

A1Q1

Consider the function $f(x) = x^2 e^{-x}$. Construct a plot of $[f(x), f'(x), f''(x)]$ on the same graph for the domain $0 \leq x \leq 8$.

Using an option, colour the three functions red, green and blue and include a suitable title. Read the help page for ?plot, options.

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> restart;
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> f := x^2*exp(-x);
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$$f := x^2 e^{-x} \quad (1)$$

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> g := diff(f,x);
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$$g := 2x e^{-x} - x^2 e^{-x} \quad (2)$$

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> h := diff(g,x);
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$$h := 2e^{-x} - 4x e^{-x} + x^2 e^{-x} \quad (3)$$

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> plot([f,g,h],x=0..8, title="f(x)=x^2 exp(-x) and f '(x) and f ''(x)
", ( color = [red,green,blue]));
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