$$\int \cot x \, dx$$

Solution

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

Let $u = \sin x$, so $du = \cos x \, dx$. Then

$$\int \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} dx = \int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln|u| + C = \ln|\sin x| + C.$$