

Math 111

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- ▶ Antiderivatives and the fundamental theorem of calculus (FTC).
- ▶ First properties of the integral.

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$$g(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \neq 0, \\ 5 & \text{if } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

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