

Review for Test 3.1 – 3.4

1) Use the definition of a derivative (limit process) to calculate the derivative of $f(x) = x^2 + x$.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 + (x+h) - (x^2 + x)}{h} \quad f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2x + h + 1$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + x + h - x^2 - x}{h} \quad \boxed{f'(x) = 2x + 1}$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cancel{x}(2x + h + 1)}{\cancel{x}}$$

2) Given $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[5(x+h)^4 - 8(x+h)^2 + 3] - [5x^4 - 8x^2 + 3]}{h}$.

a) What is $f(x)$? $\boxed{f(x) = 5x^4 - 8x^2 + 3}$

b) What is $f'(x)$? $\boxed{f'(x) = 20x^3 - 16x}$

3) If $f(1) = 4$ and $f'(1) = 2$, find an equation of the tangent line when $x = 1$.

$(1, 4)$ $m = 2$

$$\boxed{y - 4 = 2(x - 1)} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{y = 2x + 2}$$

4) Find an equation of the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = \frac{17}{x-1}$ at the point $(2, 17)$.

$$f(x) = 17(x-1)^{-1}$$

$$f'(x) = -17(x-1)^{-2}(1)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{-17}{(x-1)^2} \quad f'(2) = \frac{-17}{1} = -17$$

$$\boxed{y - 17 = -17(x - 2)}$$

or

$$\boxed{y = -17x + 51}$$

5) Find an equation for the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = -2x^2 + 2x + 3$ at the point where $x = 1$.

$$f'(x) = -4x + 2$$

$$f(1) = 3$$

$$f'(1) = -4 + 2$$

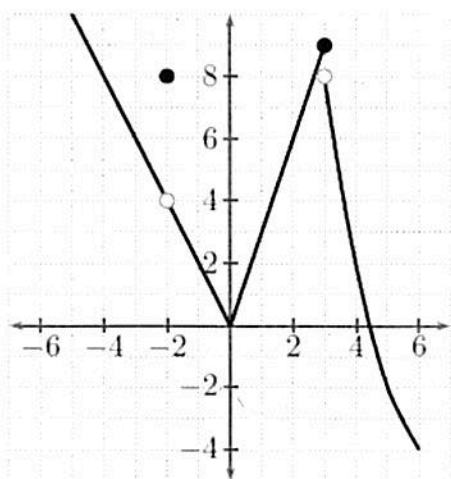
$$f'(1) = -2$$

$$\boxed{y - 3 = -2(x - 1)}$$

or

$$\boxed{y = -2x + 5}$$

6) Below is the graph of a function f . Use the graph to answer the following:



a) Find all values of x where f is not continuous.

f is not continuous @ $x = -2; 3$

b) Find all values of x where f is not differentiable.

f is not differentiable @ $x = -2, 0, 3$

c) Find all values of x where f is continuous but not differentiable.

f is continuous but not differentiable @ $x = 0$

7) Consider $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$.

a) Find the derivative of $f(x)$.

b) Find the slope of the tangent line to the graph of f at the point $(4, 2)$.

c) Write an equation of the tangent line in part b.

a) $f(x) = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ or $f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$

b) $f'(4) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4}} = \frac{1}{4}$

c) $y - 2 = \frac{1}{4}(x - 4)$ or $y = \frac{1}{4}x + 1$

8) Find $f'(x)$ if $f(x) = 4x^4 - 5x^3 + 2x - 3$.

$f'(x) = 16x^3 - 15x^2 + 2$

9) Find $f'(x)$ if $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x^4} + \sqrt[4]{x^3}$

$f(x) = x^{\frac{4}{3}} + x^{\frac{3}{4}}$

$f'(x) = \frac{4}{3}x^{\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{3}{4}x^{-\frac{1}{4}}$

Common den.
 $f'(x) = \frac{16\sqrt[12]{x^7} + 9}{12\sqrt[12]{x}}$
 $f'(x) = \frac{(4x^{\frac{1}{3}}) 4x^{\frac{1}{3}}}{(4x^{\frac{1}{4}})^3} + \frac{3}{4x^{\frac{1}{4}}}$
 $f'(x) = \frac{16x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 9}{12x^{\frac{1}{4}}}$

11) Find the derivative of $y = \frac{1}{x^9}$.

$y = x^{-9}$

$y' = \frac{-9}{x^{10}}$

10) Find $f'(x)$ if $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4x}{\sqrt{x}}$.

$f'(x) = \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}(2x - 4) - (x^2 - 4x)\frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{(x^{\frac{1}{2}})^2}$

$f'(x) = \frac{2x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 4x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + 2x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{x}$

$f'(x) = \frac{\frac{3}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 2x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{x} = \frac{3x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{2} - \frac{2}{x^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{3x - 4}{2x^{\frac{1}{2}} = f'(x)}$

12) Find the instantaneous rate of change of w with respect to z if $w = \frac{7}{3z^2}$. $W = \frac{7}{3} z^{-2}$
 $w' = \frac{-14}{3z^3}$ $W' = -\frac{14}{3} z^{-3}$

13) Find all points at which the graph of $f(x) = x^3 - 3x$ has horizontal tangent lines. $f'(x) = 0$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 3$$

or

$$f'(x) = 3(x^2 - 1)$$

or

$$f'(x) = 3(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$0 = 3(x-1)(x+1)$$

$f(x)$ has horizontal tang. lines @ $(1, -2)$ and $(-1, 2)$

14) Find the average rate of change of y on the interval $[1, 4]$, where $y = x^2 + x + 1$.

$$\frac{y(4) - y(1)}{4 - 1} = \frac{21 - 3}{3} = \boxed{6}$$

15) A coin is dropped from a height of 750 feet. The height, s (measured in feet) at time, t (measured in seconds), is given by $s = -16t^2 + 750$.

gravity constant

$v_0 = 0$ b/c dropped so no "x" term

- Find the average velocity on the interval $[1, 3]$.
- Find the velocity function.
- Find the instantaneous velocity when $t = 3$.
- How long does it take for the coin to hit the ground?
- Find the velocity of the coin when it hits the ground.
- Find the acceleration function.
- What is the acceleration of the coin when $t = 4$?

$$a) \frac{s(3) - s(1)}{3 - 1} = \frac{666 - 734}{2} = \boxed{-64 \text{ ft/sec}}$$

$$b) \boxed{v(t) = -32t}$$

$$c) v(3) = \boxed{-96 \text{ ft/sec}}$$

$$d) \begin{aligned} 0 &= -16t^2 + 750 \\ 16t^2 &= 750 \\ t^2 &= 46.875 \end{aligned}$$

$$t = \pm 6.85$$

so after 6.846 seconds

$$e) v(6.85) = \boxed{-219.09 \text{ ft/sec}}$$

$$f) \boxed{a(t) = v'(t) = -32}$$

$$g) \boxed{-32 \text{ ft/s}^2}$$

16) Differentiate: $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 1}$.

$$f'(x) = \frac{2x^3 + 2x - x^2 + 1 + 2x}{(x^2 + 1)(2x) - (x^2 - 1)(2x)}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{4x}{(x^2 + 1)^2}$$

17) Find the derivative of $f(x) = (x^3 + 5x)(2x - 7)$

$$f'(x) = (2x - 7)(3x^2 + 5) + (x^3 + 5x)(2)$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^3 + 10x - 21x^2 - 35 + 2x^3 + 10x$$

$$f'(x) = 8x^3 - 21x^2 + 20x - 35$$

18) Find an equation of the tangent line to the graph of $f(x) = \frac{x-1}{x+1}$ when $x = 1$.

$$f'(x) = \frac{(x+1)(1) - (x-1)(1)}{(x+1)^2}$$

$$f(1) = 0$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{2}{(x+1)^2}$$

$$f'(1) = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y - 0 = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1)$$

19) Find the derivative of $y = 9x^2 \cdot \sin x$.

$$y' = \sin x (18x) + (9x^2)(\cos x)$$

$$y' = 9x (2\sin x + x \cos x)$$

20) Differentiate: $f(x) = 3(4x^3 - 9)^5$.

$$f'(x) = 15(4x^3 - 9)^4 (12x^2)$$

$$f'(x) = 180x^2 (4x^3 - 9)^4$$

21) Find the derivative of $y = -x + \tan x$.

$$y' = -1 + \sec^2 x$$

22) Find the derivative of $y = (x - 2)^2 \cdot \cos x$

$$y' = 2(x - 2)(1)(\cos x) + -\sin x (x - 2)$$

$$y' = (x - 2) [2\cos x - (x - 2)\sin x]$$

23) Differentiate: $f(x) = (3x^2 - 2x + 7)^{\frac{3}{4}}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3}{4} (3x^2 - 2x + 7)^{-\frac{1}{4}} (6x - 2)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3(6x - 2)}{4(3x^2 - 2x + 7)^{\frac{1}{4}}}$$

24) Differentiate: $f(x) = \sin(3x^2 - 5)$.

$$f'(x) = 6x \cos(3x^2 - 5)$$

25) Differentiate: $f(x) = 5e^x + 2\sin x - \sqrt{x}$

$$f'(x) = 5e^x + 2\cos x - \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f'(x) = 5e^x + 2\cos x - \frac{1}{2x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

or

$$f'(x) = \frac{10e^x x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 4x^{\frac{1}{2}}\cos x - 1}{2x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

27) Differentiate: $f(x) = \cos^3(5x^2 - 7)$.

$$u = \cos(5x^2 - 7)$$

$$f(u) = u^3$$

$$f'(u) = 3u^2 u'$$

$$u' = -\sin(5x^2 - 7)(10x)$$

$$f'(x) = 3(\cos^2(5x^2 - 7))(-\sin(5x^2 - 7))(10x)$$

$$f'(x) = -30x \cos^2(5x^2 - 7) \sin(5x^2 - 7)$$

29) Find the value of $f'(2)$ given that $f(x) = 2\sqrt{4x^2 - 5x + 9}$.

$$f'(2) = \frac{11}{\sqrt{15}} \text{ or } \frac{11\sqrt{15}}{15}$$

$$f(x) = 2(4x^2 - 5x + 9)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f'(x) = (4x^2 - 5x + 9)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(8x - 5)$$

$$f'(2) = \frac{16 - 5}{(16 - 10 + 9)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \frac{11}{\sqrt{15}}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(8x - 5)}{(4x^2 - 5x + 9)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

26) Find $\frac{d}{dx}[e^x \sec 3x]$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sec 3x (e^x) + (e^x) \sec 3x \tan 3x (3)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x \sec(3x) [3 \tan(3x) + 1]$$

28) Differentiate: $y = x^3 \cdot \sqrt{4x - 3}$

$$y = x^3 (4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$y' = (4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(3x^2) - (x^3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(4x - 3)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

Common den.

$$y' = \frac{3x^2(4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}} + \frac{2x^3}{(4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

or

$$y' = \frac{3x^2(4x - 3) + 2x^3}{(4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$y' = \frac{x^2(14x - 9)}{(4x - 3)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

30) Find the slope of $f(x) = \sin^2 x$ at the point where $x = \frac{3\pi}{4}$.

$$f'(x) = 2(\sin x)(\cos x)$$

$$f'\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = 2\left(\sin \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)\left(\cos \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$f'\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = -1$$

31) Find the second derivative of $f(x) = 3(4x - 5)^3$

$$f'(x) = 9(4x - 5)^2(4)$$

$$f''(x) = 72(4x - 5)(4)$$

$$f''(x) = 288(4x - 5)$$

$$f''(x) = 1152x - 1440$$

32) At which point(s) on the graph does the slope equal zero?

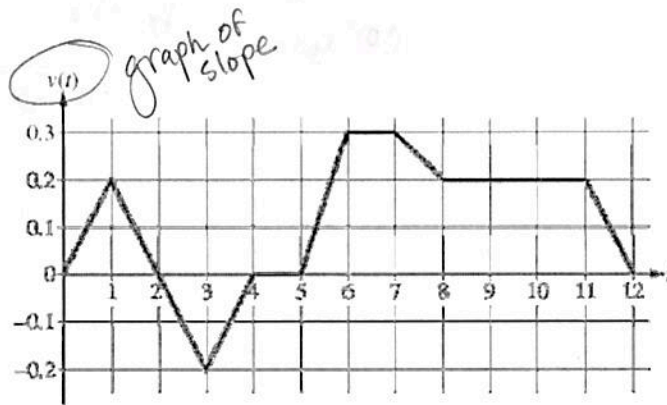
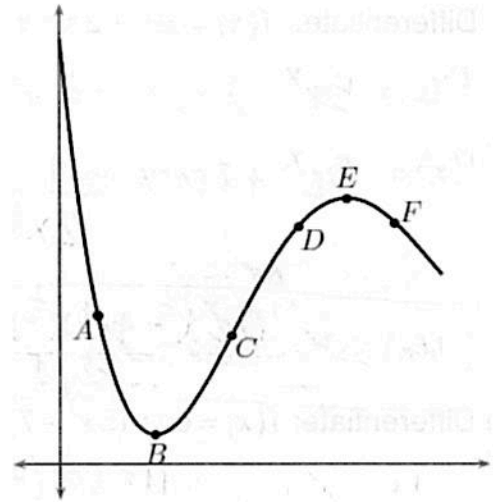
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33) At which point on the graph does the slope change from positive to negative?

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34) At which point on the graph does the slope change from negative to positive?

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Caren rides a bicycle along a straight road from home to school, starting at home at time $t = 0$ minutes and arriving at school at time $t = 12$ minutes. During the time interval $0 \leq t \leq 12$ minutes, her velocity $v(t)$, in miles per minute, is modeled by the piecewise – linear function whose graph is shown above.

35) During what time interval(s) is Caren going towards school? (positive velocity)

$(0, 2) \cup (5, 12)$ or $0 < t < 2$ min.
and
 $5 < t < 12$ min

36) During what time interval(s) is Caren riding back toward home? (negative slope)

$(2, 4)$ $2 < t < 4$ min

37) At what time(s) is Caren stopped? (no velocity)

$(4, 5)$ $4 < t < 5$ min

38) What is the acceleration of Caren's bicycle at time $t = 6.5$ minutes?

(slope of v curve)

Slope is 0 so not accelerating or decelerating