

CALCULUS

Antidifferentiation problems

EXAMPLE: Find the set of all antiderivatives of
 $f(x) = 6x^2 - 4x + 7$.

Check your answer by differentiation.



$$6 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right] - 4 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right] + 7x + C$$

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$$\frac{d}{dx} [2x^3 - 2x^2 + 7x + C] = 6x^2 - 4x + 7 \quad \blacksquare$$

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$$8 \left[\frac{x^{-3}}{-3} \right] + 4 [\ln x] - \cancel{3} \left[\frac{x^3}{\cancel{3}} \right] + C$$
$$\parallel$$
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Domain: $x \neq 0$

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$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[-\frac{8}{3x^3} + 4 \ln x - x^3 + C \right]$$

Domain: $x > 0$

$$= -\frac{8}{3} \left[\frac{d}{dx} (x^{-3}) \right] + 4 \left[\frac{d}{dx} (\ln x) \right] - \left[\frac{d}{dx} (x^3) \right]$$

$$= +\frac{8}{3} \left[+\cancel{3}x^{-4} \right] + 4 \left[\frac{1}{x} \right] - 3x^2$$

$$= 8x^{-4} + \frac{4}{x} - 3x^2$$

$$= \frac{8}{x^4} + \frac{4x^3}{x^4} - \frac{3x^6}{x^4} = \frac{8 + 4x^3 - 3x^6}{x^4}$$

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Perfect (better than necessary, for this class):

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Think about the domains.

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$$f(x) = \frac{3 - x^2}{1 + x^2}.$$

The diagram illustrates the partial fraction decomposition of the function $f(x) = \frac{3 - x^2}{1 + x^2}$. A dashed purple box encloses the long division process. Orange arrows show the mapping from terms in the original function to terms in the decomposition.

$$f(x) = \frac{3 - x^2}{1 + x^2} = -1 + \frac{4}{1 + x^2}$$

The long division process is shown as follows:

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 1 \overline{) -x^2 + 3} \\ \underline{-x^2 - 1} \\ 4 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{3 - x^2}{1 + x^2} = -1 + \frac{4}{1 + x^2} \\ &= -1 + 4 \left(\frac{1}{1 + x^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

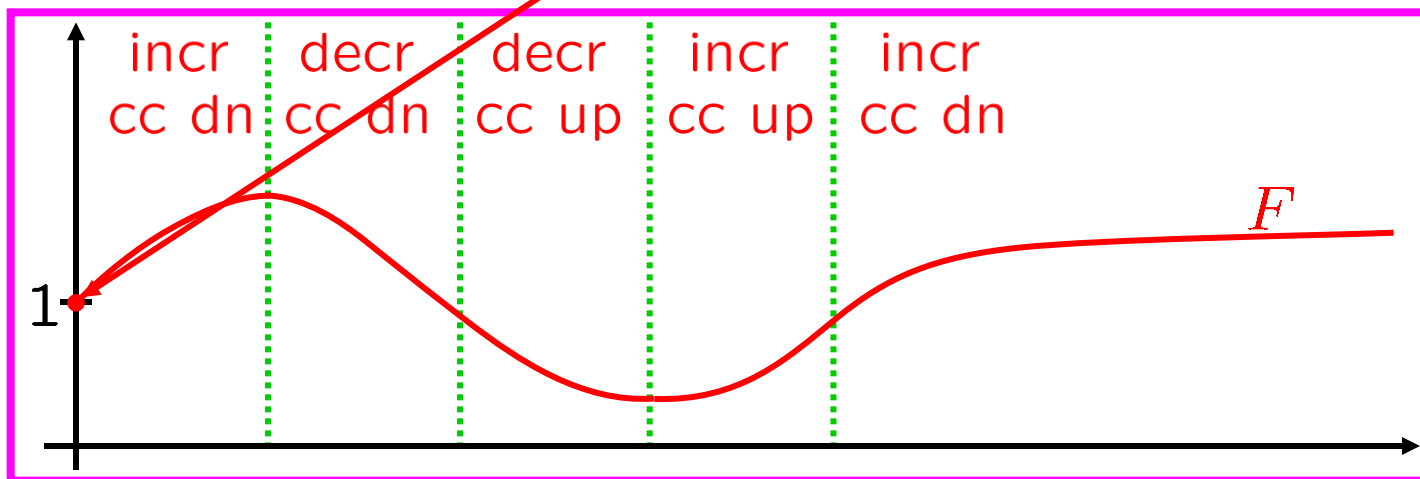
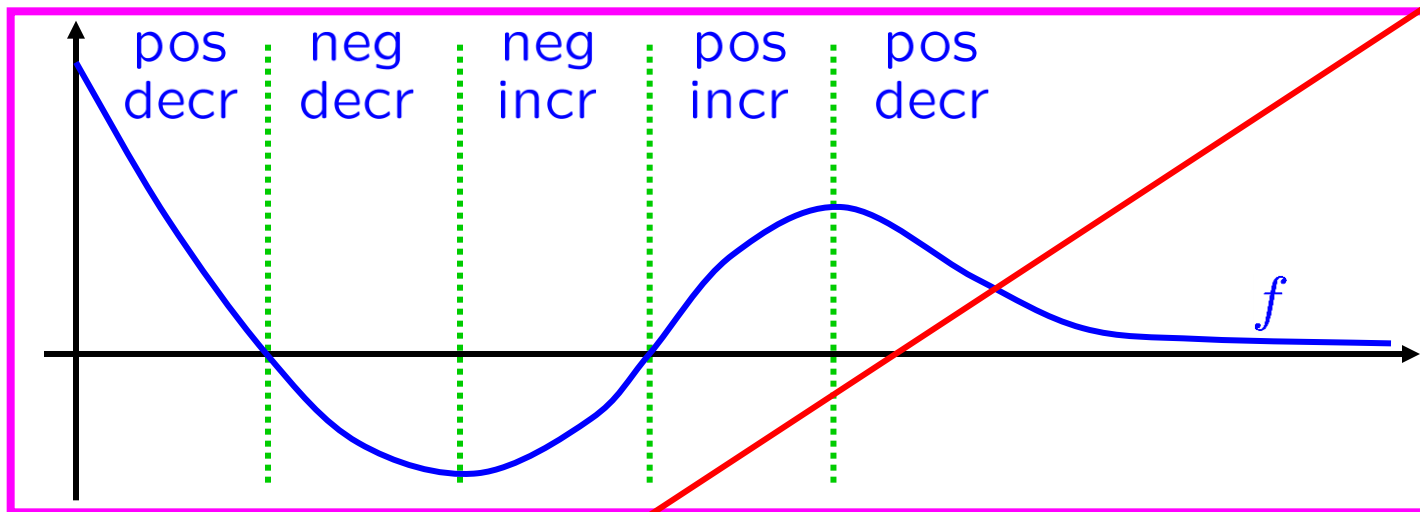
ANTIDIFF

$$-x + 4(\arctan(x)) + C$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} [-x + 4(\arctan(x)) + C] &= -1 + 4 \left(\frac{1}{1 + x^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{-(1 + x^2)}{1 + x^2} + \frac{4}{1 + x^2} \\ &= \frac{3 - x^2}{1 + x^2} \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

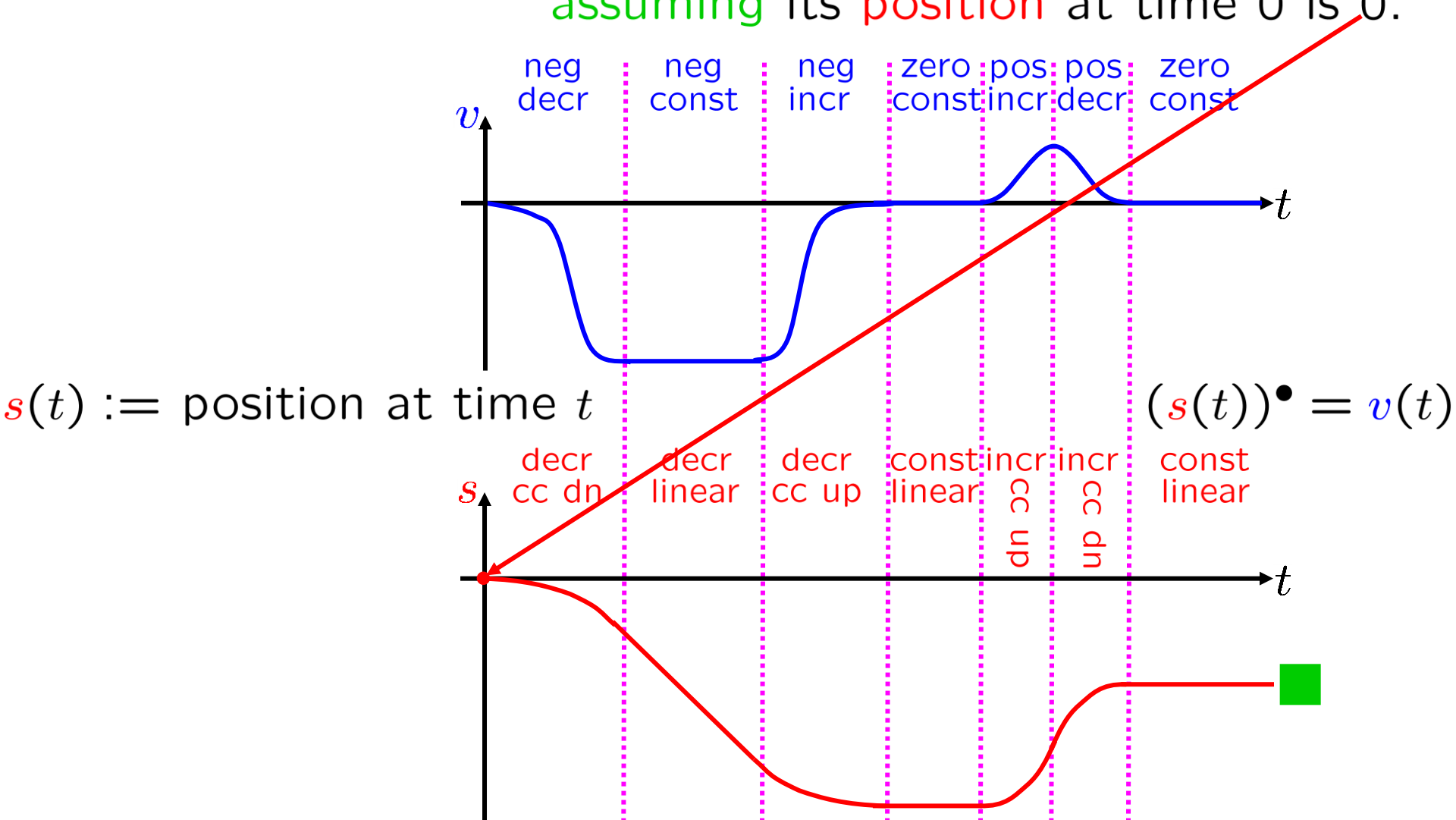
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EXAMPLE: The graph of a function f is given below.
 Make a rough sketch of the antiderivative F of f on $[0, \infty)$ such that $F(0) = 1$.



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EXAMPLE: A particle is moving on a number line. The graph of its **velocity** function is shown below. **Sketch** the graph of its **position** function, **assuming** its **position** at time 0 is 0.



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EXAMPLE: Find the antiderivative $F(x)$ of

$$f(x) = 5 + 2(1 + x^2)^{-1}$$

that satisfies $F(1) = -1$. Check your answer by comparing the graphs of f and F .

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$$F(x) = 5x + 2(\arctan(x)) - 6 - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$[F(x) = 5x + 2(\arctan(x)) + C]_{x: \rightarrow 1}$$

$$-1 = F(1) = 5 + 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + C$$

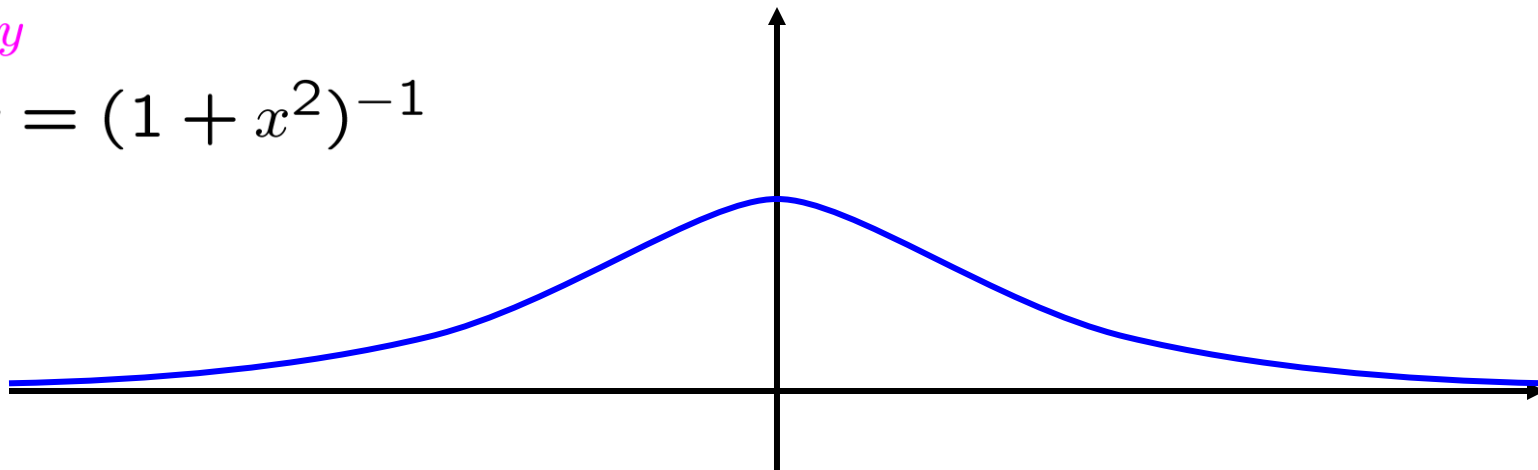
$$-6 - \frac{\pi}{2} = C$$

Exercise with hints:
Graph $y = f(x)$...

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$$y = 2(1 + x^2)^{-1}$$

$$y \rightarrow y - 5$$

$$y - 5 = 2(1 + x^2)^{-1}$$



$$y = 5 + 2(1 + x^2)^{-1}$$

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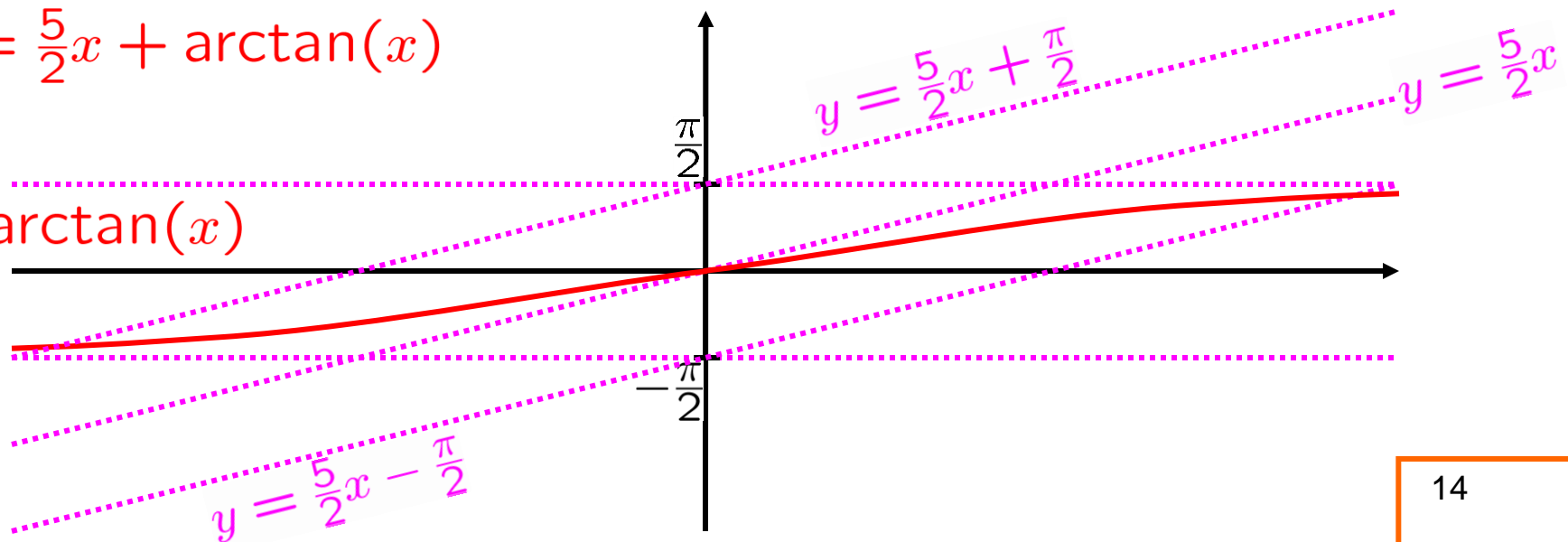
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Next:

$$y = \frac{5}{2}x + \arctan(x)$$

$$y = \arctan(x)$$



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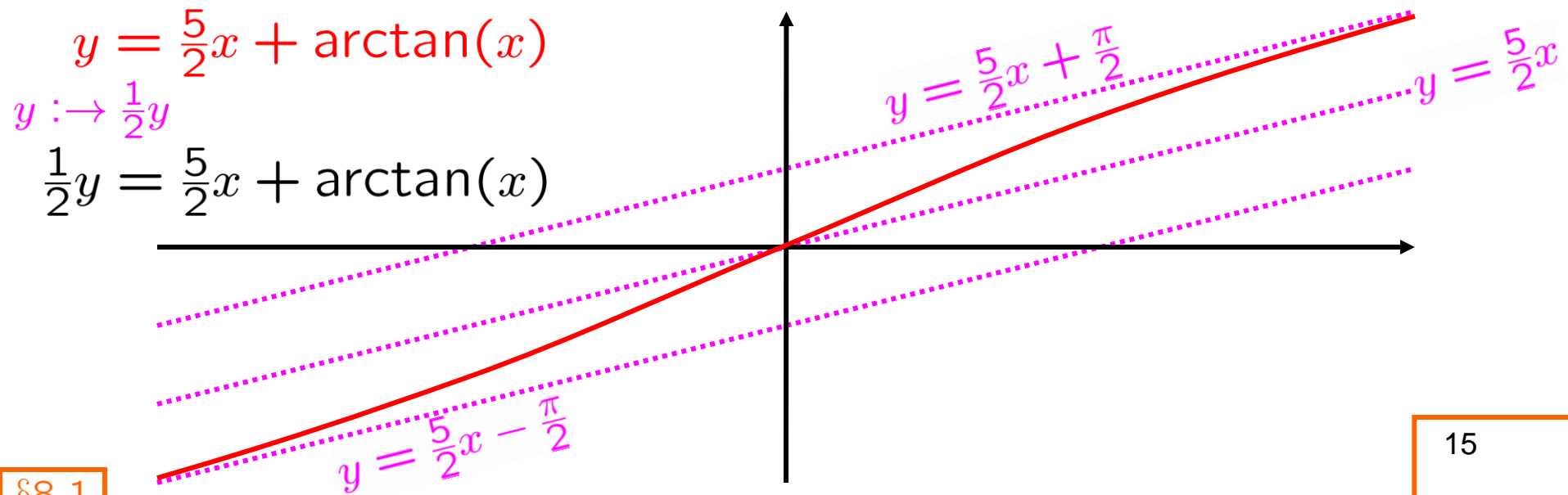
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$$y \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}y$$

$$\frac{1}{2}y = \frac{5}{2}x + \arctan(x) \Leftrightarrow y = 5x + 2(\arctan(x))$$

$$y \rightarrow y + 6 + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y + 6 + \frac{\pi}{2} = 5x + 2(\arctan(x))$$



$$y = 5x + 2(\arctan(x)) - 6 - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

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EXAMPLE: Find the set of all functions f s.t.

$$f''(x) = 2 - 40x^3 + 56x^6.$$

$$f''(x) = 56x^6 - 40x^3 + 2$$

ANTIDIFF $f'(x) = 56 \left[\frac{x^7}{7} \right] - 40 \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right] + 2x + C$

$$= 8x^7 - 10x^4 + 2x + C$$

ANTIDIFF $f(x) = 8 \left[\frac{x^8}{8} \right] - 10 \left[\frac{x^5}{5} \right] + 2 \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right] + Cx + D$

$$= x^8 - 2x^5 + x^2 + Cx + D \blacksquare$$
$$f(x) \in \{x^8 - 2x^5 + x^2 + Cx + D \mid C, D \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

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$$f''(t) = 12t - (15/4)\sqrt{t}.$$

$$f''(t) = 12t - (15/4)t^{1/2}$$

ANTIDIFF

$$\begin{aligned} f'(t) &= 12 \left[\frac{t^2}{2} \right] - (15/4) \left[\frac{t^{3/2}}{3/2} \right] + C \\ &= 6t^2 - (5/2)t^{3/2} + C \end{aligned}$$

ANTIDIFF

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= 6 \left[\frac{t^3}{3} \right] - \cancel{(5/2)} \left[\frac{t^{5/2}}{\cancel{5/2}} \right] + Ct + D \\ &= 2t^3 - t^{5/2} + Ct + D \\ &= 2t^3 - \sqrt{t^5} + Ct + D \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

$$f(t) \in \left\{ 2t^3 - \sqrt{t^5} + Ct + D \mid C, D \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

EXAMPLE: Find the function f s.t.

$$f''(x) = 2 - 6x + 80x^3, \quad f(0) = -4 \quad \text{and} \quad f'(0) = 4.$$

$$f''(x) = 80x^3 - 6x + 2$$

ANTIDIFF

$$f'(x) = 20x^4 - 3x^2 + 2x + 4$$

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$$f(x) = 4x^5 - x^3 + x^2 + 4x - 4 \blacksquare$$

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EXAMPLE: Find the function f s.t.

$$f''(t) = 3e^t + 4\cos(2t), \quad f(0) = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad f'(\pi) = 0.$$

ANTIDIFF

$$\left(\begin{aligned} f'(t) &= 3e^t + 4 \left[\frac{\sin(2t)}{2} \right] + C \\ &= 3e^t + 2\sin(2t) + C \end{aligned} \right)_{t \rightarrow \pi}$$
$$= 3e^t + 2\sin(2t) - 3e^\pi$$
$$- 3e^\pi = C$$

$$0 = 3e^\pi + \cancel{2\sin(2\pi)} + C$$
$$= 3e^\pi + C$$

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ANTIDIFF

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$$= 3e^t - \cos(2t) - 3e^{\pi t} + D$$

$t: \rightarrow 0$

$$= 3e^t - \cos(2t) - 3e^{\pi t} + 1$$

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$$1 = D$$



$$\begin{aligned} 3 &= 3e^0 - \cos(2 \cdot 0) - 3e^{\pi \cdot 0} + D \\ &= 3 - 1 - 0 + D \\ &= 2 + D \end{aligned}$$