

Formulas for AP Calculus BC key Update 2023

1. slope of a parametrized curve $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$
2. $\int \tan u \, du$ $-\ln |\cos(u)| + c$
3. $\int \cot u \, du =$ $\ln |\sin(u)| + c$
4. $\int \sec u \, du =$ $\ln |\sec u + \tan u| + c$
5. $\int \csc u \, du =$ $-\ln |\csc(u) + \cot(u)| + c$
6. Integration by parts $\int u \, dv = uv - \int v \, du$
7. order for choosing u in integration by parts: LIPET: Logs, Inv. trig, polynomial, exponential, trig
8. logistics differential equation $\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{K}{M} P(M - P)$
- 9 logistic growth model $P = \frac{M}{1 + Ae^{-kt}}$
- 10 length of curve (Cartesian): $\int_a^b \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} dx$
11. partial sum of a geometric series $S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$
- 12a) What is the formula for the sum of an infinite geometric series $S = \frac{a_1}{1-r}$
- 12b) For what values of r does a geometric series converge? $|r| < 1$
13. Maclaurin Series $f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)x^2}{2!} + \dots + \frac{f^n(0)x^n}{n!} + \dots$
14. Taylor Series: $f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + \frac{f''(a)(x-a)^2}{2!} + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)(x-a)^n}{n!} + \dots$
15. Maclaurin Series for $\frac{1}{1-x}$ $1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + \dots$
- 16 Maclaurin Series for $\frac{1}{1+x}$ $1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + x^4 + \dots$
- 17 Maclaurin Series for e^x $1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$
- 18 Maclaurin Series for $\sin x$ $x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots$
- 19 Maclaurin Series for $\cos x$ $1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots$
- 20 Maclaurin Series for $\ln(1+x)$ $x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots$
- 21 Maclaurin Series for $\tan^{-1}(x)$ $x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots$

22 LaGrange form of Remainder

$$R_n(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!} (x-a)^{n+1}$$

23 Remainder Estimation Theorem

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x-a|^{n+1}$$

24 $\int \frac{du}{\sqrt{a^2-u^2}}$

$\arcsin(u/a) + c$

25 $\int \frac{du}{a^2+u^2}$

$1/a \arctan(u/a) + c$

26 $\int \frac{du}{u\sqrt{u^2-a^2}}$

$1/a \operatorname{arcsec}(|u|/a) + c$

27 What does this series converge to $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!}$

converges to e

28 What does this series converge to $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n - b_{n+1}$

converges to b_1

29 For what values of p does the series converge $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$

converges for $p > 1$

30 Does the series converge? $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$

Diverges: Harmonic Series

31 Does the series converge? $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{n}$

Converges: Alternating Harmonic Series

32 2nd derivative of a parameterized curve

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\frac{dy'}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

33 length of a parameterized curve

$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} dt$$

34 position vector (standard form)

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = f(t)\mathbf{i} + g(t)\mathbf{j} + h(t)\mathbf{k}$$

35 speed from velocity vector

$$\text{speed} = |\mathbf{v}(t)|$$

36 direction from velocity vector

$$\text{direction} = \frac{\text{velocity vector}}{\text{speed}} = \frac{\mathbf{v}(t)}{|\mathbf{v}(t)|}$$

37 polar to Cartesian formula $x = r \cos \theta$ $y = r \sin \theta$ $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$

38 trajectory equations

$$x = x_0 + (v_0 \cos \alpha)t$$
$$y = y_0 + (v_0 \sin \alpha)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$$

39 slope of polar graph:

$$(r, \theta) = \frac{r' \sin \theta + r \cos \theta}{r' \cos \theta - r \sin \theta}$$

40 slope of polar graph at origin

$$\text{slope} = \tan \theta$$

41 area inside polar curve

$$A = \int_a^\theta \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta$$

42 length of curve (polar)

$$L = \int_a^b \sqrt{r^2 + \left(\frac{dr}{d\theta}\right)^2} d\theta$$

43 Parameterization of ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \text{ becomes } x = a \cos t, y = b \sin t$$