

## Core 3 Knowledge Organiser

### Differentiating $(ax + b)^n$

If  $y = (ax + b)^n$  then:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = an(ax + b)^{n-1}$$

### Integrating $(ax + b)^n$

$$\int (ax + b)^n dx = \frac{1}{a} \times \frac{1}{n+1} (ax + b)^{n+1} + k$$

### Exponentials and Logarithms

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^x = e^x, \int e^x dx = e^x + k, \frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}, \int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x + k$$

**Volumes of Revolution** – When the region under the graph of  $y=f(x)$  between  $x = a$  and  $x = b$  (where  $a < b$ ) is rotated about the x-axis, the volume of the solid of revolution is:

$$\int_a^b \pi y^2 dx$$

### Simpson's rule:

$$\approx \frac{1}{3} h \{(y_0 + y_n + 4(y_1 + y_3 + y_5 + \dots)) + 2(y_2 + y_4 + y_6 + \dots)\}$$

$$h = \frac{b - a}{n}$$

$n$  = strips

## Trigonometry

$$\sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x}, \operatorname{cosec} x = \frac{1}{\sin x}, \cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x}$$

$$1 + \tan^2 \theta \equiv \sec^2 \theta$$

$$1 + \cot^2 \theta \equiv \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$$

$$\sin(A \pm B) \equiv \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A \pm B) \equiv \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B$$

$$\tan(A \pm B) \equiv \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B}$$

$$\sin 2A \equiv 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$\cos 2A \equiv \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A$$

$$\tan 2A \equiv \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$

$$1 + \cos 2A \equiv 2 \cos^2 A$$

$$1 - \cos 2A \equiv 2 \sin^2 A$$

### Chain rule:

If  $y = g(f(x))$ , and  $u = f(x)$ , then

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx}$$

### Product rule:

If  $u$  and  $v$  are functions of  $x$  and if  $y = uv$ , then

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{du}{dx} v + u \frac{dv}{dx}$$

### Quotient rule:

If  $u$  and  $v$  are functions of  $x$  and if  $y = u/v$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{du}{dx} v - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$$