

Math 152 Calculus and Analytic Geometry II

Sec 5.4 Indefinite Integrals and the Net Change Theorem

We need a notation for antiderivatives now that we have the Fundamental Theorem Part I and II

The notation $\int f(x)dx$ is used for an antiderivative of $f(x)$ and is called an indefinite integral

Notes:

The indefinite integral represents a family of functions (one for each $+C$)

The definite integral (with endpoints $[a,b]$) is a number (sum of rectangles)

$$\int x^2 dx = \int_1^4 x^2 dx =$$

We adopt the convention that when a formula for a general indefinite integral is given, it is only valid on an interval.

For instance, we will write $\int \frac{1}{x^2} dx = -\frac{1}{x} + C$

even though the general antiderivative is
$$F(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{x} + C_1 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ -\frac{1}{x} + C_2 & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Try Some examples:

$$\int 4x - 5x^3 - 2\sqrt{x} dx$$

$$\int \left(\frac{4x - x^3}{x^2} \right) dx$$

$$\int (\sec \theta \tan \theta - \cos \theta) d\theta$$

Evaluate the following definite integrals using Part II of FTC.

$$\int_1^5 7 + 3t - t^2 dt =$$

$$\int_1^4 \frac{7x - \sqrt{x}}{x^2} dx =$$

The Net Change Theorem: The definite integral of a rate of change is the "net change"

$$\int_a^b F'(x)dx = F(b) - F(a)$$

If $Q(t)$ is the quantity of items stored in a warehouse, $Q'(t)$ is the rate of change of the quantity at time t .

Find the total net change of quantity over the period from $t=4$ to $t=8$.

Suppose we know that $Q'(t) = 15 - 3t$ in units per day. Find the net change in stored items over the 4 day-period.

<http://www.calculusapplets.com/accumulation.html>



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Estimate the net change in stored items over the 4-day period from $t=4$ to $t=8$

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If $P(t)$ is the population of a certain city, $P'(t)$ is the rate of change of the population per year at time t . Find the total net change of quantity over the period from $t=5$ to $t=10$.

Suppose we know that $P'(t) = 500\sqrt{t}$ in people per year. Find the net population change over the 5 year period.

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A particle moves along a straight path so that the velocity at time t is given by

$$v(t) = 5 + 4t - t^2 \text{ measured in feet per second.}$$

Draw the velocity graph. Find the displacement of the particle from $t=0$ to $t=7$.

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Find the total distance traveled by the particle.

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