

# 6.2 U-Substitution

## Properties of Indefinite Integrals

$$\int k \cdot f(x) dx = k \int f(x) dx \quad \text{for any constant } k$$

$$\int (f(x) \pm g(x)) dx = \int f(x) dx \pm \int g(x) dx$$

#### **Power Formulas**

$$\int u^n du = \frac{u^{n+1}}{n+1} + C \text{ when } n \neq -1$$

$$\int u^{-1} du = \int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln ||u|| + C$$
(see Example 2)

#### Trigonometric Formulas

$$\int \cos u \, du = \sin u + C$$

$$\int \sin u \, du = -\cos u + C$$

$$\int \sec^2 u \, du = \tan u + C$$

$$\int \csc^2 u \, du = -\cot u + C$$

$$\int \sec u \tan u \, du = \sec u + C$$

$$\int \csc u \cot u \, du = -\csc u + C$$

### **Exponential and Logarithmic Formulas**

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

$$\int a^{u} du = \frac{a^{u}}{\ln a} + C$$

$$R \int \ln u du = u \ln u - u + C \quad \text{(See Example 2)}$$

Why the dx?

Let  $f(x) = \chi^3 + 1$ , let  $u = \chi^3$ . Find each in terms of x.

$$(f(x)) dx = \int (x^3+1) dx = \frac{\chi^4}{4} + x + C$$

(2) 
$$(f(u) du = (u^3 + 1) du = \frac{u^4}{4} + u + c = \frac{\chi^{12}}{4} + \chi^3 + c$$

(3) 
$$\int f(u) dx = \int (u^3 + 1) dx = \int (x^9 + 1) dx = \frac{x^{10}}{10} + x + c$$

U-Substitution

Let 
$$u = \cos x$$
 $du = -\sin x dx$ 
 $-du = \sin x dx$ 

Rewrite in terms of  $u$ .

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

$$(2) \int x^{2}\sqrt{5+2x^{3}} dx \qquad u = 5+2x^{3}$$

$$du = 6x^{2} dx$$

$$\frac{1}{6} \int \sqrt{u} du = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{2u^{3}}{3} + C$$

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