Math 3B: Lecture 8

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Rearranging. . .

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Alternative statement

$$\int u \ dv = uv - \int v \ du$$

Examples

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