

1. Differentiate the following

a.  $y = \cos(x^2)$

b.  $y = \cos^2(x)$

c.  $y = 3\sin(2x)$

d.  $y = 6x\sin(3x^2)$

2. Differentiate the following:

$$y(t) = 2^{\sqrt{t}}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{e^x}{x^2 + 2}$$

$$d(t) = \frac{e^t}{1 - e^{2t}}$$

$$f(y) = y^3 + y5^{\sqrt{y}}$$

3. Differentiate the following:

$$y(t) = \sqrt{1 + \cos t + \sin^2 t}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2 - \cos(\pi x)} \quad .$$

$$f(y) = y^2 \cos(3y^3)$$

4. Differentiate the following:

$$y(x) = \ln(x^2 + 2x - 1)$$

$$y(x) = \ln\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$y(x) = \ln(\ln x)$$

$$y(x) = (\ln x)^2$$

$$f(x) = \log_2\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$f(x) = \log_3(1 + x \ln 3)$$

$$f(x) = \log e^x$$

$$f(x) = x \ln x - x$$

5. Solve for  $x$  if  $\frac{(x+1)(x-2)}{2x-3} > 0$

6. Simplify  $\frac{6(x+5)^2(3x-2) - 3(3x-2)^2(x+5)}{(x+5)^6}$

7. Determine the equation of the line normal to  $g(x) = \frac{2x^2 - x - 3}{x^2 - 1}$  at  $x = 0$ .

8. Differentiate each of the following rational functions. Simplify the derivative.

$$f(x) = \frac{2x+5}{3x-1}$$

$$g(x) = \frac{x^3 - 3}{1 + 4x^2}$$

$$h(x) = \frac{x^2}{(x-2)(x^4 - x^2)}$$

9. Find the minimum and maximum point(s) of the function  $f(x) = x \sin x + \cos x$  on the interval  $(-\pi/4, \pi)$

10. Find the equation of the tangent line to  $f(x) = x \sin(2x)$  at the point where  $x = \pi/4$ .

11. What angle does the tangent line to the curve  $y = f(x)$  at the origin make with the  $x$ -axis if  $y$  is given by the equation  $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \sin 3x$ .

12. Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve  $y = 1 + xe^{2x}$  at  $x = 0$ .

13. On what interval is  $y = e^{-x^2}$  concave down?

14. Find the intervals of increase/decrease for the function  $f(x) = x^2 e^{-x}$

15. The curve  $y(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$  is called a “**witch of Maria Agnesi**”. Find the equation of the tangent line at the point  $(-1, 1/2)$ .

16. The curve  $y(x) = \frac{x}{1+x^2}$  is called a **serpentine** curve. Find the equation of the tangent line to this curve at the point  $(3, 0.3)$ .

17. The curve  $y(x) = \frac{|x|}{\sqrt{2-x^2}}$  is called a **bullet nose** curve. Find the equation of the tangent line to this curve at the point  $(1,1)$ .

## Different Types of Qs

18. Given the following information for  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = g(x) \rightarrow f(3) = 4; g(3) = 2; f'(3) = -6; g'(3) = 5$ . Find the following:

a.  $(f+g)(3)$       b.  $(fg)'(3)$       c.  $(f/g)'(3)$       d.  $\left(\frac{f}{f-g}\right)'(3)$

19. If  $F = f \times g \times h$ , find an equation for the derivative of  $F$ .

20. If  $f(x)$  is a differentiable function, find an expression for the derivative of each of the following functions:

(a)  $y = x^2 f(x)$       (b)  $y = \frac{f(x)}{x^2}$       (c)  $y = \frac{1 + xf(x)}{\sqrt{x}}$

21. If  $F(x) = f(x)g(x)$  where  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are twice differentiable functions,

- a. show that  $F'' = f''g + 2f'g' + fg''$   
 b. Find similar formulas for  $F'''$  and  $F^{(4)}$ .  
 c. Make a conjecture for the formula for  $F^{(n)}$

22. A differential equation is simply an equation that has derivatives in it. A solution to a differential equation is simply any function which can then be differentiated and thus makes the original differential equation true.

- a. Show that the equation  $y = Ae^{-x} + Bxe^{-x}$  is a solution to the differential equation  $y'' + 2y' + y = 0$ .  
 b. For what values of  $r$  does the function  $y = e^{rx}$  satisfy the differential equation  $y'' + 5y' - 6y = 0$ ?

23. A particle moves along a straight line with a displacement of  $s(t)$ , velocity of  $v(t)$  and acceleration of  $a(t)$ . Show that  $a(t) = v(t) \frac{dv}{ds}$ . Explain the difference between the meanings of the derivatives  $\frac{dv}{dt}$  and  $\frac{dv}{ds}$

## Derivatives of New Functions

$$y = \csc(kx)$$

24. Using the techniques you have now learned, determine the derivative of:  $y = \sec(kx)$

$$y = \cot(kx)$$

25. Using the chain rule, determine the derivative of:  $y = \ln(kx)$   
 $y = \log_B(kx)$ .

$$y = \sin^{-1}(x)$$

26. Using the chain rule, determine the derivative of:  $y = \cos^{-1}(x)$ .

$$y = \tan^{-1}(x)$$

$$y = \sin^{-1}(kx)$$

27. Likewise, use the chain rule, determine the derivative of:  $y = \cos^{-1}(kx)$ .

$$y = \tan^{-1}(kx)$$