distance traveled by the particle during the given time interval.

Solution. Displacement is:

$$\int_0^4 v(t) dt = \left. \frac{1}{3}t^3 - t^2 - 3t \right|_{t=0}^{t=4} = \frac{-2}{3} \text{ m.}$$

Distance traveled is:

$$\int_0^4 |v(t)| dt.$$

So we need to analyze where $v(t)$ is positive and negative in order to compute the integral.

We factor $v(t) = (t - 3)(t + 1)$. Using test points, we find that $v(t) < 0$ on the time interval $(-1, 3)$ and $v(t) > 0$ on the time interval $(3, +\infty)$. Therefore, the distance traveled is:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^4 |v(t)| dt &= \int_0^3 |v(t)| dt + \int_3^4 |v(t)| dt \\ &= \int_0^3 -v(t) dt + \int_3^4 v(t) dt \\ &= -\int_0^3 v(t) dt + \int_3^4 v(t) dt \\ &= -\left. \left(\frac{1}{3}t^3 - t^2 - 3t \right) \right|_{t=0}^{t=3} + \left. \left(\frac{1}{3}t^3 - t^2 - 3t \right) \right|_{t=3}^{t=4} \\ &= \frac{34}{3} \text{ m.} \end{aligned}$$

Here, we are using the fact that $|x| = x$ when $x > 0$ and $|x| = -x$ when $x < 0$. Therefore $|v(t)| = v(t)$ when $v(t) > 0$ and $|v(t)| = -v(t)$ when $v(t) < 0$. We split the integral along the points where $v(t)$ changes sign.