

4.5a Integration by Substitution

Ex1: $\int (x^2+1)^2 \cdot 2x \, dx$
 $f(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) \rightarrow F(g(x))$
 $= \frac{1}{3}(x^2+1)^3 + C$

* PATTERN RECOGNITION *

Ex2: $\int 5 \cdot \cos(\underbrace{5x}_{g(x)}) \, dx$
 $f(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) \rightarrow F(5x) + C = \sin(5x) + C$

Ex3: $\int x(x^2+1)^2 \, dx$ $g(x) = x^2+1$ $g'(x) = 2x \, dx$

$$\int (x^2+1)^2 \cdot x \, dx \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int (x^2+1)^2 \cdot 2x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3}(x^2+1)^3 + C = \frac{1}{6}(x^2+1)^3 + C$$

$f(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$

Ex4: $\int \sqrt{2x-1} \, dx$ $u = 2x-1$ * CHANGE OF VARIABLES *

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

$$\int \sqrt{u} \cdot \frac{1}{2} du$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int u^{1/2} du = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} + C = \frac{1}{3} (2x-1)^{3/2} + C$$

Ex5: $\int x \sqrt{2x-1} \, dx$ $u = 2x-1 \rightarrow u+1 = 2x$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = 2$ $\frac{1}{2}(u+1) = x$
 $\frac{1}{2} du = dx$

$$\int \frac{1}{2}(u+1) \sqrt{u} \cdot \frac{1}{2} du = \frac{1}{4} \int (u^{3/2} + u^{1/2}) du$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} + \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right] + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} (2x-1)^{5/2} + \frac{1}{6} (2x-1)^{3/2} + C$$

Exb: $\int \sin^2(3x) \cos(3x) dx$

$$u = \sin(3x)$$

$$\frac{1}{3} du = \cos(3x) dx$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \int u^2 \cdot du$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} u^3 + C = \frac{1}{9} \sin^3(3x) + C$$

Exploration

a) $\int 2x(x^2+1)^4 dx$ $g(x) = x^2+1$ $\frac{1}{5}(x^2+1)^5 + C$

b) $\int 3x^2 \sqrt{x^3+1} dx$ $g(x) = x^3+1$ $\frac{2}{3}(x^3+1)^{3/2} + C$

c) $\int \sec^2 x \cdot (\tan x + 3) dx$ $g(x) = \tan x + 3$ $\frac{1}{2}(\tan x + 3)^2 + C$

d) $\int x(x^2+1)^4 dx$ $u = x^2+1$ $du = 2x dx$ $\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$
 $\frac{1}{2} \int u^4 \cdot du = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{5} u^5 + C = \frac{1}{10}(x^2+1)^5 + C$

e) $\int x^2 \sqrt{x^3+1} dx$ $u = x^3+1$ $du = 3x^2 dx$ $\frac{1}{3} du = x^2 dx$
 $= \frac{1}{3} \int u^{1/2} du = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cdot u^{3/2} + C = \frac{2}{9}(x^3+1)^{3/2} + C$

f) $\int 2 \cdot \sec^2 x \cdot (\tan x + 3) dx$ $u = \tan x + 3$ $du = \sec^2 x dx$
 $= 2 \int u \cdot du = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} u^2 + C = (\tan x + 3)^2 + C$