Differentiation Rules

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- The definition of a derivative \rightarrow calculate the derivatives of functions.
- Hard to use the definition, so use differentiation rules.
- Differentiation rules enable us to calculate derivatives of:
 - Polynomials
 - Rational functions
 - Algebraic functions
 - Exponential and logarithmic functions
 - Trigonometric and inverse trigonometric functions

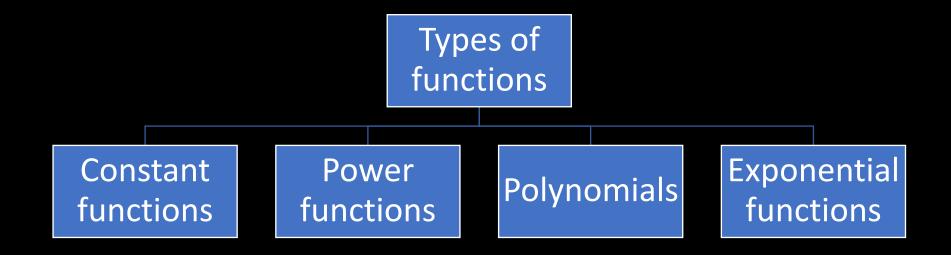




The Product and Quotient Rules

Derivatives of Trigonometric Functions

• In this section we learn how to differentiate



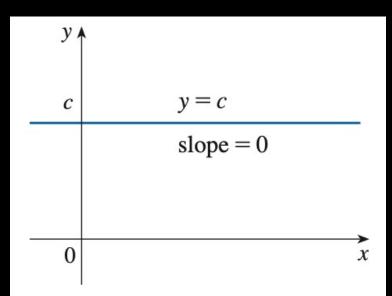
- Constant fn.: f(x) = c has a horizontal line y = c
- The slope is 0
- So, we must have the derivative f(x) = 0

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{c - c}{h} = \lim_{h \to 0} 0 = 0$$

• The rule is

Derivative of a Constant Function

$$\frac{d}{dx}(c) = 0$$



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The graph of f(x) = c is the line y = c, so f'(x) = 0.

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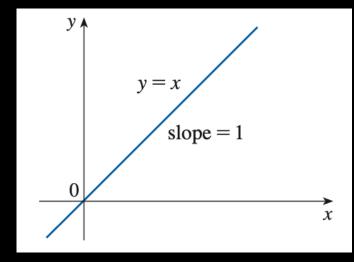
- Power fn.: $f(x) = x^n$, n is a real number
- Rule:

The Power Rule (General Version) If n is any real number, then

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

• If n = 1, then $f(x) = x \rightarrow \text{slope} = 1$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x) = 1$$



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• Examples:

$$\bullet \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) = 2x$$

•
$$y = t^4$$
, $\frac{dy}{dt} = 4t^3$

•
$$y = x^{1000}$$
, $y' = 1000x^{999}$

•
$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} (x^{-1}) = -x^{-2} = -\frac{1}{x^2}$$

•
$$f(x) = \sqrt{x} \to x^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
, $f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$

Example: differentiate

(a)
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

 $f(x) = x^{-2}$, $f'(x) = -2x^{-3}$

(b)
$$y = \sqrt[3]{x^2}$$

 $y = x^{2/3}, y = \frac{2}{3}x^{-1/3}$

```
setenv("PYTHON", "./venv/bin/python");
clc: clear:
pkg load symbolic;
syms x;
f = 1/x^2:
df = diff(f. x):
disp(df):
y = cbrt(x^2):
df = diff(y, x);
disp(df);
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• When functions are formed combined by +, -, /, or *, their derivatives can be calculated in terms of derivatives of the individual functions.

$\frac{d}{dx}[cf(x)]$, where c is a constant	$c\frac{d}{dx}f(x)$
$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) \pm g(x)]$	$\frac{d}{dx}f(x) \pm \frac{d}{dx}g(x)$

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• Example:

(a)
$$\frac{d}{dx}(3x^4) = 3\frac{d}{dx}x^4 = 3\times 4x^3 = 12 x^3$$

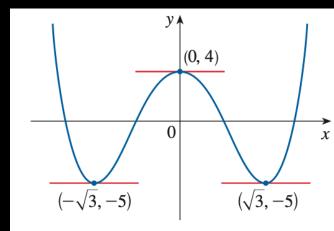
(b)
$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^8 + 12x^5 - 4x^4 + 10x^3 - 6x + 5) = \left(\frac{d}{dx} x^8 + \frac{d}{dx} 12x^5 - \frac{d}{dx} 4x^4 + \frac{d}{dx} 10x^3 - \frac{d}{dx} 6x + \frac{d}{dx} 5\right) = 8x^7 + 60x^4 - 16x^3 + 30x^2 - 6$$

• Example: Find the points on the curve $y = x^4 - 6x^2 + 4$ where the tangent line is horizontal.

• Horizontal tangent \rightarrow the derivative = 0

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}x^4 - \frac{d}{dx}6x^2 + \frac{d}{dx}4 = 4x^3 - 12x = 4x(x^2 - 3)$$

So, the derivative is 0 when x = 0 or $x = \pm \sqrt{3}$



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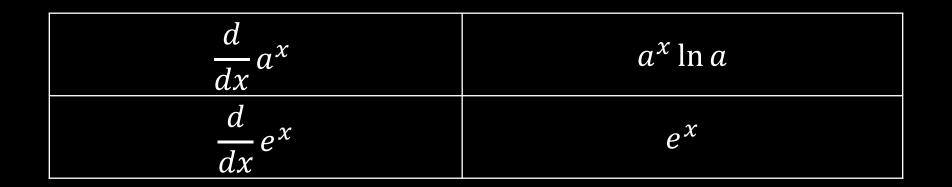
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• If $f(x) = e^x - x$, find f` and f``.

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(e^x - x) = \frac{d}{dx}e^x - \frac{d}{dx}x = e^x - 1$$

$$f``(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(e^x - 1) = e^x$$

3-34 Differentiate the function

3.
$$g(x) = 4x + 7$$

6.
$$g(x) = \frac{7}{4}x^2 - 3x + 12$$

9.
$$W(v) = 1.8v^{-3}$$

14.
$$r(t) = \frac{a}{t^2} + \frac{b}{t^4}$$

26.
$$G(t) = \sqrt{5t} + \frac{\sqrt{7}}{t}$$

3.
$$g(x) = 4x + 7$$
 $g'(x) = 4$

6.
$$g(x) = \frac{7}{4}x^2 - 3x + 12$$
 $g'(x) = \frac{14}{4}x - 3 = \frac{7}{2}x - 3$

9.
$$W(v) = 1.8v^{-3}$$
 $W(v) = -5.4v^{-4}$

14.
$$r(t) = \frac{a}{t^2} + \frac{b}{t^4}$$
 $r(t) = at^{-2} + bt^{-4} \rightarrow r(t) = -2at^{-3} - 4bt^{-5} = \frac{-2a}{t^3} - \frac{4b}{t^5}$

26.
$$G(t) = \sqrt{5t} + \frac{\sqrt{7}}{t}$$
 $G(t) = (5t)^{1/2} + \sqrt{7} t^{-1} \rightarrow G(t) = \frac{5}{2} t^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \sqrt{7} t^{-2} = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{t}} - \frac{\sqrt{7}}{t^2}$

35–36 Find dy/dx and dy/dt.

35.
$$y = tx^2 + t^3x$$

$$36. \ y = \frac{t}{x^2} + \frac{x}{t}$$

35–36 Find dy/dx and dy/dt.

35.
$$y = tx^2 + t^3x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2tx + t^3$$

$$, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = x^2 + 3t^2 x$$

36.
$$y = \frac{t}{x^2} + \frac{x}{t} \rightarrow y = tx^{-2} + xt^{-1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2tx^{-3} + t^{-1} = -\frac{2t}{x^3} + \frac{1}{t} \quad , \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = x^{-2} - xt^{-2} = \frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{x}{t^2}$$

37–40 Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve at the given point.

37.
$$y = 2x^3 - x^2 + 2$$
, (1, 3)

38.
$$y = 2e^x + x$$
, (0, 2)

37.
$$y = 2x^3 - x^2 + 2$$
, (1,3)
Slope = y ` = $6x - 2x \rightarrow$ (substitute x) y ` = $6 - 2 = 4$
 $y - y_0 = m(x - x_0) \rightarrow y - 3 = 4(x - 1) \rightarrow y = 4x - 1$
38. $y = 2e^x + x$, (0,2)
Slope = y ` = $2e^x + 1 \rightarrow$ (substitute x) y ` = 3
 $y - y_0 = m(x - x_0) \rightarrow y - 2 = 3(x - 0) \rightarrow y = 3x + 2$

51–52 Find the first and second derivatives of the function. Check to see that your answers are reasonable by comparing the graphs of f, f, f.

$$51. f(x) = 2x - 5x^{3/4}$$

52.
$$f(x) = e^x - x^3$$

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 $f'(x) = 2 - \frac{15}{4}x^{-\frac{1}{4}}$, $f''(x) = \frac{15}{16}x^{\frac{-5}{4}}$

52.
$$f(x) = e^x - x^3$$

 $f(x) = e^x - 3x^2$,, $f(x) = e^x - 6x$

$51. f(x) = 2x - 5x^{3/4}$

```
%% Setting python venv %%
setenv("PYTHON", "./venv/bin/python");
clc; clear; clf;
pkg load symbolic
syms x
figure:
% First Function
f1 = 2*x - 5*x^{(3/4)};
% Compute the derivatives of f1
f1_{prime} = diff(f1, x);
f1_2_prime = diff(f1_prime, x);
fplot(f1, [1, 10], 'r', 'LineWidth', 2);
hold on;
fplot(f1_prime, [1, 10], 'g', 'Linewidth', 2);
fplot(f1_2_prime, [1, 10], 'b', 'LineWidth', 2);
hold off:
```

52.
$$f(x) = e^x - x^3$$

```
figure:
%% Second Function
f2 = \exp(x) - x^3:
% Compute the derivatives of f2
f2_prime = diff(f2, x);
f2_2_prime = diff(f2_prime, x);
fplot(f2, [-5, 6], 'r', 'LineWidth', 2);
hold on:
fplot(f2_prime, [-5, 6], 'g', 'LineWidth', 2);
fplot(f2_2_prime, [-5, 6], 'b', 'LineWidth', 2);
hold off;
```

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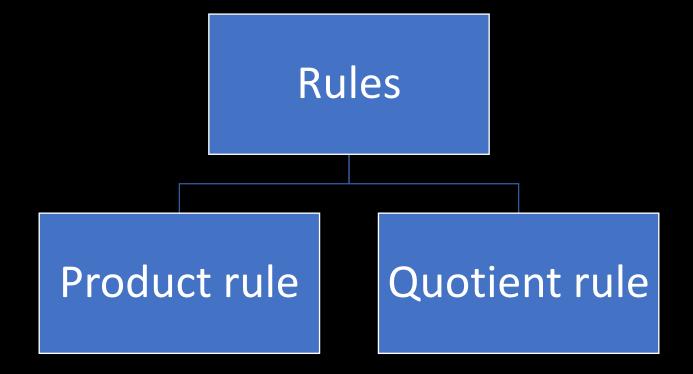
Derivatives of Polynomials and Exponential Functions



The Product and Quotient Rules

Derivatives of Trigonometric Functions

• Two useful rules for differentiating functions formed from other functions.



• Is this statement correct?

"The derivative of a product is the product of the derivatives"

- Is this statement correct?
 "The derivative of a product is the product of the derivatives"
- No! assume f(x) = x and $g(x) = x^2$
- We get f'(x) = 1 and g'(x) = 2x
- The product of derivatives: $f(x) \cdot g(x) = 1 \cdot 2x = 2x$
- The derivative of the product: $[f(x) \cdot g(x)] = [x \cdot x^2] = [x^3] = 3x^2$
- \therefore (fg)` \neq f`g`

The Product Rule

If f and g are both differentiable, then

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x)g(x)] = f(x)\frac{d}{dx}g(x) + g(x)\frac{d}{dx}f(x)$$

- The derivative of a product of two functions is the first function times the derivative of the second function plus the second function times the derivative of the first function.
- This is equivalent to (fg)`=fg`+f`g

• Example: If $f(x) = xe^x$, find f(x) and find the nth derivative, $f^{(n)}(x)$

$$f^{(x)} = \frac{d}{dx}(xe^x)$$

$$= x\frac{d}{dx}e^x + e^x\frac{d}{dx}x$$

$$= xe^x + e^x \cdot 1$$

$$= (x+1)e^x$$

$$f```1(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(x+2)e^{x}$$

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

$$= (x+2)e^{x} + e^{x} \cdot 1$$

$$= e^{x}(x+3)$$

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$$= (x+2)e^x$$

$$f^{"1}(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(x+3)e^x$$

$$= (x+3)\frac{d}{dx}e^x + e^x\frac{d}{dx}(x+3)$$

$$= (x+3)e^x + e^x \cdot 1$$

$$= e^x(x+4)$$

- Example: If $f(x) = xe^x$, find f(x) and find the nth derivative, $f^{(n)}(x)$
- : the *n*th derivative is $e^x(x+n)$

```
f = x*e^x
res1 = diff(f, x);
res2 = diff(res1, x);
res3 = diff(res2, x);
res4 = diff(res3, x);
disp("f`(x): ")
disp(res1)
disp("f``(x): ")
disp(res2)
disp("f```(x): ")
disp(res3)
disp("f`(x): ")
disp(res4)
```

The Quotient Rule

If f and g are both differentiable, then

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right] = \frac{\left(g(x) \frac{d}{dx} f(x) - f(x) \frac{d}{dx} g(x) \right)}{\left(g(x) \right)^2}$$

- The derivative of a quotient is the denominator times the derivative of the numerator minus the numerator times the derivative of the denominator, all divided by the square of the denominator.
- This is equivalent to $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)^{\cdot} = \frac{gf[-fg]}{g^2}$

• Example: differentiate $y = \frac{x^2 + x - 2}{x^3 + 6}$

$$y' = \frac{\left((x^3+6)\frac{d}{dx}(x^2+x-2)-(x^2+x-2)\frac{d}{dx}(x^3+6)\right)}{(x^3+6)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\left((x^3+6)(2x+1)-(x^2+x-2)(3x^2)\right)}{(x^3+6)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\left((2x^4+x^3+12x+6)-(3x^4+3x^3-6x^2)\right)}{(x^3+6)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-x^4-2x^3-6x^2+12x+6}{(x^3+6)^2}$$

- **Example**: Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve $y = e^x/(1 + x^2)$ at the point $(1, \frac{1}{2}e)$
 - \circ Equation of the line \rightarrow slope \rightarrow differentiate the equation

$$y' = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{e^x}{1+x^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\left((1+x^2) \frac{d}{dx} e^x - e^x \frac{d}{dx} (1+x^2) \right)}{(1+x^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\left((1+x^2) \cdot e^x - e^x \cdot 2x \right)}{(1+x^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^x \left((1+x^2) - 2x \right)}{(1+x^2)^2} = \frac{e^x (x^2 - 2x + 1)}{(1+x^2)^2}$$

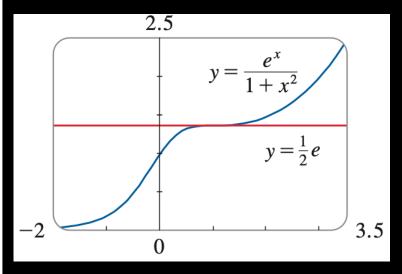
Slope =
$$\frac{e^1(1^2-2\cdot 1+1)}{(1+1^2)^2} = 0$$

The slop is a horizontal line.

The line equation:

$$(y - y_1) = m (x - x_1)$$
$$y = \frac{1}{2}e$$

```
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setenv("PYTHON", "./venv/bin/python");
clc; clear;
pkg load symbolic
SYMS X
y = e^x / (1+x^2)
x1 = 1;
v1 = 1/2 * e;
% Get the slope equation by differentiating the curve eqn w.r.t x
slope_eq = diff(y, x);
% Get the slope value by substituting for x in the slope equation
slope = subs(slope_eq, x1);
slope
% The line equation will be printed in a different notion
line\_eq = slope * (x-x1) + y1;
disp(line_eq)
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$$\frac{777 * \pi}{1796} = 1/2 e$$

Summary the differentiation formulas

Table of Differentiation Formulas

$$\frac{d}{dx}(c) = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x$$

$$(cf)' = cf'$$

$$(f+g)' = f' + g'$$

$$(f-g)' = f' - g'$$

$$(fg)' = fg' + gf'$$

$$\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{gf' - fg'}{g^2}$$

3–30 Differentiate

3.
$$y = (4x^2 + 3)(2x + 5)$$

4.
$$y = (10x^2 + 7x - 2)(2 - x^2)$$

$$8. g(x) = (x + 2\sqrt{x})e^x$$

10.
$$y = \frac{e^x}{1 - e^x}$$

3.
$$y = (4x^2 + 3)(2x + 5)$$

$$y' = (8x)(2x + 5) + (4x^2 + 3)(2)$$

$$= 16x^2 + 40x + 8x^2 + 6$$

$$= 24x^2 + 40x + 6$$

4.
$$y = (10x^2 + 7x - 2)(2 - x^2)$$

$$y` = (20x + 7)(2 - x^{2}) + (10x^{2} + 7x - 2)(-2x)$$

$$= (40x - 20x^{3} + 14 - 7x^{2}) + (-20x^{3} - 14x^{2} + 4x)$$

$$= -40x^{3} - 21x^{2} + 44x + 14$$

8.
$$g(x) = (x + 2\sqrt{x})e^x$$

$$g'(x) = (1 + x^{-\frac{1}{2}})e^x + (x + 2\sqrt{x})e^x$$

$$= e^x + e^x x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + e^x x + e^x 2\sqrt{x}$$

$$= e^x \left(1 + x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + x + 2\sqrt{x}\right)$$

10.
$$y = \frac{e^x}{1 - e^x}$$

$$y' = \frac{e^x (1 - e^x) - e^x (-e^x)}{(1 - e^x)^2}$$
$$= \frac{e^x ((1 - e^x) + e^x)}{(1 - e^x)^2}$$
$$= \frac{e^x}{(1 - e^x)^2}$$

35–36 Find an equation of the tangent line to the given curve at the specified point.

35.
$$y = \frac{x^2}{1+x}$$
 at $(1, \frac{1}{2})$

35. $y = \frac{x^2}{1+x}$ at $(1, \frac{1}{2})$. Line equation \rightarrow slope \rightarrow derivative

Slope =
$$y$$
 = $\frac{2x(1+x)-1(x^2)}{(1+x)^2}$
= $\frac{2x^2+2x-x^2}{(1+x)^2}$
= $\frac{x^2+2x}{(1+x)^2}$
= $\frac{x(x+2)}{(1+x)^2}$

Slope at
$$(1, \frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1(1+2)}{(1+1)^2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Line eqn: $(y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$
 $\left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{4}(x - 1)$
 $y = \frac{3}{4}x - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{4}x - \frac{1}{4}$

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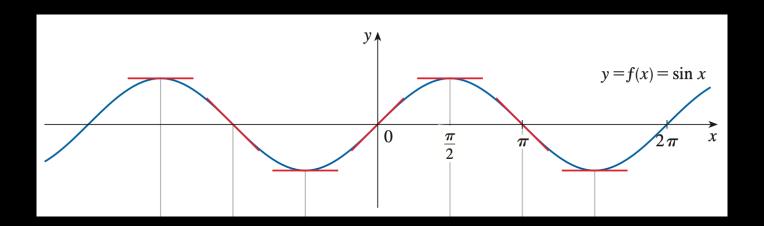
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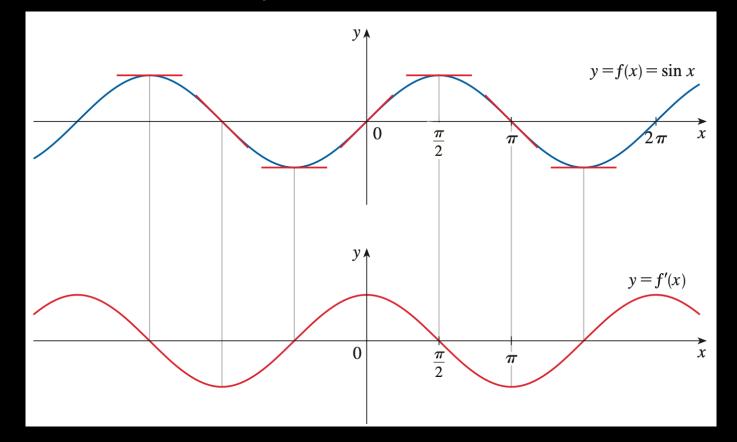


Derivatives of Trigonometric Functions

• The graph of $f = \sin(x)$ vs f(x) = slope of the tangent line of the curve.



• The graph of $f = \sin(x)$ vs f'(x) = slope of the tangent line of the curve. • It's the same as the $\cos(x) \rightarrow d/dx \sin(x) = \cos(x)$



• Example: Differentiate $y = x^2 \sin(x)$

Use the product rule:

$$y' = 2x \sin x + x^2 \cos(x)$$

Derivatives of Trigonometric Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) = \cos x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) = -\csc x \cot x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) = -\sin x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sec x) = \sec x \tan x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cot x) = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cot x) = -\csc^2 x$$

• Example: Differentiate $f(x) = \frac{\sec x}{1+\tan x}$. For what values of x does the graph of f have a horizontal tangent?

$$f'(x) = \frac{(1+\tan x)\frac{d}{dx}(\sec x) - \sec x\frac{d}{dx}(1+\tan x)}{(1+\tan x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{(1+\tan x)\cdot(\sec x \tan x) - \sec x \sec^2 x}{(1+\tan x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sec x(\tan x + \tan^2 x - \sec^2 x)}{(1+\tan x)^2}$$
Substitue $\sec^2 x = \tan^2 x + 1$

$$= \frac{\sec x(\tan x + \tan^2 x - (\tan^2 x + 1))}{(1+\tan x)^2} \to \frac{\sec x(\tan x - 1)}{(1+\tan x)^2}$$

Two special trigonometric limits

$$\lim_{\theta \to 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1$$

$$\lim_{\theta \to 0} \frac{(\cos \theta - 1)}{\theta} = 0$$

• Example: Find $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{\sin 7x}{4x}$

$$\frac{\sin 7x}{4x} = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{\sin 7x}{x} \right) = \frac{7}{4} \left(\frac{\sin 7x}{7x} \right)$$
 (Note that $\sin 7x \neq 7 \sin x$)

$$\therefore \lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\sin 7x}{4x} = \frac{7}{4} \lim_{x \to 0} \left(\frac{\sin 7x}{7x} \right)$$

$$=\frac{7}{4}\times 1=\frac{7}{4}$$

• Example: Calculate
$$\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{\cos \theta - 1}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\cos \theta - 1}{\sin \theta} \text{ (divide by } \theta)$$

$$\frac{\cos \theta - 1}{\theta}$$

$$= \frac{\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\cos \theta - 1}{\theta}}{\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}}$$

$$\frac{0}{1} = 0$$

1–22 Differentiate.

1.
$$f(x) = 3\sin x - 2\cos x$$

$$2. f(x) = \tan x - 4 \sin x$$

5.
$$h(\theta) = \theta^2 \sin \theta$$

1.
$$f(x) = 3 \sin x - 2 \cos x$$

 $f'(x) = 3 \cos x + 2 \sin x$

$$2. f(x) = \tan x - 4\sin x$$
$$f(x) = \sec^2 x - 4\cos x$$

5.
$$h(\theta) = \theta^2 \sin \theta$$

 $h'(\theta) = 2\theta \sin \theta + \theta^2 \cos \theta = \theta(2\sin \theta + \theta \cos \theta)$

23. show that
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$$\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\csc x = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{\sin x}\right)$$

$$= \frac{0 \cdot \sin x - \cos x \cdot 1}{(\sin x)^2}$$

$$= -\frac{\cos x}{(\sin x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{\sin x} \cdot \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \to -\csc x \cot x$$

27-30. Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve at the given point.

30.
$$y = \frac{1+\sin x}{\cos x}$$
, $(\pi, -1)$

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Slope =
$$y$$
` = $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{1+\sin x}{\cos x}$
= $\frac{\cos x \cdot \cos x - (1+\sin x) \cdot -\sin x}{(\cos x)^2}$
= $\frac{(\cos^2 x + \sin x + \sin^2 x)}{(\cos x)^2}$

Substitute for $\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1$ $= \frac{(1+\sin x)}{(\cos x)^2}$

Slope =
$$y'(\pi) = \frac{(1+\sin\pi)}{\cos^2\pi} = \frac{1+0}{(-1)^2} = 1$$

The equation of the tangent line:

$$y - (-1) = 1(x - \pi)$$

 $y = x - \pi - 1$

TASK

Section 3.1

Section 3.2

Section 3.3