

Formula sheet

Rectilinear motion

$$\frac{ds}{dt} = v \quad \frac{dv}{dt} = a \quad a ds = v dv$$

Constant acceleration:

$$v = v_0 + a_c t$$

$$s = s_0 + v_0 t + a_c \frac{t^2}{2}$$

$$v^2 = v_0^2 + 2a_c [s - s_0]$$

Acceleration as a function of time:

$$v = v_0 + \int_0^t f(t) dt$$

$$s = s_0 + \int_0^t [v_0 + \int_0^t f(t) dt] dt$$

Acceleration as a function of velocity:

$$\int_{v_0}^v \frac{dv}{f(v)} = \int_{t_0}^t dt$$

$$s = s_0 + \int_{v_0}^v \frac{v dv}{f(v)}$$

Acceleration as a function of position:

$$\int_{s_0}^s \frac{ds}{g(s)} = \int_{t_0}^t dt$$

$$v^2 = v_0^2 + 2 \int_{s_0}^s f(s) ds$$

Projectile motion

Projectile launched from $y_0 = 0$ with angle θ_0

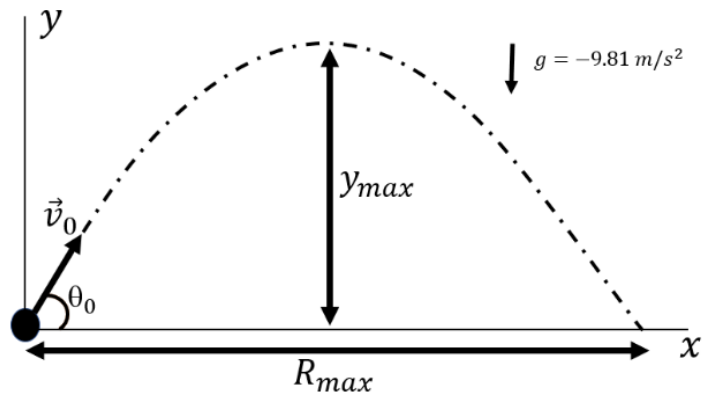
$$y_{max} = \frac{v_0^2 \sin^2(\theta_0)}{2g}$$

$$t = \frac{2v_0 \sin(\theta_0)}{g}$$

$$R_{max} = \frac{v_0^2}{g} \sin(2\theta_0)$$

$$v_{0x} = \vec{v}_0 \cos \theta_0$$

$$v_{0y} = \vec{v}_0 \sin \theta_0$$



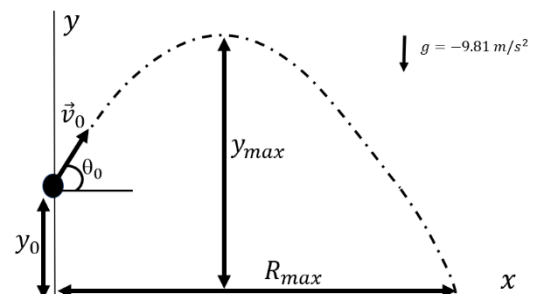
Projectile launched from height y_0 with angle θ_0

$$y_{max} = \frac{v_0^2 \sin^2(\theta_0)}{2g} + y_0$$

$$t_{total} = \frac{v_0 \sin(\theta_0)}{g} + \sqrt{\frac{(v_0 \sin \theta_0)^2}{g^2} + \frac{2y_0}{g}}$$

$$R_{max} = (v_0 \cos \theta_0) \left(\frac{v_0 \sin(\theta_0)}{g} + \sqrt{\frac{(v_0 \sin \theta_0)^2}{g^2} + \frac{2y_0}{g}} \right)$$

$$v_0 = \left(\frac{gt_{total}}{2} - \frac{y_0}{t_{total}} \right) \frac{1}{\sin \theta_0} = \left(\frac{gt_{total}}{2} - \frac{y_0}{t_{total}} \right) \csc \theta_0$$



Projectile launched up an inclined plane with angle β_0

$$t = \frac{2v_0 \sin(\theta_0)}{g \cos \beta_0}$$

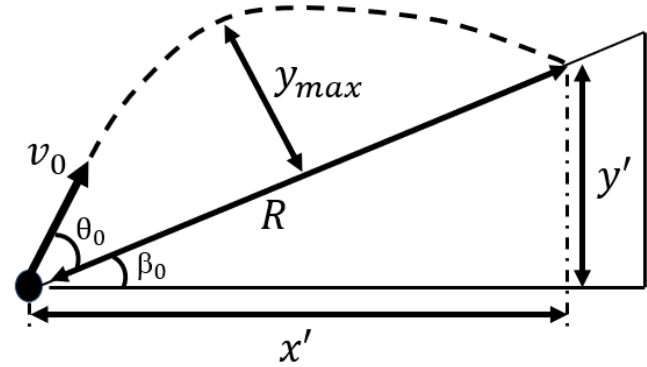
$$x' = \frac{2v_0^2(\cos \beta_0 + \theta_0)(\sin \theta_0)}{g \cos \beta_0}$$

$$R = \frac{2v_0^2(\cos \beta_0 + \theta_0)(\sin \theta_0)}{g \cos^2 \beta_0}$$

$$y' = \frac{2v_0^2(\cos \beta_0 + \theta_0)(\sin \theta_0)(\sin \beta_0)}{g \cos^2 \beta_0}$$

$$y_{max} = \frac{(v_0 \sin \theta_0)^2}{2g \cos \beta_0}$$

$$\text{Angle for maximum range: } \theta_0 = \frac{90 + \beta_0}{2} - \beta_0$$



Projectile launched down an inclined plane with angle β_0

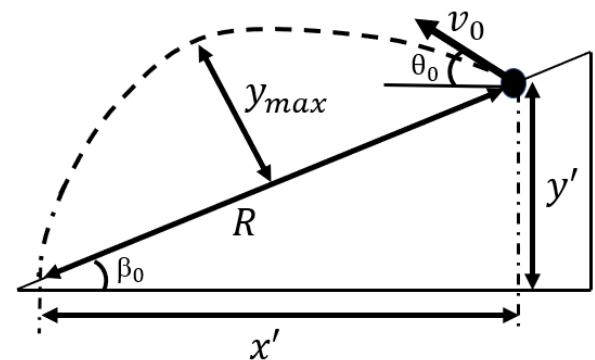
$$t = \frac{2v_0 \sin \beta_0 + \theta_0}{g \cos \beta_0}$$

$$x' = \frac{2v_0^2(\cos \theta_0)(\sin \beta_0 + \theta_0)}{g \cos \beta_0}$$

$$R = \frac{2v_0^2(\cos \theta_0)(\sin \beta_0 + \theta_0)}{g \cos^2 \beta_0}$$

$$y' = \frac{2v_0^2(\cos \theta_0)(\sin \beta_0 + \theta_0)(\sin \beta_0)}{g \cos^2 \beta_0}$$

$$y_{max} = \frac{(v_0 \sin \theta_0 + \beta_0)^2}{2g \cos \beta_0}$$



$$\text{Angle for maximum range: } \theta_0 = \frac{90 + \beta_0}{2}$$

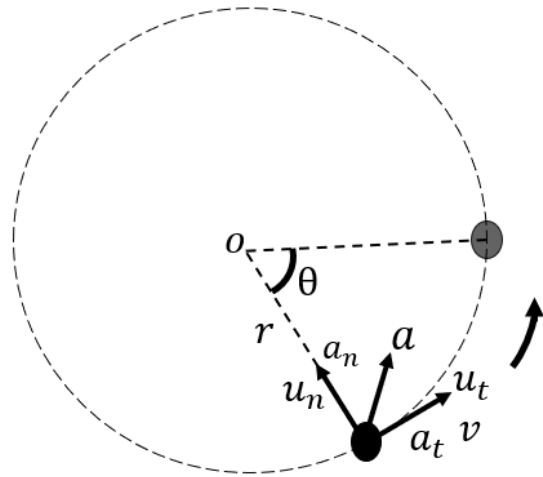
Normal – tangential co-ordinates

$$\theta = \dot{\theta}t \quad s = r\theta \quad v = r\dot{\theta} \quad a_t = r\ddot{\theta} \quad a_n = \frac{v^2}{r} = \dot{\theta}^2 r$$

$$a = \sqrt{a_n^2 + a_t^2} \quad \dot{\theta} = \dot{\theta}_0 + \ddot{\theta}t \quad \theta = \theta_0 + \dot{\theta}_0 t + \frac{\ddot{\theta}t^2}{2}$$

$$\dot{\theta}^2 = \dot{\theta}_0^2 + 2\ddot{\theta}[\theta - \theta_0]$$

$$\rho = \frac{\left(1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}}$$



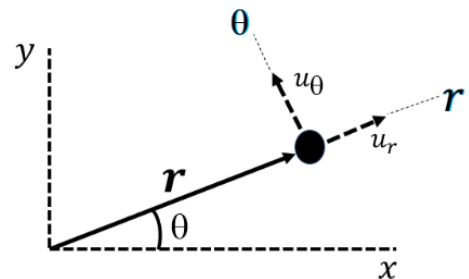
Polar co-ordinates

$$\mathbf{r} = ru_r \quad v = \dot{r}u_r + r\dot{\theta}u_\theta \quad v_r = \dot{r} \quad v_\theta = r\dot{\theta}$$

$$a = (\ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2)u_r + (2\dot{\theta}\dot{r} + r\ddot{\theta})u_\theta \quad a_r = \ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2 \quad a_\theta = 2\dot{\theta}\dot{r} + r\ddot{\theta}$$

$$a_\theta = \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dt}(r^2\dot{\theta})$$

$$v = \sqrt{v_r^2 + v_\theta^2} \quad a = \sqrt{a_r^2 + a_\theta^2}$$



Cylindrical co-ordinates

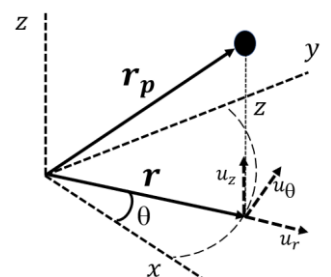
$$\mathbf{r}_p = ru_r + zu_z$$

$$v = \dot{r}u_r + r\dot{\theta}u_\theta + \dot{z}u_z \quad v_r = \dot{r} \quad v_\theta = r\dot{\theta} \quad v_z = \dot{z}$$

$$a = (\ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2)u_r + (2\dot{\theta}\dot{r} + r\ddot{\theta})u_\theta + (\ddot{z})u_z$$

$$a_r = \ddot{r} - r\dot{\theta}^2 \quad a_\theta = 2\dot{\theta}\dot{r} + r\ddot{\theta} \quad a_z = \ddot{z}$$

$$v = \sqrt{v_r^2 + v_\theta^2 + v_z^2} \quad a = \sqrt{a_r^2 + a_\theta^2 + a_z^2}$$



Spherical co-ordinates

$$\dot{\mathbf{R}} = \dot{R}u_R + R\dot{\Phi}u_\Phi + R\dot{\Theta}\sin\Phi u_\theta$$

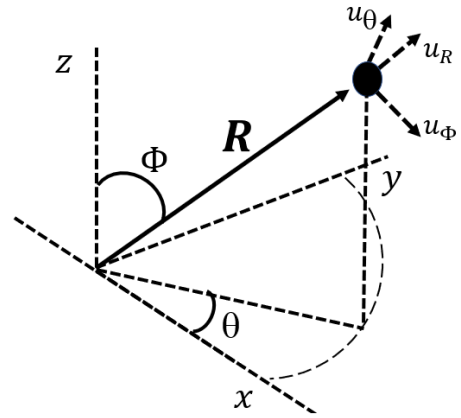
$$v_R = \dot{R} \quad v_\Phi = R\dot{\Phi} \quad v_\theta = R\dot{\Theta}\sin\Phi$$

$$\ddot{\mathbf{R}} = (\ddot{R} - R\dot{\Phi}^2 - R\dot{\Theta}^2\sin^2\Phi)u_R + (2\dot{R}\dot{\Phi} + R\ddot{\Phi} - R\dot{\Theta}^2\sin\Phi\cos\Phi)u_\Phi + (2\dot{R}\dot{\Theta}\sin\Phi + 2R\dot{\Phi}\dot{\Theta}\cos\Phi + R\ddot{\Theta}\sin\Phi)u_\theta$$

$$a_R = \ddot{R} - R\dot{\Phi}^2 - R\dot{\Theta}^2\sin^2\Phi$$

$$a_\Phi = \frac{1}{R}\left(\frac{d}{dt}(R^2\dot{\Phi})\right) - R\dot{\Theta}^2\sin\Phi\cos\Phi$$

$$a_\theta = \frac{\sin\Phi}{R}\left(\frac{d}{dt}(R^2\dot{\Theta})\right) + 2R\dot{\Phi}\dot{\Theta}\cos\Phi$$



Relative motion

$$\mathbf{r}_B = \mathbf{r}_A + \mathbf{r}_{B/A}$$

$$x_2\mathbf{i} + y_2\mathbf{j} = (x_1\mathbf{i} + y_1\mathbf{j}) + (x'\mathbf{i} + y'\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{V}_B = \mathbf{V}_A + \mathbf{V}_{B/A}$$

$$v_B\mathbf{i} + v_B\mathbf{j} = (v_A\mathbf{i} + v_A\mathbf{j}) + (v_{B/A}\mathbf{i} + v_{B/A}\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{a}_B = \mathbf{a}_A + \mathbf{a}_{B/A}$$

$$a_B\mathbf{i} + a_B\mathbf{j} = (a_A\mathbf{i} + a_A\mathbf{j}) + (a_{B/A}\mathbf{i} + a_{B/A}\mathbf{j})$$

Newtons second law

$$\sum \vec{F}_x \mathbf{i} + \sum \vec{F}_y \mathbf{j} + \sum \vec{F}_z \mathbf{k} = m(\vec{a}_x \mathbf{i} + \vec{a}_y \mathbf{j} + \vec{a}_z \mathbf{k})$$

$$\sum \vec{F} = \left(\sum \vec{F}_x \mathbf{i}\right) + \left(\sum \vec{F}_y \mathbf{j}\right) + \left(\sum \vec{F}_z \mathbf{k}\right)$$

$$|\sum \vec{F}| = \sqrt{\left(\sum \vec{F}_x i\right)^2 + \left(\sum \vec{F}_y j\right)^2 + \left(\sum \vec{F}_z k\right)^2}$$

$$\vec{a} = \vec{a}_x i + \vec{a}_y j + \vec{a}_z k$$

$$|\vec{a}| = \sqrt{(\vec{a}_x i)^2 + (\vec{a}_y j)^2 + (\vec{a}_z k)^2}$$

$$|\sum \vec{F}| = m|\vec{a}|$$

Trigonometric identities

$$\sin \theta = \frac{O}{H} \quad \csc \theta = \frac{H}{O}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{A}{H} \quad \sec \theta = \frac{H}{A}$$

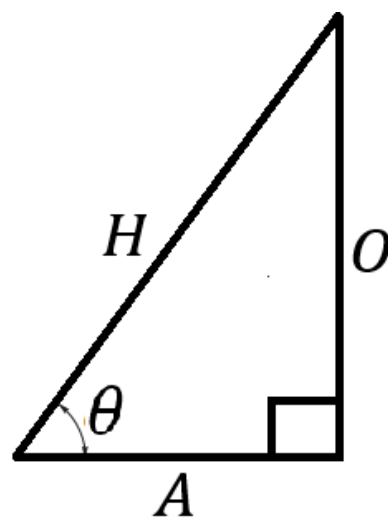
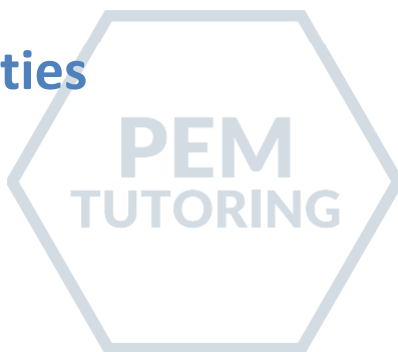
$$\tan \theta = \frac{O}{A} \quad \cot \theta = \frac{A}{O}$$

$$\sin^2(\theta) + \cos^2(\theta) = 1$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\sin(\theta \pm \beta) = \cos(\theta) \cos(\beta) \pm \sin(\beta) \sin(\theta)$$

$$\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta)$$



$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2(\theta) - \sin^2(\theta)$$

$$\sin(\theta) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos(2\theta)}{2}}$$

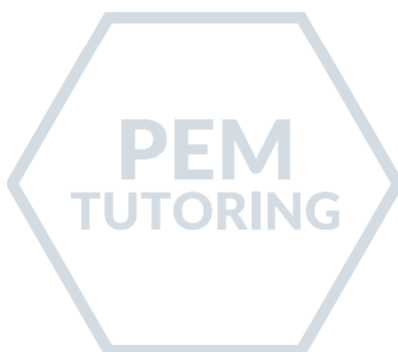
$$\cos(\theta) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos(2\theta)}{2}}$$

$$1 + \tan^2(\theta) = \sec^2(\theta)$$

$$1 + \cot^2(\theta) = \csc^2(\theta)$$

Derivatives

$$\frac{d}{dx} x^n = nx^{n-1}$$



$$\frac{d}{dx} (uv) = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \quad \text{Product rule}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \quad \text{Quotient rule}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sin x) = \cos x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\csc x) = -\csc x \cot x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cos x) = -\sin x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sec x) = \tan x \sec x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\tan x) = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cot x) = -\csc^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sinh x) = \cosh x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cosh x) = \sinh x$$

Chain rule (where u is a function of x):

$$\frac{d}{dx} u^n = n u^{n-1} \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sin u) = \cos u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\csc u) = -\csc u \cot u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cos u) = -\sin u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sec u) = \tan u \sec u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\tan u) = \sec^2 u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cot u) = -\csc^2 u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sinh u) = \cosh u \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\cosh u) = \sinh u \frac{du}{dx}$$

Integrals

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x$$

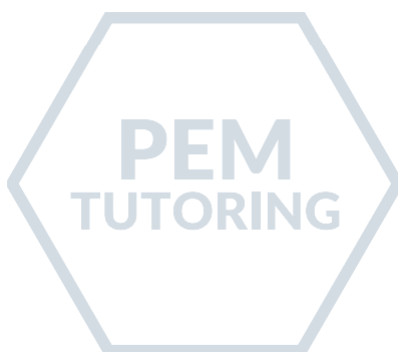
$$\int \sin x dx = -\cos x$$

$$\int \cos x dx = \sin x$$

$$\int \sec x dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1 + \sin x}{1 - \sin x}$$

$$\int \sin^2 x dx = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{\sin 2x}{4}$$

$$\int \cos^2 x dx = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{\sin 2x}{4}$$



$$\int \sin x \cos x \, dx = \frac{\sin^2 x}{2}$$

$$\int \sinh x \, dx = \cosh x$$

$$\int \cosh x \, dx = \sinh x$$

$$\int \tanh x \, dx = \ln \cosh x$$

$$\int \ln x \, dx = x \ln x - x$$

$$\int x \sin x \, dx = \sin x - x \cos x$$

$$\int x \cos x \, dx = \cos x + x \sin x$$

$$\int x^2 \sin x \, dx = 2x \sin x - (x^2 - 2) \cos x$$

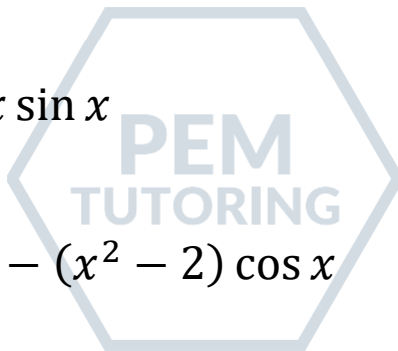
$$\int x^2 \cos x \, dx = 2x \cos x + (x^2 - 2) \sin x$$

$$\int e^{ax} \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a}$$

$$\int x e^{ax} \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2} (ax - 1)$$

$$\int e^{ax} \sin bx \, dx = \frac{e^{ax} (a \sin bx - b \cos bx)}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\int e^{ax} \cos bx \, dx = \frac{e^{ax} (a \cos bx + b \sin bx)}{a^2 + b^2}$$



$$\int e^{ax} \sin^2 x \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{4 + a^2} \left(a \sin^2 x - \sin 2x + \frac{2}{a} \right)$$

$$\int e^{ax} \cos^2 x \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{4 + a^2} \left(a \cos^2 x + \sin 2x + \frac{2}{a} \right)$$

$$\int e^{ax} \sin x \cos x \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{4 + a^2} \left(\frac{a}{2} \sin 2x - \cos 2x \right)$$

$$\int \sqrt{a + bx} \, dx = \frac{2}{3b} \sqrt{(a + bx)^3}$$

$$\int x \sqrt{a + bx} \, dx = \frac{2}{15b^2} (3bx - 2a) \sqrt{(a + bx)^3}$$

$$\int x^2 \sqrt{a + bx} \, dx = \frac{2}{105b^3} (8a^2 - 12abx + 15b^2x^2) \sqrt{(a + bx)^3}$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a + bx}} = \frac{2\sqrt{a + bx}}{b}$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{a + bx} = \frac{1}{b^2} [a + bx - a \ln(a + bx)]$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{(a + bx)^n} = \frac{(a + bx)^{1-n}}{b^2} \left[\frac{a + bx}{2 - n} - \frac{a}{1 - n} \right]$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{a + bx^2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{ab}} \tan^{-1} \frac{x\sqrt{ab}}{a}$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{a + bx^2} = \frac{1}{2b} \ln(a + bx^2)$$

$$\int \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[x\sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \pm a^2 \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \right) \right]$$

$$\int \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[x\sqrt{a^2 - x^2} + a^2 \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \right]$$

$$\int x \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \, dx = -\frac{1}{3} \sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)^3}$$

$$\int x^2 \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \, dx = -\frac{x}{4} \sqrt{(a^2 - x^2)^3} + \frac{a^2}{8} \left(x \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} + a^2 \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \right)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a + bx + cx^2}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{c}} \ln \left(\sqrt{a + bx + cx^2} + x\sqrt{c} + \frac{b}{2\sqrt{c}} \right)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2}} = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \right)$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} = \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$$

$$\int \frac{x \, dx}{\sqrt{a^2 \pm x^2}} = \pm \sqrt{a^2 \pm x^2}$$

$$\int x \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \, dx = \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{(x^2 \pm a^2)^3}$$

$$\int x^2 \sqrt{x^2 \pm a^2} \, dx = \frac{x}{4} \sqrt{(x^2 \pm a^2)^3} \pm \frac{a^2}{8} x \sqrt{(x^2 \pm a^2)} - \frac{a^4}{8} \ln \left(x + \sqrt{(x^2 \pm a^2)} \right)$$