

Math 250A
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Ex 1 A tree has been transplanted and after x years is growing at a rate of $1 + \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}$ meters per year. After 2 years the tree has reached a height of 5 meters. How tall was the tree when it was transplanted?

translate
into a
differential
eqn.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} \rightarrow y(x) = \int 1 + \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} dx$$

make a substitution!

$$y(x) = x + \int \frac{1}{(1+x)^2} dx$$

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

$$= x - \frac{1}{u} + C = x - \frac{1}{1+x} + C = y(x)$$

$$y(2) = 5 = 2 - \frac{1}{1+2} + C \rightarrow C = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$y(0) = 0 - \frac{1}{1+0} + C \xrightarrow{\frac{10}{3}} \boxed{y(0) = \frac{7}{3} \text{ m}}$$

don't forget
units!

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$$\text{Chain rule: } \frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

↓ use backwards \Leftrightarrow integration by substitution

make/find
substitution

if $u = g(x)$, then $\int f[g(x)] g'(x) dx = \int f(u) du$

hard integral to deal with

easier integral to
deal with

$\int df[g(x)] = f[g(x)] = \int f'[g(x)] g'(x) dx$

ex $\int (2x+1) e^{x^2+x} dx$

$$u = x^2 + x$$

$$du = dx(2x+1)$$

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

$$= \int e^u du = e^u + C = e^{x^2+x} + C$$

ex $\int \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx$

$$u \equiv \ln x$$

$$du = \frac{dx}{x} \rightarrow dx = x du$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{x} u^{-1} x du = \int u^{-1} du$$

$$= \ln|u| + C = \ln|\ln x| + C$$

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generic
forms

$$\boxed{4} \int g'(x) e^{g(x)} dx = e^{g(x)} + C$$

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$$\boxed{5} \int \frac{g'(x)}{g(x)} dx = \ln|g(x)| + C$$

ex $\int 4x \sqrt{x^2 + 1} dx$

$$u = x^2 + 1$$

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

$$= \int 4x u^{1/2} \frac{1}{2x} du$$

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

ex $\int \tan x dx$ $\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$

$$= \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx \quad u = \cos x, du = -\sin x dx$$

$$\rightarrow dx = -\frac{1}{\sin x} du$$

$$= \int \frac{\sin x}{u} \cdot -\frac{1}{\sin x} du$$

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

$$-\ln|\cos x| = \ln|\cos x|^{-1} = \ln|\sec x|$$

ex $\int x \sqrt{2x-1} dx$

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$$v = 2x-1$$

$$dv = 2dx \rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{2}dv$$

$$\rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}(v+1)$$

$$= \int x v^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{2} dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int (v+1) v^{\frac{1}{2}} dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int v^{\frac{3}{2}} + v^{\frac{1}{2}} dv = \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{2}{5} v^{\frac{5}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} v^{\frac{3}{2}} \right] + C$$

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

LIMITS

ex $\int_0^4 2x \sqrt{x^2+1} dx$

$$v = x^2+1 \rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{2x} dv$$

$$= \int_1^{17} v^{\frac{1}{2}} dv = \frac{2}{3} v^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_1^{17} = \frac{2}{3} (x^2+1)^{\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_0^4$$

Don't forget to change the limits for definite integrals

$$= \frac{2}{3} (17^{\frac{3}{2}} + 1) \approx 47.4$$

(exact answer) \therefore (approx.)

ex $\int_1^2 \frac{3x^2+1}{x^3+x} dx$

$$v = x^3+x, dv = dx(3x^2+1)$$

$$\rightarrow dx = \frac{1}{3x^2+1} dv$$

$$= \int_2^{10} v^{-1} dv$$

$$= \ln|v| \Big|_2^{10} = \ln 10 - \ln 2$$

$$= \ln \left| \frac{10}{2} \right| = \ln 5$$

ideally, you write out all key steps explicitly