

# Differentiation

G V V Sharma\*

- 1 If  $y = f\left(\frac{2x-1}{x^2+1}\right)$  and  $f'(x) = \sin x^2$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$  .....  
 2  $f_r(x), g_r(x), h_r(x)$ ,  $r = 1, 2, 3$  are polynomials in  $x$  such that  $f_r(a) = g_r(a) = h_r(a)$   $r = 1, 2, 3$  and  

$$F(x) = \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & f_3(x) \\ g_1(x) & g_2(x) & g_3(x) \\ h_1(x) & h_2(x) & h_3(x) \end{vmatrix}$$
  
 Then  $F'(x)$  at  $x = a$  is .....  
 3 If  $f(x) = \log_x(\ln x)$ , then  $f'(x)$  at  $x = e$  is .....  
 4 The derivative of  $\sec^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2x^2-1}\right)$  with respect to  $\sqrt{1-x^2}$  at  $x = \frac{1}{2}$  is .....  
 5 If  $f(x) = |x-2|$  and  $g(x) = f[f(x)]$ , then  $g'(x) =$  ..... for  $x > 2$   
 6 If  $xe^{xy} = y + \sin^2 x$ , then at  $x=0$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx} =$  .....  
 7 The derivative of an even function is always an odd function.  
 8 If  $y^2 = P(x)$ , a polynomial of degree 3, then  $2\frac{d}{dx}\left(y^3\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)$ , equals .....  
 (a)  $P'''(x) + P'(x)$  (c)  $P(x)P'''(x)$   
 (b)  $P''(x)P'''(x)$  (d) constant  
 9 Let  $f(x)$  be a quadratic expression which is positive for all the real values of  $x$ . If  $g(x) = f(x) + f'(x) + f''(x)$ , then for any real  $x$ ,  
 (a)  $g(x) < 0$  (c)  $g(x) = 0$   
 (b)  $g(x) > 0$  (d)  $g(x) \geq 0$   
 10 If  $y = \sin x^{\tan x}$  then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is equals to  
 (a)  $\sin x^{\tan x}(1 + \sec^2 x \log \sin x)$   
 (b)  $\tan x(\sin x)^{\tan x-1} \cdot \cos x$   
 (c)  $\sin x^{\tan x} \sec^2 x \log \sin x$   
 (d)  $\tan x(\sin x)^{\tan x-1}$   
 11  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$   
 (a)  $yy'' - 2y'^2 + 1 = 0$  (c)  $yy'' + y'^2 - 1 = 0$   
 (b)  $yy'' + y'^2 + 1 = 0$  (d)  $yy'' + 2y'^2 + 1 = 0$   
 12 Let  $f: (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $F(x) = \int_0^x f(t)dt$ . If  $F(x^2) = x^2(1+x)$ , then  $f(4)$  equals  
 (a)  $\frac{5}{4}$  (c) 4  
 (b) 7 (d) 0  
 13 If  $y$  is a function of  $x$  and  $\log(x+y) - 2xy = 0$ , then the value of  $y'(0)$  is equals to  
 (a) 1 (c) 2  
 (b) -1 (d) 0  
 14 If  $f(x)$  is a twice differentiable function and given that  
 $f(1) = 1; f(2) = 4; f(3) = 9$ , then  
 (a)  $f'(x) = 2$  for  $\forall x \in (1, 3)$   
 (b)  $f''(x) = f'(x) = 5$  for some  $x \in (2, 3)$   
 (c)  $f'(x) = 3$  for  $\forall x \in (1, 3)$   
 (d)  $f''(x) = 2$  for some  $x \in (1, 3)$   
 15  $\frac{d^2x}{dy^2}$  equals  
 (a)  $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^{-1}$  (c)  $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-2}$   
 (b)  $-\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^{-1}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-3}$  (d)  $-\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-3}$   
 16 Let  $g(x) = \log f(x)$  where  $f(x)$  is twice differentiable positive function on  $(0, \infty)$  such that  $f(x+1) = xf(x)$ . Then, for  $N = 1, 2, 3, \dots$   
 $g''\left(N + \frac{1}{2}\right) - g''\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) =$   
 $g''\left(N + \frac{1}{2}\right) - g''\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) =$

- (a)  $-4\left\{1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N-1)^2}\right\}$   
 (b)  $4\left\{1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N-1)^2}\right\}$   
 (c)  $-4\left\{1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N+1)^2}\right\}$   
 (d)  $4\left\{1 + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2N+1)^2}\right\}$

17 Let  $f:[0, 2] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function which is continuous on  $[0,2]$  and is differentiable on  $(0,2)$  with  $f(0) = 1$ . Let  $F(x) = \int_0^{x^2} f(\sqrt{t}) dt$  for  $x \in [0,2]$ . If  $F'(x) = f'(x)$  for all  $x \in (0,2)$ , then  $F(2)$  equals

- (a)  $e^2 - 1$  (c)  $e - 1$   
 (b)  $e^4 - 1$  (d)  $e^4$

18 Let  $f:\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $g:\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $h:\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be differentiable functions such that  $f(x)=x^2+3x+2$ ,  $g(f(x))=x$  and  $h(g(g(x)))=x$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then

- (a)  $g'(2) = \frac{1}{15}$  (c)  $h(0) = 16$   
 (b)  $h'(1) = 666$  (d)  $h(g(3)) = 36$

19 For every twice differentiable function  $f:\mathbb{R} \rightarrow [-2,2]$  with  $(f(0))^2 + (f'(0))^2 = 85$ , which of the following statement(s) is True?

- (a) There exist  $r,s \in \mathbb{R}$ , where  $r < s$ , such that  $f$  is on the open interval  $(r,s)$   
 (b) There exists  $x_0 \rightarrow (-4,0)$  such that  $|f'(x_0)| \leq 1$   
 (c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = 1$   
 (d) There exists  $\alpha \rightarrow (-4, 4)$  such that  $f(\alpha) + f'(\alpha) = 0$  and  $f'(\alpha) \neq 0$

20 For any positive integer  $n$ , define  $f_n:(0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  as  $f_n(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{1 + (x+j)(x+j-1)} \right)$  for all  $x \in (0, \infty)$ . Here, the inverse trigonometric function  $\tan^{-1}(x)$  assumes values in  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . Then, which of the following statements are

True?

- (a)  $\sum_{j=1}^5 \tan^2 f_j(0) = 55$   
 (b)  $\sum_{j=1}^{10} (1 + f'_j(0)) \sec^2(f'_j(0)) = 10$   
 (c) For any fixed positive integer  $n$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tan(f_n(x)) = \frac{1}{n}$   
 (d) For any fixed positive integer  $n$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sec^2(f_n(x)) = 1$

21 Let  $f:(0,\pi) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a twice differentiable

function such that  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x) \sin t - f(t) \sin x}{t - x} = \sin^2 x$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$ . If  $\frac{\pi}{6} = -\frac{\pi}{12}$ , then which of the following statement(s) are True?

- (a)  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4\sqrt{2}}$   
 (b)  $f(x) < \frac{x^4}{6} - x^2$  for all  $x \in (0, \pi)$   
 (c) There exist  $\alpha \in (0, \pi)$  such that  $f'(\alpha) = 0$   
 (d)  $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$

22 Find the derivative of  $\sin(x^2 + 1)$  with respect to  $x$  from first principle.

23 Find the derivative of

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-1}{2x^2-7x+5}, & \text{when } x \neq 1 \\ -\frac{1}{3}, & \text{when } x = 1 \end{cases}$$

24 Given  $y = \frac{5x}{3\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \cos^2(2x+1)$ ; Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

25  $y = e^{x \sin x^3} + (\tan x)^x$ . Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

26 Let  $f$  be a twice differentiable function such that  $f''(x) = -f(x)$  and  $f'(x) = g(x)$ ,  $h(x) = [f(x)]^2 + [g(x)]^2$  find  $h(10)$  if  $h(5) = 11$

27 If  $\alpha$  be a repeated root of a quadratic equation  $f(x) = 0$  and  $A(x)$ ,  $B(x)$  and  $C(x)$  be polynomials

als of degree 3,4 and 5 respectively, then show that

$$\begin{vmatrix} A(x) & B(x) & C(x) \\ A(\alpha) & B(\alpha) & C(\alpha) \\ A'(\alpha) & B'(\alpha) & C'(\alpha) \end{vmatrix}$$

is divisible by  $f(x)$ , where prime denotes the derivatives.

28 If  $x = \sec \theta - \cos \theta$  and  $y = \sec^n \theta - \cos^n \theta$ , then

show that  $(x^2 + 4) \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2(y^2 + 4)$ .

29 Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $x = -1$ , when

$$(\sin y)^{\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}x)} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sec^{-1}(2x) + 2^x \tan(\ln(x+2)) = 0$$

30  $y = \frac{ax^2}{(x-a)(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{bx}{(x-b)(x-c)} + \frac{c}{(x-c)} + 1$ , prove that

$$\frac{y'}{y} = \frac{1}{x} \left( \frac{a}{a-x} + \frac{b}{b-x} + \frac{c}{c-x} \right).$$

31 Let  $f(x) = 2 + \cos x$  for all real  $x$ .

STATEMENT-1: For each real  $t$ , there exist a point  $c$  in  $[t, t+\pi]$  such that  $f'(c) = 0$  because

STATEMENT-2  $f(t) = f(t+2\pi)$  for each real  $t$ .

(a) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation of Statement-1

(b) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation of Statement-1

(c) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False

(d) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.

32 Let  $f$  and  $g$  be real valued functions defined on interval  $(-1,1)$  such that  $g''(x)$  is continuous,  $g(0) \neq 0$ ,  $g'(0) = 0$ ,  $g'' \neq 0$ , and  $f(x) = g(x)\sin x$

STATEMENT-1:  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} [g(x)\cot x - g(0)\operatorname{cosec} x] = f''(0)$  and

STATEMENT-2:  $f'(0) = g(0)$

(a) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation of Statement-1

(b) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation of Statement-1

(c) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False

(d) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.

33 If the function  $f(x) = x^3 + e^{\frac{x}{2}}$  and  $g(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ , then the value of  $g'(1)$  is

34 Let  $f(\theta) = \sin\left(\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{\cos 2\theta}}\right)\right)$ , where  $-\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{4}$ , Then the value of  $\frac{d}{d(\tan \theta)}(f(\theta))$  is

35 If  $y = (x + \sqrt{1+x^2})^n$ , then  $(1+x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx}$  is

- (a)  $n^2y$   
(b)  $-n^2y$   
(c)  $-y$   
(d)  $2x^2y$

36 If  $f(y) = e^y$ ,  $g(y) = y$ ;  $y > 0$  and

$F(t) = \int_0^t f(t-y)g(y)dy$ , then

- (a)  $F(t) = te^{-t}$   
(b)  $F(t) = 1 - te^{-t}(1+t)$   
(c)  $F(t) = e^t - (1+t)$   
(d)  $F(t) = te^t$

37  $f(x) = x^n$ , then the value of

$f(1) - \frac{f'(1)}{1!} + \frac{f''(1)}{2!} - \frac{f'''(1)}{3!} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^n f^{(n)}(1)}{n!}$  is

- (a) 1 (b)  $2^n$  (c)  $2^n - 1$  (d) 0

38 Let  $f(x)$  be a polynomial function of second degree. If  $f(1) = f(-1)$  and  $a, b, c$  are in A.P then  $f'(a), f'(b), f'(c)$  are in

- (a) Arithmetic-Geometric progression  
(b) A.P  
(c) G.P

(d)H.P

39 If  $e^{y+e^y+e^{y+\dots\infty}}$ ,  $x>0$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

- (a)  $\frac{1+x}{x}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{x}$  (c)  $\frac{1-x}{x}$  (d)  $\frac{x}{1+x}$

40 The value of a for which sum of the squares of the roots of the equation  $x^2-(a-2)x-a-1=0$  assume the least value is

- (a) 1 (b) 0 (c) 3 (d) 2

41 If the roots of the equation  $x^2-bx+c=0$  be two consecutive integers, then  $b^2-4ac$  equals

- (a) -2 (b) 3 (c) 2 (d) 1

42 let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable function having  $f(2) = 6$ ,  $f'(2) = \frac{1}{48}$  Then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow f(x)} \int_6^{f(x)} \frac{4t^3}{x-2} dt$  equals

- (a) 24 (b) 36 (c) 12 (d) 18

43 The set of points where  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+|x|}$  is differentiable is

- (a)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$  (c)  $(-\infty, \infty)$   
(b)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, \infty)$  (d)  $(0, \infty)$

44 If  $x^m \cdot y^n = (x+y)^{m+n}$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is

- (a)  $\frac{y}{x}$  (b)  $\frac{x+y}{xy}$  (c)  $xy$  (d)  $\frac{x}{y}$

45 Let y be an implicit function of x defined by  $x^{2x} - 2x^x \cot y - 1 = 0$ . Then  $y'(1)$  equals

- (a) 1 (b)  $\log 2$  (c)  $-\log 2$  (d) -1

46 Let  $f: (-1, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a differentiable function with  $f(0) = -1$  and  $f'(0) = 1$ . Let  $g(x) = [f(2f(x) + 2)]^2$  Then  $g'(0) =$

- (a) -4 (b) 0 (c) -2 (d) 4

47  $\frac{d^2x}{dx^y}$  equals:

- (a)  $-\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-3}$  (c)  $-\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-3}$   
(b)  $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{-2}$  (d)  $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^{-1}$

48 If  $y = \sec(\tan^{-1} x)$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $x = 1$  is equals to:

- (a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (c) 1 (d)  $\sqrt{2}$

49 If g is the inverse of a function f and  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^5}$  then  $g'(x)$  is equals to:

- (a)  $\frac{1}{1+(g(x))^5}$  (c)  $1+x^5$   
(b)  $1+(g(x))^5$  (d)  $5x^4$

50 If  $x = -1$  and  $x = 2$  are extreme points of  $f(x) = \alpha \log|x| + \beta x^2 + x$  then

- (a)  $\alpha = 2, \beta = -\frac{1}{2}$  (c)  $\alpha = -6, \beta = \frac{1}{2}$   
(b)  $\alpha = 2, \beta = \frac{1}{2}$  (d)  $\alpha = -6, \beta = -\frac{1}{2}$

51 If for  $x \in \left(0, \frac{1}{4}\right)$ , the derivative of

$\tan^{-1} \left( \frac{6x\sqrt{x}}{1-9x^3} \right)$  is  $\sqrt{x} \cdot g(x)$ , then  $g(x)$  equals:

- (a)  $\frac{3}{1+9x^3}$  (c)  $\frac{3x\sqrt{x}}{1-9x^3}$   
(b)  $\frac{9}{1+9x^3}$  (d)  $\frac{3x}{1-9x^3}$