

Review of Calculus A

Basic Properties of Derivatives

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

Subtraction: $\frac{d}{dx} [f(x) - g(x)] = [f(x) - g(x)]' = f'(x) - g'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} f(x) - \frac{d}{dx} g$

Coefficient: $\frac{d}{dx} [c \cdot f(x)] = [c \cdot f(x)]' = c \cdot f'(x) = c \cdot \frac{d}{dx} f(x)$

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

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

Chain: $\frac{d}{dx} [f(g(x))] = [f(g(x))]' = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} g(x)$

Basic Properties of Integrals:

Addition: $\int [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx + \int g(x) dx$

Subtraction: $\int [f(x) - g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx - \int g(x) dx$

Coefficient: $\int c \cdot f(x) dx = c \cdot \int f(x) dx$

Substitution: $\int f(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) dx = \int f(u) du, u = g(x)$

Common Derivatives

Constant: $\frac{d}{dx} (k) = 0$ k is a constant

Power: $\frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = n x^{n-1}$ n is a constant

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

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

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

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

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

Basic Integrals

Constant: $\int k dx = kx + c$

Power: $\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} \cdot x^{n+1} + c$

Trig: $\int \sin(x) dx = -\cos(x) + c$

$$\int \cos(x) dx = \sin(x) + c$$

$$\int \sec^2(x) dx = \tan(x) + c$$

$$\int \sec(x) \tan(x) dx = \sec(x) + c$$

$$\int \csc(x) \cot(x) dx = -\csc(x) + c$$

Examples:

1. Find the following derivatives:

a. $\frac{d}{dx}(x^3 \tan(x)) = (3x^2)(\tan(x)) + \sec^2(x)(x^3)$

product rule = $3x^2 \cdot \tan(x) + x^3 \sec^2(x)$

(f·g)' = f'g + g'f = $x^3 \sec^2(x) + 3x^2 \tan(x)$

b. $\frac{d}{dx}(\sqrt[3]{2x^2 - 5x + 3}) = \frac{d}{dx}((2x^2 - 5x + 3)^{1/3})$

power + chain = $\frac{1}{3}(2x^2 - 5x + 3)^{-2/3}(4x - 5)$

(u^n)' = nu^{n-1} · u'

2. Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve $x \cos(1+2y) = 2y^2 - 8$ at (0,2).

Equation of the tangent line:

line: $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

slope = derivative: $m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x_1} = y'(x_1)$

versions of this question:

given $y = f(x)$ and (x_1, y_1)

given implicit fcn $f(x, y)$

given parametric fcn's $f(t), g(t)$

Implicit Differentiation

(if finding $\frac{dy}{dx}$ of curve):

• treat x as normal

• take derivative of y as

expect then attach $\frac{dy}{dx}$ (or y')

(note this is just chain rule)

Find x_1, y_1 , and m.

↳ $(x_1, y_1) = (0, 2)$ is given

↳ $\frac{dy}{dx}$ must be found using implicit differentiation

↳ attach $\frac{dy}{dx}$

$x \cos(1+2y) = 2y^2 - 8$ original curve

product rule power rule

$(1)(\cos(1+2y)) + (\sin(1+2y) \cdot 2 \cdot y')(x) = 4y \cdot y' - 0$

$\cos(1+2y) + 2xy' \sin(1+2y) = 4y \cdot y'$

$\cos(1+2y) = 4y y' - 2xy' \sin(1+2y)$

move y' to one side

$\cos(1+2y) = y'(4y - 2x \sin(1+2y))$

factor out y'

$y' = \frac{\cos(1+2y)}{4y - 2x \sin(1+2y)}$

solve for y'

$m = \frac{\cos(1+2(2))}{4(2) - 2(0) \sin(1+2(2))} = \frac{\cos(5)}{8 - 0} = \frac{1}{8} \cos(5)$ plug in (0,2)

$y - 2 = \frac{1}{8} \cos(5) \cdot (x - 0)$

3. Find the formula for the function f(x) if its slope is given by $x \sin(x^2+1)$ and the graph of f(x) passes through the point (1,2).

Initial value problem:

given slope/derivative

and an (initial) point

• take integral of f'(x)

• plug in initial point

• solve for unknown c

• plug back into f(x)

concept: $f(x) = \int f'(x) dx$

$f(x) = \int x \sin(x^2+1) dx$

u-substitution: function & its derivative

$u = x^2 + 1$

u is normally an "inner" function

$du = 2x dx$

$\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$

you need to recognize this quickly

$f(u) = \int \sin(u) \cdot \frac{1}{2} du$

$= \frac{1}{2} \int \sin(u) du$

$= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(u) + c$

$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2} \sin(x^2+1) + c$

$f(1)$ is found by plugging
in $x=1$ to $f(x)$ and was
given to us $(1,2) \Rightarrow f(1)=2$

$$\begin{aligned}f(1) &= -\frac{1}{2} \sin(1^2+1) + C \\2 &= -\frac{1}{2} \sin(2) + C \\2 + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2) &= C\end{aligned}$$

remember to plug into C

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2} \sin(x^2+1) + 2 + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2)$$

4. Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{x^2+2}{\sqrt{x^3+6x+5}} dx$

u-Substitution for $\int_a^b f(u) \cdot u' dx$

u = "inner" function

$$\frac{d}{dx}(u) = u' \Rightarrow du = u' dx$$

new bounds:

$$u(a) = a' \quad (\text{lower})$$

$$u(b) = b' \quad (\text{upper})$$

$$u = x^3 + 6x + 5$$

$$du = (3x^2 + 6) dx$$

$$du = 3(x^2 + 2) dx$$

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

$$a' = (0)^3 + 6(0) + 5 = 5$$

$$b' = (1)^3 + 6(1) + 5 = 12$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_5^{12} \frac{1}{\sqrt{u}} \cdot \frac{1}{3} du \\&= \frac{1}{3} \int_5^{12} u^{-1/2} du \\&= \frac{1}{3} \cdot 2 u^{1/2} \Big|_5^{12} \\&= \frac{2}{3} [(12)^{1/2} - (5)^{1/2}] \\&= \frac{2}{3} [2\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}]\end{aligned}$$

you are expected to solve
using the new bounds