# Journal Template

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#### Abstract

Abstract goes here...

## 1 Declarations

variable; variable description; variable domain and range, if applicable

#### 2 Rule

$$y_2 = y_1 \int \frac{e^{-\int P(x)dx}}{{y_1}^2}$$

### 3 Pre-Derivation

Anything that the derivation relies on goes here

#### 4 Derivation

Assume  $y_1$  is know. By preliminary theory...

$$\frac{y}{y_1} \notin k$$

$$\implies \frac{y_1}{y} = u(x) \implies y_2 = u(x) y_1(x)$$

# 5 Exempli Gratia

Find  $y_2$  given:

$$x^2 y'' - 3 x y' + 4 y = 0, y_1 = x^2$$

$$y = u(x) x^{2} = x^{2} u$$

$$y' = 2 x u + x^{2} u'$$

$$y'' = 2 u + 2 x u' + 2 x u' + x^{2} u''$$

$$= 2 u + 4 x u' + x^{2} u''$$

$$0 = x^{2}(2u + 2xu' + x^{2}u) - 3x(2xu + x^{2}u') + 4(x^{2}u)$$
 Substitution  
=  $2x^{2}u + 4x^{3}u' + x^{4}u'' - 6x^{2}u - 3x^{3}u' + 4x^{2}u$  Distribution  
=  $x^{4}u'' + x^{3}u'$ 

Let 
$$w = u'$$
,  $w' = u''$   
 $\implies 0 = x^4 w' + x^3 w$   
 $\implies 0 = w' + \frac{1}{x} w$  Divide by  $x^3$