

1. Determine each of the following derivatives. You do not need to simplify. You can leave your answer the way it appears after your first line. /7 marks total

a. $f(x) = 3(2x^3 - 19x^2 + 1)^6(5x - 4)^8$

$$f'(x) = (18)(2x^3 - 19x^2 + 1)^5(6x^2 - 38x)(5x - 4)^8 + (3)(2x^3 - 19x^2 + 1)^6(8)(5x - 4)^7(5)$$

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b. $g(x) = \frac{3x+4}{(8x^2-7x+2)^5}$

$$g'(x) = \frac{(8x^2-7x+2)^5(3) - (3x+4)(5)(8x^2-7x+2)^4(16x-7)}{(8x^2-7x+2)^{10}}$$

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2. The curve $y = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 14$ has a horizontal tangent at $(4, 30)$. Solve for a and b . /4 marks

$$y = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 14$$

$$y' = 3x^2 + 2ax + b$$

$$0 = 3x^2 + 2ax + b$$

$$0 = 3(4)^2 + 2a(4) + b$$

$$0 = 48 + 8a + b$$

$$b = -8a - 48$$

$$30 = (4)^3 + a(4)^2 + b(4) + 14$$

$$30 = 64 + 16a + 4b + 14$$

$$-48 = 16a + 4b$$

$$\text{plug in } b = -8a - 48$$

$$-48 = 16a + 4(-8a - 48)$$

$$-48 = 16a - 32a - 192$$

$$144 = -16a$$

$$a = -9$$

$$\begin{aligned} b &= -8(-9) - 48 \\ &= (72) - (48) \\ &= 24 \end{aligned}$$

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horizontal tangent
means $y' = 0$

$$a = -9 \quad b = 24$$

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3. The position from its starting point, s , of an object at t seconds is given by $s(t) = \frac{8t}{2t^2 + 18}$, $t \geq 0$. When does the object change direction? /4 marks

change in direction means $s'(t) = 0$

$$s(t) = \frac{8t}{2t^2 + 18}$$

$$s'(t) = \frac{(2t^2 + 18)(8) - (8t)(4t)}{(2t^2 + 18)^2}$$

$$0 = 16t^2 + 144 - 32t^2$$

$$0 = -16t^2 + 144$$

$$16t^2 = 144$$

$$\sqrt{t^2} = \sqrt{9}$$

$$t = 3 \text{ seconds}$$

The object changes direction at a time of 3 seconds.

4. We are given the following table, and we know that $h(x) = f(g(x))$. Evaluate $h'(3)$. /3 marks

x	$f(x)$	$g(x)$	$f'(x)$	$g'(x)$
-1	2	12	0	6
1	3	5	-1	-6
3	-4	8	-2	-8
3	9	-8	-4	11
5	-6	1	-7	13

$h'(3) =$