

Example 5.8(d) Evaluate the indefinite integral $\frac{\sin(t)}{\cos^2(\cos(t))} dt$

Solution: We can re-write $\frac{\sin(t)}{\cos^2(\cos(t))}$ as $\sec^2(\cos(t)) \cdot \sin(t)$. Let's make the substitution:

$$\begin{aligned}u &= \cos(t) \\ du &= -\sin(t) dt\end{aligned}$$

Now we can write the integral as

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{\sin(t)}{\cos^2(\cos(t))} dt &= - \int \sec^2(\cos(t))(-\sin(t)) dt \\ &= - \int \sec^2(u) du \\ &= \tan(u) + C \\ &= \tan(\cos(t)) + C\end{aligned}$$

Example 5.11 Evaluate the following indefinite integrals:

(WW2) $\int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{5+9x^4}} dx$

Solution: Let's make the substitution

$$\begin{aligned}u &= 9x^4 + 5 \\ du &= 36x^3 dx\end{aligned}$$

If we both multiply and divide the integral by 36, we get

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{9x^4+5}} dx &= \frac{1}{36} \int \frac{36x^3}{\sqrt{9x^4+5}} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{36} \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} \\ &= \frac{1}{36} \cdot 2\sqrt{u} + C \\ &= \frac{1}{18} \sqrt{9x^4+5} + C\end{aligned}$$

1. $\int \frac{9 \sin(\sqrt{x})}{\sqrt{x}} dx$

Solution: Let's make the substitution:

$$\begin{aligned}u &= \sqrt{x} \\ du &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} dx\end{aligned}$$

If we both multiply and divide the integral by 2, we get

$$\begin{aligned}\int \frac{9 \sin(\sqrt{x})}{\sqrt{x}} dx &= 18 \int \frac{\sin(\sqrt{x})}{2\sqrt{x}} dx \\ &= 18 \int \sin(u) du \\ &= -18 \cos(u) + C \\ &= -18 \cos(\sqrt{x}) + C\end{aligned}$$

2. $\int \frac{1}{x^2} \sin\left(\frac{3}{x}\right) \cos\left(\frac{3}{x}\right) dx$

Solution: Let's make the substitution

$$\begin{aligned}u &= \sin\left(\frac{3}{x}\right) \\ du &= -\frac{3}{x^2} \cos\left(\frac{3}{x}\right) dx\end{aligned}$$

Multiplying and dividing by -3 , we get

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

3. $\int 5x\sqrt{x-4} dx$

Solution: Let's make the substitution

$$\begin{aligned}u &= x - 4 \\ du &= dx\end{aligned}$$

Noticing from the above equation that $x = (x - 4) + 4 = u + 4$, we get

$$\begin{aligned}\int 5x\sqrt{x-4} dx &= 5 \int (x - 4 + 4)\sqrt{x-4} dx \\ &= 5 \int (u + 4)\sqrt{u} du \\ &= 5 \int u\sqrt{u} du + 20 \int \sqrt{u} du \\ &= 2u^{5/2} + \frac{40}{3}u^{3/2} + C \\ &= 2(x-4)^{5/2} + \frac{40}{3}(x-4)^{3/2} + C\end{aligned}$$

Example 5.12 Evaluate the following definite integrals by changing the limits of integration appropriately:

(WW12) $\int_{-4}^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{9-2x}}$

Solution: Let's make the substitution

$$u = 9 - 2x$$

$$du = -2dx$$

We additionally need to change the limits of integration:

$$x = -4 \longrightarrow u = 17$$

$$x = 2 \longrightarrow u = 5$$

Multiplying and dividing by -2 , we get

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-4}^2 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{9-2x}} &= -\frac{1}{2} \int_{-4}^2 \frac{-2dx}{\sqrt{9-2x}} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \int_{17}^5 \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_5^{17} \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [2\sqrt{u}]_5^{17} \\ &= \sqrt{17} - \sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

(WW13) $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos(z)}{\sin^{5/2}(z)} dz$

Solution: Let's make the substitution (we'll use x instead of u , since we aren't using x for anything right now)

$$x = \sin(z)$$

$$dx = \cos(z) dz$$

We'll also change the limits of integration:

$$z = \frac{\pi}{6} \longrightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{\pi}{2} \longrightarrow x = 1$$

Now we make the substitutions in the integral:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos(z) dz}{(\sin(z))^{5/2}} &= \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{dx}{x^{5/2}} \\ &= -\frac{2}{3} \left[x^{-3/2} \right]_{1/2}^1 \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \left[x^{-3/2} \right]_1^{1/2} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} (2^{3/2} - 1) \end{aligned}$$

Example 5.13 Evaluate the following definite integrals:

(WW15) $\int_{-\pi/16}^{\pi/16} (4x + \sin(8x)) dx$

Solution: This is an odd function, and we are integrating over an interval centered at zero, so the integral is zero.

(WW16) $\int_{-4}^4 \frac{t^3}{13 + 2t^2} dt$

Solution: This is an odd function, and we are integrating over an interval centered at zero, so the integral is zero.