

Math 201 Quiz 6B

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Instructions: No calculators. Use your own scrap. Write your fully simplified answers in the space provided. Assume all given functions are differentiable.

1. Complete the following formulas (you may write f to mean $f(x)$ and g to mean $g(x)$):

(a) $\frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$ (b) $\frac{d}{dx} (f(x) \cdot g(x)) = f'g + fg'$ (c) $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right) = \frac{f'g - fg'}{g^2}$

(d) $\frac{d}{dx} x^n = nx^{n-1}$ (e) $\frac{d}{dx} \sec x = \sec x \tan x$ (f) $\frac{d}{dx} \cot x = -\csc^2 x$

2. Use limits to define the derivative of a function $f(x)$: $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ or $f'(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$

3. Use problem 2 to find the derivative of $f(x) = \frac{x}{3-4x}$ by completing the following:

(i) Set up the limit: $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x+h}{3-4(x+h)} - \frac{x}{3-4x}}{h}$ or $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{\frac{x}{3-4x} - \frac{a}{3-4a}}{x-a}$ $f'(a)$

(ii) Fully simplify the limit (what you would have just before taking the limit): $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3}{(3-4x)(3-4x-4h)}$

(iii) Take the limit to obtain the final answer: $f'(x) = \frac{3}{(3-4x)^2}$

4. For the function in problem 3, find the equation of the tangent line when $x = 1$. $y + 1 = 3(x - 1)$

5. Find the derivative of the following functions:

(a) $f(x) = \cos^2 x \Rightarrow f'(x) = -2 \cos x \sin x$ or $-\sin 2x$ (b) $y = \sin x^2 \Rightarrow y' = 2x \cos x^2$

(c) $y = \frac{x \cos x}{x+2} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 \cos x - x(x+2) \sin x}{(x+2)^2}$ (d) $p = 4x^5 \cos x - 2 \cos x \Rightarrow p' = 20x^4 \cos x - (4x^5 - 2) \sin x$

(e) $g(t) = (2t+1)^{\frac{2}{3}}(t^2-1)^4 \Rightarrow \frac{dg}{dt} = \frac{4}{3}(2t+1)^{-\frac{1}{3}}(t^2-1)^3 [13t^2 + 6t - 1]$

(f) $\frac{d}{dx} \cos(\sin(\tan x^3)) = -3x^2 \sec^2 x^3 \cos(\tan x^3) \sin(\sin(\tan x^3))$

(g) $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{4x^5 - 3x^3 + \csc 1}{\pi x^3} = \frac{\frac{4}{\pi} x^2 - \frac{3}{\pi} + \frac{\csc 1}{\pi} x^{-3}}{\pi x^3} = \frac{8}{\pi} x - \frac{3 \csc 1}{\pi} x^{-4}$

(h) $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt[4]{\frac{5x-3+1}{x^{-3}}} = \frac{1}{4} (5+x^3)^{-3/4} \cdot 3x^2 = \frac{3}{4} x^2 (5+x^3)^{-3/4}$

Bonus:

(a) Find $\frac{dx}{dy}$ if $3xy + x^3y + xy^2 = 1$. $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{-(3x + x^3 + 2xy)}{3y + y^2 + 3x^2y}$

(b) State the formula for the linear approximation of a function $f(x)$ at a point where $x = a$; i.e. what is the linearization of f at a ?:

$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a)$