

## Logarithmic differentiation

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \ln y &= 5x \ln(x^4 + 1) \\ y'/y &= 5 \ln(x^4 + 1) + \frac{5x}{x^4 + 1} \cdot (4x^3) \\ y' &= (x^4 + 1)^{5x} \cdot \left( 5 \ln(x^4 + 1) + \frac{20x^4}{x^4 + 1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad u &= x^{\cos 3x} & v &= 7^{x^2} & y &= u + v & y' &= u' + v' \\ \ln u &= \cos 3x \cdot \ln x & v' &= 7^{x^2} \cdot \ln 7 \cdot 2x \\ u'/u &= -3 \sin 3x \cdot \ln x + \cos 3x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \\ u' &= x^{\cos 3x} \left( \frac{\cos 3x}{x} - 3 \sin 3x \cdot \ln x \right) \\ y' &= x^{\cos 3x} \left( \frac{\cos 3x}{x} - 3 \sin 3x \cdot \ln x \right) + 7^{x^2} \cdot 2x \cdot \ln 7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c)} \quad \ln y &= \ln x \cdot \ln \ln x \\ y'/y &= \frac{1}{x} \ln \ln x + \ln x \cdot \frac{1}{\ln x} \cdot \frac{1}{x} \\ y' &= (\ln x)^{\ln x} \cdot \left( \frac{\ln \ln x}{x} + \frac{1}{x} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(d)} \quad \ln |y| &= \frac{1}{3} \ln |x - \tan x| + 5 \ln |1 + 2x^3| - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + x^2) \\ y'/y &= \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{x - \tan x} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \right) + \frac{5}{1 + 2x^3} \cdot 6x^2 - \frac{1}{2(1 + x^2)} \cdot 2x \\ y' &= \frac{\sqrt[3]{x - \tan x} (1 + 2x^3)^5}{\sqrt{1 + x^2}} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{x - \tan x} \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \right) + \frac{30x^2}{1 + 2x^3} - \frac{x}{1 + x^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$