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Each problem is worth 15 points. Show all your work for full credit; numerical or graphical estimates are unacceptable unless specifically requested. Work at least seven problems; you may work an eighth for extra credit (if you complete more than eight, I will only grade the first eight).

1. Find the derivative:

(a) $\frac{d}{dx} [e^x + x^e + ex^e + xe^x]$

(b) $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt[5]{x^3}$

(c) $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\sin x}{x^4}$

(a) $e^x + ex^{e-1} + e^2 x^{e-1} + (e^x + xe^x)$

(b) $\frac{3}{5} x^{-2/5}$

(c) $\frac{(\cos x)x^4 - (\sin x)4x^3}{x^8}$

2. Find

$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{x^3 - 2x^2 - 20x + 15}{x + 4}$$

(a) Using the definition of the derivative.

(b) Using the quotient rule.

Check that your answers agree.

$$\textcircled{a} \quad \begin{array}{r} -4 \overline{) 1 \ -2 \ -20 \ 15} \\ \underline{-4 \ 24 \ \cancel{100} \ -16} \\ 1 \ -6 \ 4 \ \underline{(-1)} \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^2 - 6x + 4 - \frac{1}{x+4} \right) =$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - 6(x+h) + 4 - \frac{1}{x+h+4}}{h} - \left(x^2 - 6x + 4 - \frac{1}{x+4} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 6x - 6h + 4 - x^2 + 6x + 4 + \frac{1}{x+4} - \frac{1}{x+h+4}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(2x + h - 6 + \frac{(x+h+4) - (x+4)}{h(x+4)(x+h+4)} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2x + h - 6 + \frac{1}{(x+4)(x+h+4)} = 2x - 6 + \frac{1}{(x+4)^2}$$

$$\textcircled{b} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^2 - 6x + 4 - \frac{1}{x+4} \right) = 2x - 6 - \frac{0(x+4) - 1(1)}{(x+4)^2}$$

$$= 2x - 6 + \frac{1}{(x+4)^2} \quad \checkmark$$

3. Differentiate:

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^x \tan(x) \sqrt{x}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} & e^x \tan x \sqrt{x} \\ + & e^x \sec^2 x \sqrt{x} \\ + & e^x \tan x \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \end{aligned}$$

4. State the product rule, and prove the product rule using the definition of the derivative.

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x)g(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x) \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{assuming} \\ f, g \\ \text{diff.able} \end{array}$$

Pf: $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h)g(x+h) - f(x)g(x)}{h}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h)g(x+h) - f(x)g(x+h) + f(x)g(x+h) - f(x)g(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} g(x+h) + f(x) \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(x+h) + f(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h}$$

(\because product law for limits)

$$= f'(x) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} g(x+h) + f(x) g'(x)$$

$$= f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$$

($\because g(x)$ diff.able $\Rightarrow g(x)$ cont.),

5. State the differentiation rule for $f(x) = \cos x$, and prove this differentiation rule using the definition of the derivative. You may assume the following:

(i) $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} = 1$

(ii) $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} = 0$

(iii) $\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cos x = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x+h) - \cos x}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x \cos h - \sin x \sin h - \cos x}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\cos x \cos h - \cos x}{h} - \frac{\sin x \sin h}{h} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\cos x \left(\frac{\cos h - 1}{h} \right) - \sin x \frac{\sin h}{h} \right)$$

$$= \cos x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} - \sin x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \quad (\because \text{const-mult. law})$$

$$= \cos x (0) - \sin x (1)$$

$$= -\sin x$$

6. Use the differentiation rules for $\sin x$, $\cos x$, and the quotient rule to prove the differentiation rule for $\cot x$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} \cot x &= \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} = \frac{-\sin x(\sin x) - \cos x(\cos x)}{\sin^2 x} \\ &= \frac{-(\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x)}{\sin^2 x} = -\csc^2 x\end{aligned}$$

7. Find the equation for the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = \sec x$ at the point $(0, 1)$.

$$f'(x) = \sec x \tan x$$

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f'(0) = \sec 0 \tan 0 = 0$$

$$y - 1 = 0(x - 0)$$

$$y = 1$$

$$\boxed{y = 1}$$

8. Let $f(x) = x^4 + 4x^3$.

(a) Find the equation for the tangent line to the graph of $f(x)$ at the point $(2, 48)$

(b) There is a tangent line to the graph of $f(x)$ at a point $x \neq 2$ that intersects the graph a second time at $(2, 48)$. Find the equation of this tangent line.

a) $f'(x) = 4x^3 + 12x^2$

$$f(2) = 48$$

$$f'(2) = 80$$

$$y - 48 = 80(x - 2)$$
$$y = 80x - 112$$

b) $y - 48 = m(x - 2)$

$$x^4 - 4x^3 - 48 = (4x^3 + 12x^2)(x - 2)$$

$$x^4 - 4x^3 - 48 = 4x^4 - 8x^3 + 12x^3 - 24x^2$$

$$0 = 3x^4 - 24x^2 + 48$$

$$= 3(x^4 - 8x^2 + 16)$$

$$= 3(x^2 - 4)^2$$

$$= 3(x - 2)^2(x + 2)^2$$

$$x = \pm 2 \quad x = -2$$

$$f'(-2) = 16$$

$$f(-2) = -16$$

$$y + 16 = 16(x + 2)$$

$$y = 16x + 16$$

9. Suppose the position of a particle on the y -axis at time t is given by

$$D(t) = 2t^3 - 45t^2 + 300t$$

Determine when the particle is speeding up and when it is slowing down.

$$D'(t) = 6t^2 - 90t + 300$$

$$= 6(t^2 - 15t + 50)$$

$$= 6(t-5)(t-10) \quad t = 5, 10$$

$$D''(t) = 12t - 90$$

$$= 12(t - 7.5) \quad t = 7.5$$

t	$(-\infty, 5)$	$(5, 7.5)$	$(7.5, 10)$	$(10, \infty)$
$D'(t)$	+	-	-	+
$D''(t)$	-	-	+	+
spd/slow	slow	spd	slow	spd

10. Suppose the area (in m^2) inside a mushroom ring t years after germination of a spore is given by $A(t) = \pi \left(\frac{100t}{10+t} \right)^2$. Find $A(5)$ and $A'(5)$. Give units and interpret your answer.

$$A(5) = \pi \left(\frac{100(5)}{10+5} \right)^2 = \frac{10000\pi}{9} \approx 3490.7 \text{ m}^2$$

$$A(t) = \pi \frac{10,000 t^2}{t^2 + 20t + 100}$$

$$A'(t) = \pi \left(\frac{20,000 t}{t^2 + 20t + 100} - \frac{10,000 t^2 (2t + 20)}{(t^2 + 20t + 100)^2} \right)$$

$$= 10,000 \pi \left(\frac{2t^3 + 40t^2 + 200t - 2t^3 - 20t^2}{(t^2 + 10)^2} \right)$$

$$= 10,000 \pi \left(\frac{20t^2 + 200t}{(t+10)^2} \right) = \frac{200,000 \pi t (t+10)}{(t+10)^4}$$

$$= \frac{200,000 \pi t}{(t+10)^3}$$

$$A'(5) = \frac{200,000 \pi (5)}{(5+10)^3} \approx 930.8 \text{ m}^2/\text{yr}$$

After five years, the mushroom ring has an area of 3490.7 m^2 and is growing at a rate of $930.8 \text{ m}^2/\text{yr}$.