

MATH 2301 Section 110 (Barrsman) Meeting # 54 (Wed Apr 26, 2023) (1)

Today & Friday: Section 5.5 Substitution

Tuesday May 2: Final Exam, 4:40-6:40pm, here

Meeting Part I More Examples of finding Indefinite Integrals using Substitution

Example 5.5#6 Find $\int \frac{\cos(\pi/x)}{x^2} dx$

Solution

Identify inner function

$$u = \pi/x$$

Build expression for dx

$$u = \frac{\pi}{x} = \pi \cdot x^{-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } u' &= \frac{d}{dx} \pi \cdot x^{-1} = \pi \frac{d}{dx} x^{-1} = \cancel{\pi} \pi \cdot (-1) x^{-1-1} \\ &= -\pi x^{-2} = -\frac{\pi}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{build } dx = \frac{1}{u'} du = \frac{1}{-\pi/x^2} du = \boxed{-\frac{x^2}{\pi} du = dx}$$

Substitute, Cancel, Simplify

$$\int \frac{\cos(\pi/x)}{x^2} dx = \int \frac{\cos(u)}{x^2} \left(-\frac{x^2}{\pi} du \right) = \int \frac{\cos(u)}{\pi} du = \left(-\frac{1}{\pi} \right) \int \cos(u) du$$

↑ Substitute ↑ cancel the x^2 ↑ Simplify

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Integrate

$$-\frac{1}{\pi} \int \cos(u) du = -\frac{1}{\pi} (\sin(u) + C) = \left(-\frac{1}{\pi} \right) \sin(u) - \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \right) C = \left(-\frac{1}{\pi} \right) \sin(u) + K$$

C can be any real number
this could be any real number
K can be any real number

Substitute Back

$$\left(-\frac{1}{\pi} \right) \sin(u) + K = -\frac{1}{\pi} \sin(\pi/x) + K$$

Conclusion: $\int \frac{\cos(\pi/x)}{x^2} dx = -\frac{1}{\pi} \sin(\pi/x) + K$

End of example

More streamlined solution to same example

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$$\int \frac{\cos(\pi/x)}{x^2} dx = \int \frac{\cos(u)}{x^2} \left(-\frac{x^2}{\pi} du \right) = -\frac{1}{\pi} \int \cos(u) du = -\frac{1}{\pi} (\sin u) + C = -\frac{1}{\pi} \sin(u) + k = -\frac{1}{\pi} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{x}\right) + k$$

$\frac{\pi}{x} = u$
 $dx = -\frac{x^2}{\pi} du$
Subst. rate

Cancel
+
Simplify

integrate

Subst. rate
back

Recall Some derivative + indefinite integral pairs

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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{d}{dx} e^{(x)} = e^{(x)} \\ \int e^{(x)} dx = e^{(x)} + C \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{d}{dx} b^{(x)} = b^{(x)} \ln(b) \\ \int b^{(x)} dx = \frac{b^{(x)}}{\ln(b)} + C \end{array} \right.$$

example: $\frac{d}{dx} 10^{(x)} = 10^{(x)} \cdot \ln(10)$

example $\int 10^x dx = \frac{10^x}{\ln(10)} + C$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{d}{dx} e^{(kx)} = k e^{(kx)} \\ \int e^{(kx)} dx = \frac{e^{(kx)}}{k} + D \end{array} \right.$$

constant \swarrow
Substitution Rule \uparrow

Chain rule details

inner(x) = kx

inner'(x) = k

outer() = e^()

outer'() = e^()

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Substitution Rule Details
inner function u = kx

build expression for dx u' = $\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{d(kx)}{dx} = k$

$$dx = \frac{1}{u'} du = \frac{1}{k} du$$

Substitute cancel simpl. f_y

$$\begin{aligned} \int e^{(kx)} dx &= \int e^{(u)} \frac{1}{k} du = \frac{1}{k} \int e^u du \\ &= \frac{1}{k} (e^u + C) = \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \cdot e^u + \frac{1}{k} \cdot C \\ &= \frac{e^u}{k} + D \end{aligned}$$

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Problem similar to 5.5#8 find $\int x e^{(x^2)} dx$

Solution

Inner Function

$$x^2 = u$$

Build expression for dx

$$dx = \frac{1}{u'} du$$

$$dx = \frac{1}{2x} du$$

Sub, cancel, simplify

$$\int x e^{(x^2)} dx \stackrel{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{sub}}}{=} \int x e^{(u)} \left(\frac{1}{2x} du \right) \stackrel{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{cancel}}}{=} \int \frac{e^u}{2} du \stackrel{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{simplify}}}{=} \frac{1}{2} \int e^u du$$

Integrate

$$\frac{1}{2} \int e^u du = \frac{1}{2} e^u + k$$

we know how to handle the + c

Substitute Back

$$\frac{1}{2} e^{(u)} + k = \frac{1}{2} e^{(x^2)} + k$$

Conclusion

$$\int x e^{x^2} dx = \frac{1}{2} e^{x^2} + c$$

end of example

Question what is $\int e^{(x^2)} dx$?

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Alice says since $\int e^{(x)} dx = e^{(x)} + C$, it is clear that $\int e^{x^2} dx = e^{(x^2)} + C$

Bob says since $\int x^2 dx$ is $\frac{x^3}{3} + C$, it is clear that $\int e^{x^2} dx = e^{\frac{x^3}{3}} + C$

Charlie says need substitution to find $\int e^{(x^2)} dx$ because of the nested function.

Check Alice's result by differentiating

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$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{(x^2)} + C) = e^{(x^2)} \cdot 2x + 0 = 2xe^{(x^2)} \neq e^{(x^2)}$$

chain rule

$$\text{So } \int e^{(x^2)} dx \neq e^{(x^2)} + C$$

Check Bob's Result by Differentiating

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^{\left(\frac{x^3}{3} + C\right)} = e^{\left(\frac{x^3}{3} + C\right)} \cdot x^2 \neq e^{x^2}$$

$$\text{So } \int e^{(x^2)} dx \neq e^{\left(\frac{x^3}{3} + C\right)}$$

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Charlie says use substitution to find $\int e^{x^2} dx$

Inner ~~is~~ Function

$u = x^2$

Build expression for dx

$dx = \frac{1}{u'} du$

$dx = \frac{1}{2x} du$

Substitute, Cancel, Simplify

$\int e^{(x^2)} dx = \int e^{(u)} \left(\frac{1}{2x} du\right) = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{e^u}{x} du$

↑
Substitute

no cancelling available

↑
simplify

↑
integral involves both u and x

Substitution method fails!!

can't integrate this

So what is $\int e^{x^2} dx$? That is what is an antiderivative for e^{x^2} ? (10)

Good News e^{x^2} does have an ant-derivative

Bad News (Important fact from higher math)

~~the~~ antiderivative cannot be written as

a finite combination of \mathbb{R} basic functions.

Remember the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\int_0^x e^{(t^2)} dt \right) = e^{x^2}$$

So $\int_0^x e^{(t^2)} dt$ is an antiderivative of $e^{(x^2)}$

End of Example

End of Lecture