# Module 3 Notes (MATH-211)

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## General Notes (and Definitions)

• The Chain Rule

Suppose y = f(u) is differentiable at u = g(x) and u = g(x) is differentiable at x. The composite function y = f(g(x)) is differentiable at x, and its derivative can be expressed in two equivalent ways.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dy} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(f\left(g\left(x\right)\right)\right) = f'\left(g\left(x\right)\right) \cdot g'\left(x\right) \tag{2}$$

Application of the Chain Rule (Assume the differentiable function y = f(g(x)) is given):

- 1. Identify an outer function f and an inner function g, and let u = g(x).
- 2. Replace g(x) with u to express y in terms of u:

$$y = f(g(x)) = f(u)$$

3. Calculate the product

$$\frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

4. Replace u with g(x) in  $\frac{dy}{du}$  to obtain  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ 

If g is differentiable for all x in its domain and  $p \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\left(g\left(x\right)\right)^{p}\right) = p\left(g\left(x\right)\right)^{p-1}g'\left(x\right)$$

• Implicit Differentiation

When we are unable to solve for y explicitly, we treat y as a function of x (y = y(x)) and apply the Chain Rule:

$$y' = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}y^n = ny^{n-1}\frac{dy}{dx}$$

• Derivatives of Logarithmic and Exponential Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\ln x) = \frac{1}{x}$$
, for  $x > 0$ 

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\ln|x|) = \frac{1}{x}$$
, for  $x \neq 0$ 

If u is differentiable at x and  $u(x) \neq 0$ , then

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\ln|u(x)|\right) = \frac{u'(x)}{u(x)}$$

If b > 0 and  $b \neq 1$ , then for all x,

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(b^{x}\right) = b^{x} \ln b$$

General Power Rule:

For 
$$p \in \mathbb{R}$$
 and for  $x > 0$ ,  $\frac{d}{dx}(x^p) = px^{p-1}$ 

Furthermore, if u is a positive differentiable function on its domain, then

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(u\left(x\right)^{p}\right) = p\left(u\left(x\right)\right)^{p-1} \cdot u'\left(x\right)$$

Functions of the form  $f(x) = (g(x))^{h(x)}$ , where both g and h are nonconstant functions, are neither exponential function nor power functions (they are sometimes called tower functions). To compute their derivatives, we use the identity  $b^x = e^{x \ln b}$  to rewrite f with base e:

$$f(x) = (g(x))^{h(x)} = e^{h(x) \ln g(x)}$$

If b > 0 and  $b \neq 1$ , then

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\log_b x) = \frac{1}{x \ln b}, \text{ for } x > 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_b|x|) = \frac{1}{x\ln b}$$
, for  $x \neq 0$ 

Useful Properties of Logarithms

$$\ln xy = \ln x + \ln y \tag{1}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \ln x - \ln y \tag{2}$$

$$\ln x^z = z \ln x \tag{3}$$

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## **Examples**

1. The Chain Rule

$$y = \left(5x^2 + 11x\right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \tag{1}$$

$$u = 5x^2 + 11x \tag{2}$$

$$f = u^{\frac{4}{3}} \tag{3}$$

$$f = u^{\frac{4}{3}}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}u^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot 10x + 11$$

$$(5)$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}u^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot 10x + 11 \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \left(5x^2 + 11x\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot 10x + 11 \tag{6}$$

(7)

$$y = e^{4x^2 + 1} (1)$$

$$u = 4x^2 + 1 \tag{2}$$

$$y = e^u (3)$$

$$y = c$$

$$u = 4x^{2} + 1$$

$$y = e^{u}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$= e^{u} \cdot 8x$$
(1)
$$(2)$$

$$(3)$$

$$(4)$$

$$(5)$$

$$= e^{u} \cdot 8x \tag{5}$$

$$= e^{4x^2+1} \cdot 8x \tag{6}$$

$$= 8xe^{4x^2+1} (7)$$

2. The Chain Rule (with Tables)

$$h(x) = f(g(x))$$

$$y = f(g(x)) \qquad (1)$$

$$u = g(x) \qquad (2)$$

$$y = f(u) \qquad (3)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \qquad (4)$$

$$= f(y) \cdot g'(x) \qquad (5)$$

$$= f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) \qquad (6)$$

$$h'(1) = f'(g(1)) \cdot g'(1) \qquad (7)$$

$$= f'(4) \cdot 9 \qquad (8)$$

$$= 7 \cdot 9 \qquad (9)$$

$$= 63 \qquad (10)$$

$$h'(2) = f'(g(2)) \cdot g'(2) \qquad (11)$$

$$= f'(1) \cdot 7 \qquad (12)$$

$$= -6 \cdot 7 \qquad (13)$$

$$= -42 \qquad (14)$$

$$h'(3) = f'(g(3)) \cdot g'(3) \qquad (15)$$

$$= 2 \cdot 3 \qquad (17)$$

$$= 6 \qquad (18)$$

$$k(x) = g(g(x))$$

$$y = g(g(x))$$

$$y = g(g(x)) \qquad (1)$$

$$u = g(x) \qquad (2)$$

$$y = g(u) \qquad (3)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \qquad (4)$$

$$= g'(u) \cdot g'(x) \qquad (5)$$

$$= g'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) \qquad (5)$$

$$= g'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) \qquad (6)$$

$$k'(3) = g'(g(3)) \cdot g'(3) \qquad (7)$$

$$= g'(5) \cdot 3 \qquad (8)$$

$$= -5 \cdot 3 \qquad (9)$$

$$= -15 \qquad (10)$$

$$k'(1) = g'(g(1)) \cdot g'(1) \qquad (11)$$

$$= g'(4) \cdot 9 \qquad (12)$$

$$= -1 \cdot 9 \qquad (13)$$

$$= -9 \qquad (14)$$

$$k'(5) = g'(g(5)) \cdot g'(5) \qquad (15)$$

$$= g'(3) \cdot -5 \qquad (16)$$

$$= 3 \cdot -5 \qquad (17)$$

$$= -15 \qquad (18)$$

## 3. The Chain Rule (All Forms)

$$y = \sqrt[3]{2x^2 - x - 5} \tag{1}$$

$$u = 2x^2 - x - 5 \tag{2}$$

$$y = \sqrt[3]{u} \tag{3}$$

$$y' = u^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 4x - 1 \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (2x^2 - x - 5)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 4x - 1 \tag{5}$$

$$y = \csc(\tan t) \tag{1}$$

$$u = \tan t \tag{2}$$

$$y = \csc u \tag{3}$$

$$y' = -\csc u \cot u \cdot \sec^2 t \tag{4}$$

$$= -\csc(\tan t)\cot(\tan t)\cdot\sec^2 t \tag{5}$$

## 4. The Chain Rule (Nested)

$$y = \tan(\sin e^x) \tag{1}$$

$$u_2 = e^x (2)$$

$$u_1 = \sin u_2 \tag{3}$$

$$y = \tan u_1 \tag{4}$$

$$y' = \sec^2(\sin e^x) \cdot \cos e^x \cdot e^x \tag{5}$$

### 5. The Chain Rule (Combination of Rules)

$$y = \left(\frac{e^x}{x+1}\right)^8 \tag{1}$$

$$y' = 8\left(\frac{e^x}{x+1}\right)^7 \cdot \frac{xe^x}{(x+1)^2} \tag{2}$$

$$= 8 \frac{e^{7x}}{(x+1)^7} \cdot \frac{xe^x}{(x+1)^2}$$
(3)

$$= \frac{8xe^{8x}}{(x+1)^9} \tag{4}$$

#### 6. Implicit Differentiation

$$x^4 + y^4 = 2 \tag{1}$$

$$x + y = 2$$

$$4x^3 + 4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x^3}{4y^3}$$

$$(4)$$

$$4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^3 \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x^3}{4y^3} \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{-x^3}{y^3} \tag{5}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(1,-1)} = \frac{-(1)^3}{(-1)^3} = \frac{-1}{-1} = 1$$

## 7. Implicit Differentiation (Finding y)

$$y = y = xe^y \tag{1}$$

$$y' = e^y + xe^y y' (2)$$

$$y' - y'xe^y = e^y (3)$$

$$y'(1 - xe^y) = e^y (4)$$

$$y' - y'xe^y = e^y$$

$$y'(1 - xe^y) = e^y$$

$$y' = \frac{e^y}{1 - xe^y}$$

$$(2)$$

$$(3)$$

$$(4)$$

## 8. Implicit Differentiation (Tangent Line)

$$\cos(x - y) + \sin y = \sqrt{2} \tag{1}$$

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

$$-\sin(x - y) + y'\sin(x - y) + y'\cos y = 0$$
 (3)

$$y'(\sin(x-y) + \cos y) = \sin(x-y) \tag{4}$$

$$y' = \frac{\sin(x-y)}{\sin(x-y) + \cos y} \tag{5}$$

$$y' = \frac{\sin(x - y)}{\sin(x - y) + \cos y}$$
(5)  

$$y' \Big|_{\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \cos\frac{\pi}{4}}$$
(6)  

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$
(7)  

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x$$
(8)

$$= \frac{1}{2} \tag{7}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x \tag{8}$$

## 9. Implicit Differentiation (Higher Order)

$$x^4 + y^4 = 64 (1)$$

$$x^{4} + y^{4} = 64$$
 (1)
$$4x^{3} + 4y^{3} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$
 (2)
$$4y^{3} \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^{3}$$
 (3)
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x^{3}}{4y^{3}}$$
 (4)

$$4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^3 \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x^3}{4y^3} \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{-x^3}{y^3} \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{-x^3}{y^3}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^3 - \left(-x^33y^2\frac{dy}{dx}\right)}{(y^3)^2}$$
(5)

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^3 + 3x^3y^2\frac{dy}{dx}}{y^6} \tag{7}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^3 + 3x^3y^2 \frac{-x^3}{y^3}}{y^6} \tag{8}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^3 + \frac{-3x^6y^2}{y^3}}{y^6} \tag{9}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^3 - \frac{3x^6}{y}}{y^6} \tag{10}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^3 - \frac{3x^6}{y}}{y^6}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{-3x^2y^4 - 3x^6}{y}}{y^6}$$
(10)

$$= \frac{-3x^2y^4 - 3x^6}{y^7} \tag{12}$$

### 10. Derivatives with $\ln x$

$$y = \ln 2x^8 \tag{1}$$

$$y = \ln 2x^{8}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2x^{8}} \cdot 16x^{7}$$

$$= \frac{16x^{7}}{2x^{8}}$$

$$= \frac{8}{x}$$
(1)
(2)

$$= \frac{16x^7}{2x^8} \tag{3}$$

$$= \frac{8}{x} \tag{4}$$

$$y = x^2 \left(1 - \ln x^2\right) \tag{1}$$

$$y = x^{2} (1 - \ln x^{2})$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x (1 - \ln x^{2}) + x^{2} \left(-\frac{2x}{x^{2}}\right)$$
(2)

$$= 2x - 2x \ln x^2 - 2x \tag{3}$$

$$= -2x \ln x^2 \tag{4}$$

### 11. Derivatives with $b^x$

$$y = 2^{2x} \tag{1}$$

$$y = 2^{2x}$$
 (1)  
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2^{2x} \ln 2 \cdot 2$  (2)  
 $= 2^{2x+1} \ln 2$  (3)

$$= 2^{2x+1} \ln 2 \tag{3}$$

$$f(x) = 7^{-x}\cos x \tag{1}$$

$$f(x) = 7^{-x} \cos x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -7^{-x} \ln 7 \cos x - 7^{-x} \sin x$$

$$= -7^{-x} (\ln 7 \cos x + \sin x)$$
(1)
(2)

$$= -7^{-x} (\ln 7 \cos x + \sin x) \tag{3}$$

#### 12. Derivatives with the General Power Rule

$$y = x^e (1)$$

$$y = x^{e}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = ex^{e-1}$$
(2)

$$f(x) = \left(x^3 + 3^x\right)^{\pi} \tag{1}$$

$$f(x) = (x^3 + 3^x)^{\pi}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \pi (x^3 + 3^x)^{\pi - 1} \cdot (3x^2 + 3^x \ln 3)$$
(1)

## 13. Derivatives with Tower Functions

$$g(x) = x^{\ln x}$$

$$= e^{\ln x \ln x}$$
(1)
(2)

$$= e^{\ln x \ln x} \tag{2}$$

$$= e^{(\ln x)^2} \tag{3}$$

$$g'(x) = e^{(\ln x)^2} \cdot \frac{2\ln x}{x} \tag{4}$$

$$= e^{\ln x \ln x}$$

$$= e^{(\ln x)^{2}}$$
(3)
$$g'(x) = e^{(\ln x)^{2}} \cdot \frac{2 \ln x}{x}$$
(4)
$$g'(e) = e^{(\ln e)^{2}} \cdot \frac{2 \ln e}{e}$$
(5)

$$= \frac{2e}{a} \tag{6}$$

$$= 2 (7)$$

$$y = 2x - 2e + e \tag{8}$$

$$= 2x - e \tag{9}$$

## 14. Derivatives of Logarithmic Functions

$$y = \log_7 5x \tag{1}$$

$$y = \log_7 5x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5}{5x \ln 7}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x \ln 7}$$

$$(1)$$

$$(2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{x \ln 7} \tag{3}$$

$$y = \log(\log x) \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\log x \ln 10} \cdot \frac{1}{x \ln 10}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x \log x \ln (10)^2}$$
(2)

$$= \frac{1}{x \log x \ln \left(10\right)^2} \tag{3}$$

### 15. Logarithmic Differentiation

$$f(x) = (\cos x)^{\sec x} \tag{1}$$

$$\ln f(x) = \ln \left( (\cos x)^{\sec x} \right) \tag{2}$$

$$= \sec x \cdot \ln(\cos x) \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \sec x \cdot \tan x \cdot \ln(\cos x) + \sec x \cdot \frac{-\sin x}{\cos x}$$
 (4)

$$= \sec x \cdot \tan x \cdot \ln(\cos x) + \sec x \cdot (-\tan x) \tag{5}$$

$$= \tan x \sec x \left(\ln\left(\cos x\right) - 1\right) \tag{6}$$

$$f'(x) = f(x) \tan x \sec x \left( \ln(\cos x) - 1 \right) \tag{7}$$

$$= (\cos x)^{\sec x} \tan x \sec x (\ln(\cos x) - 1)$$
 (8)

## (9)

## Related Exercises

## 1. (Section 3.7 Exercise 15)

$$y = (3x+7)^{10} (1)$$

$$u = 3x + 7 \tag{2}$$

$$f(u) = u^{10} \tag{3}$$

$$y' = 10u^{9} \cdot 3$$

$$= 10(3x+7)^{9} \cdot 3$$
(5)

$$= 10(3x+7)^9 \cdot 3 \tag{5}$$

$$= 30(3x+7)^9 (6)$$

## 2. (Section 3.7 Exercise 17)

$$y = \sin^5 x \tag{1}$$

$$u = \sin x \tag{2}$$

$$f(u) = u^5 (3)$$

$$y' = 5u^4 \cdot \cos x \tag{4}$$

$$= 5\sin^4 x \cos x \tag{5}$$

## 3. (Section 3.7 Exercise 28)

$$y = (x^2 + 2x + 7)^8 (1)$$

$$u = x^2 + 2x + 7 (2)$$

$$u = x^{2} + 2x + 7$$
 (2)  
  $f(u) = u^{8}$  (3)

$$y' = 8u^7 \cdot (2x+2) \tag{4}$$

$$= 8(x^2 + 2x + 7)^7 \cdot (2x + 2) \tag{5}$$

$$= (16x+16)(x^2+2x+7)^7 \tag{6}$$

### 4. (Section 3.7 Exercise 29)

$$y = \sqrt{10x + 1} \tag{1}$$

$$u = 10x + 1 \tag{2}$$

$$f(u) = \sqrt{u} \tag{3}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{u}} \cdot 10 \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{10x+1}} \cdot 10 \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{10x+1}} \cdot 10$$

$$= \frac{10}{2\sqrt{10x+1}}$$
(5)

$$= \frac{5}{\sqrt{10x+1}} \tag{7}$$

#### 5. (Section 3.7 Exercise 41)

$$y = \sqrt[4]{\frac{2x}{4x-3}} \tag{1}$$

$$u = \frac{2x}{4x - 3}$$

$$f(u) = \sqrt[4]{u}$$
(2)
(3)

$$f(u) = \sqrt[4]{u} \tag{3}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{4}u^{-\frac{3}{4}} \cdot -\frac{6}{(4x-3)^2} \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{2x}{4x-3} \right)^{-\frac{3}{4}} \cdot -\frac{6}{(4x-3)^2}$$
 (5)

$$= -\frac{6}{4(4x-3)^2} \left(\frac{2x}{4x-3}\right)^{-\frac{3}{4}} \tag{6}$$

### 6. (Section 3.7 Exercise 23)

$$y = \tan 5x^2 \tag{1}$$

$$u = 5x^2 \tag{2}$$

$$u = 5x^2 (2)$$

$$f(u) = \tan u \tag{3}$$
  
$$y' = \sec^2 u \cdot 10x \tag{4}$$

$$y' = \sec^2 u \cdot 10x \tag{4}$$

$$= \sec^2 5x^2 \cdot 10x \tag{5}$$

$$= 10x \sec^2 5x^2 \tag{6}$$

(7)

### 7. (Section 3.7 Exercise 24)

$$y = \sin\frac{x}{4} \tag{1}$$

$$y = \sin \frac{x}{4}$$

$$u = \frac{x}{4}$$

$$f(u) = \sin u$$

$$(1)$$

$$(2)$$

$$(3)$$

$$f(u) = \sin u \tag{3}$$

$$y' = \cos u \cdot \frac{4}{16} \tag{4}$$

$$= \cos\frac{x}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}\cos\frac{x}{4} \tag{6}$$

## 8. (Section 3.7 Exercise 45)

$$y = (2x^6 - 3x^3 + 3)^{25} (1)$$

$$u = 2x^{6} - 3x^{3} + 3$$

$$f(u) = u^{25}$$
(2)
(3)

$$u) = u^{25} \tag{3}$$

$$y' = 25(u)^{24} \cdot 12x^5 - 9x^2 \tag{4}$$

$$= 25 (2x^6 - 3x^3 + 3)^{24} \cdot 12x^5 - 9x^2 \tag{5}$$

$$= 25 \left(12x^5 - 9x^2\right) \left(2x^6 - 3x^3 + 3\right)^{24} \tag{6}$$

## 9. (Section 3.7 Exercise 46)

$$y = (\cos x + 2\sin x)^8 \tag{1}$$

$$u = \cos x + 2\sin x \tag{2}$$

$$f(u) = u^8 (3)$$

$$y' = 8u^7 \cdot (-\sin x + 2\cos x) \tag{4}$$

$$= 8(\cos x + 2\sin x)^{7} \cdot (-\sin x + 2\cos x) \tag{5}$$

$$= 8(-\sin x + 2\cos x)(\cos x + 2\sin x)^{7}$$
 (6)

(7)

10. (Section 3.7 Exercise 53)

$$y = \sin(\sin(e^x)) \tag{1}$$

$$y' = \cos(\sin e^x)\cos e^x e^x \tag{2}$$

11. (Section 3.7 Exercise 54)

$$y = \sin^2 e^{3x+1} \tag{1}$$

$$y' = 6\sin e^{3x+1}\cos e^{3x+1} (2)$$

12. (Section 3.7 Exercise 68)

$$y = \left(\frac{3x}{4x+2}\right)^{5}$$

$$y' = 5u^{4} \cdot \frac{12x+6-12x}{(4x+2)^{2}}$$
(1)

$$y' = 5u^4 \cdot \frac{12x + 6 - 12x}{(4x + 2)^2} \tag{2}$$

$$= 5\left(\frac{3x}{4x+2}\right)^4 \cdot \frac{6}{(4x+2)^2} \tag{3}$$

$$= \frac{30}{(4x+2)^2} \left(\frac{3x}{4x+2}\right)^4 \tag{4}$$

13. (Section 3.7 Exercise 69)

$$y = ((x+2)(x^2+1))^4 (1)$$

$$y' = 4u^3 \cdot x^2 + 1 + 2x^2 + 4x \tag{2}$$

$$= 4(3x^2 + 4x + 1)((x+2)(x^2+1))^3$$
 (3)

$$= 4(3x+1)(x+1)((x+2)(x^2+1))^3$$
 (4)

14. (Section 3.8 Exercise 13)

$$x^4 + y^4 = 2 (1)$$

$$(1,-1) \tag{2}$$

$$4x^{3} + 4y^{3} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$4y^{3} \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x^{3}}{4y^{3}}$$
(5)

$$4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^3 \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x^3}{4x^3} \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{-x^3}{y^3} \tag{6}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\Big|_{(1,-1)} = \frac{-(1^3)}{(-1)^3} \tag{6}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{-1} \tag{8}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{-1} \tag{8}$$

$$= 1$$
 (9)

15. (Section 3.8 Exercise 15)

$$y^2 = 4x \tag{1}$$

$$(1,2) (2)$$

$$2y\frac{dy}{dx} = 4 (3)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{2y} \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{2}{u} \tag{5}$$

$$y^{2} = 4x$$
 (1)  

$$(1,2)$$
 (2)  

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 4$$
 (3)  

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{2y}$$
 (4)  

$$= \frac{2}{y}$$
 (5)  

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\Big|_{(1,2)} = \frac{2}{2}$$
 (6)  

$$= 1$$
 (7)

$$= 1 \tag{7}$$

### 16. (Section 3.8 Exercise 31)

$$\sin xy = x + y \tag{1}$$

$$\cos xy \cdot \left(y + x\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 1 + \frac{dy}{dx} \tag{2}$$

$$y\cos xy + \frac{dy}{dx}x\cos xy = 1 + \frac{dy}{dx} \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}x\cos xy - \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - y\cos xy \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(x\cos xy - 1) = 1 - y\cos xy \qquad (5)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1 - y\cos xy}{x\cos xy - 1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1 - y\cos xy}{x\cos xy - 1} \tag{6}$$

#### 17. (Section 3.8 Exercise 33)

$$\cos y^2 + x = e^y \tag{1}$$

$$-\frac{dy}{dx}2y\sin y^2 + 1 = \frac{dy}{dx}e^y \tag{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}2y\sin y^2 + \frac{dy}{dx}e^y = 1 ag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\left(2y\sin y^2 + e^y\right) = 1 \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2y\sin y^2 + e^y} \tag{5}$$

## 18. (Section 3.8 Exercise 47)

$$x^2 + xy + y^2 = 7 (1)$$

$$(2,1) (2)$$

$$2x + y + \frac{dx}{dy}x + \frac{dx}{dy}2y = 0 (3)$$

$$\frac{dx}{dy}(x+2y) = -2x - y \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{-2x - y}{x + 2y} \tag{5}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dy}x + \frac{dx}{dy}2y = 0$$

$$\frac{dx}{dy}(x+2y) = -2x - y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\Big|_{(2,1)} = \frac{-2(2) - 1}{2 + 2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-4 - 1}{2 + 2}$$

$$= \frac{-5}{4}$$

$$y = \frac{-5}{4}x - 2\frac{-5}{4} + 1$$

$$= \frac{-5}{4}x + \frac{7}{2}$$
(11)

$$= \frac{-4-1}{2+2} \tag{7}$$

$$= \frac{-5}{4} \tag{8}$$

$$y = \frac{-5}{4}x - 2\frac{-5}{4} + 1 \tag{9}$$

$$= \frac{-5}{4}x + \frac{5}{2} + \frac{2}{2} \tag{10}$$

$$= \frac{-5}{4}x + \frac{7}{2} \tag{11}$$

## 19. (Section 3.8 Exercise 48)

$$x^4 - x^2 y + y^4 = 1 (1)$$

$$(-1,1) \tag{2}$$

$$(-1,1) (2)$$

$$4x^3 - 2xy - \frac{dy}{dx}x^2 + \frac{dy}{dx}4y^3 = 0 (3)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \left( -x^2 + 4y^3 \right) = 2xy - 4x^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2xy - 4x^3}{4y^3 - x^2}$$
(5)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2xy - 4x^3}{4y^3 - x^2} \tag{5}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} dx & 4y^{3} - x^{2} \\ \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{(-1,1)} & = & \frac{2(-1)(1) - 4(-1)^{3}}{4(1)^{3} - (-1)^{2}} \\ & = & \frac{-2 + 4}{4 + 1} \\ & = & \frac{2}{5} \\ y & = & \frac{2}{5}x + \frac{2}{5} + 1 \\ 2 & & 7 \end{vmatrix}$$
(6)

$$= \frac{-2+4}{4+1} \tag{7}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} \tag{8}$$

$$y = \frac{2}{5}x + \frac{2}{5} + 1 \tag{9}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5}x + \frac{7}{5} \tag{10}$$

## 20. (Section 3.8 Exercise 25)

$$x\sqrt[3]{y} + y = 10 \tag{1}$$
(1,8)

$$(1,8) (2)$$

$$\sqrt[3]{y} + \frac{dy}{dx} \left(\frac{x}{3y^{\frac{2}{3}}}\right) + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\left(\frac{x}{3y^{\frac{2}{3}}}+1\right) = -\sqrt[3]{y} \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3y^{\frac{2}{3}}\sqrt[3]{y}}{x+3y^{\frac{2}{3}}} \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{-3y}{3y^{\frac{2}{3}} + x} \tag{6}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3y^{\frac{2}{3}}\sqrt[3]{y}}{x+3y^{\frac{2}{3}}} \qquad (5)$$

$$= \frac{-3y}{3y^{\frac{2}{3}}+x} \qquad (6)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\Big|_{(1,8)} = \frac{-3(8)}{3(8)^{\frac{2}{3}}+1} \qquad (7)$$

$$= \frac{-24}{3(4)+1} \qquad (8)$$

$$= \frac{-24}{13} \qquad (9)$$

$$= \frac{-24}{3(4)+1} \tag{8}$$

$$= \frac{-24}{13} \tag{9}$$

### 21. (Section 3.8 Exercise 26)

$$(x+y)^{\frac{2}{3}} = y \tag{1}$$

$$(4,4) (2)$$

$$(x+y)^{\frac{2}{3}} = y$$

$$(4,4)$$

$$(2)$$

$$\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}} \cdot \left(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}\right) = \frac{dy}{dx}$$
(3)

$$\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{dy}{dx}\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{dy}{dx}\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$$
(5)

$$\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{dy}{dx}\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$$
 (5)

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\left(1 - \frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}}\right) = \frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$$
 (6)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}}}{1-\frac{2}{3}(x+y)^{-\frac{1}{3}}}$$
 (7)

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\Big|_{(4,4)} = \frac{\frac{2}{3}(4+4)^{-\frac{1}{3}}}{1-\frac{2}{3}(4+4)^{-\frac{1}{3}}}$$
(8)

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{3}\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{2}{3}\frac{1}{2}} \tag{9}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{-\frac{1}{2}} \tag{10}$$

$$= -1 \tag{11}$$

## 22. (Section 3.8 Exercise 51)

$$x + y^2 = 1 \tag{1}$$

$$1 + \frac{dy}{dx}2y = 0 (2)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}2y = -1 \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{2y} \tag{4}$$

$$x + y^{2} = 1$$

$$1 + \frac{dy}{dx} 2y = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} 2y = -1$$

$$\frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} = \frac{-1}{2y}$$

$$\frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} = \frac{-1}{2y}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \frac{1}{y}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \frac{1}{2y} \frac{1}{y^{2}}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \frac{1}{2y} \frac{1}{y^{2}}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{4y^{3}}$$
(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)
(5)
(6)
(6)
(7)
(8)
(9)

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \frac{1}{y} \tag{6}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{-1}{y^2} \tag{7}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{2} \frac{-1}{2y} \frac{-1}{y^2} \tag{8}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{4y^3} \tag{9}$$

23. (Section 3.8 Exercise 52)

$$2x^2 + y^2 = 4 (1)$$

$$4x + 2y\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 (2)$$

$$2y\frac{dy}{dx} = -4x \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x}{2y} \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{-2x}{y} \tag{5}$$

$$2x^{2} + y^{2} = 4$$
 (1)  

$$4x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$
 (2)  

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = -4x$$
 (3)  

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x}{2y}$$
 (4)  

$$= \frac{-2x}{y}$$
 (5)  

$$\frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} = \frac{-2x}{y}$$
 (6)  

$$= -2x \frac{1}{y}$$
 (7)  

$$= -2x \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{-1}{y^{2}}$$
 (8)  

$$= -2x \frac{-2x}{y} \frac{-1}{y^{2}}$$
 (9)  

$$= \frac{-4x^{2}}{y^{3}}$$
 (10)

$$= -2x\frac{1}{y} \tag{7}$$

$$= -2x\frac{dy}{dx}\frac{-1}{u^2} \tag{8}$$

$$= -2x \frac{-2x}{y} \frac{-1}{y^2} \tag{9}$$

$$= \frac{-4x^2}{y^3} \tag{10}$$

24. (Section 3.9 Exercise 15)

$$y = \ln 7x \tag{1}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{7x} \cdot 7 \tag{2}$$

$$= \frac{7}{7x} \tag{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x} \tag{4}$$

$$= \frac{7}{7x} \tag{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x} \tag{4}$$

25. (Section 3.9 Exercise 16)

$$y = x^2 \ln x \tag{1}$$

$$y = x^{2} \ln x$$

$$y' = 2x \ln x + \frac{x^{2}}{x}$$

$$(1)$$

$$(2)$$

$$= 2x \ln x + x \tag{3}$$

26. (Section 3.9 Exercise 19)

$$y = \ln|\sin x| \tag{1}$$

$$y' = \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} \tag{2}$$

$$= \cot x$$
 (3)

27. (Section 3.9 Exercise 37)

$$y = 8^x \tag{1}$$

$$y' = 8^x \ln 8 \tag{2}$$

28. (Section 3.9 Exercise 39)

$$y = 5 \cdot 4^x \tag{1}$$

$$y' = 5 \cdot 4^x \ln 4 \tag{2}$$

29. (Section 3.9 Exercise 10)

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(x^e + e^x\right) = ex^{e-1} + e^x \tag{1}$$

30. (Section 3.9 Exercise 33)

$$y = x^e (1)$$

$$y' = ex^{e-1} (2)$$

31. (Section 3.9 Exercise 35)

$$y = \left(2^x + 1\right)^{\pi} \tag{1}$$

$$y' = \pi (2^x + 1)^{\pi - 1} \cdot 2^x \ln 2 \tag{2}$$

32. (Section 3.9 Exercise 49)

$$f(x) = x^{\cos x} \tag{1}$$

$$= e^{\cos x \ln x} \tag{2}$$

$$a = \frac{\pi}{2} \tag{3}$$

$$= e^{\cos x \ln x}$$

$$a = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$f'(x) = e^{\cos x \ln x} \cdot \left(-\sin x \ln x + \frac{\cos x}{x}\right)$$

$$= x^{\cos x} \left(-\sin x \ln x + \frac{\cos x}{x}\right)$$

$$(5)$$

$$= x^{\cos x} \left( -\sin x \ln x + \frac{\cos x}{x} \right) \tag{5}$$

$$f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^0 \left(-1 \cdot \ln \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{0}{\pi}\right) \tag{6}$$

$$= -\ln\frac{\pi}{2} \tag{7}$$

33. (Section 3.9 Exercise 59)

$$f(x) = x^{\sin x}$$

$$= e^{\sin x \ln x}$$
(1)
(2)

$$= e^{\sin x \ln x} \tag{2}$$

$$f'(x) = e^{\sin x \ln x} \cdot \left(\cos x \ln x + \frac{\sin x}{x}\right) \tag{3}$$

$$f'(1) = e^0 \cdot \left(\cos 1 \ln 1 + \frac{\sin 1}{1}\right) \tag{4}$$

$$= \cos 1 \cdot 0 + \sin 1 \tag{5}$$

$$= \sin 1 \tag{6}$$

$$y = x\sin 1 - \sin 1 + 1 \tag{7}$$

34. (Section 3.9 Exercise 63)

$$y = 4\log_3\left(x^2 - 1\right) \tag{1}$$

$$y' = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{(x^2 - 1)\ln 3} \cdot 2x \tag{2}$$

$$= \frac{8x}{(x^2 - 1)\ln 3} \tag{3}$$

(4)

35. (Section 3.9 Exercise 64)

$$y = \log_{10} x \tag{1}$$

$$y = \log_{10} x$$
 (1)  
 $y' = \frac{1}{x \ln 10}$  (2)

$$f(x) = \frac{(x+1)^{10}}{(2x-4)^8} \tag{1}$$

$$\ln f(x) = \ln \frac{(x+1)^{10}}{(2x-4)^8} \tag{2}$$

$$= \ln(x+1)^{10} - \ln(2x-4)^8 \tag{3}$$

$$= 10 \ln x + 1 - 8 \ln 2x - 4 \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\ln f\left(x\right)\right) = \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} \tag{5}$$

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = 10\frac{1}{x+1} - 8\frac{1}{2x-4}2\tag{6}$$

$$= \frac{10}{x+1} - \frac{16}{2x-4} \tag{7}$$

$$= \frac{10}{x+1} - \frac{8}{x-2} \tag{8}$$

$$f'(x) = f(x) \left( \frac{10}{x+1} - \frac{8}{x-2} \right)$$
 (9)

$$= \frac{(x+1)^{10}}{(2x-4)^8} \left(\frac{10}{x+1} - \frac{8}{x-2}\right) \tag{10}$$

(11)

37. (Section 3.9 Exercise 80)

$$f(x) = \frac{\tan^{10} x}{(5x+3)^6} \tag{1}$$

$$\ln f(x) = \ln \frac{\tan^{10} x}{(5x+3)^6}$$
 (2)

$$= \ln \tan^{10} x - \ln (5x+3)^6 \tag{3}$$

$$= 10 \ln \tan x - 6 \ln 5x + 3 \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\ln f\left(x\right)\right) = \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}\tag{5}$$

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = 10 \frac{1}{\tan x} \sec^2 x - 6 \frac{1}{5x+3} 5 \tag{6}$$

$$= \frac{10\sec^2 x}{\tan x} - \frac{30}{5x+3}$$

$$= \frac{10\sec x}{\sin x} - \frac{30}{5x+3}$$
(7)

$$= \frac{10\sec x}{\sin x} - \frac{30}{5x+3} \tag{8}$$

$$f'(x) = f(x) \left( \frac{10 \sec x}{\sin x} - \frac{30}{5x+3} \right)$$
 (9)

$$= \frac{\tan^{10} x}{(5x+3)^6} \left( \frac{10\sec x}{\sin x} - \frac{30}{5x+3} \right) \tag{10}$$

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