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Indefinite integrals:

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$$\int \frac{\cos^2(x)}{1 + \tan(x)} dx = \frac{1}{8} (4x + \sin(2x) + \cos(2x) + 2 \log(\sin(x) + \cos(x))) + \text{constant}$$

Possible intermediate steps:

Take the integral:

$$\int \frac{\cos^2(x)}{\tan(x) + 1} dx$$

Multiply numerator and denominator of $\frac{\cos^2(x)}{\tan(x) + 1}$ by $\sec^4(x)$:

$$= \int \frac{\sec^2(x)}{\sec^4(x) + \sec^4(x) \tan(x)} dx$$

Prepare to substitute $u = \tan(x)$. Rewrite $\frac{\sec^2(x)}{\sec^4(x) + \sec^4(x) \tan(x)}$ using $\sec^2(x) = \tan^2(x) + 1$:

$$= \int \frac{\sec^2(x)}{(1 + \tan(x)) (1 + \tan^2(x))^2} dx$$

For the integrand $\frac{\sec^2(x)}{(1 + \tan(x)) (1 + \tan^2(x))^2}$, substitute $u = \tan(x)$ and $du = \sec^2(x) dx$:

$$= \int \frac{1}{(u + 1) (u^2 + 1)^2} du$$

For the integrand $\frac{1}{(u + 1) (u^2 + 1)^2}$, use partial fractions:

$$= \int \left(\frac{1-u}{4(u^2+1)} + \frac{1-u}{2(u^2+1)^2} + \frac{1}{4(u+1)} \right) du$$

Integrate the sum term by term and factor out constants:

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1-u}{u^2+1} du + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

Expanding the integrand $\frac{1-u}{u^2+1}$ gives $\frac{1}{u^2+1} - \frac{u}{u^2+1}$:

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int \left(\frac{1}{u^2+1} - \frac{u}{u^2+1} \right) du + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

Integrate the sum term by term and factor out constants:

$$= -\frac{1}{4} \int \frac{u}{u^2 + 1} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u^2 + 1} du + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

For the integrand $\frac{u}{u^2 + 1}$, substitute $s = u^2 + 1$ and $ds = 2u du$:

$$= -\frac{1}{8} \int \frac{1}{s} ds + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u^2 + 1} du + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

The integral of $\frac{1}{s}$ is $\log(s)$:

$$= -\frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u^2 + 1} du + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

The integral of $\frac{1}{u^2 + 1}$ is $\tan^{-1}(u)$:

$$= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2} du + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

For the integrand $\frac{1-u}{(u^2+1)^2}$, substitute $u = \tan(p)$ and $du = \sec^2(p) dp$. Then $(u^2+1)^2 = (\tan^2(p)+1)^2$

$= \sec^4(p)$ and $p = \tan^{-1}(u)$:

$$= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int \cos^2(p) (1 - \tan(p)) dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

Write $\cos^2(p)$ as $1 - \sin^2(p)$:

$$= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int (1 - \sin^2(p)) (1 - \tan(p)) dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

Expanding the integrand $(1 - \sin^2(p)) (1 - \tan(p))$ gives $-\sin^2(p) - \tan(p) + \sin^2(p) \tan(p) + 1$:

$$= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int (-\sin^2(p) - \tan(p) + \sin^2(p) \tan(p) + 1) dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

Integrate the sum term by term and factor out constants:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) \tan(p) dp - \\ &\quad \frac{1}{2} \int \tan(p) dp - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

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$$\frac{1}{2} \int \tan(p) dp - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du$$

Expanding the integrand $(1 - \cos^2(p)) \tan(p)$ gives $\tan(p) - \sin(p) \cos(p)$:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int (\tan(p) - \sin(p) \cos(p)) dp - \\ &\quad \frac{1}{2} \int \tan(p) dp - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

Integrate the sum term by term and factor out constants:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin(p) \cos(p) dp - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

For the integrand $\sin(p) \cos(p)$, substitute $w = \cos(p)$ and $dw = -\sin(p) dp$:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \int w dw - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

The integral of w is $\frac{w^2}{2}$:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \int \sin^2(p) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

Write $\sin^2(p)$ as $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos(2p)$:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \int \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos(2p) \right) dp + \frac{1}{2} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

Integrate the sum term by term and factor out constants:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \int \cos(2p) dp + \frac{1}{4} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

For the integrand $\cos(2p)$, substitute $v = 2p$ and $dv = 2dp$:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{8} \int \cos(v) dv + \frac{1}{4} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

The integral of $\cos(v)$ is $\sin(v)$:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{\sin(v)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \int 1 dp + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

The integral of 1 is p :

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{p}{4} + \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{\sin(v)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{u+1} du \end{aligned}$$

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For the integrand $\frac{1}{u+1}$, substitute $z_1 = u + 1$ and $dz_1 = du$:

$$= \frac{p}{4} + \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{\sin(v)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{1}{z_1} dz_1$$

The integral of $\frac{1}{z_1}$ is $\log(z_1)$:

$$= \frac{p}{4} - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) + \frac{\sin(v)}{8} + \frac{w^2}{4} + \frac{\log(z_1)}{4} + \text{constant}$$

Substitute back for $z_1 = u + 1$:

$$= \frac{p}{4} - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log(u+1) + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) + \frac{\sin(v)}{8} + \frac{w^2}{4} + \text{constant}$$

Substitute back for $v = 2 p$:

$$= \frac{p}{4} + \frac{1}{8} \sin(2p) - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log(u+1) + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) + \frac{w^2}{4} + \text{constant}$$

Substitute back for $w = \cos(p)$:

$$= \frac{p}{4} + \frac{1}{8} \sin(2p) + \frac{\cos^2(p)}{4} - \frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log(u+1) + \frac{1}{4} \tan^{-1}(u) + \text{constant}$$

Substitute back for $p = \tan^{-1}(u)$:

$$= -\frac{\log(s)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \log(u+1) + \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(u) + \frac{1}{8} \sin(2 \tan^{-1}(u)) + \frac{1}{4} \cos(\tan^{-1}(u))^2 + \text{constant}$$

Simplify using $\cos(\tan^{-1}(z)) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{z^2 + 1}}$:

$$= \frac{-\left(u^2 + 1\right) \log(s) + 2 \left(\left(u^2 + 1\right) \log(u+1) + u + 1\right) + 4 \left(u^2 + 1\right) \tan^{-1}(u)}{8 \left(u^2 + 1\right)} + \text{constant}$$

Substitute back for $s = u^2 + 1$:

$$= \frac{1}{8 \left(u^2 + 1\right)} \left(2 \left(\left(u^2 + 1\right) \log(u+1) + u + 1\right) - \left(u^2 + 1\right) \log(u^2 + 1) + 4 \left(u^2 + 1\right) \tan^{-1}(u)\right) + \text{constant}$$

Substitute back for $u = \tan(x)$:

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left(\sin(2x) + \cos(2x) + 4 \tan^{-1}(\tan(x)) + 2 \log(\tan(x) + 1) - \log(\sec^2(x)) + 1\right) + \text{constant}$$

Which is equivalent for restricted x values to:

Answer:

$$= \frac{1}{8} (4x + \sin(2x) + \cos(2x) + 2 \log(\sin(x) + \cos(x))) + \text{constant}$$

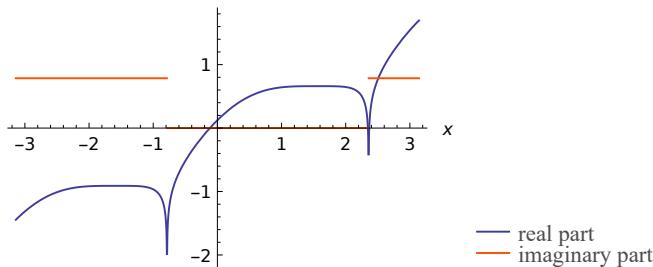
$\log(x)$ is the natural logarithm »

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$\tan^{-1}(x)$ is the inverse tangent function »

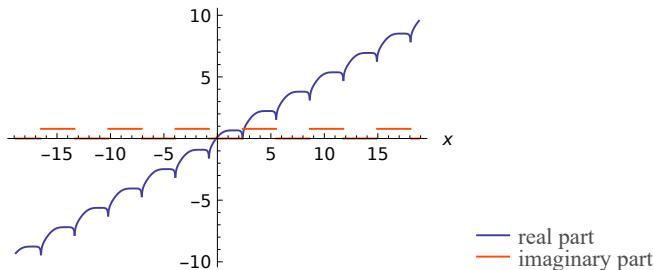
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Complex-valued plot | +



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Alternate forms of the integral:

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$$\frac{1}{8} \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{8} (4x + \cos(2x) + 2 \log(\sin(x) + \cos(x))) + \text{constant}$$

$$\frac{1}{8} \left(4x + \sqrt{2} \sin\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 2 \log(\sin(x) + \cos(x)) \right) + \text{constant}$$

$$\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\sin^2(x)}{8} + \frac{\cos^2(x)}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \sin(x) \cos(x) + \frac{1}{4} \log(\sin(x) + \cos(x)) + \text{constant}$$

Expanded form of the integral:

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$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{8} \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{8} \cos(2x) + \frac{1}{4} \log(\sin(x) + \cos(x)) + \text{constant}$$

Series expansion of the integral at x=0:

$$\frac{1}{8} + x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{12} + O(x^5)$$

(Taylor series)



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Series expansion of the integral at x=-π/4:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{8} \left(2 \log\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) - \pi - 1 + \log(2) \right) + \frac{3}{4} \left(x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + \\ & \frac{5}{24} \left(x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{6} \left(x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^3 - \frac{61}{720} \left(x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^4 + \frac{1}{30} \left(x + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^5 + O\left(\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^6\right) \end{aligned}$$

(generalized Puiseux series)



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Series expansion of the integral at x=(3 π)/4:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{8} \left(2 \log\left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4}\right) + (3 + 2i)\pi - 1 + \log(2) \right) + \frac{3}{4} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) + \\ & \frac{5}{24} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{6} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^3 - \frac{61}{720} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^4 + \frac{1}{30} \left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^5 + O\left(\left(x - \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)^6\right) \end{aligned}$$

(generalized Puiseux series)



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