

1. A rocket is launching, and its height h in meters is a function of t in seconds (so we are considering the function $h(t)$). Explain what $h'(10) = 1035$ means in language your mom could understand. Your answer must include units.

At time $t = 10$ seconds the rocket is rising at a rate of 1035 feet per second.

Compute derivatives of the following functions using derivative rules.

2. $f(x) = \sqrt{t}e^t$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{t} e^t &= \left(\frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{t} \right) e^t + \sqrt{t} \frac{d}{dt} e^t \\ &= \frac{1}{2} t^{-\frac{3}{2}} e^t + t^{\frac{1}{2}} e^t \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\frac{d}{dt} e^{-t} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{1}{e^t} = \frac{-1 \frac{d}{dt} e^t}{(e^t)^2} = \frac{-e^t}{e^{2t}} = e^{-t}$$

4. $f(t) = e^{2t}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dt} e^{2t} &= \frac{d}{dt} e^t e^t = \left(\frac{d}{dt} e^t \right) e^t + e^t \frac{d}{dt} e^t \\ &= e^t e^t + e^t e^t \\ &= 2e^{2t}\end{aligned}$$

5. $f(v) = \left(1 + \frac{1}{v}\right) \left(2 - \frac{1}{v}\right)$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dv} \left[\left(1 + \frac{1}{v}\right) \left(2 - \frac{1}{v}\right) \right] &= -\frac{1}{v^2} \left(2 - \frac{1}{v}\right) + \left(1 + \frac{1}{v}\right) \left(\frac{1}{v^2}\right) \\ &= -\frac{2}{v^2} + \frac{1}{v^3} + \frac{1}{v^2} + \frac{1}{v^3} \\ &= -\frac{1}{v^2} + \frac{2}{v^3}\end{aligned}$$

6. $f(x) = \frac{e^{2x}}{1 - e^x}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} \frac{e^{2x}}{1 - e^x} &= \frac{\left(\frac{d}{dx} e^{2x} \right) (1 - e^x) - e^{2x} \frac{d}{dx} (1 - e^x)}{(1 - e^x)^2} \\ &= \frac{2e^{2x} (1 - e^x) - e^{2x} (-e^x)}{(1 - e^x)^2} \\ &= \frac{2e^{2x} - e^{3x}}{(1 - e^x)^2}\end{aligned}$$

7. $f(t) = \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)} &= \frac{\left(\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x)\right) \cos(x) - \sin(x) \frac{d}{dx} \cos(x)}{\cos^2(x)} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x)}{\cos^2(x)} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)} = \sec^2(x) \end{aligned}$$

8. $f(t) = e^{2x} \sin(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} e^{2x} \sin(x) &= \left(\frac{d}{dx} e^{2x}\right) \sin(x) + e^{2x} \frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) \\ &= 2e^{2x} \sin(x) + e^{2x} \cos(x) \\ &= e^{2x} (2\sin(x) + \cos(x)) \end{aligned}$$

9. $f(t) = (1+x^2)e^x \sin(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \left[(1+x^2)e^x \sin(x) \right] &= \left[\frac{d}{dx} (1+x^2) \right] e^x \sin(x) + (1+x^2) \left(\frac{d}{dx} e^x \right) \sin(x) \\ &\quad + (1+x^2) e^x \frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) \\ &= 2xe^x \sin(x) + (1+x^2)e^x \sin(x) + (1+x^2)e^x \cos(x) \\ &= e^x \left[(1+x)^2 \sin(x) + (1+x^2) \cos(x) \right] \end{aligned}$$