

DEC 4

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2^x - 1}{x} = \ln 2 \quad (2 < e \text{ then } \ln 2 < 1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3^x - 1}{x} = \ln 3 \quad (3 > e \text{ then } \ln 3 > 1)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x} = \ln e = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} b^x &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{b^{x+h} - b^x}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{b^x \cdot b^h - b^x}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{b^x (b^h - 1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (b^x) \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{b^h - 1}{h} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} b^x = b^x \cdot \ln b \cdot \frac{d}{dx} b \quad (\text{chain rule})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} e^x &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x+h} - e^x}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x \cdot e^h - e^x}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x (e^h - 1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (e^x) \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{e^h - 1}{h} \right) \\ &= e^x \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^x = e^x$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d}{dx} b^a = b^a \cdot \ln b \cdot \frac{d}{dx} a}$$

(straight line)

where $b \neq 1$ and $b > 0$
and a is a function of x

negative base to a power is undefined
 $(-2)^{3.1} = ?$

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^{\sin 2x} = (e^{\sin 2x}) \cdot (\ln e) \cdot \left(\frac{d}{dx} \sin 2x \right)$$

$$= e^{\sin 2x} \cdot \cos 2x \cdot 2$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin 3x \cdot 3e^{\sin 3x}$$

$$= \cos 3x \cdot 3 \cdot 3e^{\sin 3x} + \sin 3x \cdot 3 \cdot e^{\sin 3x} \cdot \cos 3x \cdot 3$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} 3^{\pi \sin x} \cdot \sin^2(3x)$$

$$= 3^{\pi \sin x} \cdot \ln 3 \cdot (\sin x + x \cos x) \sin^2(3x) + 3^{\pi \sin x} \cdot 2 \sin(3x) \cos(3x) \cdot 3$$

DEC 8

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \log x = \frac{1}{x \ln 10}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln \text{☺} = \frac{1}{\text{☺}} \frac{d}{dx} \text{☺}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \log_b \text{☺} = \frac{1}{\text{☺} \ln b} \frac{d}{dx} \text{☺}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln |\sec x + \tan x|$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sec x + \tan x} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (\sec x + \tan x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sec x + \tan x} \cdot (\tan x \cdot \sec x + \sec^2 x)$$

$$= \frac{\tan x \cdot \sec x + \sec^2 x}{\sec x + \tan x}$$

$$= \frac{\sec x (\sec x + \tan x)}{\sec x + \tan x} \rightarrow \int \sec x \, dx = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C$$

$$= \sec x \neq$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln |\csc x - \cot x|$$

$$= \frac{1}{\csc x - \cot x} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (\csc x - \cot x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\csc x - \cot x} \cdot (-\cot x \cdot \csc x + \csc^2 x)$$

$$= \frac{\csc x (\csc x - \cot x)}{\csc x - \cot x}$$

$$= \csc x \quad \#$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} x \ln |x|$$

$$= \ln |x| + x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= \ln |x| + 1 \quad \#$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x \ln |x| - x)$$

$$= \ln |x| + x \cdot \frac{1}{x} - 1$$

$$= \ln |x|$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln |x \sin x|$$

$$= \frac{1}{x \sin x} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} x \sin x$$

$$= \frac{1}{x \sin x} \cdot (\sin x + x \cos x)$$

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

$$= x^{-1} + \cot x \quad \#$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \log |2^x \cdot \ln |\sec x||$$

$$= \frac{\frac{d}{dx} 2^x \cdot \ln |\sec x|}{2^x \cdot \ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10}$$

$$= \frac{2^x \cdot \ln 2 \cdot \ln |\sec x| + 2^x \cdot \frac{1}{\sec x} \cdot \tan x \sec x}{2^x \cdot \ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10}$$

$$= \frac{2^x (\ln 2 \cdot \ln |\sec x| + \tan x)}{2^x \cdot \ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10}$$

$$= \frac{\ln 2 \cdot \ln |\sec x| + \tan x}{\ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10}$$

$$= \frac{\ln 2}{\ln 10} + \frac{\tan x}{\ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10}$$

$$= \log_{10} 2 + \frac{\tan x}{\ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10}$$

$$\frac{\log_m a}{\log_m b} = \log_b a$$

$$= \log 2 + \frac{\tan x}{\ln |\sec x| \cdot \ln 10} \quad \#$$

$$y = x^x$$

$$\ln y = \ln x^x$$

$$\ln y = x \ln x$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \ln x + x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y \ln x + y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^x \cdot \ln x + x^x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^x (\ln x + 1)$$