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- There are 12 points possible on this proficiency, one point per problem. **No partial credit** will be given.
- You have 1 hour to complete this proficiency.
- No aids (book, calculator, etc.) are permitted.
- You do **not** need to simplify your expressions.
- Correct parenthesization is required.
- Your final answers **must start with**  $f'(x) = \frac{dy}{dx} =$ , or similar.
- Circle or box your final answer.
- 1. [12 points] Compute the derivatives of the following functions.

**a.** 
$$f(x) = \frac{2x}{5} + \frac{2}{5x} - \frac{2\pi}{5}$$

**b.** 
$$h(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 25}$$

**c**. 
$$G(\theta) = \theta^4 \tan(\theta)$$

**d**. 
$$k(x) = \arcsin(3x)$$

**e**. 
$$R(\theta) = \left(2\theta + \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{\pi}\right)\right)^6$$

$$f. \ y = \cot(x)$$

**g.**  $f(x) = (c^2 + \ln(cx^2 + 1))^{6.5}$  (Assume c is a fixed constant.)

**h.** 
$$y = (4x - 1)^{-1/5} \ln(x)$$

i. 
$$y = \ln(7) + e^{7x} + \sec(5x)$$

$$\mathbf{j.} \ f(x) = x \left( \frac{3x - x^{-2}}{2x^2} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{k.} \ \ y = \frac{8e^x}{x - e^x}$$

1. Find 
$$\frac{dy}{dx}$$
 for  $\cos(y^2) = x + y + \sqrt{2}$ .