

# List of integrals of trigonometric functions

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The following is a list of integrals (antiderivative functions) of trigonometric functions. For antiderivatives involving both exponential and trigonometric functions, see List of integrals of exponential functions. For a complete list of antiderivative functions, see lists of integrals. See also trigonometric integral.

Generally, if the function  $\sin(x)$  is any trigonometric function, and  $\cos(x)$  is its derivative,

$$\int a \cos nx \, dx = \frac{a}{n} \sin nx + C$$

In all formulas the constant  $a$  is assumed to be nonzero, and  $C$  denotes the constant of integration.

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## Integrals involving only sine

$$\int \sin ax \, dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax + C$$

$$\int \sin^2 ax \, dx = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{4a} \sin 2ax + C = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2a} \sin ax \cos ax + C$$

$$\int \sin^3 ax \, dx = \frac{\cos 3ax}{12a} - \frac{3 \cos ax}{4a} + C$$

$$\int x \sin^2 ax \, dx = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{x}{4a} \sin 2ax - \frac{1}{8a^2} \cos 2ax + C$$

$$\int x^2 \sin^2 ax \, dx = \frac{x^3}{6} - \left( \frac{x^2}{4a} - \frac{1}{8a^3} \right) \sin 2ax - \frac{x}{4a^2} \cos 2ax + C$$

$$\int \sin b_1 x \sin b_2 x \, dx = \frac{\sin((b_1 - b_2)x)}{2(b_1 - b_2)} - \frac{\sin((b_1 + b_2)x)}{2(b_1 + b_2)} + C \quad (\text{for } |b_1| \neq |b_2|)$$

$$\int \sin^n ax \, dx = -\frac{\sin^{n-1} ax \cos ax}{na} + \frac{n-1}{n} \int \sin^{n-2} ax \, dx \quad (\text{for } n > 2)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sin ax} = \frac{1}{a} \ln \left| \tan \frac{ax}{2} \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sin^n ax} = \frac{\cos ax}{a(1-n)\sin^{n-1} ax} + \frac{n-2}{n-1} \int \frac{dx}{\sin^{n-2} ax} \quad (\text{for } n > 1)$$

$$\int x \sin ax \, dx = \frac{\sin ax}{a^2} - \frac{x \cos ax}{a} + C$$

$$\int x^n \sin ax \, dx = -\frac{x^n}{a} \cos ax + \frac{n}{a} \int x^{n-1} \cos ax \, dx = \sum_{k=0}^{2k \leq n} (-1)^{k+1} \frac{x^{n-2k}}{a^{1+2k}} \frac{n!}{(n-2k)!} \cos ax + \sum_{k=0}^{2k+1 \leq n} (-1)^k \frac{x^{n-1-2k}}{a^{2+2k}} \frac{n!}{(n-2k-1)!} \sin ax$$

$$\int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x^2 \sin^2 \frac{n\pi x}{a} \, dx = \frac{a^3(n^2\pi^2 - 6)}{24n^2\pi^2} \quad (\text{for } n = 2, 4, 6\dots)$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax}{x} \, dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(ax)^{2n+1}}{(2n+1) \cdot (2n+1)!} + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax}{x^n} \, dx = -\frac{\sin ax}{(n-1)x^{n-1}} + \frac{a}{n-1} \int \frac{\cos ax}{x^{n-1}} \, dx$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1 \pm \sin ax} = \frac{1}{a} \tan \left( \frac{ax}{2} \mp \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + C$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{1 + \sin ax} = \frac{x}{a} \tan \left( \frac{ax}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + \frac{2}{a^2} \ln \left| \cos \left( \frac{ax}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{1 - \sin ax} = \frac{x}{a} \cot \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{ax}{2} \right) + \frac{2}{a^2} \ln \left| \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{ax}{2} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax \, dx}{1 \pm \sin ax} = \pm x + \frac{1}{a} \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \mp \frac{ax}{2} \right) + C$$

## Integrands involving only cosine

$$\int \cos ax \, dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax + C$$

$$\int \cos^2 ax \, dx = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{4a} \sin 2ax + C = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \sin ax \cos ax + C$$

$$\int \cos^n ax \, dx = \frac{\cos^{n-1} ax \sin ax}{na} + \frac{n-1}{n} \int \cos^{n-2} ax \, dx \quad (\text{for } n > 0)$$

$$\int x \cos ax \, dx = \frac{\cos ax}{a^2} + \frac{x \sin ax}{a} + C$$

$$\int x^2 \cos^2 ax \, dx = \frac{x^3}{6} + \left( \frac{x^2}{4a} - \frac{1}{8a^3} \right) \sin 2ax + \frac{x}{4a^2} \cos 2ax + C$$

$$\int x^n \cos ax \, dx = \frac{x^n \sin ax}{a} - \frac{n}{a} \int x^{n-1} \sin ax \, dx = \sum_{k=0}^{2k+1 \leq n} (-1)^k \frac{x^{n-2k-1}}{a^{2+2k}} \frac{n!}{(n-2k-1)!} \cos ax + \sum_{k=0}^{2k \leq n} (-1)^k \frac{x^{n-2k}}{a^{1+2k}} \frac{n!}{(n-2k)!} \sin ax$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax}{x} \, dx = \ln |ax| + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{(ax)^{2k}}{2k \cdot (2k)!} + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax}{x^n} dx = -\frac{\cos ax}{(n-1)x^{n-1}} - \frac{a}{n-1} \int \frac{\sin ax}{x^{n-1}} dx \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\cos ax} = \frac{1}{a} \ln \left| \tan \left( \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\cos^n ax} = \frac{\sin ax}{a(n-1)\cos^{n-1} ax} + \frac{n-2}{n-1} \int \frac{dx}{\cos^{n-2} ax} \quad (\text{for } n > 1)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1+\cos ax} = \frac{1}{a} \tan \frac{ax}{2} + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1-\cos ax} = -\frac{1}{a} \cot \frac{ax}{2} + C$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{1+\cos ax} = \frac{x}{a} \tan \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{2}{a^2} \ln \left| \cos \frac{ax}{2} \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{1-\cos ax} = -\frac{x}{a} \cot \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{2}{a^2} \ln \left| \sin \frac{ax}{2} \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax \, dx}{1+\cos ax} = x - \frac{1}{a} \tan \frac{ax}{2} + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax \, dx}{1-\cos ax} = -x - \frac{1}{a} \cot \frac{ax}{2} + C$$

$$\int \cos a_1 x \cos a_2 x \, dx = \frac{\sin(a_1 - a_2)x}{2(a_1 - a_2)} + \frac{\sin(a_1 + a_2)x}{2(a_1 + a_2)} + C \quad (\text{for } |a_1| \neq |a_2|)$$

## Integrands involving only tangent

$$\int \tan ax \, dx = -\frac{1}{a} \ln |\cos ax| + C = \frac{1}{a} \ln |\sec ax| + C$$

$$\int \tan^n ax \, dx = \frac{1}{a(n-1)} \tan^{n-1} ax - \int \tan^{n-2} ax \, dx \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{q \tan ax + p} = \frac{1}{p^2 + q^2} \left( px + \frac{q}{a} \ln |q \sin ax + p \cos ax| \right) + C \quad (\text{for } p^2 + q^2 \neq 0)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\tan ax + 1} = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax + \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\tan ax - 1} = -\frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax - \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\tan ax \, dx}{\tan ax + 1} = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax + \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\tan ax \, dx}{\tan ax - 1} = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax - \cos ax| + C$$

## Integrands involving only secant

See Integral of the secant function.

$$\int \sec ax \, dx = \frac{1}{a} \ln |\sec ax + \tan ax| + C$$

$$\int \sec^2 x \, dx = \tan x + C$$

$$\int \sec^n ax \, dx = \frac{\sec^{n-2} ax \tan ax}{a(n-1)} + \frac{n-2}{n-1} \int \sec^{n-2} ax \, dx \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \sec^n x \, dx = \frac{\sec^{n-2} x \tan x}{n-1} + \frac{n-2}{n-1} \int \sec^{n-2} x \, dx^{[1]}$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sec x + 1} = x - \tan \frac{x}{2} + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sec x - 1} = -x - \cot \frac{x}{2} + C$$

### Integrands involving only cosecant

$$\int \csc ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \ln |\csc ax - \cot ax| + C$$

$$\int \csc^2 x dx = -\cot x + C$$

$$\int \csc^n ax dx = -\frac{\csc^{n-1} ax \cos ax}{a(n-1)} + \frac{n-2}{n-1} \int \csc^{n-2} ax dx \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\csc x + 1} = x - \frac{2 \sin \frac{x}{2}}{\cos \frac{x}{2} + \sin \frac{x}{2}} + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\csc x - 1} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{x}{2}}{\cos \frac{x}{2} - \sin \frac{x}{2}} - x + C$$

### Integrands involving only cotangent

$$\int \cot ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \ln |\sin ax| + C$$

$$\int \cot^n ax dx = -\frac{1}{a(n-1)} \cot^{n-1} ax - \int \cot^{n-2} ax dx \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1 + \cot ax} = \int \frac{\tan ax dx}{\tan ax + 1}$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1 - \cot ax} = \int \frac{\tan ax dx}{\tan ax - 1}$$

### Integrands involving both sine and cosine

$$\int \frac{dx}{\cos ax \pm \sin ax} = \frac{1}{a\sqrt{2}} \ln \left| \tan \left( \frac{ax}{2} \pm \frac{\pi}{8} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{(\cos ax \pm \sin ax)^2} = \frac{1}{2a} \tan \left( ax \mp \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{(\cos x + \sin x)^n} = \frac{1}{n-1} \left( \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{(\cos x + \sin x)^{n-1}} - 2(n-2) \int \frac{dx}{(\cos x + \sin x)^{n-2}} \right)$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax dx}{\cos ax + \sin ax} = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax + \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax dx}{\cos ax - \sin ax} = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax - \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax dx}{\cos ax + \sin ax} = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax + \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax dx}{\cos ax - \sin ax} = -\frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2a} \ln |\sin ax - \cos ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax dx}{\sin ax(1 + \cos ax)} = -\frac{1}{4a} \tan^2 \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \tan \frac{ax}{2} \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos ax dx}{\sin ax(1 - \cos ax)} = -\frac{1}{4a} \cot^2 \frac{ax}{2} - \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \tan \frac{ax}{2} \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax \, dx}{\cos ax(1 + \sin ax)} = \frac{1}{4a} \cot^2 \left( \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) + \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \tan \left( \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax \, dx}{\cos ax(1 - \sin ax)} = \frac{1}{4a} \tan^2 \left( \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) - \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \tan \left( \frac{ax}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \sin ax \cos ax \, dx = -\frac{1}{2a} \cos^2 ax + C$$

$$\int \sin a_1 x \cos a_2 x \, dx = -\frac{\cos((a_1 - a_2)x)}{2(a_1 - a_2)} - \frac{\cos((a_1 + a_2)x)}{2(a_1 + a_2)} + C \quad (\text{for } |a_1| \neq |a_2|)$$

$$\int \sin^n ax \cos ax \, dx = \frac{1}{a(n+1)} \sin^{n+1} ax + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq -1)$$

$$\int \sin ax \cos^n ax \, dx = -\frac{1}{a(n+1)} \cos^{n+1} ax + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq -1)$$

$$\int \sin^n ax \cos^m ax \, dx = -\frac{\sin^{n-1} ax \cos^{m+1} ax}{a(n+m)} + \frac{n-1}{n+m} \int \sin^{n-2} ax \cos^m ax \, dx \quad (\text{for } m, n > 0)$$

also:  $\int \sin^n ax \cos^m ax \, dx = \frac{\sin^{n+1} ax \cos^{m-1} ax}{a(n+m)} + \frac{m-1}{n+m} \int \sin^n ax \cos^{m-2} ax \, dx \quad (\text{for } m, n > 0)$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sin ax \cos ax} = \frac{1}{a} \ln |\tan ax| + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sin ax \cos^n ax} = \frac{1}{a(n-1) \cos^{n-1} ax} + \int \frac{dx}{\sin ax \cos^{n-2} ax} \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sin^n ax \cos ax} = -\frac{1}{a(n-1) \sin^{n-1} ax} + \int \frac{dx}{\sin^{n-2} ax \cos ax} \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{\sin ax \, dx}{\cos^n ax} = \frac{1}{a(n-1) \cos^{n-1} ax} + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{\sin^2 ax \, dx}{\cos ax} = -\frac{1}{a} \sin ax + \frac{1}{a} \ln \left| \tan \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{ax}{2} \right) \right| + C$$

$$\int \frac{\sin^2 ax \, dx}{\cos^n ax} = \frac{\sin ax}{a(n-1) \cos^{n-1} ax} - \frac{1}{n-1} \int \frac{dx}{\cos^{n-2} ax} \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{\sin^n ax \, dx}{\cos ax} = -\frac{\sin^{n-1} ax}{a(n-1)} + \int \frac{\sin^{n-2} ax \, dx}{\cos ax} \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{\sin^n ax \, dx}{\cos^m ax} = \frac{\sin^{n+1} ax}{a(m-1) \cos^{m-1} ax} - \frac{n-m+2}{m-1} \int \frac{\sin^n ax \, dx}{\cos^{m-2} ax} \quad (\text{for } m \neq 1)$$

also:  $\int \frac{\sin^n ax \, dx}{\cos^m ax} = -\frac{\sin^{n-1} ax}{a(n-m) \cos^{m-1} ax} + \frac{n-1}{n-m} \int \frac{\sin^{n-2} ax \, dx}{\cos^m ax} \quad (\text{for } m \neq n)$

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$$\int \frac{\cos ax \, dx}{\sin^n ax} = -\frac{1}{a(n-1) \sin^{n-1} ax} + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{\cos^2 ax \, dx}{\sin ax} = \frac{1}{a} \left( \cos ax + \ln \left| \tan \frac{ax}{2} \right| \right) + C$$

$$\int \frac{\cos^2 ax \, dx}{\sin^n ax} = -\frac{1}{n-1} \left( \frac{\cos ax}{a \sin^{n-1} ax} + \int \frac{dx}{\sin^{n-2} ax} \right) \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

$$\int \frac{\cos^n ax \, dx}{\sin^m ax} = -\frac{\cos^{n+1} ax}{a(m-1) \sin^{m-1} ax} - \frac{n-m-2}{m-1} \int \frac{\cos^n ax \, dx}{\sin^{m-2} ax} \quad (\text{for } m \neq 1)$$

also:  $\int \frac{\cos^n ax \, dx}{\sin^m ax} = \frac{\cos^{n-1} ax}{a(n-m) \sin^{m-1} ax} + \frac{n-1}{n-m} \int \frac{\cos^{n-2} ax \, dx}{\sin^m ax} \quad (\text{for } m \neq n)$

also:  $\int \frac{\cos^n ax \, dx}{\sin^m ax} = -\frac{\cos^{n-1} ax}{a(m-1)\sin^{m-1} ax} - \frac{n-1}{m-1} \int \frac{\cos^{n-2} ax \, dx}{\sin^{m-2} ax}$  (for  $m \neq 1$ )

## Integrands involving both sine and tangent

$$\int \sin ax \tan ax \, dx = \frac{1}{a} (\ln |\sec ax + \tan ax| - \sin ax) + C$$

$$\int \frac{\tan^n ax \, dx}{\sin^2 ax} = \frac{1}{a(n-1)} \tan^{n-1}(ax) + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

## Integrands involving both cosine and tangent

$$\int \frac{\tan^n ax \, dx}{\cos^2 ax} = \frac{1}{a(n+1)} \tan^{n+1} ax + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq -1)$$

## Integrals containing both sine and cotangent

$$\int \frac{\cot^n ax \, dx}{\sin^2 ax} = -\frac{1}{a(n+1)} \cot^{n+1} ax + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq -1)$$

## Integrands involving both cosine and cotangent

$$\int \frac{\cot^n ax \, dx}{\cos^2 ax} = \frac{1}{a(1-n)} \tan^{1-n} ax + C \quad (\text{for } n \neq 1)$$

## Integrals with symmetric limits

$$\int_{-c}^c \sin x \, dx = 0$$

$$\int_{-c}^c \cos x \, dx = 2 \int_0^c \cos x \, dx = 2 \int_{-c}^0 \cos x \, dx = 2 \sin c$$

$$\int_{-c}^c \tan x \, dx = 0$$

$$\int_{-\frac{a}{2}}^{\frac{a}{2}} x^2 \cos^2 \frac{n\pi x}{a} \, dx = \frac{a^3(n^2\pi^2 - 6)}{24n^2\pi^2} \quad (\text{for } n = 1, 3, 5\dots)$$

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