

# METHOD OF SUBSTITUTION

## INDEFINITE INTEGRALS

$$\text{CHAIN RULE } [F(g(x))] = F'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

$$\int F'(g(x)) g'(x) dx = \int (F(g(x)))' dx = F(g(x)) + C$$

$$\underline{\text{EX:}} \int \cos(x^2) \cdot 2x dx = \sin x^2 + C$$

$$F(x) = \sin x, \quad g(x) = x^2$$

## A DIFFERENT APPROACH

$$F' = f$$

$$\int f(g(x)) g'(x) dx = F(g(x)) + C$$

$$\text{LET } u = g(x) \quad \text{THEN } \frac{du}{dx} = g'(x)$$

$$du = g'(x) dx$$

$$\boxed{\int f(g(x)) g'(x) dx = \int f(u) du}$$

$$\underline{\text{EX:}} \int \cos(x^2) \cdot 2x \, dx = \int \cos u \, du = \sin u + C \\ \text{LET } u = x^2, \quad du = 2x \, dx \quad = \sin x^2 + C$$

$$\underline{\text{EX:}} \int \sin(5x) \, dx = \int \sin u \cdot \frac{1}{5} \, du = \frac{1}{5} \int \sin u \, du$$

$$\text{LET } u = 5x, \quad du = (5x)' \, dx = 5 \, dx$$

$$dx = \frac{1}{5} \, du$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} (-\cos u) + C = -\frac{1}{5} \cos(5x) + C$$

$$\underline{\text{EX:}} \int (3x-2)^{50} \, dx =$$

$$\text{LET } u = 3x-2, \quad du = (3x-2)' \, dx = 3 \, dx$$

$$dx = \frac{1}{3} \, du$$

$$= \int u^{50} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \, du = \frac{1}{3} \int u^{50} \, du = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{u^{51}}{51} + C$$

$$= \frac{(3x-2)^{51}}{153} + C$$

TRY TO MAKE COMPLICATED EXPRESSIONS  
SIMPLER

$$\underline{\text{EX}}: \int (\sin x)(\cos x)^{10} dx =$$

$$u = \sin x, \quad du = (\cos x) dx$$

DOES NOT BECOME SIMPLER!

$$u = \cos x, \quad du = -(\sin x) dx$$

$$-du = (\sin x) dx$$

$$= \int u^{10} \cdot (-du) = -\frac{u^{11}}{11} + C = -\frac{(\cos x)^{11}}{11} + C$$

$$\underline{\text{EX}}: \int \tan x dx = \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx$$

$$u = \cos x, \quad du = -(\sin x) dx$$

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

$$= -\ln|\cos x| + C$$

GOOD IDEAS FOR SUBSTITUTION: QUANTITIES  
INSIDE ROOTS, POWERS, TRIG. FNS., DENOMINATORS  
ETC.

# DEFINITE INTEGRALS

$$\int_a^b f(g(x)) g'(x) dx = F(g(b)) - F(g(a))$$

BY FTC II  $F' = f$

TWO WAYS:

i) FIND AN ANTIDERIVATIVE, EVALUATE

ii)  $u = g(x)$

$$\int_a^b f(g(x)) g'(x) dx = \int_{g(a)}^{g(b)} f(u) du$$

NEED TO CHANGE BOUNDS OF INTEGRATION

EX:  $\int_0^1 x (6x^2+1)^5 dx = F(1) - F(0) = \frac{7^6}{72} - \frac{1}{72}$

i)  $\int x (6x^2+1)^5 dx = \int u^5 \cdot \frac{1}{12} du =$

$$u = 6x^2+1, du = (6x^2+1)' dx = 12x dx$$

$$x dx = \frac{1}{12} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \frac{u^6}{6} = \frac{(6x^2+1)^6}{72} = F(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{ii) } u &= 6x^2 + 1 & g(0) &= 6 \cdot 0^2 + 1 = 1 \\
 & & g(1) &= 6 \cdot 1^2 + 1 = 7 \\
 \int_0^1 x(6x^2 + 1)^5 dx &= \int_1^7 u^5 \cdot \frac{1}{12} du \\
 &= \frac{1}{12} \cdot \left( \frac{7^6}{6} - \frac{1^6}{6} \right) = \frac{7^6}{72} - \frac{1}{72}
 \end{aligned}$$

## EVEN/ODD FUNCTIONS

$f$  EVEN IF  $f(x) = f(-x)$

$f$  ODD IF  $f(-x) = -f(x)$

EX: EVEN POWERS,  $\cos x$ ,  $\sqrt{1+x^2}$  ETC.

ODD POWERS,  $\sin x$ , ETC.

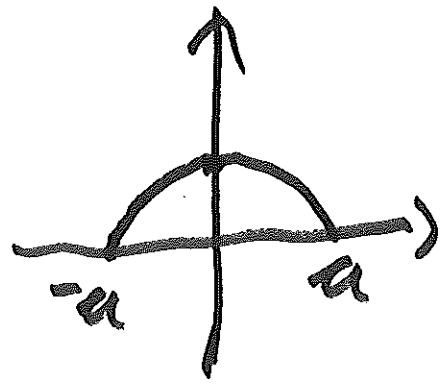
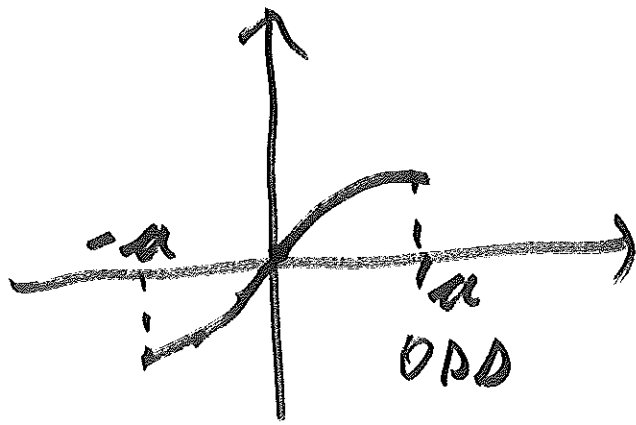
EVEN + EVEN = EVEN

EVEN · EVEN = EVEN

ODD · EVEN = ODD

IF  $f$  IS ODD,  $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 0$

IF  $f$  IS EVEN,  $\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 2 \int_0^a f(x) dx$



$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \int_a^{-a} f(-u) \cdot (-du)$$

$$= \int_{-a}^a f(-u) du$$

$$u = -x, \quad x = -u$$

$$dx = -du$$

f ODD  $f(-u) = -f(u)$

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = \int_{-a}^a -f(u) du = -\int_{-a}^a f(u) du$$

$$\int_{-a}^a f(x) dx = 0$$