

1.) Find the slope of the tangent line to  $y = \tan(x)$  at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$f(x) = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right), \quad \frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \sec^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1}{\cos(45)^2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\frac{2}{4}} = \frac{4}{2} = \underline{\underline{2}}$$

2.) Compute  $\frac{d}{dx} f(x)$  when  $f(x) = \ln(\tan x + \sec x)$

$$\ln(\tan x + \sec x) = \ln\left(\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} + \frac{1}{\cos x}\right)$$

\* chain rule + quotient rule

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \ln\left(\frac{1+\sin x}{\cos x}\right) \right] = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \left( \frac{1+\sin x}{\cos x} \right) \right]$$

$$\left[ \frac{d}{dx}(1+\sin x) \cdot \cos x \right] - \left[ (1+\sin x) \frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) \right]$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{1+\sin x} \right) = \frac{\cos x}{1+\sin x} = \cos x^2 - \frac{(-\sin x) - \sin x^2}{\cos x^2}$$

$$= \cos x^2 + \frac{\sin x + \sin x^2}{\cos x^2}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{\cos x}{1+\sin x} \cdot \frac{1+\sin x}{\cos x^2} = \frac{1}{\cos x}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\sec x}}$$



3.) Find the slope of tangent line to

$$y = \frac{x^2 - 5x + 4}{x^2 - 1} \quad \text{at } x = 2$$

$$\frac{\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 - 5x + 4) \cdot (x^2 - 1) - (x^2 - 5x + 4) \frac{d}{dx}(x^2 - 1)}{(x^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$= (2x - 5)(x^2 - 1) - (x^2 - 5x + 4)(2x)$$

$$(2x^3 - 2x - 5x^2 + 5) - (2x^3 - 10x^2 + 8x)$$

$$~~2x^3 - 2x - 5x^2 + 5 - 2x^3 + 10x^2 - 8x~~$$

$$= +5x^2 - 10x + 5$$

$$= \frac{5(2)^2 - 10(2) + 5}{(2^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$= \frac{5}{9}$$

$$(x^2 - 1)^2$$

$$= (3)^2 = 9$$