

Quiz # 14

Name: _____

Key

You must show your work to get full credit.

Find the following derivatives.

1. $f(t) = te^{-3t}$.

$$f'(t) = (1)e^{-3t} + t e^{-3t}(-3)$$

$$= e^{-3t} - 3t e^{-3t}$$

$$f'(t) = \frac{e^{-3t} - 3t e^{-3t}}{1}$$

$$= (1-3t)e^{-3t}$$

2. $y = x^2(3x+1)^4$.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x(3x+1)^4 + x^2 4(3x+1)^3(3)$$

$$= 2x(3x+1)^4 + 12x^2(3x+1)^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x(3x+1)^4 + 12x^2(3x+1)^3}{1}$$

3. $y = x \ln(x) - x$.

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

$$= \ln(x) + 1 - 1 = \ln(x)$$

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

4. $w = \frac{z^3}{e^z} = z^3 e^{-z}$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = 3z^2 e^{-z} + z^3 (-e^{-z})$$

$$= 3z^2 e^{-z} - z^3 e^{-z}$$

$$\frac{dw}{dz} = \frac{3z^2 e^{-z} - z^3 e^{-z}}{1}$$

$$= (3z^2 - z^3) e^{-z}$$

5. $f(x) = \frac{ax+2}{ax+3}$ where a is a constant.

$$= \frac{(ax+2)'(ax+3) - (ax+2)(ax+3)'}{(ax+3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{a(ax+3) - (ax+2)(a)}{(ax+3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{a^2x+3a-a^2x-2a}{(ax+3)^2} = \frac{a}{(ax+3)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{a}{(ax+3)^2}$$