

Unit #2: Methods of Integration

Topic: A Different Kind of U-Substitution

Objective: *SWBAT evaluate an integral using a u-substitution when a derivative isn't present.*

Warm Up #5:

If you were being asked to evaluate $\int \frac{x dx}{\sqrt{1-x^4}}$, explain, in your own words, why $u \neq 1 - x^4$.

What would u need to be and why?

Sometimes we may need to integrate an expression using a substitution where the derivative is not present. This requires us to make a different kind of u-substitution.

Example #1: Find $\int x\sqrt{2x+1} dx$

Example #2: Find $\int_4^7 \frac{2x+5}{\sqrt{x-3}} dx$

Problem Set #5: Integrate each of the following.

1) $\int x(x+1)^8 dx$

2) $\int x\sqrt{x+9} dx$

$$3) \int \frac{x}{\sqrt[4]{x+2}} dx$$

$$4) \int_3^8 \frac{x-1}{\sqrt{x+1}} dx$$

$$5) \int x(2x+1)^4 dx$$

$$6) \int_0^3 \frac{x}{\sqrt{x+1}} dx$$

$$7) \int_3^6 x\sqrt{x-2} dx$$

$$8) \int \frac{x}{\sqrt{4x+1}} dx$$

9) $\int x^2\sqrt{3-x} dx$	10) $\int x^3\sqrt{x+4} dx$
11) $\int (x+1)^2\sqrt{x-2} dx$	12) $\int_0^1 x^3\sqrt{1-x} dx$

Answer Key:

1) $\frac{1}{10}(x+1)^{10} - \frac{1}{9}(x+1)^9 + C$	2) $\frac{2}{5}(x+9)^{5/2} - 6(x+9)^{3/2} + C$
3) $\frac{4}{7}(x+2)^{7/4} - \frac{8}{3}(x+2)^{3/4} + C$	4) $\frac{26}{3}$
5) $\frac{1}{24}(2x+1)^6 - \frac{1}{20}(2x+1)^5 + C$	6) $\frac{8}{3}$
7) $\frac{326}{15}$	8) $\frac{1}{24}(4x+1)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{8}(4x+1)^{1/2} + C$
9) $-6(3-x)^{3/2} + \frac{12}{5}(3-x)^{5/2} - \frac{2}{7}(3-x)^{7/2} + C$	
10) $\frac{2}{9}(x+4)^{9/2} - \frac{24}{7}(x+4)^{7/2} + \frac{96}{5}(x+4)^{5/2} - \frac{128}{3}(x+4)^{3/2} + C$	
11) $\frac{2}{7}(x-2)^{7/2} + \frac{12}{5}(x-2)^{5/2} + 6(x-2)^{3/2} + C$	12) $\frac{32}{315}$