

5.6 Substitution Method

Preliminary Questions

1. Which of the following integrals is a candidate for the Substitution Method?

(a) $\int 5x^4 \sin(x^5) dx$ (b) $\int \sin^5 x \cos x dx$ (c) $\int x^5 \sin x dx$

SOLUTION The function in (c): $x^5 \sin x$ is not of the form $g(u(x))u'(x)$. The function in (a) meets the prescribed pattern with $g(u) = \sin u$ and $u(x) = x^5$. Similarly, the function in (b) meets the prescribed pattern with $g(u) = u^5$ and $u(x) = \sin x$.

2. Find an appropriate choice of u for evaluating the following integrals by substitution:

(a) $\int x(x^2 + 9)^4 dx$ (b) $\int x^2 \sin(x^3) dx$ (c) $\int \sin x \cos^2 x dx$

SOLUTION

(a) $x(x^2 + 9)^4 = \frac{1}{2}(2x)(x^2 + 9)^4$; hence, $c = \frac{1}{2}$, $f(u) = u^4$, and $u(x) = x^2 + 9$.

(b) $x^2 \sin(x^3) = \frac{1}{3}(3x^2) \sin(x^3)$; hence, $c = \frac{1}{3}$, $f(u) = \sin u$, and $u(x) = x^3$.

(c) $\sin x \cos^2 x = -(-\sin x) \cos^2 x$; hence, $c = -1$, $f(u) = u^2$, and $u(x) = \cos x$.

3. Which of the following is equal to $\int_0^2 x^2(x^3 + 1) dx$ for a suitable substitution?

(a) $\frac{1}{3} \int_0^2 u du$ (b) $\int_0^9 u du$ (c) $\frac{1}{3} \int_1^9 u du$

SOLUTION With the substitution $u = x^3 + 1$, the definite integral $\int_0^2 x^2(x^3 + 1) dx$ becomes $\frac{1}{3} \int_1^9 u du$. The correct answer is (c).

Exercises

In Exercises 1–6, calculate du .

1. $u = x^3 - x^2$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^3 - x^2$. Then $du = (3x^2 - 2x) dx$.

2. $u = 2x^4 + 8x^{-1}$

SOLUTION Let $u = 2x^4 + 8x^{-1}$. Then $du = (8x^3 - 8x^{-2}) dx$.

3. $u = \cos(x^2)$

SOLUTION Let $u = \cos(x^2)$. Then $du = -\sin(x^2) \cdot 2x dx = -2x \sin(x^2) dx$.

4. $u = \tan x$

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan x$. Then $du = \sec^2 x dx$.

5. $u = e^{4x+1}$

SOLUTION Let $u = e^{4x+1}$. Then $du = 4e^{4x+1} dx$.

6. $u = \ln(x^4 + 1)$

SOLUTION Let $u = \ln(x^4 + 1)$. Then $du = \frac{4x^3}{x^4 + 1} dx$.

In Exercises 7–22, write the integral in terms of u and du . Then evaluate.

7. $\int (x - 7)^3 dx$, $u = x - 7$

SOLUTION Let $u = x - 7$. Then $du = dx$. Hence

$$\int (x - 7)^3 dx = \int u^3 du = \frac{1}{4}u^4 + C = \frac{1}{4}(x - 7)^4 + C.$$

8. $\int (x + 25)^{-2} dx$, $u = x + 25$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 25$. Then $du = dx$ and

$$\int (x + 25)^{-2} dx = \int u^{-2} du = -u^{-1} + C = -\frac{1}{x + 25} + C.$$

9. $\int t\sqrt{t^2+1} dt, \quad u = t^2 + 1$

SOLUTION Let $u = t^2 + 1$. Then $du = 2t dt$. Hence,

$$\int t\sqrt{t^2+1} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int u^{1/2} du = \frac{1}{3} u^{3/2} + C = \frac{1}{3} (t^2 + 1)^{3/2} + C.$$

10. $\int (x^3 + 1) \cos(x^4 + 4x) dx, \quad u = x^4 + 4x$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^4 + 4x$. Then $du = (4x^3 + 4) dx = 4(x^3 + 1) dx$ and

$$\int (x^3 + 1) \cos(x^4 + 4x) dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \cos u du = \frac{1}{4} \sin u + C = \frac{1}{4} \sin(x^4 + 4x) + C.$$

11. $\int \frac{t^3}{(4 - 2t^4)^{11}} dt, \quad u = 4 - 2t^4$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4 - 2t^4$. Then $du = -8t^3 dt$. Hence,

$$\int \frac{t^3}{(4 - 2t^4)^{11}} dt = -\frac{1}{8} \int u^{-11} du = \frac{1}{80} u^{-10} + C = \frac{1}{80} (4 - 2t^4)^{-10} + C.$$

12. $\int \sqrt{4x-1} dx, \quad u = 4x - 1$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4x - 1$. Then $du = 4 dx$ or $\frac{1}{4} du = dx$. Hence

$$\int \sqrt{4x-1} dx = \frac{1}{4} \int u^{1/2} du = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right) + C = \frac{1}{6} (4x - 1)^{3/2} + C.$$

13. $\int x(x+1)^9 dx, \quad u = x + 1$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 1$. Then $x = u - 1$ and $du = dx$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \int x(x+1)^9 dx &= \int (u-1)u^9 du = \int (u^{10} - u^9) du \\ &= \frac{1}{11} u^{11} - \frac{1}{10} u^{10} + C = \frac{1}{11} (x+1)^{11} - \frac{1}{10} (x+1)^{10} + C. \end{aligned}$$

14. $\int x\sqrt{4x-1} dx, \quad u = 4x - 1$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4x - 1$. Then $x = \frac{1}{4}(u + 1)$ and $du = 4 dx$ or $\frac{1}{4} du = dx$. Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \int x\sqrt{4x-1} dx &= \frac{1}{16} \int (u+1)u^{1/2} du = \frac{1}{16} \int (u^{3/2} + u^{1/2}) du \\ &= \frac{1}{16} \left(\frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} \right) + \frac{1}{16} \left(\frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{40} (4x-1)^{5/2} + \frac{1}{24} (4x-1)^{3/2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

15. $\int x^2 \sqrt{x+1} dx, \quad u = x + 1$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 1$. Then $x = u - 1$ and $du = dx$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \int x^2 \sqrt{x+1} dx &= \int (u-1)^2 u^{1/2} du = \int (u^{5/2} - 2u^{3/2} + u^{1/2}) du \\ &= \frac{2}{7} u^{7/2} - \frac{4}{5} u^{5/2} + \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} + C \\ &= \frac{2}{7} (x+1)^{7/2} - \frac{4}{5} (x+1)^{5/2} + \frac{2}{3} (x+1)^{3/2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

16. $\int \sin(4\theta - 7) d\theta, \quad u = 4\theta - 7$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4\theta - 7$. Then $du = 4 d\theta$ and

$$\int \sin(4\theta - 7) d\theta = \frac{1}{4} \int \sin u du = -\frac{1}{4} \cos u + C = -\frac{1}{4} \cos(4\theta - 7) + C.$$

17. $\int \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta, \quad u = \sin \theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin \theta$. Then $du = \cos \theta \, d\theta$. Hence,

$$\int \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta \, d\theta = \int u^2 \, du = \frac{1}{3}u^3 + C = \frac{1}{3}\sin^3 \theta + C.$$

18. $\int \sec^2 x \tan x \, dx, \quad u = \tan x$

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan x$. Then $du = \sec^2 x \, dx$. Hence

$$\int \sec^2 x \tan x \, dx = \int u \, du = \frac{1}{2}u^2 + C = \frac{1}{2}\tan^2 x + C.$$

19. $\int x e^{-x^2} \, dx, \quad u = -x^2$

SOLUTION Let $u = -x^2$. Then $du = -2x \, dx$ or $-\frac{1}{2} du = x \, dx$. Hence,

$$\int x e^{-x^2} \, dx = -\frac{1}{2} \int e^u \, du = -\frac{1}{2}e^u + C = -\frac{1}{2}e^{-x^2} + C.$$

20. $\int (\sec^2 t) e^{\tan t} \, dt, \quad u = \tan t$

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan t$. Then $du = \sec^2 t \, dt$ and

$$\int (\sec^2 t) e^{\tan t} \, dt = \int e^u \, du = e^u + C = e^{\tan t} + C.$$

21. $\int \frac{(\ln x)^2 \, dx}{x}, \quad u = \ln x$

SOLUTION Let $u = \ln x$. Then $du = \frac{1}{x} \, dx$, and

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

22. $\int \frac{(\tan^{-1} x)^2 \, dx}{x^2 + 1}, \quad u = \tan^{-1} x$

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan^{-1} x$. Then $du = \frac{1}{1+x^2} \, dx$, and

$$\int \frac{(\tan^{-1} x)^2 \, dx}{x^2 + 1} = \int u^2 \, du = \frac{1}{3}u^3 + C = \frac{1}{3}(\tan^{-1} x)^3 + C.$$

In Exercises 23–26, evaluate the integral in the form $a \sin(u(x)) + C$ for an appropriate choice of $u(x)$ and constant a .

23. $\int x^3 \cos(x^4) \, dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^4$. Then $du = 4x^3 \, dx$ or $\frac{1}{4} du = x^3 \, dx$. Hence

$$\int x^3 \cos(x^4) \, dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \cos u \, du = \frac{1}{4} \sin u + C = \frac{1}{4} \sin(x^4) + C.$$

24. $\int x^2 \cos(x^3 + 1) \, dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^3 + 1$. Then $du = 3x^2 \, dx$ or $\frac{1}{3} du = x^2 \, dx$. Hence

$$\int x^2 \cos(x^3 + 1) \, dx = \frac{1}{3} \int \cos u \, du = \frac{1}{3} \sin u + C.$$

25. $\int x^{1/2} \cos(x^{3/2}) \, dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^{3/2}$. Then $du = \frac{3}{2}x^{1/2} \, dx$ or $\frac{2}{3} du = x^{1/2} \, dx$. Hence

$$\int x^{1/2} \cos(x^{3/2}) \, dx = \frac{2}{3} \int \cos u \, du = \frac{2}{3} \sin u + C = \frac{2}{3} \sin(x^{3/2}) + C.$$

26. $\int \cos x \cos(\sin x) dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin x$. Then $du = \cos x dx$. Hence

$$\int \cos x \cos(\sin x) dx = \int \cos u du = \sin u + C.$$

In Exercises 27–72, evaluate the indefinite integral.

27. $\int (4x + 5)^9 dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4x + 5$. Then $du = 4 dx$ and

$$\int (4x + 5)^9 dx = \frac{1}{4} \int u^9 du = \frac{1}{40} u^{10} + C = \frac{1}{40} (4x + 5)^{10} + C.$$

28. $\int \frac{dx}{(x-9)^5}$

SOLUTION Let $u = x - 9$. Then $du = dx$ and

$$\int \frac{dx}{(x-9)^5} = \int u^{-5} du = -\frac{1}{4} u^{-4} + C = -\frac{1}{4(x-9)^4} + C.$$

29. $\int \frac{dt}{\sqrt{t+12}}$

SOLUTION Let $u = t + 12$. Then $du = dt$ and

$$\int \frac{dt}{\sqrt{t+12}} = \int u^{-1/2} du = 2u^{1/2} + C = 2\sqrt{t+12} + C.$$

30. $\int (9t + 2)^{2/3} dt$

SOLUTION Let $u = 9t + 2$. Then $du = 9 dt$ and

$$\int (9t + 2)^{2/3} dt = \frac{1}{9} \int u^{2/3} du = \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{3}{5} u^{5/3} + C = \frac{1}{15} (9t + 2)^{5/3} + C.$$

31. $\int \frac{x+1}{(x^2+2x)^3} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 2x$. Then $du = (2x + 2) dx$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = (x + 1) dx$. Hence

$$\int \frac{x+1}{(x^2+2x)^3} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u^3} du = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2} u^{-2} \right) + C = -\frac{1}{4} (x^2 + 2x)^{-2} + C = \frac{-1}{4(x^2 + 2x)^2} + C.$$

32. $\int (x+1)(x^2+2x)^{3/4} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 2x$. Then $du = (2x + 2) dx = 2(x + 1) dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \int (x+1)(x^2+2x)^{3/4} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int u^{3/4} du = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{7} u^{7/4} + C \\ &= \frac{2}{7} (x^2 + 2x)^{7/4} + C. \end{aligned}$$

33. $\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+9}} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 9$. Then $du = 2x dx$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$. Hence

$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+9}} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{u}} du = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{u}}{\frac{1}{2}} + C = \sqrt{x^2+9} + C.$$

34. $\int \frac{2x^2 + x}{(4x^3 + 3x^2)^2} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4x^3 + 3x^2$. Then $du = (12x^2 + 6x) dx$ or $\frac{1}{6} du = (2x^2 + x) dx$. Hence

$$\int (4x^3 + 3x^2)^{-2} (2x^2 + x) dx = \frac{1}{6} \int u^{-2} du = -\frac{1}{6} u^{-1} + C = -\frac{1}{6} (4x^3 + 3x^2)^{-1} + C.$$

35. $\int (3x^2 + 1)(x^3 + x)^2 dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^3 + x$. Then $du = (3x^2 + 1) dx$. Hence

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

36. $\int \frac{5x^4 + 2x}{(x^5 + x^2)^3} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^5 + x^2$. Then $du = (5x^4 + 2x) dx$. Hence

$$\int \frac{5x^4 + 2x}{(x^5 + x^2)^3} dx = \int \frac{1}{u^3} du = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{u^2} + C = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(x^5 + x^2)^2} + C.$$

37. $\int (3x + 8)^{11} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 3x + 8$. Then $du = 3 dx$ and

$$\int (3x + 8)^{11} dx = \frac{1}{3} \int u^{11} du = \frac{1}{36} u^{12} + C = \frac{1}{36} (3x + 8)^{12} + C.$$

38. $\int x(3x + 8)^{11} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 3x + 8$. Then $du = 3 dx$, $x = \frac{u - 8}{3}$, and

$$\begin{aligned} \int x(3x + 8)^{11} dx &= \frac{1}{9} \int (u - 8)u^{11} du = \frac{1}{9} \int (u^{12} - 8u^{11}) du \\ &= \frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{1}{13} u^{13} - \frac{8}{12} u^{12} \right) + C \\ &= \frac{1}{117} (3x + 8)^{13} - \frac{2}{27} (3x + 8)^{12} + C. \end{aligned}$$

39. $\int x^2 \sqrt{x^3 + 1} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^3 + 1$. Then $du = 3x^2 dx$ and

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

40. $\int x^5 \sqrt{x^3 + 1} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^3 + 1$. Then $du = 3x^2 dx$, $x^3 = u - 1$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \int x^5 \sqrt{x^3 + 1} dx &= \frac{1}{3} \int (u - 1)\sqrt{u} du = \frac{1}{3} \int (u^{3/2} - u^{1/2}) du \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} - \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right) + C \\ &= \frac{2}{15} (x^3 + 1)^{5/2} - \frac{2}{9} (x^3 + 1)^{3/2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

41. $\int \frac{dx}{(x + 5)^3}$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 5$. Then $du = dx$ and

$$\int \frac{dx}{(x + 5)^3} = \int u^{-3} du = -\frac{1}{2} u^{-2} + C = -\frac{1}{2} (x + 5)^{-2} + C.$$

42. $\int \frac{x^2 dx}{(x + 5)^3}$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 5$. Then $du = dx$, $x = u - 5$ and

$$\int \frac{x^2 dx}{(x + 5)^3} = \int \frac{(u - 5)^2}{u^3} du = \int (u^{-1} - 10u^{-2} + 25u^{-3}) du$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \ln|u| + 10u^{-1} - \frac{25}{2}u^{-2} + C \\
 &= \ln|x+5| + \frac{10}{x+5} - \frac{25}{2(x+5)^2} + C.
 \end{aligned}$$

43. $\int z^2(z^3+1)^{12} dz$

SOLUTION Let $u = z^3 + 1$. Then $du = 3z^2 dz$ and

$$\int z^2(z^3+1)^{12} dz = \frac{1}{3} \int u^{12} du = \frac{1}{39} u^{13} + C = \frac{1}{39} (z^3+1)^{13} + C.$$

44. $\int (z^5 + 4z^2)(z^3 + 1)^{12} dz$

SOLUTION Let $u = z^3 + 1$. Then $du = 3z^2 dz$, $z^3 = u - 1$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int (z^5 + 4z^2)(z^3 + 1)^{12} dz &= \frac{1}{3} \int (u+3)u^{12} du = \frac{1}{3} \int (u^{13} + 3u^{12}) du \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{14} u^{14} + \frac{3}{13} u^{13} \right) + C \\
 &= \frac{1}{42} (z^3 + 1)^{14} + \frac{1}{13} (z^3 + 1)^{13} + C.
 \end{aligned}$$

45. $\int (x+2)(x+1)^{1/4} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 1$. Then $x = u - 1$, $du = dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int (x+2)(x+1)^{1/4} dx &= \int (u+1)u^{1/4} du = \int (u^{5/4} + u^{1/4}) du \\
 &= \frac{4}{9} u^{9/4} + \frac{4}{5} u^{5/4} + C \\
 &= \frac{4}{9} (x+1)^{9/4} + \frac{4}{5} (x+1)^{5/4} + C.
 \end{aligned}$$

46. $\int x^3(x^2-1)^{3/2} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 - 1$. Then $u + 1 = x^2$ and $du = 2x dx$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int x^3(x^2-1)^{3/2} dx &= \int x^2 \cdot x(x^2-1)^{3/2} dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \int (u+1)u^{3/2} du = \frac{1}{2} \int (u^{5/2} + u^{3/2}) du \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{7} u^{7/2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} \right) + C = \frac{1}{7} (x^2-1)^{7/2} + \frac{1}{5} (x^2-1)^{5/2} + C.
 \end{aligned}$$

47. $\int \sin(8-3\theta) d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = 8 - 3\theta$. Then $du = -3 d\theta$ and

$$\int \sin(8-3\theta) d\theta = -\frac{1}{3} \int \sin u du = \frac{1}{3} \cos u + C = \frac{1}{3} \cos(8-3\theta) + C.$$

48. $\int \theta \sin(\theta^2) d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = \theta^2$. Then $du = 2\theta d\theta$ and

$$\int \theta \sin(\theta^2) d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int \sin u du = -\frac{1}{2} \cos u + C = -\frac{1}{2} \cos(\theta^2) + C.$$

49. $\int \frac{\cos \sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{t}} dt$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sqrt{t} = t^{1/2}$. Then $du = \frac{1}{2} t^{-1/2} dt$ and

$$\int \frac{\cos \sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{t}} dt = 2 \int \cos u du = 2 \sin u + C = 2 \sin \sqrt{t} + C.$$

50. $\int x^2 \sin(x^3 + 1) dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^3 + 1$. Then $du = 3x^2 dx$ or $\frac{1}{3}du = x^2 dx$. Hence

$$\int x^2 \sin(x^3 + 1) dx = \frac{1}{3} \int \sin u du = -\frac{1}{3} \cos u + C = -\frac{1}{3} \cos(x^3 + 1) + C.$$

51. $\int \tan(4\theta + 9) d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4\theta + 9$. Then $du = 4 d\theta$ and

$$\int \tan(4\theta + 9) d\theta = \frac{1}{4} \int \tan u du = \frac{1}{4} \ln |\sec u| + C = \frac{1}{4} \ln |\sec(4\theta + 9)| + C.$$

52. $\int \sin^8 \theta \cos \theta d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin \theta$. Then $du = \cos \theta d\theta$ and

$$\int \sin^8 \theta \cos \theta d\theta = \int u^8 du = \frac{1}{9} u^9 + C = \frac{1}{9} \sin^9 \theta + C.$$

53. $\int \cot x dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin x$. Then $du = \cos x dx$, and

$$\int \cot x dx = \int \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} dx = \int \frac{du}{u} = \ln |u| + C = \ln |\sin x| + C.$$

54. $\int (x^{-1/5}) \tan x^{4/5} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^{4/5}$. Then $du = \frac{4}{5} x^{-1/5} dx$ and

$$\int (x^{-1/5}) \tan x^{4/5} dx = \frac{5}{4} \int \tan u du = \frac{5}{4} \ln |\sec u| + C = \frac{5}{4} \ln |\sec x^{4/5}| + C.$$

55. $\int \sec^2(4x + 9) dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4x + 9$. Then $du = 4 dx$ or $\frac{1}{4} du = dx$. Hence

$$\int \sec^2(4x + 9) dx = \frac{1}{4} \int \sec^2 u du = \frac{1}{4} \tan u + C = \frac{1}{4} \tan(4x + 9) + C.$$

56. $\int \sec^2 x \tan^4 x dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan x$. Then $du = \sec^2 x dx$. Hence

$$\int \sec^2 x \tan^4 x dx = \int u^4 du = \frac{1}{5} u^5 + C = \frac{1}{5} \tan^5 x + C.$$

57. $\int \frac{\sec^2(\sqrt{x}) dx}{\sqrt{x}}$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sqrt{x}$. Then $du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx$ or $2 du = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} dx$. Hence,

$$\int \frac{\sec^2(\sqrt{x}) dx}{\sqrt{x}} = 2 \int \sec^2 u du = 2 \tan u + C = 2 \tan(\sqrt{x}) + C.$$

58. $\int \frac{\cos 2x}{(1 + \sin 2x)^2} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 1 + \sin 2x$. Then $du = 2 \cos 2x$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = \cos 2x dx$. Hence

$$\int (1 + \sin 2x)^{-2} \cos 2x dx = \frac{1}{2} \int u^{-2} du = -\frac{1}{2} u^{-1} + C = -\frac{1}{2} (1 + \sin 2x)^{-1} + C.$$

59. $\int \sin 4x \sqrt{\cos 4x + 1} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = \cos 4x + 1$. Then $du = -4 \sin 4x$ or $-\frac{1}{4}du = \sin 4x$. Hence

$$\int \sin 4x \sqrt{\cos 4x + 1} dx = -\frac{1}{4} \int u^{1/2} du = -\frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right) + C = -\frac{1}{6} (\cos 4x + 1)^{3/2} + C.$$

60. $\int \cos x (3 \sin x - 1) dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 3 \sin x - 1$. Then $du = 3 \cos x dx$ or $\frac{1}{3}du = \cos x dx$. Hence

$$\int (3 \sin x - 1) \cos x dx = \frac{1}{3} \int u du = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{2} u^2 \right) + C = \frac{1}{6} (3 \sin x - 1)^2 + C.$$

61. $\int \sec \theta \tan \theta (\sec \theta - 1) d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sec \theta - 1$. Then $du = \sec \theta \tan \theta d\theta$ and

$$\int \sec \theta \tan \theta (\sec \theta - 1) d\theta = \int u du = \frac{1}{2} u^2 + C = \frac{1}{2} (\sec \theta - 1)^2 + C.$$

62. $\int \cos t \cos(\sin t) dt$

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin t$. Then $du = \cos t dt$ and

$$\int \cos t \cos(\sin t) dt = \int \cos u du = \sin u + C = \sin(\sin t) + C.$$

63. $\int e^{14x-7} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 14x - 7$. Then $du = 14 dx$ or $\frac{1}{14} du = dx$. Hence,

$$\int e^{14x-7} dx = \frac{1}{14} \int e^u du = \frac{1}{14} e^u + C = \frac{1}{14} e^{14x-7} + C.$$

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

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 2x$. Then $du = (2x + 2) dx$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = (x + 1) dx$. Hence,

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

65. $\int \frac{e^x dx}{(e^x + 1)^4}$

SOLUTION Let $u = e^x + 1$. Then $du = e^x dx$, and

$$\int \frac{e^x}{(e^x + 1)^4} dx = \int u^{-4} du = -\frac{1}{3u^3} + C = -\frac{1}{3(e^x + 1)^3} + C.$$

66. $\int (\sec^2 \theta) e^{\tan \theta} d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan \theta$. Then $du = \sec^2 \theta d\theta$, and

$$\int (\sec^2 \theta) e^{\tan \theta} d\theta = \int e^u du = e^u + C = e^{\tan \theta} + C.$$

67. $\int \frac{e^t dt}{e^{2t} + 2e^t + 1}$

SOLUTION Let $u = e^t$. Then $du = e^t dt$, and

$$\int \frac{e^t dt}{e^{2t} + 2e^t + 1} = \int \frac{du}{u^2 + 2u + 1} = \int \frac{du}{(u+1)^2} = -\frac{1}{u+1} + C = -\frac{1}{e^t + 1} + C.$$

68. $\int \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^2}$

SOLUTION Let $u = \ln x$. Then $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$, and

$$\int \frac{dx}{x(\ln x)^2} = \int u^{-2} du = -\frac{1}{u} + C = -\frac{1}{\ln x} + C.$$

69. $\int \frac{(\ln x)^4 dx}{x}$

SOLUTION Let $u = \ln x$. Then $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$, and

$$\int \frac{(\ln x)^4 dx}{x} = \int u^4 du = \frac{1}{5} u^5 + C = \frac{1}{5} (\ln x)^5 + C.$$

70. $\int \frac{dx}{x \ln x}$

SOLUTION Let $u = \ln x$. Then $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$, and

$$\int \frac{dx}{x \ln x} = \int \frac{du}{u} = \ln |u| + C = \ln |\ln x| + C.$$

71. $\int \frac{\tan(\ln x)}{x} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = \cos(\ln x)$. Then $du = -\frac{1}{x} \sin(\ln x) dx$ or $-du = \frac{1}{x} \sin(\ln x) dx$. Hence,

$$\int \frac{\tan(\ln x)}{x} dx = \int \frac{\sin(\ln x)}{x \cos(\ln x)} dx = - \int \frac{du}{u} = -\ln |u| + C = -\ln |\cos(\ln x)| + C.$$

72. $\int (\cot x) \ln(\sin x) dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = \ln(\sin x)$. Then

$$du = \frac{1}{\sin x} \cos x = \cot x,$$

and

$$\int (\cot x) \ln(\sin x) dx = \int u du = \frac{1}{2} u^2 + C = \frac{1}{2} (\ln(\sin x))^2 + C.$$

73. Evaluate $\int \frac{dx}{(1 + \sqrt{x})^3}$ using $u = 1 + \sqrt{x}$. *Hint:* Show that $dx = 2(u - 1)du$.

SOLUTION Let $u = 1 + \sqrt{x}$. Then

$$du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx \quad \text{or} \quad dx = 2\sqrt{x} du = 2(u - 1) du.$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{dx}{(1 + \sqrt{x})^3} &= 2 \int \frac{u - 1}{u^3} du = 2 \int (u^{-2} - u^{-3}) du \\ &= -2u^{-1} + u^{-2} + C = -\frac{2}{1 + \sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{(1 + \sqrt{x})^2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

74. Can They Both Be Right? Hannah uses the substitution $u = \tan x$ and Akiva uses $u = \sec x$ to evaluate $\int \tan x \sec^2 x dx$. Show that they obtain different answers, and explain the apparent contradiction.

SOLUTION With the substitution $u = \tan x$, Hannah finds $du = \sec^2 x dx$ and

$$\int \tan x \sec^2 x dx = \int u du = \frac{1}{2} u^2 + C_1 = \frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x + C_1.$$

On the other hand, with the substitution $u = \sec x$, Akiva finds $du = \sec x \tan x dx$ and

$$\int \tan x \sec^2 x dx = \int \sec x (\tan x \sec x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 x + C_2$$

Hannah and Akiva have each found a correct antiderivative. To resolve what appears to be a contradiction, recall that any two antiderivatives of a specified function differ by a constant. To show that this is true in their case, note that

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{1}{2} \sec^2 x + C_2 \right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} \tan^2 x + C_1 \right) &= \frac{1}{2} (\sec^2 x - \tan^2 x) + C_2 - C_1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (1) + C_2 - C_1 = \frac{1}{2} + C_2 - C_1, \text{ a constant} \end{aligned}$$

Here we used the trigonometric identity $\tan^2 x + 1 = \sec^2 x$.

75. Evaluate $\int \sin x \cos x \, dx$ using substitution in two different ways: first using $u = \sin x$ and then using $u = \cos x$. Reconcile the two different answers.

SOLUTION First, let $u = \sin x$. Then $du = \cos x \, dx$ and

$$\int \sin x \cos x \, dx = \int u \, du = \frac{1}{2}u^2 + C_1 = \frac{1}{2}\sin^2 x + C_1.$$

Next, let $u = \cos x$. Then $du = -\sin x \, dx$ or $-du = \sin x \, dx$. Hence,

$$\int \sin x \cos x \, dx = -\int u \, du = -\frac{1}{2}u^2 + C_2 = -\frac{1}{2}\cos^2 x + C_2.$$

To reconcile these two seemingly different answers, recall that any two antiderivatives of a specified function differ by a constant. To show that this is true here, note that $(\frac{1}{2}\sin^2 x + C_1) - (-\frac{1}{2}\cos^2 x + C_2) = \frac{1}{2} + C_1 - C_2$, a constant. Here we used the trigonometric identity $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$.

76. Some Choices Are Better Than Others Evaluate

$$\int \sin x \cos^2 x \, dx$$

twice. First use $u = \sin x$ to show that

$$\int \sin x \cos^2 x \, dx = \int u \sqrt{1-u^2} \, du$$

and evaluate the integral on the right by a further substitution. Then show that $u = \cos x$ is a better choice.

SOLUTION Consider the integral $\int \sin x \cos^2 x \, dx$. If we let $u = \sin x$, then $\cos x = \sqrt{1-u^2}$ and $du = \cos x \, dx$. Hence

$$\int \sin x \cos^2 x \, dx = \int u \sqrt{1-u^2} \, du.$$

Now let $w = 1-u^2$. Then $dw = -2u \, du$ or $-\frac{1}{2}dw = u \, du$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \int u \sqrt{1-u^2} \, du &= -\frac{1}{2} \int w^{1/2} \, dw = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{3} w^{3/2} \right) + C \\ &= -\frac{1}{3} w^{3/2} + C = -\frac{1}{3} (1-u^2)^{3/2} + C \\ &= -\frac{1}{3} (1-\sin^2 x)^{3/2} + C = -\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x + C. \end{aligned}$$

A better substitution choice is $u = \cos x$. Then $du = -\sin x \, dx$ or $-du = \sin x \, dx$. Hence

$$\int \sin x \cos^2 x \, dx = -\int u^2 \, du = -\frac{1}{3}u^3 + C = -\frac{1}{3}\cos^3 x + C.$$

77. What are the new limits of integration if we apply the substitution $u = 3x + \pi$ to the integral $\int_0^\pi \sin(3x + \pi) \, dx$?

SOLUTION The new limits of integration are $u(0) = 3 \cdot 0 + \pi = \pi$ and $u(\pi) = 3\pi + \pi = 4\pi$.

78. Which of the following is the result of applying the substitution $u = 4x - 9$ to the integral $\int_2^8 (4x - 9)^{20} \, dx$?

(a) $\int_2^8 u^{20} \, du$

(b) $\frac{1}{4} \int_2^8 u^{20} \, du$

(c) $4 \int_{-1}^{23} u^{20} \, du$

(d) $\frac{1}{4} \int_{-1}^{23} u^{20} \, du$

SOLUTION Let $u = 4x - 9$. Then $du = 4 \, dx$ or $\frac{1}{4} du = dx$. Furthermore, when $x = 2$, $u = -1$, and when $x = 8$, $u = 23$. Hence

$$\int_2^8 (4x - 9)^{20} \, dx = \frac{1}{4} \int_{-1}^{23} u^{20} \, du.$$

The answer is therefore **(d)**.

In Exercises 79–90, use the Change-of-Variables Formula to evaluate the definite integral.

79. $\int_1^3 (x+2)^3 \, dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 2$. Then $du = dx$. Hence

$$\int_1^3 (x+2)^3 dx = \int_3^5 u^3 du = \frac{1}{4}u^4 \Big|_3^5 = \frac{5^4}{4} - \frac{3^4}{4} = 136.$$

80. $\int_1^6 \sqrt{x+3} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x + 3$. Then $du = dx$. Hence

$$\int_1^6 \sqrt{x+3} dx = \int_4^9 \sqrt{u} du = \frac{2}{3}u^{3/2} \Big|_4^9 = \frac{2}{3}(27-8) = \frac{38}{3}.$$

81. $\int_0^1 \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^3} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 1$. Then $du = 2x dx$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$. Hence

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^3} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_1^2 \frac{1}{u^3} du = \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2}u^{-2} \right) \Big|_1^2 = -\frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{16} = 0.1875.$$

82. $\int_{-1}^2 \sqrt{5x+6} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = 5x + 6$. Then $du = 5 dx$ or $\frac{1}{5} du = dx$. Hence

$$\int_{-1}^2 \sqrt{5x+6} dx = \frac{1}{5} \int_1^{16} \sqrt{u} du = \frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{2}{3}u^{3/2} \right) \Big|_1^{16} = \frac{2}{15}(64-1) = \frac{42}{5}.$$

83. $\int_0^4 x \sqrt{x^2+9} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 9$. Then $du = 2x dx$ or $\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$. Hence

$$\int_0^4 x \sqrt{x^2+9} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_9^{25} \sqrt{u} du = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{3}u^{3/2} \right) \Big|_9^{25} = \frac{1}{3}(125-27) = \frac{98}{3}.$$

84. $\int_1^2 \frac{4x+12}{(x^2+6x+1)^2} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 6x + 1$. Then $du = (2x+6) dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^2 \frac{4x+12}{(x^2+6x+1)^2} dx &= 2 \int_8^{17} u^{-2} du = -\frac{2}{u} \Big|_8^{17} \\ &= -\frac{2}{17} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{9}{68}. \end{aligned}$$

85. $\int_0^1 (x+1)(x^2+2x)^5 dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x^2 + 2x$. Then $du = (2x+2) dx = 2(x+1) dx$, and

$$\int_0^1 (x+1)(x^2+2x)^5 dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^3 u^5 du = \frac{1}{12}u^6 \Big|_0^3 = \frac{729}{12} = \frac{243}{4}.$$

86. $\int_{10}^{17} (x-9)^{-2/3} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = x - 9$. Then $du = dx$. Hence

$$\int_{10}^{17} (x-9)^{-2/3} dx = \int_1^8 u^{-2/3} dx = 3u^{1/3} \Big|_1^8 = 3(2-1) = 3.$$

87. $\int_0^1 \theta \tan(\theta^2) d\theta$

SOLUTION Let $u = \cos \theta^2$. Then $du = -2\theta \sin \theta^2 d\theta$ or $-\frac{1}{2} du = \theta \sin \theta^2 d\theta$. Hence,

$$\int_0^1 \theta \tan(\theta^2) d\theta = \int_0^1 \frac{\theta \sin(\theta^2)}{\cos(\theta^2)} d\theta = -\frac{1}{2} \int_1^{\cos 1} \frac{du}{u} = -\frac{1}{2} \ln|u| \Big|_1^{\cos 1} = -\frac{1}{2} [\ln(\cos 1) + \ln 1] = \frac{1}{2} \ln(\sec 1).$$

$$88. \int_0^{\pi/6} \sec^2 \left(2x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) dx$$

SOLUTION Let $u = 2x - \frac{\pi}{6}$. Then $du = 2 dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/6} \sec^2 \left(2x - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/6} \sec^2 u \, du = \frac{1}{2} \tan u \Big|_{-\pi/6}^{\pi/6} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}. \end{aligned}$$

$$89. \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 x \sin x \, dx$$

SOLUTION Let $u = \cos x$. Then $du = -\sin x \, dx$. Hence

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^3 x \sin x \, dx = - \int_1^0 u^3 \, du = \int_0^1 u^3 \, du = \frac{1}{4} u^4 \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{4} - 0 = \frac{1}{4}.$$

$$90. \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \cot^2 \frac{x}{2} \csc^2 \frac{x}{2} \, dx$$

SOLUTION Let $u = \cot \frac{x}{2}$. Then $du = -\frac{1}{2} \csc^2 \frac{x}{2} \, dx$ and

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\pi/3}^{\pi/2} \cot^2 \frac{x}{2} \csc^2 \frac{x}{2} \, dx &= -2 \int_{\sqrt{3}}^1 u^2 \, du \\ &= -\frac{2}{3} u^3 \Big|_{\sqrt{3}}^1 = \frac{2}{3} (3\sqrt{3} - 1). \end{aligned}$$

$$91. \text{ Evaluate } \int_0^2 r \sqrt{5 - \sqrt{4 - r^2}} \, dr.$$

SOLUTION Let $u = 5 - \sqrt{4 - r^2}$. Then

$$du = \frac{r \, dr}{\sqrt{4 - r^2}} = \frac{r \, dr}{5 - u}$$

so that

$$r \, dr = (5 - u) \, du.$$

Hence, the integral becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 r \sqrt{5 - \sqrt{4 - r^2}} \, dr &= \int_3^5 \sqrt{u} (5 - u) \, du = \int_3^5 (5u^{1/2} - u^{3/2}) \, du = \left(\frac{10}{3} u^{3/2} - \frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} \right) \Big|_3^5 \\ &= \left(\frac{50}{3} \sqrt{5} - 10\sqrt{5} \right) - \left(10\sqrt{3} - \frac{18}{5} \sqrt{3} \right) = \frac{20}{3} \sqrt{5} - \frac{32}{5} \sqrt{3}. \end{aligned}$$

92. Find numbers a and b such that

$$\int_a^b (u^2 + 1) \, du = \int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \sec^4 \theta \, d\theta$$

and evaluate. *Hint:* Use the identity $\sec^2 \theta = \tan^2 \theta + 1$.

SOLUTION Let $u = \tan \theta$. Then $u^2 + 1 = \tan^2 \theta + 1 = \sec^2 \theta$ and $du = \sec^2 \theta \, d\theta$. Moreover, because

$$\tan \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) = -1 \quad \text{and} \quad \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1,$$

it follows that $a = -1$ and $b = 1$. Thus,

$$\int_{-\pi/4}^{\pi/4} \sec^4 \theta \, d\theta = \int_{-1}^1 (u^2 + 1) \, du = \left(\frac{1}{3} u^3 + u \right) \Big|_{-1}^1 = \frac{8}{3}.$$

93. Wind engineers have found that wind speed v (in meters/second) at a given location follows a **Rayleigh distribution** of the type

$$W(v) = \frac{1}{32} v e^{-v^2/64}$$

This means that at a given moment in time, the probability that v lies between a and b is equal to the shaded area in Figure 1.

(a) Show that the probability that $v \in [0, b]$ is $1 - e^{-b^2/64}$.

(b) Calculate the probability that $v \in [2, 5]$.

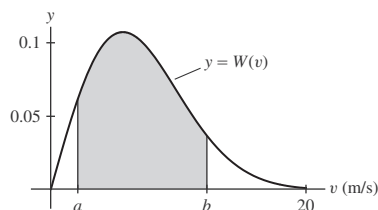


FIGURE 1 The shaded area is the probability that v lies between a and b .

SOLUTION

(a) The probability that $v \in [0, b]$ is

$$\int_0^b \frac{1}{32} v e^{-v^2/64} dv.$$

Let $u = -v^2/64$. Then $du = -v/32 dv$ and

$$\int_0^b \frac{1}{32} v e^{-v^2/64} dv = - \int_0^{-b^2/64} e^u du = -e^u \Big|_0^{-b^2/64} = -e^{-b^2/64} + 1.$$

(b) The probability that $v \in [2, 5]$ is the probability that $v \in [0, 5]$ minus the probability that $v \in [0, 2]$. By part (a), the probability that $v \in [2, 5]$ is

$$(1 - e^{-25/64}) - (1 - e^{-1/16}) = e^{-1/16} - e^{-25/64}.$$

94. Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^n x \cos x dx$ for $n \geq 0$.

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin x$. Then $du = \cos x dx$. Hence

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^n x \cos x dx = \int_0^1 u^n du = \frac{u^{n+1}}{n+1} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{n+1}.$$

In Exercises 95–96, use substitution to evaluate the integral in terms of $f(x)$.

95. $\int f(x)^3 f'(x) dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = f(x)$. Then $du = f'(x) dx$. Hence

$$\int f(x)^3 f'(x) dx = \int u^3 du = \frac{1}{4} u^4 + C = \frac{1}{4} f(x)^4 + C.$$

96. $\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)^2} dx$

SOLUTION Let $u = f(x)$. Then $du = f'(x) dx$. Hence

$$\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)^2} dx = \int u^{-2} du = -u^{-1} + C = \frac{-1}{f(x)} + C.$$

97. Show that $\int_0^{\pi/6} f(\sin \theta) d\theta = \int_0^{1/2} f(u) \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} du$.

SOLUTION Let $u = \sin \theta$. Then $u(\pi/6) = 1/2$ and $u(0) = 0$, as required. Furthermore, $du = \cos \theta \, d\theta$, so that

$$d\theta = \frac{du}{\cos \theta}.$$

If $\sin \theta = u$, then $u^2 + \cos^2 \theta = 1$, so that $\cos \theta = \sqrt{1 - u^2}$. Therefore $d\theta = du/\sqrt{1 - u^2}$. This gives

$$\int_0^{\pi/6} f(\sin \theta) \, d\theta = \int_0^{1/2} f(u) \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - u^2}} \, du.$$

Further Insights and Challenges

98. Use the substitution $u = 1 + x^{1/n}$ to show that

$$\int \sqrt{1 + x^{1/n}} \, dx = n \int u^{1/2}(u - 1)^{n-1} \, du$$

Evaluate for $n = 2, 3$.

SOLUTION Let $u = 1 + x^{1/n}$. Then $x = (u - 1)^n$ and $dx = n(u - 1)^{n-1} \, du$. Accordingly, $\int \sqrt{1 + x^{1/n}} \, dx = n \int u^{1/2}(u - 1)^{n-1} \, du$.

For $n = 2$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sqrt{1 + x^{1/2}} \, dx &= 2 \int u^{1/2}(u - 1)^1 \, du = 2 \int (u^{3/2} - u^{1/2}) \, du \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{2}{5} u^{5/2} - \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right) + C = \frac{4}{5} (1 + x^{1/2})^{5/2} - \frac{4}{3} (1 + x^{1/2})^{3/2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

For $n = 3$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \int \sqrt{1 + x^{1/3}} \, dx &= 3 \int u^{1/2}(u - 1)^2 \, du = 3 \int (u^{5/2} - 2u^{3/2} + u^{1/2}) \, du \\ &= 3 \left(\frac{2}{7} u^{7/2} - (2) \left(\frac{2}{5} \right) u^{5/2} + \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} \right) + C \\ &= \frac{6}{7} (1 + x^{1/3})^{7/2} - \frac{12}{5} (1 + x^{1/3})^{5/2} + 2(1 + x^{1/3})^{3/2} + C. \end{aligned}$$

99. Evaluate $I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\theta}{1 + \tan^{6000} \theta}$. *Hint:* Use substitution to show that I is equal to $J = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\theta}{1 + \cot^{6000} \theta}$ and then check that $I + J = \int_0^{\pi/2} d\theta$.

SOLUTION To evaluate

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dx}{1 + \tan^{6000} x},$$

we substitute $t = \pi/2 - x$. Then $dt = -dx$, $x = \pi/2 - t$, $t(0) = \pi/2$, and $t(\pi/2) = 0$. Hence,

$$I = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dx}{1 + \tan^{6000} x} = - \int_{\pi/2}^0 \frac{dt}{1 + \tan^{6000}(\pi/2 - t)} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dt}{1 + \cot^{6000} t}.$$

Let $J = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dt}{1 + \cot^{6000}(t)}$. We know $I = J$, so $I + J = 2I$. On the other hand, by the definition of I and J and the linearity of the integral,

$$\begin{aligned} I + J &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dx}{1 + \tan^{6000} x} + \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{dx}{1 + \cot^{6000} x} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \tan^{6000} x} + \frac{1}{1 + \cot^{6000} x} \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \tan^{6000} x} + \frac{1}{1 + (1/\tan^{6000} x)} \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\frac{1}{1 + \tan^{6000} x} + \frac{1}{(\tan^{6000} x + 1)/\tan^{6000} x} \right) dx \end{aligned}$$