MATH 16020 Lesson 3: Substitution with Natural Log

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Definition. The inverse of $f(x) = e^x$ is _____, whose properties are given below:

Example 1. Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/20} \frac{5 \sec^2(5x)}{3 + \tan(5x)} dx$ rounded to 4 decimal places.

Example 2. Evaluate $\int \frac{(\ln(3x^5))^2}{5x} dx$

Example 3. Suppose a hot air balloon is deflating in such a way that its volume changes at a rate of:

$$V'(t) = \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{t}(t^{2/3} - 25)}$$
m³/min.

with $0 \le t \le 120$. If the volume before it starts deflating is 15000 m³, find the volume one hour later. Round to 3 decimal places.

Example 4. Thankfully, the person driving the hot air balloon notices the balloon deflating and so descends the balloon in a way modeled by:

$$H(t) = \frac{180}{3t - 100} \text{ meters}$$

with $60 \le t \le 120$ in minutes. Find the average height of the balloon over this interval. (You may have noticed that the balloon doesn't go very high in this interval of time; it's a starting business.)