

# Section 5.7

## Solutions and Hints

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For this section you might want to refer to the below table:

Function Given	Its Anti-Derivative
$k * x^n$ (and $n \neq -1$ ) <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>	$\frac{k * x^{n+1}}{n + 1}$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>
$\frac{1}{x}$	$\ln( x )$
$k * e^x$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>	$k * e^x$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>
$k * \cos(x)$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>	$k * \sin(x)$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>
$k * \sin(x)$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>	$-k * \cos(x)$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>
$k * \sec^2(x)$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>	$k * \tan(x)$ <i>where <math>k</math> is a constant</i>
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\sin^{-1}(x)$
$\frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\tan^{-1}(x)$

### 3. Find the most general antiderivative of the function:

$$f(x) = 6x^9 - 4x^7 + 3x^2 + 1$$

So there are really four parts to this problem:

- Find the antiderivative of  $6x^9$ .
- Find the antiderivative of  $-4x^7$ .
- Find the antiderivative of  $3x^2$ .
- Find the antiderivative of  $1 = x^0$ .

All of these are solved by applying the “reverse” of the power rule:

Given  $c \cdot x^n$  its antiderivative is  $c \cdot \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$

$$\text{So } 6x^9 \text{ has the antiderivative: } 6 \cdot \frac{x^{9+1}}{9+1} = \frac{6x^{10}}{10} = \frac{3x^{10}}{5}$$

$$-4x^7 \text{ has the antiderivative: } -4 \cdot \frac{x^{7+1}}{7+1} = \frac{-4x^8}{8} = \frac{-x^8}{2}$$

$$3x^2 \text{ has the antiderivative: } 3 \cdot \frac{x^{2+1}}{2+1} = \frac{3x^3}{3} = x^3.$$

$$1 = x^0 \text{ has the antiderivative: } 1 \cdot \frac{x^{0+1}}{0+1} = x.$$

And then you put it all together:

$$f(x) = 6x^9 - 4x^7 + 3x^2 + 1$$

means

$$F(x) = \frac{3x^{10}}{5} + \frac{-x^8}{2} + x^3 + x \text{ and do NOT forget the } + C$$

$$F(x) = \frac{3x^{10}}{5} + \frac{-x^8}{2} + x^3 + x + C$$

**9. Find the most general antiderivative of the function:**

$$g(t) = \frac{t^3 + 2t^2}{\sqrt{t}} = \frac{t^3 + 2t^2}{t^{1/2}}$$

This one may look difficult, however begin by dividing everything out:

$$\begin{aligned} g(t) &= \frac{t^3 + 2t^2}{t^{1/2}} = \frac{t^3}{t^{1/2}} + \frac{2t^2}{t^{1/2}} \\ &= t^{3-(1/2)} + 2t^{2-(1/2)} \\ &= t^{5/2} + 2t^{3/2} \end{aligned}$$

And now apply the reverse power rule: Given  $c \cdot x^n$  its antiderivative is  $c \cdot \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$

$$\text{The antiderivative of } t^{5/2} \text{ is: } \frac{t^{(5/2)+1}}{(5/2)+1} = \frac{t^{7/2}}{(7/2)} = t^{7/2} * \frac{2}{7} = \frac{2t^{7/2}}{7}$$

$$\text{The antiderivative of } 2t^{3/2} \text{ is: } \frac{2t^{(3/2)+1}}{(3/2)+1} = \frac{2t^{5/2}}{(5/2)} = 2t^{5/2} * \frac{2}{5} = \frac{4t^{5/2}}{5}$$

Now put it together, and remember the +C:

$$\text{Given: } g(t) = t^{5/2} + 2t^{3/2}$$

$$\text{Then } G(t) = \frac{2t^{7/2}}{7} + \frac{4t^{5/2}}{5} + C$$

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### 11. $h(x) = \sin(x) - 2\cos(x)$

So  $h(x) = f(x) + g(x)$ , where  $f(x) = \sin(x)$  and  $g(x) = -2 \cos(x)$

$$H(x) = F(x) + G(x) + C$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) = \sin(x) &\quad \rightarrow F(x) = -\cos(x), && \text{from looking at the table above} \\ g(x) = -2\cos(x) &\quad \rightarrow G(x) = -2\sin(x), && \text{from looking at the table above} \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} H(x) &= F(x) + G(x) + C \\ &= -\cos(x) + (-2)\sin(x) + C \\ &= -\cos(x) - 2\sin(x) + C \end{aligned}$$

**Do NOT forget the +C !!!**

The antiderivative of  $h(x) = H(x) = -\cos(x) - 2\sin(x) + C$

### 12. $f(t) = \sin(t) - 2t^{1/2}$ .

Notice we rewrote  $2\sqrt{t}$  as  $t^{1/2}$ . And as with problem 11 we see we can break the given function into the addition of two separate functions:

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= g(t) + h(t), && \text{where } g(t) = \sin(t) \text{ and } h(t) = -2t^{1/2}. \\ F(t) &= G(t) + H(t) + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(t) = \sin(t) &\quad \rightarrow G(t) = -\cos(t) \\ h(t) = -2t^{1/2} &\quad \rightarrow H(t) = (-2 * t^{1/2+1}) / (1/2 + 1) = (-2 * t^{3/2}) / (3/2) = (-4/3)t^{3/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} F(t) &= G(t) + H(t) + C \\ F(t) &= -\cos(t) + (-4/3)t^{3/2} + C \\ &= -\cos(t) - (4/3)t^{3/2} + C \end{aligned}$$

The antiderivative of  $f(t) = F(t) = -\cos(t) - (4/3) * t^{3/2} + C$ .

**19. Find  $f(x)$  given  $f''(x) = 1$** 

The only tricky part of doing these is remembering to include the unknown constants (i.e. the  $+C$ ,  $+D$ , etc) as you go.

Notice that  $f''(x) = 1$  is the same thing as  $f''(x) = 1 \cdot x^0$ .

$$f''(x) = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad f'(x) = x + C, \quad \text{where } C \text{ is some constant.}$$

$$f'(x) = x + C \quad \rightarrow \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + Cx + D, \quad \text{where } D \text{ is some constant.}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + Cx + D$$

**23. Find  $f(x)$  given  $f'(x) = 4x + 3$  and  $f(0) = -9$** 

Here since they give us a value of  $f(0)$  we will be able to solve for  $C$ .

$$f'(x) = 4x + 3 \rightarrow f(x) = \frac{4 \cdot x^{1+1}}{1+1} + \frac{3 \cdot x^{0+1}}{0+1} + C$$

$$\rightarrow f(x) = 2x^2 + 3x + C$$

As we are given  $f(0) = -9$  we can put 0 in for  $x$  and get:

$$f(0) = 2 \cdot 0^2 + 3 \cdot 0 + C, \quad \text{and put } -9 \text{ in for } f(0)$$

$$-9 = 0 + 0 + C$$

$$-9 = C$$

Now put that back into our general solution for  $f(x)$ :

$$f(x) = 2x^2 + 3x + C \quad \rightarrow \quad f(x) = 2x^2 + 3x - 9$$

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**34. Find f(x) given f''(x) = x + x<sup>1/2</sup>, f(1) = 1, f'(1) = 2**

As we are given f(1) = 1 and f'(1) = 2 we will be able to solve for C and D.

Notice we have rewritten  $\sqrt{x}$  as  $x^{1/2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) = x + x^{1/2} &\rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1 \cdot x^{1+1}}{1+1} + \frac{1 \cdot x^{(1/2)+1}}{(1/2)+1} + C \\ &\rightarrow f'(x) = x^2 + \frac{x^{3/2}}{(3/2)} + C \\ &\rightarrow f'(x) = x^2 + \frac{2x^{3/2}}{3} + C \end{aligned}$$

Given f'(1) = 2 we can solve for C:

$$f'(1) = 1^2 + \frac{2 \cdot 1^{3/2}}{3} + C, \quad \text{put 2 in for } f'(1).$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= (5/3) + C, && \text{solve for } C. \\ (1/3) &= C \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$f'(x) = x^2 + \frac{2x^{3/2}}{3} + C \quad \rightarrow f'(x) = x^2 + \frac{2x^{3/2}}{3} + \frac{1}{3}$$

Now we find f(x)

$$f'(x) = x^2 + \frac{2x^{3/2}}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \quad \rightarrow f(x) = \frac{1 \cdot x^{2+1}}{2+1} + \frac{(2/3)x^{3/2+1}}{(3/2)+1} + \frac{(1/3) \cdot x^{0+1}}{0+1} + D$$

$$\rightarrow f(x) = \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{4x^{5/2}}{15} + \frac{1}{3}x + D$$

Given that f(1) = 1 we can solve for D:

$$f(1) = \frac{1^3}{3} + \frac{4 \cdot 1^{5/2}}{15} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot 1 + D, \quad \text{put 1 in for } f(1).$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= (1/3) + (4/15) + (1/3) + D \\ (1/15) &= D \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{4x^{5/2}}{15} + \frac{1}{3}x + D \quad \rightarrow f(x) = \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{4x^{5/2}}{15} + \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{1}{15}$$

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**58. A particle is moving according to the given equations.  
Find the position of the particle.**

Given:  $a(t) = \cos(t) + \sin(t)$  and  $s(0) = 0$  and  $v(0) = 5$

For this  $a(t)$  is acceleration,  $v(t)$  is velocity,  $s(t)$  is position.  
AND  $s''(t) = a(t)$  AND  $s'(t) = v(t)$

Effectively we are given:

$$s''(t) = \cos(t) + \sin(t), \quad s(0) = 0, \quad s'(0) = 5$$

And everything works as problems 23 to 40.

$$s''(t) = \cos(t) + \sin(t) \rightarrow s'(t) = \sin(t) - \cos(t) + C$$

Given  $s'(0) = 5$  we can solve for C:

$$s'(0) = \sin(0) - \cos(0) + C$$

$$5 = 0 - 1 + C$$

$$6 = C$$

Thus

$$s'(t) = \sin(t) - \cos(t) + C \quad \rightarrow \quad s'(t) = \sin(t) - \cos(t) - 6$$

From that we can find  $s(t)$ :

$$s'(t) = \sin(t) - \cos(t) - 6 \quad \rightarrow \quad s(t) = -\cos(t) - \sin(t) - 6t + D$$

Given  $s(0) = 0$  we can solve for D:

$$s(0) = -\cos(0) - \sin(0) - 6*0 + D$$

$$0 = -1 - 0 - 0 + D$$

$$1 = D$$

And we have

$$s(t) = -\cos(t) - \sin(t) - 6t + D \rightarrow s(t) = -\cos(t) - \sin(t) - 6t + 1$$

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**73. A stone was dropped off a cliff and hit the ground with a speed of 120 feet per second. What is the height of the cliff ?**

Here you need to know quite a few things:

Let  $a(t)$  be acceleration,  $v(t)$  be velocity and  $s(t)$  be position.

acceleration =  $a(t) = -32 \text{ ft/s}^2$  (this is just how physics on earth is)  
(the negative sign indicates downward)

$$s''(t) = v'(t) = a'(t)$$

Let  $t_{\text{final}}$  be the time in seconds at which the stone hits the ground.

Let  $s(0) = 0$  (sea level if you will)

Let  $v(0) = s'(0) = 0$  (as it was simply dropped, it has no initial velocity)

Thus  $|s(t_{\text{final}})| =$  the height of the cliff.

We begin with  $a(t) = s''(t)$  and use anti-differentiation to find  $v(t)$  and  $s(t)$ .

$$a(t) = s''(t) = -32 \quad \rightarrow \quad v(t) = s'(t) = -32*t + C$$

We know  $v(0) = 0$  so

$$v(0) = -32*0 + C \quad \rightarrow \quad 0 = 0 + C \quad \rightarrow \quad C = 0$$

Thus

$$v(t) = -32*t$$

$$v(t) = s'(t) = -32*t \quad \rightarrow \quad s(t) = -16*t^2 + D$$

We know  $s(0) = 0$  so

$$s(0) = -16*0^2 + D \quad \rightarrow \quad 0 = 0 + D \quad \rightarrow \quad D = 0$$

Thus

$$s(t) = -16*t^2$$

In sum we have:

$$a(t) = -32$$

$$v(t) = -32*t$$

$$s(t) = -16*t^2$$

We need to find  $t_{\text{final}}$  when the stone hit the ground.

We know at this time its speed was 120 ft/s in the downward direction thus:

$$v(t_{\text{final}}) = -120 = -32*t_{\text{final}} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{-120}{-32} = t_{\text{final}} \\ \rightarrow \quad t_{\text{final}} = 3.75 \text{ seconds}$$

And we can now put 3.75 into the position equation to see how far the stone fell:

$$s(3.75) = -16*(3.75)^2 = -225$$

So the stone fell downward 225 feet, thus the cliff must be 225 feet high.

The cliff is 225 feet high.

**80. A projectile is fired with an initial speed of 500 m/s and an angle of elevation  $30^\circ$  from a position of 200 meters above the ground.**

**80a. Find the range (horizontal distance) of the projectile.**

Let ground level be at height = 0.

Let  $x(t)$  be the horizontal position of the projectile at time  $t$ .

Let  $y(t)$  be the vertical position of the projectile at time  $t$ .

Thus  $x'(t)$  is the horizontal velocity and  $y'(t)$  is the vertical velocity.

Likewise  $x''(t)$  is the horizontal acceleration and  $y''(t)$  is the vertical acceleration.

Notice  $y(0) = 200$  as the projectile was 200 meters above the ground when fired.

( $y(0) = 0$  for problem 79)

Let  $x(0) = 0$  as this makes the horizontal distance easier to calculate.

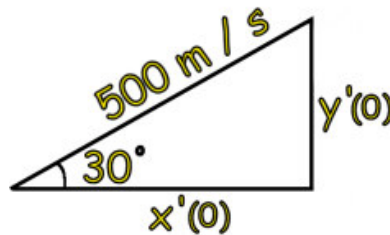
**The Plan:**

To find the range we must find the time,  $t_{\text{final}}$ , such that  $y(t_{\text{final}}) = 0$ .

We will put  $t_{\text{final}}$  into  $x(t)$  to find how far the projectile went horizontally.

**The Work:**

We are given the projectile was fired at 500 m/s at  $30^\circ$  elevation:



Thus the  $x'(0) = \cos(30^\circ) * 500 \rightarrow x'(0) = 250\sqrt{3}$  m/s

and  $y'(0) = \sin(30^\circ)*500 \rightarrow y'(0) = 250$  m/s

Let  $y''(t) = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ , *this is just physics on the earth (the negative means down).*

Now we need to use anti-differentiation to find some stuff:

$$y''(t) = -9.8 \rightarrow y'(t) = -9.8t + C$$

Given  $y'(0) = 250$  we get:

$$y'(0) = -9.8*0 + C \rightarrow 250 = 0 + C \rightarrow C = 250$$

So

$$y'(t) = -9.8t + 250 \rightarrow y(t) = -4.9t^2 + 250t + D$$

Given  $y(0) = 200$  we get:

$$y(0) = -4.9*0^2 + 250 * 0 + D \rightarrow 200 = 0 + 0 + D \rightarrow D = 200$$

Thus

$$y(t) = -4.9t^2 + 250t + 200$$

Recall we are trying to find the time,  $t_{\text{final}}$ , such that  $y(t_{\text{final}}) = 0$ .

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### 80a. continued

So set  $y(t) = 0$  and solve for  $t$ :

$$-4.9t^2 + 250t + 200 = 0, \quad \text{apply the quadratic equation to solve for } t.$$

$$\begin{aligned} t &= \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{-250 \pm \sqrt{250^2 - 4 * (-4.9) * 200}}{2 * (-4.9)} \\ &= \frac{-250 \pm \sqrt{66420}}{-9.8} \\ &\cong -0.787834606 \quad \text{or} \quad 51.80824277 \end{aligned}$$

As we cannot go backwards in time we discard the negative solution.

**Thus the projectile will hit the ground roughly 51.8 seconds after it is fired.**

We now must find  $x(t)$  and put 51.8 into it to find how far horizontally the projectile goes (its range).

Notice we will neglect wind resistance and friction and such so that  $x''(t) = 0$ .

$$x''(t) = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad x'(t) = 0 + C$$

From our picture above we discovered  $x'(0) = 250\sqrt{3}$

$$x'(0) = 0 + C \quad \rightarrow \quad 250\sqrt{3} = 0 + C \quad \rightarrow \quad C = 250\sqrt{3}$$

So

$$x'(t) = 250\sqrt{3} \quad \rightarrow \quad x(t) = 250\sqrt{3} * t + D$$

We set  $x(0) = 0$ , thus:

$$x(0) = 250\sqrt{3} * 0 + D \quad \rightarrow \quad 0 = 0 + D \quad \rightarrow \quad D = 0$$

So

$$x(t) = 250\sqrt{3} * t$$

And we know from our above work the projectile hits the ground roughly 51.8 seconds after it is fired so we put 51.8 into  $x(t)$ :

$$x(51.8) = 250\sqrt{3} * 51.8 \cong 22430.05796$$

We conclude the projectile has a range of about 22,430 feet.

**80b. Find the maximum height reached by the projectile.**

The projectile will achieve its maximum height when its velocity switches from positive (moving upward) to negative (moving downward). Thus the maximum will occur at the time  $t_{\max}$  such that  $v_{\text{vertical}}(t_{\max}) = 0$ . Or rather we must solve  $y'(t) = 0$  for  $t$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\text{From part (a) we know } y'(t) &= -9.8t + 250. \text{ Set this } = 0 \text{ and solve for } t: \\ -9.8t + 250 &= 0 && \rightarrow 250 = 9.8t \\ &&& \rightarrow t \cong 25.51020408\end{aligned}$$

So at roughly  $t_{\max} = 25.51$  seconds the projectile is at its highest point.

Thus if we put 25.5102 into  $y(t)$  we will find how high it went. From part (a) we know  $y(t) = -4.9t^2 + 250t + 200$ .

$$\begin{aligned}y(25.5102) &= -4.9(25.5102)^2 + 250 * (25.5102) + 200 \\ &\cong 3388.77551\end{aligned}$$

The maximum height the projectile reaches is about 3389 feet.

**80c. Find the speed of the projectile when it impacts the ground.**

Speed is the magnitude of velocity.

Notice the projectile has both horizontal and vertical velocity.

From part (a) we know the projectile hits the ground at time  $t \cong 51.8$  seconds. We put this into  $x'(t)$  and  $y'(t)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}x'(51.8) &= 250\sqrt{3} && \cong 433.0127019 \\ y'(51.8) &= -9.8*51.8 + 250 && \cong -257.64\end{aligned}$$

We now apply the Pythagorean theorem to find the magnitude of the velocity:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{speed} &= \sqrt{x'(51.8)^2 + y'(51.8)^2} && = \sqrt{(250\sqrt{3})^2 + (-257.64)^2} \\ &&& \cong 503.8634434\end{aligned}$$

The speed of the projectile upon impact is about 503.9 m/s.