

SOLUTIONS

Math Xb Spring 2004
Worksheet: The Substitution Rule
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1. Evaluate the following integrals.

(a) $\int (6x^2 + 2) \sin(x^3 + x + 1) dx = \int \sin u \cdot 2 du = 2 \int \sin u du$
 $u = x^3 + x + 1$
 $du = (3x^2 + 1) dx$
 $2 du = (6x^2 + 2) dx$

$$= -2 \cos u + C$$

$$= \boxed{-2 \cos(x^3 + x + 1) + C}$$

(b) ~~$\int (1+x^3)^{2/3} x^2 dx$~~

$$u = 1+x^3$$

$$du = 3x^2 dx$$

$$\frac{1}{3} du = x^2 dx$$

$$\int (1+x^3)^{3/2} x^2 dx$$

$$= \int u^{3/2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} du = \frac{1}{3} \int u^{3/2} du = \frac{1}{3} \frac{u^{5/2}}{5/2} + C$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{2}{15} (1+x^3)^{5/2} + C}$$

(c) $\int_0^4 \sqrt{2x+1} dx$

$$u = 2x+1$$

$$du = 2 dx$$

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

$$= \int_1^9 \sqrt{u} \cdot \frac{1}{2} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_1^9 u^{1/2} du = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{u^{3/2}}{3/2} \Big|_1^9 = \frac{1}{3} u \sqrt{u} \Big|_1^9$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (9 \cdot 3 - 1 \cdot 1) = \boxed{\frac{26}{3}}$$

(d) $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x^2 \sin 7x dx$

odd function, so $\int = \boxed{0}$.

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

$$u = x^3$$

$$du = 3x^2 dx$$

$$\frac{1}{3} du = x^2 dx$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{3} e^{x^3} + C}$$

(f) $\int \frac{\tan^{-1} x}{1+x^2} dx$

$$= \int u du = \frac{1}{2} u^2 + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{2} (\tan^{-1} x)^2 + C}$$

$$u = \tan^{-1} x$$

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

(g) $\int_0^{\pi/4} \tan x dx = \int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx = - \int_1^{1/\sqrt{2}} \frac{1}{u} du = - \ln |u| \Big|_1^{1/\sqrt{2}}$

$$u = \cos x$$

$$du = -\sin x dx$$

$$= -\ln(1/\sqrt{2}) + \ln 1$$

$$= -\ln 1 + \ln \sqrt{2} + \ln 1$$

$$= \ln \sqrt{2} = \boxed{\frac{\ln 2}{2}}$$

2. Suppose that $\int_0^{12} g(x) dx = \frac{\pi}{12}$. Evaluate $\int_0^3 g(4x) dx$.

$$u = 4x$$

$$du = 4 dx$$

$$\frac{1}{4} du = dx$$

$$\int_0^3 g(4x) dx = \int_0^{12} \frac{1}{4} g(u) du$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int_0^{12} g(u) du = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{\pi}{12} = \boxed{\frac{\pi}{48}}$$