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Q.1) If $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ and $g(x) = 1/\sqrt{x}$, then prove that c of CMVT is geometric mean between 'a' and 'b'

Ans → $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$

$g(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$

$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$

$g'(x) = -\frac{1}{2} x^{-3/2}$

$f(x)$ is differentiable for $x \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$

$g(x)$ is differentiable for $x \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$

∴ $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$

∴ $g(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$

and differentiable on (a, b)

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$$\frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)}$$

$$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{c}} \times \frac{2}{(-1)c^{3/2}} = \frac{\sqrt{b} - \sqrt{a}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{b}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}}}$$

$$-c = \frac{(\sqrt{b} - \sqrt{a}) \sqrt{a} \cdot \sqrt{b}}{(\sqrt{a} - \sqrt{b})}$$

$$c = \sqrt{a} \cdot \sqrt{b}$$

$$c = a \cdot b$$

hence proved.

Q.2) using appropriate MVT prove that $\frac{\sin b - \sin a}{e^b - e^a} = \frac{\cos c}{e^c}$ for

$a < c < b$. Hence deduce that $e^c \sin x = (e^x - 1) \cos c$.

Ans → here RMVT, LMVT or CMVT ~~which~~ we can choose what to use.

$$\text{let } f(x) = \sin x$$

$$f'(x) = \cos x$$

$$g(x) = e^x$$

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$$\therefore \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)}$$

$$\frac{\cos c}{e^c} = \frac{\sin b - \sin a}{e^b - e^a}$$

hence proved.