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Note Title

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Defn

A function  $F$  is called an antiderivative of  $f$  on an interval  $I$  if  $F'(x) = f(x)$   
 $\forall x \in I$

Thm

Antiderivative of  $f$  on  $I$  is  
 $F(x) + C$

where  $C$  is an arbitrary constant

(ex) The antiderivative of  $f(x) = x^2$   
is  $\frac{x^3}{3} + C$

because  $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{x^3}{3} = x^2$

(ex) Antiderivative of  $\cos x$  is  
 $\sin x + C$

(ex) Antiderivative of  $\frac{1}{x}$  is  $\ln|x|+C$   
See table on pg. 329

note: antiderivative of  $x^n$  is  
$$\frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C$$

(ex) find antiderivative  
$$g(x) = \frac{5 - 4x^3 + 2x^6}{x^6}$$
  
$$= 5x^{-6} - 4x^{-3} + 2$$

$$G(x) = \frac{5}{-5}x^{-5} - \frac{4}{-2}x^{-2} + 2x + C$$
$$= -x^{-5} + 2x^{-2} + 2x + C$$

~~use~~

If I told you that  $G(1) = 5$ , you could find  $C$ .

(ex) from above

$$G(1) = -(1)^{-5} + 2(1)^{-2} + 2(1) + C = 5$$
$$3 + C = 5$$

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

remember,  $s'(t) = v(t)$  and  $v'(t) = a(t)$   
antiderivative of  $a(t)$  is  $v(t)$   
" " "  $v(t)$  is  $s(t)$

(ex.)  $a(t) = 5 + 4t - 2t^2$  find  $v(t) \rightarrow s(t)$   
let  $v(0) = 3$  &  $s(0) = 10$

$$v(t) = 5t + \frac{4}{2}t^2 - \frac{2}{3}t^3 + C \Rightarrow C = 3$$

$$s(t) = \frac{5}{2}t^2 + \frac{4}{6}t^3 - \frac{2}{12}t^4 + 3t + C_1 \Rightarrow C_1 = 10$$

$$= \frac{5}{2}t^2 + \frac{2}{3}t^3 - \frac{1}{6}t^4 + 3t + 10$$



hw hint:

acceleration of a dropped object  
is  $-9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$