

EXAMPLE 6 Finding Area

Find the area of the region bounded by the curve $y = xe^{-x}$ and the x -axis from $x = 0$ to $x = 4$.

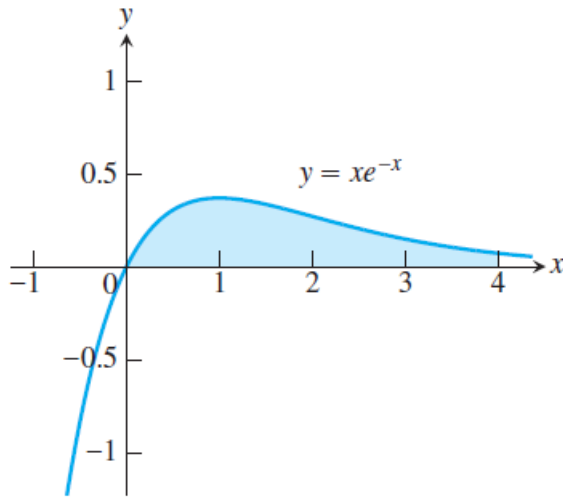


FIGURE 8.1 The region in Example 6.

Solution The region is shaded in Figure 8.1. Its area is

$$\int_0^4 xe^{-x} dx.$$

Let $u = x$, $dv = e^{-x} dx$, $v = -e^{-x}$, and $du = dx$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^4 xe^{-x} dx &= -xe^{-x} \Big|_0^4 - \int_0^4 (-e^{-x}) dx \\&= [-4e^{-4} - (0)] + \int_0^4 e^{-x} dx \\&= -4e^{-4} - e^{-x} \Big|_0^4 \\&= -4e^{-4} - e^{-4} - (-e^0) = 1 - 5e^{-4} \approx 0.91.\end{aligned}$$

EXAMPLE 7 Using Tabular Integration

Evaluate

$$\int x^2 e^x dx.$$

Solution With $f(x) = x^2$ and $g(x) = e^x$, we list:

$f(x)$ and its derivatives		$g(x)$ and its integrals
x^2	(+)	e^x
$2x$	(-)	e^x
2	(+)	e^x
0		e^x

We combine the products of the functions connected by the arrows according to the operation signs above the arrows to obtain

$$\int x^2 e^x dx = x^2 e^x - 2x e^x + 2e^x + C.$$

EXAMPLE 8 Using Tabular Integration

Evaluate

$$\int x^3 \sin x dx.$$

Solution With $f(x) = x^3$ and $g(x) = \sin x$, we list:

$f(x)$ and its derivatives		$g(x)$ and its integrals
x^3	(+)	$\sin x$
$3x^2$	(-)	$-\cos x$
$6x$	(+)	$-\sin x$
6	(-)	$\cos x$
0		$\sin x$

Again we combine the products of the functions connected by the arrows according to the operation signs above the arrows to obtain

$$\int x^3 \sin x dx = -x^3 \cos x + 3x^2 \sin x + 6x \cos x - 6 \sin x + C.$$

Exercises 8.2 :

1. $u = x, du = dx; dv = \sin \frac{x}{2} dx, v = -2 \cos \frac{x}{2};$

$$\int x \sin \frac{x}{2} dx = -2x \cos \frac{x}{2} - \int (-2 \cos \frac{x}{2}) dx = -2x \cos \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + 4 \sin \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + C$$

4. $\sin x$

$$x^2 \xrightarrow{(+)} -\cos x$$

$$2x \xrightarrow{(-)} -\sin x$$

$$2 \xrightarrow{(+)} \cos x$$

0

$$\int x^2 \sin x dx = -x^2 \cos x + 2x \sin x + 2 \cos x + C$$

5. $u = \ln x, du = \frac{dx}{x}; dv = x dx, v = \frac{x^2}{2};$

$$\int_1^2 x \ln x dx = \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \ln x \right]_1^2 - \int_1^2 \frac{x^2}{2} \frac{dx}{x} = 2 \ln 2 - \left[\frac{x^2}{4} \right]_1^2 = 2 \ln 2 - \frac{3}{4} = \ln 4 - \frac{3}{4}$$

7. $u = \tan^{-1} y, du = \frac{dy}{1+y^2}; dv = dy, v = y;$

$$\int \tan^{-1} y \, dy = y \tan^{-1} y - \int \frac{y \, dy}{(1+y^2)} = y \tan^{-1} y - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+y^2) + C = y \tan^{-1} y - \ln \sqrt{1+y^2} + C$$

13. e^x

$$x^2 - 5x \xrightarrow{(+)} e^x$$

$$2x - 5 \xrightarrow{(-)} e^x$$

$$2 \xrightarrow{(+)} e^x$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \quad \int (x^2 - 5x) e^x \, dx &= (x^2 - 5x) e^x - (2x - 5) e^x + 2e^x + C = x^2 e^x - 7x e^x + 7e^x + C \\ &= (x^2 - 7x + 7) e^x + C \end{aligned}$$

20. $u = \sin^{-1}(x^2), du = \frac{2x \, dx}{\sqrt{1-x^4}}; dv = 2x \, dx, v = x^2;$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{1/\sqrt{2}} 2x \sin^{-1}(x^2) \, dx &= [x^2 \sin^{-1}(x^2)]_0^{1/\sqrt{2}} - \int_0^{1/\sqrt{2}} x^2 \cdot \frac{2x \, dx}{\sqrt{1-x^4}} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \int_0^{1/\sqrt{2}} \frac{d(1-x^4)}{2\sqrt{1-x^4}} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{12} + \left[\sqrt{1-x^4}\right]_0^{1/\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\pi}{12} + \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} - 1 = \frac{\pi+6\sqrt{3}-12}{12} \end{aligned}$$

24. $\int e^{-2x} \sin 2x \, dx; [y = 2x] \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \int e^{-y} \sin y \, dy = I; [u = \sin y, du = \cos y \, dy; dv = e^{-y} \, dy, v = -e^{-y}]$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{1}{2} \left(-e^{-y} \sin y + \int e^{-y} \cos y \, dy \right) [u = \cos y, du = -\sin y \, dy; dv = e^{-y} \, dy, v = -e^{-y}]$$

$$\Rightarrow I = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-y} \sin y + \frac{1}{2} \left(-e^{-y} \cos y - \int (-e^{-y})(-\sin y) \, dy \right) = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-y} (\sin y + \cos y) - I + C'$$

$$\Rightarrow 2I = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-y} (\sin y + \cos y) + C' \Rightarrow I = -\frac{1}{4} e^{-y} (\sin y + \cos y) + C = -\frac{e^{-2x}}{4} (\sin 2x + \cos 2x) + C, \text{ where}$$

$$C = \frac{C'}{2}$$