

Integral Formulas:

- 1.) $\int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln |u| + C$
- 2.) $\int e^u du = e^u + C$
- 3.) $\int a^u du = \frac{a^u}{\ln a} + C$
- 4.) $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} du = \sin^{-1} u + C$
- 5.) $\int \frac{1}{1+u^2} du = \tan^{-1} u + C$
- 6.) $\int \frac{1}{u\sqrt{u^2-1}} du = \sec^{-1} |u| + C$

Derivative Formulas:

- 1.) $D_x[\ln x] = D_x[\ln |x|] = \frac{1}{x}$
Chain rule: $D_x[\ln u] = D_x[\ln |u|] = \frac{D_x[u]}{u}$
- 2.) $D_x[\log_a x] = \frac{1}{x \ln a}$
Chain rule: $D_x[\log_a u] = \frac{D_x[u]}{u \ln a}$
- 3.) $D_x[e^x] = e^x$
Chain rule: $D_x[e^u] = e^u \cdot D_x[u]$
- 4.) $D_x[a^x] = a^x \ln a$ for any positive number a
Chain rule: $D_x[a^u] = (a^u \ln a) \cdot D_x[u]$
- 5.) $D_x[\sin^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ for $-1 < x < 1$
Chain rule: $D_x[\sin^{-1} u] = \frac{D_x[u]}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}$
- 6.) $D_x[\tan^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$
Chain rule: $D_x[\tan^{-1} u] = \frac{D_x[u]}{1+u^2}$
- 7.) $D_x[\sec^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}}$ for $x < -1$ or $x > 1$
Chain rule: $D_x[\sec^{-1} u] = \frac{D_x[u]}{|u|\sqrt{u^2-1}}$

Switching between logarithmic and exponential equations:

Let a be any positive number other than 1. Then

$$a^y = x \Leftrightarrow \log_a x = y$$

A good way to memorize this is to think about

$$(\text{Base})^{(\text{Exponent})} = \text{Number} \Leftrightarrow \log_{(\text{Base})}(\text{Number}) = \text{Exponent}.$$

Look at first letters; "BEN \Leftrightarrow BNE". Say it; "Ben is equivalent to Benny".

Logarithmic change of base formula:

$$\log_a x = \frac{\ln x}{\ln a}$$

Law of exponential growth/decay:

$$y = y_0 e^{kt}$$

y is the amount at time t , y_0 is the amount you start out with, t is the time, and k is a constant of proportionality. If $k < 0$, we have exponential decay. If $k > 0$, we have exponential growth.