

三角関数のべき乗の積分

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1 三角関数のべき乗の積分

正弦 (sin), 余弦 (cos) の積分

$$f_n(\theta) = \int \sin^n \theta d\theta \quad (1)$$

$$g_n(\theta) = \int \cos^n \theta d\theta \quad (2)$$

を求める (n は自然数).

1.1 正弦

(i) $n = 1$ のとき,

$$f_1(\theta) = \int \sin \theta d\theta = -\cos \theta + C \quad (3)$$

(ii) $n = 2$ のとき,

$$\begin{aligned} f_2(\theta) &= \int \sin^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta \\ &= \frac{\theta}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta + C \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

部分積分法を用いると,

$$\begin{aligned} f_{n+2}(\theta) &= \int \sin^{n+2} \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \sin^{n+1} \theta \cdot (-\cos \theta)' d\theta \\ &= \sin^{n+1} \theta \cdot (-\cos \theta) - \int (n+1) \sin^n \theta \cos \theta \cdot (-\cos \theta) d\theta \\ &= -\sin^{n+1} \theta \cos \theta + (n+1) \int \sin^n \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= -\sin^{n+1} \theta \cos \theta + (n+1) [f_n(\theta) - f_{n+2}(\theta)] \end{aligned}$$

したがって,

$$f_{n+2}(\theta) = \frac{n+1}{n+2} f_n(\theta) - \frac{1}{n+2} \sin^{n+1} \theta \cos \theta \quad (5)$$

が成り立つ.

n が奇数のときは, (3), (5) 式を用いる. n が偶数のときは, (4), (5) 式を用いる.

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1.2 余弦

(i) $n = 1$ のとき,

$$g_1(\theta) = \int \cos \theta d\theta = \sin \theta + C \quad (6)$$

(ii) $n = 2$ のとき,

$$\begin{aligned} g_2(\theta) &= \int \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta \\ &= \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2\theta + C \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

部分積分法を用いると,

$$\begin{aligned} g_{n+2}(\theta) &= \int \cos^{n+2} \theta d\theta \\ &= \int \cos^{n+1} \theta \cdot (\sin \theta)' d\theta \\ &= \cos^{n+1} \theta \cdot \sin \theta - \int (n+1) \cos^n \theta (-\sin \theta) \cdot \sin \theta d\theta \\ &= \cos^{n+1} \theta \sin \theta + (n+1) \int \cos^n \theta (1 - \cos^2 \theta) d\theta \\ &= \cos^{n+1} \theta \sin \theta + (n+1) [g_n(\theta) - g_{n+2}(\theta)] \end{aligned}$$

したがって,

$$g_{n+2}(\theta) = \frac{n+1}{n+2} g_n(\theta) + \frac{1}{n+2} \cos^{n+1} \theta \sin \theta \quad (8)$$

が成り立つ.

n が奇数のときは, (6), (8) 式を用いる. n が偶数のときは, (7), (8) 式を用いる.