

**Derivatives, Integrals, and Properties**  
**Of Inverse Trigonometric Functions and Hyperbolic Functions**  
 (On this handout,  $a$  represents a constant,  $u$  and  $x$  represent variable quantities)

| Derivatives of Inverse Trigonometric Functions |  |
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| $\frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1} u$                     | $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad ( u  < 1)$     |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \cos^{-1} u$                     | $= \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad ( u  < 1)$    |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1} u$                     | $= \frac{1}{1+u^2} \frac{du}{dx}$                            |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \csc^{-1} u$                     | $= \frac{-1}{ u \sqrt{u^2-1}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad ( u  > 1)$ |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1} u$                     | $= \frac{1}{ u \sqrt{u^2-1}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad ( u  > 1)$  |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \cot^{-1} u$                     | $= \frac{-1}{1+u^2} \frac{du}{dx}$                           |

| Identities for Hyperbolic Functions |                                 |
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| $\sinh 2x$                          | $= 2 \sinh x \cosh x$           |
| $\cosh 2x$                          | $= \cosh^2 x + \sinh^2 x$       |
| $\cosh^2 x$                         | $= \frac{\cosh 2x + 1}{2}$      |
| $\sinh^2 x$                         | $= \frac{\cosh 2x - 1}{2}$      |
| $\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x$             | $= 1$                           |
| $\tanh^2 x$                         | $= 1 - \operatorname{sech}^2 x$ |
| $\coth^2 x$                         | $= 1 + \operatorname{csch}^2 x$ |

| Integrals Involving Inverse Trigonometric Functions |  |
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| $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2-u^2}} du$                  | $= \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C \quad (\text{Valid for } u^2 < a^2)$             |
| $\int \frac{1}{a^2+u^2} du$                         | $= \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C \quad (\text{Valid for all } u)$     |
| $\int \frac{1}{u\sqrt{u^2-a^2}} du$                 | $= \frac{1}{a} \sec^{-1} \left  \frac{u}{a} \right  + C \quad (\text{Valid for } u^2 > a^2)$ |

| Derivatives of Hyperbolic Functions  |  |
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| $\frac{d}{dx} \sinh u$               | $= \cosh u \frac{du}{dx}$                        |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \cosh u$               | $= \sinh u \frac{du}{dx}$                        |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \tanh u$               | $= \operatorname{sech}^2 u \frac{du}{dx}$        |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \coth u$               | $= -\operatorname{csch}^2 u \frac{du}{dx}$       |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{sech} u$ | $= -\operatorname{sech} u \tanh u \frac{du}{dx}$ |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{csch} u$ | $= -\operatorname{csch} u \coth u \frac{du}{dx}$ |

| The Six Basic Hyperbolic Functions |   |
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| $\sinh x$                          | $= \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$                                      |
| $\cosh x$                          | $= \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$                                      |
| $\tanh x$                          | $= \frac{\sinh x}{\cosh x} = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$ |
| $\operatorname{csch} x$            | $= \frac{1}{\sinh x} = \frac{2}{e^x - e^{-x}}$                  |
| $\operatorname{sech} x$            | $= \frac{1}{\cosh x} = \frac{2}{e^x + e^{-x}}$                  |
| $\coth x$                          | $= \frac{\cosh x}{\sinh x} = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{e^x - e^{-x}}$ |

| Inverse Hyperbolic Identities |   |
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| $\operatorname{sech}^{-1} x$  | $= \cosh^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right)$ |
| $\operatorname{csch}^{-1} x$  | $= \sinh^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right)$ |
| $\coth^{-1} x$                | $= \tanh^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right)$ |

| Integrals of Hyperbolic Functions          |                                |
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| $\int \sinh u \, du$                       | $= \cosh u + C$                |
| $\int \cosh u \, du$                       | $= \sinh u + C$                |
| $\int \operatorname{sech}^2 u \, du$       | $= \tanh u + C$                |
| $\int \operatorname{csch}^2 u \, du$       | $= -\coth u + C$               |
| $\int \operatorname{sech} u \tanh u \, du$ | $= -\operatorname{sech} u + C$ |
| $\int \operatorname{csch} u \coth u \, du$ | $= -\operatorname{csch} u + C$ |

| Integrals Involving Inverse Hyperbolic Functions |  |
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| $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + u^2}} \, du$          | $= \sinh^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C \quad (a > 0)$  |
| $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{u^2 - a^2}} \, du$          | $= \cosh^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C \quad (u > a > 0)$  |
| $\int \frac{1}{a^2 - u^2} \, du$                 | $= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{a} \tanh^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C & (\text{if } u^2 < a^2) \\ \frac{1}{a} \coth^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C & (\text{if } u^2 > a^2) \end{cases}$ |
| $\int \frac{1}{u\sqrt{a^2 - u^2}} \, du$         | $= -\frac{1}{a} \operatorname{sech}^{-1} \left( \frac{u}{a} \right) + C \quad (0 < u < a)$   |
| $\int \frac{1}{u\sqrt{a^2 + u^2}} \, du$         | $= -\frac{1}{a} \operatorname{csch}^{-1} \left  \frac{u}{a} \right  + C$   |

| Derivatives of Inverse Hyperbolic Functions |   |
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| $\frac{d}{dx} \sinh^{-1} u$                 | $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + u^2}} \frac{du}{dx}$                      |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \cosh^{-1} u$                 | $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{u^2 - 1}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad (u > 1)$        |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \tanh^{-1} u$                 | $= \frac{1}{1 - u^2} \frac{du}{dx} \quad ( u  < 1)$             |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{csch}^{-1} u$   | $= \frac{-1}{ u \sqrt{1 + u^2}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad (u \neq 0)$ |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{sech}^{-1} u$   | $= \frac{-1}{u\sqrt{1 - u^2}} \frac{du}{dx} \quad (0 < u < 1)$  |
| $\frac{d}{dx} \coth^{-1} u$                 | $= \frac{1}{1 - u^2} \frac{du}{dx} \quad ( u  > 1)$             |

| Expressing Inverse Hyperbolic Functions As Natural Logarithms |  |
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| $\sinh^{-1} x$  | $= \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) \quad (-\infty < x < \infty)$                         |
| $\cosh^{-1} x$  | $= \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}) \quad (x \geq 1)$                                     |
| $\tanh^{-1} x$  | $= \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1 + x}{1 - x} \quad ( x  < 1)$                          |
| $\operatorname{sech}^{-1} x$                                  | $= \ln \left( \frac{1 + \sqrt{1 - x^2}}{x} \right) \quad (0 < x < 1)$            |
| $\operatorname{csch}^{-1} x$                                  | $= \ln \left( \frac{1}{x} + \frac{\sqrt{1 + x^2}}{ x } \right) \quad (x \neq 0)$ |
| $\coth^{-1} x$  | $= \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{x + 1}{x - 1} \quad ( x  > 1)$                          |

| Alternate Form For Integrals Involving Inverse Hyperbolic Functions |  |
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| $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{u^2 \pm a^2}} \, du$                           | $= \ln(u + \sqrt{u^2 \pm a^2}) + C$  |
| $\int \frac{1}{a^2 - u^2} \, du$                                    | $= \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left  \frac{a + u}{a - u} \right  + C$                |
| $\int \frac{1}{u\sqrt{a^2 \pm u^2}} \, du$                          | $= -\frac{1}{a} \ln \left( \frac{a + \sqrt{a^2 \pm u^2}}{ u } \right) + C$ |