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Strategy for integrating

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If n is odd and $m \geq 1$ use substitution with $u = \sec x$, $du = \sec x \tan x$, and convert remaining powers of tan to a function of u using $\tan^2 x = \sec^2 x - 1$. This works as long as $m \geq 1$.

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To evaluate

$$\int \sin(mx) \cos(nx) dx \quad \int \sin(mx) \sin(nx) dx \quad \int \cos(mx) \cos(nx) dx$$

we reverse the identities

$$\sin((m - n)x) = \sin(mx) \cos(nx) - \cos(mx) \sin(nx)$$

$$\sin((m + n)x) = \sin mx \cos nx + \sin nx \cos mx$$

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to get

$$\sin(mx) \cos(nx) = \frac{1}{2} [\sin((m - n)x) + \sin((m + n)x)]$$

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- ▶ Also see $\int \cos(8x) \cos(2x) dx$ and $\int \sin(x) \sin(2x) dx$ in the extra examples.

Powers of Secant

Example

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- ▶ Using the substitution $u = \sec x + \tan x$, we get $du = \sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x$ giving us that the above integral is

$$\int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln |u| = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C.$$

$$\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C.$$

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- ▶ Solving for $\int \sec^3 x dx$, we get

$$\int \sec^3 x dx = \frac{\sec x \tan x}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \int \sec^1 x dx = \frac{\sec x \tan x}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C.$$

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- ▶ In fact for $n \geq 3$, we can derive a reduction formula for powers of sec in this way:

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

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► $\int \tan x dx = \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx$

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- $$\begin{aligned}\int \tan^3 x dx &= \int (\sec^2 x - 1) \tan x dx = \int (\sec^2 x) \tan x dx - \int \tan x dx \\ &= \frac{\tan^2 x}{2} - \ln|\sec x| + C = \frac{\tan^2 x}{2} + \ln|\cos x| + C.\end{aligned}$$

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 $= \frac{\tan^2 x}{2} - \ln|\sec x| + C = \frac{\tan^2 x}{2} + \ln|\cos x| + C.$
- ▶ In fact for $n \geq 2$, we can derive a reduction formula for powers of $\tan x$ using this method:

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