

Forklaring på siste eksempel brukt i forelesningen 14. November, 2017.

1. Regn ut:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx.$$

Løsning: Vi splitter det gitte integralet i to ledd:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx.$$

Løser første ledd:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx &= \lim_{z \rightarrow -\infty} \int_z^0 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow -\infty} [\tan^{-1}(x)]_z^0 \quad \left[\text{fordi } \int \frac{1}{1+x^2} = \tan^{-1}(x) + C \right] \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow -\infty} [\tan^{-1}(0) - \tan^{-1}(z)] \\ &= [\tan^{-1}(0) - \tan^{-1}(-\infty)] \\ &= [\tan^{-1}(\tan 0) - \tan^{-1}(-\tan \frac{\pi}{2})] \quad \left[\text{fordi } \tan^{-1}(\frac{\pi}{2}) = \frac{\sin^{-1}(\frac{\pi}{2})}{\cos^{-1}(\frac{\pi}{2})} = \frac{1}{0} = \infty \right] \\ &= [0 + \tan^{-1}(\tan \frac{\pi}{2})] \quad [\text{fordi } \tan^{-1}(-x) = -\tan^{-1}(x)] \\ &= [0 + (\frac{\pi}{2})] = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Dermed får vi:

$$\int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

For andre ledd:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx &= \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^z \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} [\tan^{-1}(x)]_0^z \\ &= \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} [\tan^{-1}(z) - \tan^{-1}(0)] \\ &= [\tan^{-1}(\infty) - \tan^{-1}(0)] \\ &= [\tan^{-1}(\tan \frac{\pi}{2}) - \tan^{-1}(\tan 0)] \\ &= [(\frac{\pi}{2}) - 0] = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Og så:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2} = \pi.$$