

SECTION 5.5: SUBSTITUTION (I.E. UNDOING THE CHAIN RULE)

Goals: (i) Practice u -substitution (ii) Practice *sophisticated* u -substitution (iii) Practice substitution with both indefinite and definite integrals (iv) Develop intuition about how to choose u .

1. (a) Verify that the formula is correct: $\int \frac{2x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}} dx = 2\sqrt{x^2 - 1} + C$

(b) Use the substitution $u = x^2 - 1$ to rewrite *the entire integral* in terms of u . Then integrate the integral with the new variables.

2. Explain why the formula is not correct: $\int \sqrt{x^2 + 1} dx = \frac{1}{3}(x^2 + 1)^{3/2} + C$

3. $\int t^3 \cos(t^4 + 1) dt$

4. $\int 5 \sin^2(x) \cos(x) dx$

5. $\int \frac{dx}{(8-5x)^3}$

6. $\int \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right) dx$

7. $\int_0^1 (x-1)(x^2-2x)^{10} dx$

8. $\int_0^{\pi/4} \tan^3(\theta) \sec^2(\theta) d\theta$

9. $\int (x^4-5)^{1/3} x^7 dx$