

Directions: Differentiate the following functions.

$$1. \quad y = \sec(x^5) + \sec^5(x) = \sec(x^5) + (\sec(x))^5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \sec(x^5) \tan(x^5) 5x^4 + 5(\sec(x))^4 \sec(x) \tan(x) \\ &= \boxed{5x^4 \sec(x^5) \tan(x^5) + 5 \sec^5(x) \tan(x)} \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \quad y = \left(\frac{x^3 - x^2}{\sin(x)} \right)^4$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \boxed{4 \left(\frac{x^3 - x^2}{\sin(x)} \right)^3 \frac{(3x^2 - 2x)\sin(x) - (x^3 - x^2)\cos(x)}{\sin^2(x)}}$$

$$3. \quad y = \frac{2}{x^4 - 3x^3} = 2(x^4 - 3x^3)^{-1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2(x^4 - 3x^3)^{-2}(4x^3 - 9x^2) = \boxed{\frac{18x^2 - 8x^3}{(x^4 - 3x^3)^2}}$$

$$4. \quad y = x^5 - \sqrt{\tan(x^3)} = x^5 - (\tan(x^3))^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= 5x^4 - \frac{1}{2}(\tan(x^3))^{-\frac{1}{2}} D_x [\tan(x^3)] \\ &= \boxed{5x^4 - \frac{\sec^2(x^3) 3x^2}{2\sqrt{\tan(x^3)}}} \end{aligned}$$



Directions: Differentiate the following functions.

1. $y = e^{\cos(x)} + \cos(e^x)$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= e^{\cos(x)}(-\sin(x)) - \sin(e^x)e^x \\ &= \boxed{-\sin(x)e^{\cos(x)} - \sin(e^x)e^x}\end{aligned}$$

2. $y = (x^2 + 3x - 4)^{100}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \boxed{100(x^2 + 3x - 4)^{99}(2x + 3)}$$

3. $y = \frac{2}{5}\sqrt{e^{5x} + 5x} = \frac{2}{5}(e^{5x} + 5x)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2}(e^{5x} + 5x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(e^{5x} \cdot 5 + 5) \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{(e^{5x} + 5x)^{\frac{1}{2}}} 5(e^{5x} + 1) = \boxed{\frac{e^{5x} + 1}{\sqrt{e^{5x} + 5x}}}\end{aligned}$$

4. $y = x^4 + \left(e^x + \frac{x^3 - 1}{x + 1}\right)^4$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= 4x^3 + 4\left(e^x + \frac{x^3 - 1}{x + 1}\right)^3 D_x \left[e^x + \frac{x^3 + 1}{x + 1} \right] \\ &= \boxed{4x^3 + 4\left(e^x + \frac{x^3 - 1}{x + 1}\right)^3 \left(e^x + \frac{3x^2(x+1) - (x^3+1) \cdot 1}{(x+1)^2} \right)}\end{aligned}$$