

The Derivative

The slope of the tangent line to the graph of f at the point $(c, f(c))$ is given by:

$$m = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c + \Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x}$$

The derivative of f at x is given by

$$f'(x) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x}$$

2.2 Basic Differentiation Rules

1. The derivative of a constant function is zero, i.e.,

$$\text{for } c \in \mathbb{R}, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[c] = 0$$

2. Power Rule for $n \in \mathbb{Q}$, $\frac{d}{dx}[x^n] = nx^{n-1}$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[x] = 1$$

3. Constant Multiple Rule $c \in \mathbb{R}$, $\frac{d}{dx}[cf(x)] = cf'(x)$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[cx] = c$$

4. Sum & Difference Rules $\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) \pm g(x)] = f'(x) \pm g'(x)$

Derivatives of Trig Functions

$$1. \frac{d}{dx}[\sin x] = \cos x$$

$$2. \frac{d}{dx}[\cos x] = -\sin x$$

$$3. \frac{d}{dx}[\tan x] = \sec^2 x$$

$$4. \frac{d}{dx}[\cot x] = -\operatorname{csc}^2 x$$

$$5. \frac{d}{dx}[\sec x] = \sec x \tan x$$

$$6. \frac{d}{dx}[\csc x] = -\csc x \cot x$$

$$f'(c) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 52. f(x) &= \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{x}} + 3\cos x \\ &= 2x^{-1/3} + 3\cos x \end{aligned}$$

$$[x^n]' = nx^{n-1}$$

$$f'(x) = \left[-\frac{2}{3}x^{-4/3} - 3\sin x \right]$$

2.2 cont.

$s(t)$ = position

m, ft, km,
mi, cm, yd

distance = rate × time

$\frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time}} = \text{rate}$

$v(t) = s'(t)$ = velocity

m/s, mi/h



$a(t) = v'(t) = s''(t)$ = acceleration

m/s^2

average velocity: $\frac{\Delta s}{\Delta t}$

(slope of secant)

instantaneous Velocity = $s'(t)$

(slope of tangent)

92.



initial velocity $V_0 = -22 \text{ ft/s}$

$v(3) = ? = -32(3) - 22 = -118 \text{ ft/s}$

$v(t) = ?$ after falling 108 ft
 $= -32(2) - 22 = -86 \text{ ft/s}$

initial position

$g = -9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$

$= -32 \text{ ft/s}^2$

$s(t) = \frac{1}{2}at^2 + v_0t + s_0$

position as a function of time, acceleration, initial velocity

$s(t) = \frac{1}{2}(-32)t^2 - 22t + 220$

$s(t) = -16t^2 - 22t + 220$

$v(t) = s'(t) = -32t - 22$

$-16t^2 - 22t + 220 = 108$

$0 = 16t^2 + 22t - 112$

$0 = 8(2t^2 + 11t - 56)$

$t = \frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{11^2 - 4(8)(-56)}}{2(8)}$

$= \frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{121 + 1792}}{16}$

$= \frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{1913}}{16}$

≈ 2.5

56
112-
224-
448-
896
1792

The volume of a sphere is given by $V(r) = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

Find the rate of change of volume with respect to radius when the radius is 2 cm.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dr}[V(r)] &= V'(r) = \frac{4}{3}\pi(3r^2) \\ &= 4\pi r^2 = \text{surface area of a sphere} \\ V'(2) &= 4\pi(2)^2 = \boxed{16\pi \text{ cm}^2}\end{aligned}$$

What is the average rate of change of volume as r changes from 1 cm to 3 cm?

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta r} &= \frac{\frac{4}{3}\pi(3)^3 - \frac{4}{3}\pi(1)^3}{3-1} \\ &= \frac{36\pi - \frac{4}{3}\pi}{2} = 18\pi - \frac{2}{3}\pi = \boxed{\frac{52\pi}{3} \text{ cm}^2}\end{aligned}$$

Power Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[x^n] = nx^{n-1} \quad d/dx [c]=0$$

Constant Multiple Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[cf(x)] = c \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]$$

Sum & Difference:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) \pm g(x)] = f'(x) \pm g'(x)$$

Trig Functions:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sin x] = \cos x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cos x] = -\sin x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\tan x] = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cot x] = -\csc^2 x$$

Product Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x)g(x)] = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$$

Quotient Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right] = \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{g^2(x)}$$

Chain Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(g(x))] = f'(g(x))g'(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sec x] = \sec x \tan x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\csc x] = -\csc x \cot x$$

2.3 Product & Quotient Rules

$$[fg]' = \frac{d}{dx} [f(x)g(x)] = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$$

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

$$\left[\frac{f}{g}\right]' = \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right] = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$$

"low dee high less high dee low,
draw the line and square below"

$$\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{f'g - fg'}{g^2}$$

$$\left([f(x)]^2 = f^2(x) \right)$$

$$\left(f(x)^2 = f(x^2) \right)$$

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$$6. \quad g(x) = (\sqrt{x})(\sin x) = (x^{1/2})(\sin x)$$

$$g'(x) = (x^{1/2})'(\sin x) + (x^{1/2})(\sin x)'$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}\right)(\sin x) + (x^{1/2})(\cos x)$$

$$= \frac{\sin x}{2\sqrt{x}} + \sqrt{x} \cos x$$

$$12. f(t) = \frac{\cos t}{t^3} = (\cos t)(t^{-3}) \quad f'(t) = \sin t(t^{-3}) + (\cos t)(-3t^{-4})$$

$$f'(t) = \frac{(t^3)(\cos t)' - (\cos t)(t^3)'}{(t^3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{t^3(-\sin t) - (\cos t)(3t^2)}{t^6}$$

$$= \frac{t^2(-t \sin t - 3 \cos t)}{t^6}$$

$$= \frac{-t \sin t - 3 \cos t}{t^4}$$

$$26. f(x) = \frac{x^3 + 3x + 2}{x^2 - 1}$$

Note: as a product,

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

we don't know how to differentiate this yet
so we have to use the quotient rule!