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$$\frac{x^2}{2} + \sqrt{z}$$

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$$\int x dx + \sqrt{z} \quad (1)$$

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DLLEXPORT int fun(WolframLibraryData libData, mreal A1, mreal *Res)
{
    mreal R0_0;
    mreal R0_1;
    R0_0 = A1;
    R0_1 = R0_0 * R0_0;
    *Res = R0_1;
    funStructCompile->WolframLibraryData_cleanUp(libData, 1);
    return 0;
}
```

#1

- * 5. Is the following proposition true or false? Justify your conclusion.
For each nonnegative integer n , $8^n \mid (4n)!$.

The first nonnegative integer is 0.

The statement is true for 0.

$$8^0 \mid (4 \times 0)!$$

In[]:= **8⁰**

Out[]:=
1

In[]:= **4 × 0**

Out[]:=
0

In[]:= **(4 × 0) !**

Out[]:=
1

8^0 is 1 and 4 times 0 is 0 and 0! is 1. We have 1 divides 1, which is true.

We can assume the statement is true for i so we have $P(i)$. The next question is will $P(i+1)$ will be true? P is the proposition that 8^n divides $(4n)!$.

$$8^i \mid (4i)!$$

$$8^{i+1} \mid (4(i+1))!$$

$$8^{i+1} \mid (4i+4)!$$

$$8 \times 8^i \mid (4i+4)!$$

$$8 \times 8^i \mid (4i)!(4i+1)(4i+2)(4i+3)(4i+4)$$

We assumed $8^i \mid (4i)!$ from which we know that $\exists_{b, b \in \mathbb{Z}} (4i)! b = 8^i$

We showed that $8^{i+1} \mid (4(i+1))!$ is the same as $8 \times 8^i \mid (4i)!(4i+1)(4i+2)(4i+3)(4i+4)$, which would mean $\exists_{c, c \in \mathbb{Z}} (4i)!(4i+1)(4i+2)(4i+3)(4i+4)c = 8 \times 8^i$ if it were true.

We can divide the two equalities. We can cancel $(4i)!$ when dividing the larger factorial by the smaller factorial to simplify $\frac{(4i)!(4i+1)(4i+2)(4i+3)(4i+4)}{(4i)!}$ to $(1+4i)(2+4i)(3+4i)(4+4i)$. We can cancel 8^i as well to

simplify $\frac{8 \times 8^i}{8^i}$ to 8. After dividing $(4i)!(4i+1)(4i+2)(4i+3)(4i+4)c = 8 \times 8^i$ by

$(4i)! b = 8^i$ we have $(1+4i)(2+4i)(3+4i)(4+4i)c/b = 8$. We can clear the denominator to get

$(1+4i)(2+4i)(3+4i)(4+4i)c = 8b$. We know that when we expand the left we get

$24 + 200i + 560i^2 + 640i^3 + 256i^4$. I used a Groebner basis to factor this to

$8(3 + 25i + 70i^2 + 80i^3 + 32i^4)$, which means that the left side $(1+4i)(2+4i)(3+4i)(4+4i)c$ is divisible by 8 and the statement $P(i+1)$ is true. That means the proposition is true for all non-negative integers from 0 to infinity.

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In[*]:= Expand[(4 i + 1) (4 i + 2) (4 i + 3) (4 i + 4)]
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Out[*]=
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$$24 + 200i + 560i^2 + 640i^3 + 256i^4$$

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In[*]:= GroebnerBasis[Expand[(4 i + 1) (4 i + 2) (4 i + 3) (4 i + 4)], i]
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Out[*]=
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$$\{3 + 25i + 70i^2 + 80i^3 + 32i^4\}$$

```
In[*]:= (4 i)! (4 i + 1) (4 i + 2) (4 i + 3) (4 i + 4)
          (4 i)!
```

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Out[*]=
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$$(1 + 4i)(2 + 4i)(3 + 4i)(4 + 4i)$$

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In[*]:= (8 \times 8^i)
          8^i
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Out[*]=
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$$8$$

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In[*]:= (4 i)!
          (4 i)! (4 i + 1) (4 i + 2) (4 i + 3) (4 i + 4)
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Out[*]=
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$$\frac{1}{(1 + 4i)(2 + 4i)(3 + 4i)(4 + 4i)}$$

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In[*]:= 
$$\frac{(4 i) ! b == 8^i}{(4 i) ! (4 i + 1) (4 i + 2) (4 i + 3) (4 i + 4) == 8 \times 8^i} // \text{Simplify}$$

Out[*]=

$$\frac{8^i == b (4 i) !}{8 (1 + i) (1 + 2 i) (1 + 4 i) (3 + 4 i) (4 i) ! == 8^{1+i}}$$


In[*]:= 
$$\frac{(4 (i + 1)) !}{(4 i) !}$$

Out[*]=

$$\frac{(4 (1 + i)) !}{(4 i) !}$$


In[*]:= FullSimplify[ $\frac{(4 (1 + i)) !}{(4 i) !}$ , Assumptions  $\rightarrow i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ ]
Out[*]=

$$\frac{\text{Gamma}[5 + 4 i]}{(4 i) !}$$


In[*]:= FullSimplify[ $((4 (i + 1)) ! == ((4 i + 4) !)) == ((4 i) ! (4 i + 1) (4 i + 2) (4 i + 3) (4 i + 4))$ ]
Out[*]=
True

In[*]:= Table[Divisible[(4 i) !, 8^i], {i, 0, 10}]
Out[*]=
{True, True, True, True, True, True, True, True, True, True, True}

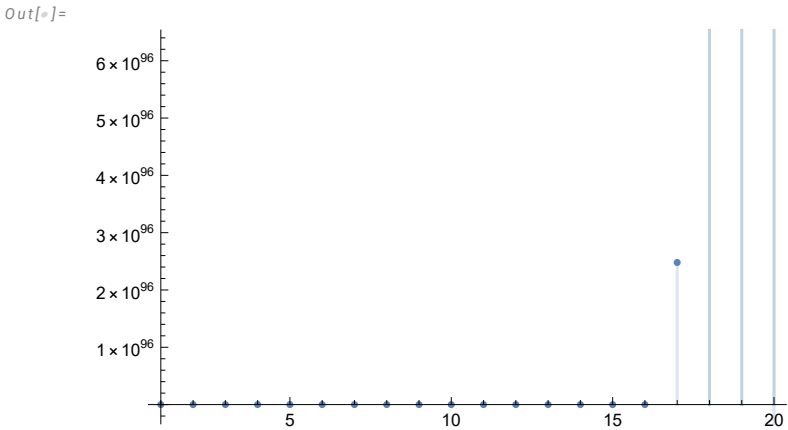
In[*]:= AllTrue[Range[0, 10], (i  $\mapsto$  Divisible[(4 i) !, 8^i])]
Out[*]=
True

In[*]:= (4 i) !
Out[*]=
(4 i) !

In[*]:= FunctionExpand[(4 i) !]
Out[*]=
Gamma[1 + 4 i]

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`In[]:= DiscretePlot[Gamma[1 + 4 i], {i, 1, 20}]`



`In[]:= FunctionDomain[(4 i)!, {}]`

`Out[]:=`
True

#2

Let $y = \ln x$. For each nonnegative integer n , $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = \frac{(-1)^n}{x^{n+1}}$.



- (a) Determine $\frac{dy}{dx}$, $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$, $\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3}$, and $\frac{d^4 y}{dx^4}$.
- (b) Let n be a natural number. Formulate a conjecture for a formula for $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n}$. Then use mathematical induction to prove your conjecture.

`In[]:= Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 4}]`

`Out[]:=`
 $\left\{ \frac{1}{x}, -\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{2}{x^3}, -\frac{6}{x^4} \right\}$

If y is function that maps x to $\ln(x)$ aka $y \mapsto \log(x)$ we then have $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$, $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\frac{1}{x^2}$, $\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} = \frac{2}{x^3}$, and $\frac{d^4 y}{dx^4} = -\frac{6}{x^4}$.

Let n be a natural number. Formulate a conjecture for a formula for $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n}$. Then use mathematical induction to prove your conjecture.

I have a table for the first 7 cases:

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In[*]:= Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 7}]
Out[*]=
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$$\left\{ \frac{1}{x}, -\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{2}{x^3}, -\frac{6}{x^4}, \frac{24}{x^5}, -\frac{120}{x^6}, \frac{720}{x^7} \right\}$$

Get the numerators:

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In[*]:= Numerator[Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 7}]]
Out[*]=
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$$\{1, -1, 2, -6, 24, -120, 720\}$$

Find a sequence function:

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In[*]:= FindSequenceFunction[Numerator[Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 7}]], i]
Out[*]=
```

$$-(-1)^i \text{Pochhammer}[1, -1 + i]$$

Find a sequence function directly.

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In[*]:= FindSequenceFunction[Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 7}], i]
Out[*]=
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$$-\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)^i \text{Pochhammer}[1, -1 + i]$$

The Pochhammer function is also known as the rising factorial, ascending factorial, rising sequential product and upper factorial. The Pochhammer function is defined as

$$x^{(n)} = x^{\overline{n}} = \overbrace{(x(x+1)(x+2)\dots(x+n-1))}^{n \text{ factors}} = \prod_{k=1}^n (x+k-1) = \prod_{k=0}^{n-1} (x+k)$$

My conjecture is that the i -th derivative is:

$$-\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1)$$

proving the conjecture by induction

We start with the $P(1)$. $P(1)$ is the first derivative of $\log(x)$, which is $\frac{1}{x}$.

Let's see if $-\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1)$ matches this.

```
In[*]:= -\left(\frac{-1}{x}\right)^1 \prod_{k=1}^{1-1} (1+k-1)
Out[*]=
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$$\frac{1}{x}$$

Good. We have checked the basis case. We can step onto the letter. Next we show you can keep moving

up the ladder once you're on the ladder.

Assume $P(1)$ to $P(i)$ is true.

Divide $P(i+1)$ by $P(i)$.

$$\text{In}[*]:= \frac{-\left(\frac{-1}{x}\right)^{(i+1)} \prod_{k=1}^{(i+1)-1} (1+k-1)}{-\left(\frac{-1}{x}\right)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1)} // \text{FullSimplify} // \text{TraditionalForm}$$

Out[*]//TraditionalForm=

$$-\frac{i}{x}$$

So we take the previous expression i and multiply by $-1/x$.

In[*]:= Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 7}]

Out[*]=

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{x}, -\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{2}{x^3}, -\frac{6}{x^4}, \frac{24}{x^5}, -\frac{120}{x^6}, \frac{720}{x^7} \right\}$$

In[*]:= D[-(1/x)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1), x] // Simplify // TraditionalForm

Out[*]//TraditionalForm=

$$\frac{i(i-1)! \left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)^i}{x}$$

In[*]:= D[-(1/x)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1), x] == -(1/x)^{i+1} \prod_{k=1}^{i+1-1} (1+k-1) // FullSimplify

Out[*]=

True

Pochhammer work

$$-\left(\frac{-1}{x}\right)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (x+k-1)$$

In[*]:= Table[-(1/x)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (i+k-1), {i, 7}]

Out[*]=

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{x}, -\frac{2}{x^2}, \frac{12}{x^3}, -\frac{120}{x^4}, \frac{1680}{x^5}, -\frac{30240}{x^6}, \frac{665280}{x^7} \right\}$$

In[*]:= Table[D[Log[x], {x, i}], {i, 1, 7}]

Out[*]=

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{x}, -\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{2}{x^3}, -\frac{6}{x^4}, \frac{24}{x^5}, -\frac{120}{x^6}, \frac{720}{x^7} \right\}$$

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In[*]:= Table[FullSimplify[Pochhammer[1, -1 + i] -
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$$\prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (x + k - 1)], \{i, 10\}]$$

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Out[*]=
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$$\{0, 1 - x, 2 - x (1 + x), 6 - x (1 + x) (2 + x), 24 - x (1 + x) (2 + x) (3 + x), \\ 120 - x (1 + x) (2 + x) (3 + x) (4 + x), 720 - x (1 + x) (2 + x) (3 + x) (4 + x) (5 + x), \\ 5040 - x (1 + x) (2 + x) (3 + x) (4 + x) (5 + x) (6 + x), \\ 40320 - x (1 + x) (2 + x) (3 + x) (4 + x) (5 + x) (6 + x) (7 + x), \\ 362880 - x (1 + x) (2 + x) (3 + x) (4 + x) (5 + x) (6 + x) (7 + x) (8 + x)\}$$

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In[*]:= AsymptoticProduct[x + k - 1, {k, 1, i - 1}, i → ∞]
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Out[*]=
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$$\frac{e^{-i} i^{-\frac{3}{2} + i + x} \sqrt{2\pi}}{\Gamma[x]}$$

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In[*]:= DiscreteAsymptotic[∏_{k=1}^{i-1} (x + k - 1), i → ∞]
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Out[*]=
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$$\frac{e^{-i} i^{-\frac{3}{2} + i + x} \sqrt{2\pi}}{\Gamma[x]}$$

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In[*]:= Pochhammer[1, -1 + i]
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Out[*]=
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$$\text{Pochhammer}[1, -1 + i]$$

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In[*]:= Pochhammer[1, -1 + i] // TraditionalForm
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Out[*]//TraditionalForm=
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$$(1)_{i-1}$$

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In[*]:= Pochhammer[a, n] // TraditionalForm
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Out[*]//TraditionalForm=
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$$(a)_n$$

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In[*]:= Pochhammer[a, i - 1] // TraditionalForm
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Out[*]//TraditionalForm=
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$$(a)_{i-1}$$

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In[*]:= Pochhammer[1, i - 1] // TraditionalForm
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Out[*]//TraditionalForm=
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$$(1)_{i-1}$$

$$\prod_{k=1}^n (x + k - 1)$$

$$\text{In}[*]:= \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1)$$

$$\text{Out}[*]= (-1+i) !$$

$$\text{In}[*]:= \text{FullSimplify} \left[\prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1) - \text{Pochhammer}[1, i-1] \right]$$

$$\text{Out}[*]= 0$$

$$\text{In}[*]:= \text{FullSimplify} \left[\prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1) == \text{Pochhammer}[1, i-1] \right]$$

$$\text{Out}[*]= \text{True}$$

$$\text{In}[*]:= \text{FindSequenceFunction}[\text{Table}[\text{D}[\text{Log}[x], \{x, i\}], \{i, 1, 7\}], i]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Out}[*]= & -\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)^i \text{Pochhammer}[1, -1+i] \\ & -\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right)^i \prod_{k=1}^{i-1} (1+k-1) \end{aligned}$$