## TECHNIQUES OF DIFFERENTIATION: PRODUCT RULE

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## 1 Example

1. Find the derivative of  $y = (3x - 2x^2)(5 + 4x)$ .

## 2 ClassWork Problems

Differentiate the following functions:

2. 
$$f(x) = x(x^2 + 3)$$

3. 
$$g(x) = (x-4)(x+2)$$

4. 
$$f(x) = x^2(3x^3 - 1)$$

5. 
$$f(x) = (x^2 + 1)(2x + 5)$$

6. 
$$y = \frac{1}{x}(x^2 + e^x)$$

7. 
$$y = e^{2x}$$

8. 
$$g(x) = (x^2 - 4x + 3)(x - 2)$$

9. 
$$g(x) = (x^2 - 2x + 1)(x^3 - 1)$$

10. 
$$f(x) = (x^3 - 3x)(2x^2 + 3x + 5)$$

11. 
$$h(t) = (t^5 - 1)(4t^2 - 7t - 3)$$

12. 
$$g(t) = (2t^3 - 1)^2$$

13. 
$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}(\sqrt{x} + 3)$$

14. 
$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}(x+1)$$

15. 
$$f(x) = (x^5 - 3x) \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)$$

16. 
$$f(x) = (3x^3 + 4x)(x - 5)(x + 1)$$