

$\ln x \, dx$

$\sin^{-1} y \, dy$

$\sec^2 x \, dx$

$6. \int_1^{\infty} x^2 \ln x \, dx$

$8. \int \sin^{-1} y \, dy$

$10. \int 4x \sec^2 2x \, dx$

8.  $u = \sin^{-1} y, du = \frac{dy}{\sqrt{1-y^2}}; dv = dy, v = y;$   
 $\int \sin^{-1} y \, dy = y \sin^{-1} y - \int \frac{y \, dy}{\sqrt{1-y^2}} = y \sin^{-1} y + \sqrt{1-y^2} + C$

96. Using different substitutions Show that the integral

$$\int ((x^2 - 1)(x + 1))^{-2/3} \, dx$$

can be evaluated with any of the following substitutions.

- a.  $u = 1/(x + 1)$
- b.  $u = ((x - 1)/(x + 1))^k$  for  $k = 1, 1/2, 1/3, -1/3, -2/3,$   
and  $-1$
- c.  $u = \tan^{-1} x$
- d.  $u = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{x}$
- e.  $u = \tan^{-1} ((x - 1)/2)$
- f.  $u = \cos^{-1} x$
- g.  $u = \cosh^{-1} x$

What is the value of the integral? (Source: "Problems and Solutions," *College Mathematics Journal*, Vol. 21, No. 5 (Nov. 1990), pp. 425–426.)

$$96. [(x^2 - 1)(x + 1)]^{-2/3} = [(x - 1)(x + 1)^2]^{-2/3} = (x - 1)^{-2/3}(x + 1)^{-4/3} = (x + 1)^{-2} [(x - 1)^{-2/3}(x + 1)^{2/3}] \\ = (x + 1)^{-2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{-2/3} = (x + 1)^{-2} \left(1 - \frac{2}{x+1}\right)^{-2/3}$$

$$(a) \int [(x^2 - 1)(x + 1)]^{-2/3} dx = \int (x + 1)^{-2} \left(1 - \frac{2}{x+1}\right)^{-2/3} dx; \begin{bmatrix} u = \frac{1}{x+1} \\ du = -\frac{1}{(x+1)^2} dx \end{bmatrix} \\ \rightarrow \int -(1 - 2u)^{-2/3} du = \frac{3}{2} (1 - 2u)^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(1 - \frac{2}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C \\ (b) \int [(x^2 - 1)(x + 1)]^{-2/3} dx = \int (x + 1)^{-2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{-2/3} dx; u = \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^k \\ \Rightarrow du = k \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{k-1} \frac{[(x+1) - (x-1)]}{(x+1)^2} dx = 2k \frac{(x-1)^{k-1}}{(x+1)^{k+1}} dx; dx = \frac{(x+1)^2}{2k} \left(\frac{x+1}{x-1}\right)^{k-1} du \\ = \frac{(x+1)^2}{2k} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1-k} du; \text{ then, } \int \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{-2/3} \frac{1}{2k} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1-k} du = \frac{1}{2k} \int \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{(1/3-k)} du \\ = \frac{1}{2k} \int \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{k(1/3k-1)} du = \frac{1}{2k} \int u^{(1/3k-1)} du = \frac{1}{2k} (3k) u^{1/3k} + C = \frac{3}{2} u^{1/3k} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C$$

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$$(c) \int [(x^2 - 1)(x + 1)]^{-2/3} dx = \int (x + 1)^{-2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{-2/3} dx; \begin{bmatrix} u = \tan^{-1} x \\ x = \tan u \\ dx = \frac{du}{\cos^2 u} \end{bmatrix} \\ \rightarrow \int \frac{1}{(\tan u + 1)^2} \left(\frac{\tan u - 1}{\tan u + 1}\right)^{-2/3} \left(\frac{du}{\cos^2 u}\right) = \int \frac{1}{(\sin u + \cos u)^2} \left(\frac{\sin u - \cos u}{\sin u + \cos u}\right)^{-2/3} du; \\ \left[ \begin{array}{l} \sin u + \cos u = \sin u + \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - u\right) = 2 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \\ \sin u - \cos u = \sin u - \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - u\right) = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \sin \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \int \frac{1}{2 \cos^2 \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)} \left[\frac{\sin \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)}{\cos \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)}\right]^{-2/3} du \\ = \frac{1}{2} \int \tan^{-2/3} \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \sec^2 \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) du = \frac{3}{2} \tan^{1/3} \left(u - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + C = \frac{3}{2} \left[\frac{\tan u - \tan \frac{\pi}{4}}{1 + \tan u \tan \frac{\pi}{4}}\right]^{1/3} + C \\ = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C \\ (d) u = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{x} \Rightarrow \tan u = \sqrt{x} \Rightarrow \tan^2 u = x \Rightarrow dx = 2 \tan u \left(\frac{1}{\cos^2 u}\right) du = \frac{2 \sin u}{\cos^3 u} du = -\frac{2d(\cos u)}{\cos^3 u}; \\ x - 1 = \tan^2 u - 1 = \frac{\sin^2 u - \cos^2 u}{\cos^2 u} = \frac{1 - 2 \cos^2 u}{\cos^2 u}; x + 1 = \tan^2 u + 1 = \frac{\cos^2 u + \sin^2 u}{\cos^2 u} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 u}; \\ \int (x - 1)^{-2/3} (x + 1)^{-4/3} dx = \int \frac{(1 - 2 \cos^2 u)^{-2/3}}{(\cos^2 u)^{-2/3}} \cdot \frac{1}{(\cos^2 u)^{4/3}} \cdot \frac{-2d(\cos u)}{\cos^3 u} \\ = \int (1 - 2 \cos^2 u)^{-2/3} \cdot (-2) \cdot \cos u \cdot d(\cos u) = \frac{1}{2} \int (1 - 2 \cos^2 u)^{-2/3} \cdot d(1 - 2 \cos^2 u) \\ = \frac{3}{2} (1 - 2 \cos^2 u)^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left[\frac{(1 - 2 \cos^2 u)^{1/3}}{(\cos^2 u)}\right]^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C \\ (e) u = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x-1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{2} = \tan u \Rightarrow x + 1 = 2(\tan u + 1) \Rightarrow dx = \frac{2du}{\cos^2 u} = 2d(\tan u); \\ \int (x - 1)^{-2/3} (x + 1)^{-4/3} dx = \int (\tan u)^{-2/3} (\tan u + 1)^{-4/3} \cdot 2^{-2} \cdot 2 \cdot d(\tan u) \\ = \frac{1}{2} \int (1 - \frac{1}{\tan u + 1})^{-2/3} d(1 - \frac{1}{\tan u + 1}) = \frac{3}{2} (1 - \frac{1}{\tan u + 1})^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} (1 - \frac{2}{x+1})^{1/3} + C \\ = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C \\ (f) \begin{bmatrix} u = \cos^{-1} x \\ x = \cos u \\ dx = -\sin u du \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow - \int \frac{\sin u du}{\sqrt[3]{(\cos^2 u - 1)(\cos u + 1)^2}} = - \int \frac{\sin u du}{(\sin^4 u)(2^{2/3} \cos \frac{\pi}{3})^{4/3}} \\ = - \int \frac{du}{(\sin u)^{1/3} (2^{2/3} \cos \frac{\pi}{3})^{4/3}} = - \int \frac{du}{2 (\sin \frac{\pi}{3})^{1/3} (\cos \frac{\pi}{3})^{5/3}} = -\frac{1}{2} \int \left(\frac{\cos \frac{\pi}{3}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{3}}\right)^{1/3} \frac{du}{(\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{3})} \\ = - \int \tan^{-1/3} \left(\frac{u}{2}\right) d \left(\tan \frac{u}{2}\right) = -\frac{3}{2} \tan^{2/3} \frac{u}{2} + C = \frac{3}{2} (-\tan^2 \frac{u}{2})^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{\cos u - 1}{\cos u + 1}\right)^{1/3} + C \\ = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C \\ (g) \int [(x^2 - 1)(x + 1)]^{-2/3} dx; \begin{bmatrix} u = \cosh^{-1} x \\ x = \cosh u \\ dx = \sinh u du \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \int \frac{\sinh u du}{\sqrt[3]{(\cosh^2 u - 1)^2 (\cosh u + 1)^2}} \\ = \int \frac{\sinh u du}{\sqrt[3]{(\sinh^2 u)(\cosh u + 1)^2}} = \int \frac{du}{\sqrt[3]{(\sinh u)(4 \cosh^4 \frac{u}{2})}} = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{\sqrt[3]{\sinh(\frac{u}{2}) \cosh^4(\frac{u}{2})}} \\ = \int (\tanh \frac{u}{2})^{-1/3} d(\tanh \frac{u}{2}) = \frac{3}{2} (\tanh \frac{u}{2})^{2/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{\cosh u - 1}{\cosh u + 1}\right)^{1/3} + C = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)^{1/3} + C$$