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1. Find the derivative.

a)  $f(t) = \sqrt{t-4}$

g)  $g(t) = \frac{t^2-1}{t+4}$

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

b)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+2}$

h)  $y = (x^5 - 3x) \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)$

m)  $f(x) = 8x^{-2} - 3x^3 + 11x$

c)  $g(x) = 3x^2 - 5x + 7$

n)  $f(x) = 3x^4 - 3x^3 + 6x^2 - x + 5$

d)  $g(t) = (4x^2 + 3x)^2$

i)  $Q(w) = \frac{w+1}{\sqrt{2w+3}}$

o)  $f(x) = (x+3) \left(1 - \frac{2}{x-3}\right)$

e)  $y = \sqrt{x}(x+2)^2$

j)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 3x + 5}$

p)  $f(x) = (5x^3 + 4)(3x^7 - 5)$

f)  $y = \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$

k)  $R(x) = \frac{x^3 - 2x^2 + 3}{\sqrt{x-2}}$

q)  $y = \frac{2x-7}{3x-2}$

2. Find the derivative:

a)  $y = 4e^{x^2}$

f)  $y = \ln 3x^2$

j)  $y = \ln \left[ \frac{x^2(x+1)^3}{(x+3)^{1/2}} \right]$

b)  $y = \sqrt[3]{2e^{3x}}$

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

k)  $y = \frac{\ln x}{e^{2x}}$

c)  $y = x^2 e^x$

h)  $y = \frac{x^2}{\ln x}$

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

d)  $y = e^{x^2+1} \sqrt{5x+2}$

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

m)  $y = \ln x^4 - 5e^x + 2x^3$

e)  $y = \frac{10}{1-2x}$

3. A brick becomes dislodged from the top of the Empire State Building at a height of 1250 feet. The position function is  $h(t) = -16t^2 + 1250$  where  $h(t)$  the bricks distance above the sidewalk in feet after  $t$  seconds. Find the velocity functions. What is the velocity of the brick after 5 seconds?
4. Suppose the quantity demanded weekly of the Super Titan radial tires is related to its unit price by the equation  $p + x^2 = 196$  where  $p$  is measured in dollars and  $x$  is measured in units of a thousand. How fast is the quantity demanded changing when  $x = 4$ ,  $p = 180$ , and the price/tire is increasing at the rate of \$2/week?

5. Carlos is blowing air into a soap bubble at the rate of  $8 \text{ cm}^3/\text{sec}$ . Assume that the bubble is spherical  $\left(V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3\right)$ . How fast is the radius changing at the instant of time when the radius is 10 cm?
6. The position function for an amusement ride moving on a horizontal track is  $x = -0.01t^4 + 0.3t^3 + 0.4t^2 + 12t$  where  $x$  is in feet and  $t$  is in seconds. What is the velocity at 20 seconds?
7. Lynbrook West, an apartment complex, has 100 two-bedroom units. The monthly profit (in dollars) realized from renting  $x$  apartments is

$$P(x) = -10x^2 + 1760x - 50,000$$

Compute the marginal profit when  $x = 50$ .

8. The population of Americans age 55 and older as a percent of the total population is approximated by the function

$$f(t) = 10.72(0.9t + 10)^{0.3} \quad (0 \leq t \leq 20)$$

where  $t$  is measured in years, with  $t = 0$  corresponding to the year 2000. At what rate will the percent of Americans age 55 and older be changing in 2010?

## Solutions:

1.

$$a) \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t-4}}$$

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

$$c) g'(x) = 3x - 5$$

$$d) g'(t) = 64x^3 + 72x^2 + 18x$$

$$e) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5x^2 + 12x + 4}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f) y' = \frac{-4}{3\sqrt[3]{x^5}}$$

$$g) g'(t) = \frac{t^2 + 8t + 1}{(t+4)^2}$$

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

$$i) Q'(w) = \frac{w+2}{(2w+3)^{3/2}}$$

$$j) f'(x) = \frac{2x-3}{2\sqrt{x^2-3x+5}}$$

$$k) R'(x) = \frac{5x^3 - 18x^2 + 16x - 3}{2(x-2)^{3/2}}$$

$$l) y' = \frac{x^2 - 8x - 47}{(x-4)^2}$$

$$m) f'(x) = 16x^{-3} - 9x^2 + 11$$

$$n) f'(x) = 12x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x - 1$$

$$o) f'(x) = \frac{x^2 - 6x + 21}{(x-3)^2}$$

$$p) f(x) = 150x^9 + 84x^6 - 75x^2$$

$$q) y' = \frac{17}{(3x-2)^2}$$

2.

$$a) y' = 8xe^{x^2}$$

$$b) y' = \sqrt[3]{2} e^x$$

$$c) y' = x(x+2)e^x$$

$$d) \frac{e^{x^2+1}(20x^2+8x+5)}{2\sqrt{5x+2}}$$

$$e) y' = \frac{20}{(1-2x)^2}$$

$$f) y' = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$g) y' = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x-2}$$

$$h) y' = \frac{2x \ln x - x}{(\ln x)^2}$$

$$i) y' = 2 + \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x}-1}$$

$$j) y' = \frac{2}{x} + \frac{3}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2(x+3)}$$

$$k) y' = \frac{1-2x \ln x}{xe^{2x}}$$

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

$$m) y' = \frac{4}{x} - 5e^x + 6x^2$$

3.  $v(t) = -32t$        $v(5) = -160$  ft / sec

4.  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -250 \text{ units / week}$

5.  $\frac{1}{50\pi} \approx .0064 \text{ cm / sec}$

6.  $v(t) = -0.04t^3 + 0.9t^2 + 0.8t + 12$   
 $v(20) = 68 \text{ ft / sec}$

7.  $P'(x) = -20x + 1760$   
 $P'(50) = \$760$

8.  $f'(t) = 2.8944(0.9t + 10)^{-.7}$   
 $f'(10) = .3685$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = \sqrt[3]{2e^{3x}}$

**Solution**

$$y = (2e^{3x})^{1/3} \quad \text{Exponential Form}$$

$$= (2)^{1/3} (e^{3x})^{1/3}$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{2} \left( e^{3x \cdot \frac{1}{3}} \right)$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{2} e^x$$

$$\boxed{y' = \sqrt[3]{2} e^x}$$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = e^{x^2+1} \sqrt{5x+2}$

**Solution**

$$f = e^{x^2+1}$$

$$U = x^2 + 1 \Rightarrow U' = 2x$$

$$f' = 2xe^{x^2+1}$$

$$g = \sqrt{5x+2} = (5x+2)^{1/2}$$

$$U = 5x+2 \Rightarrow U' = 5$$

$$g' = \frac{1}{2} 5(5x+2)^{-1/2}$$

$$y' = 2xe^{x^2+1} \sqrt{5x+2} + \frac{5}{2} e^{x^2+1} (5x+2)^{-1/2}$$

$$= \left[ 2xe^{x^2+1} \sqrt{5x+2} + \frac{5}{2} e^{x^2+1} (5x+2)^{-1/2} \right] \frac{2(5x+2)^{1/2}}{2(5x+2)^{1/2}}$$

$$= \left[ 2xe^{x^2+1} \sqrt{5x+2} (2)(5x+2)^{1/2} + \frac{5}{2} e^{x^2+1} (5x+2)^{-1/2} (2)(5x+2)^{1/2} \right] \frac{1}{2(5x+2)^{1/2}}$$

$$= \left[ 4xe^{x^2+1} (5x+2) + 5e^{x^2+1} \right] \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5x+2}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{x^2+1} [4x(5x+2) + 5]}{2\sqrt{5x+2}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{x^2+1} [20x^2 + 8x + 5]}{2\sqrt{5x+2}}$$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = \frac{10}{1-2x}$

**Solution**

$$f = 10 \quad f' = 0$$

$$g = 1 - 2x \quad g' = -2$$

$$y' = \frac{0(1-2x) - (-2)(10)}{(1-2x)^2}$$

***Quotient Rule***

$$y' = \frac{20}{(1-2x)^2}$$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = \ln \frac{x(x-1)}{x-2}$

**Solution**

$$y = \ln [x(x-1)] - \ln(x-2)$$

***Quotient Rule***

$$y = \ln x + \ln(x-1) - \ln(x-2)$$

***Product Rule***

$$\begin{aligned} (\ln x)' &= \frac{1}{x} \quad (\ln(x-1))' = \frac{1}{x-1} \quad (\ln(x-2))' = \frac{1}{x-2} \\ y' &= \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{1}{x-2} \end{aligned}$$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = \ln \left( e^{2x} \sqrt{e^{2x} - 1} \right)$

**Solution**

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

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

$$\ln(e) = 1$$

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

$$\left( \ln \left( e^{2x} - 1 \right) \right)' = \frac{\left( e^{2x} - 1 \right)'}{e^{2x} - 1}$$

$$y' = 2 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{2e^{2x}}{e^{2x} - 1}$$

$$= 2 + \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x} - 1}$$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = \ln \left[ \frac{x^2(x+1)^3}{(x+3)^{1/2}} \right]$

**Solution**

$$y = \ln \left[ x^2(x+1)^3 \right] - \ln(x+3)^{1/2}$$

*Quotient Rule*

$$= \ln x^2 + \ln(x+1)^3 - \ln(x+3)^{1/2}$$

*Product Rule*

$$= 2 \ln x + 3 \ln(x+1) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x+3)$$

*Power Rule*

$$y' = \frac{2}{x} + \frac{3}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2(x+3)}$$

Find the Derivatives of  $y = \frac{\ln x}{e^{2x}}$

**Solution**

$$f = \ln x \quad f' = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$g = e^{2x} \quad g' = 2e^{2x}$$

$$y' = \frac{e^{2x} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right) - \ln x (2e^{2x})}{e^{4x}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right) - \ln x (2e^{2x})}{e^{4x}} \frac{\cancel{x}}{\cancel{x}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x} - 2\cancel{x} \ln x (e^{2x})}{e^{4x}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x} (1 - 2x \ln x)}{e^{4x}}$$