

Chapter 4 Calculus Practice Exam

1. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for $y = \sin(x^2 - 1)$

$$\cos(x^2 - 1) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(x^2 - 1)$$

$$\boxed{\cos(x^2 - 1) \cdot 2x}$$

2. A curve is parametrized by the equations $x = \sqrt{t}$ and $y = (t - 3)^2$.

Find an equation of the line tangent to the curve at the point defined by $t = 9$.

$$\begin{array}{ll} x = \sqrt{t} & x(9) = \sqrt{9} \\ y = (t-3)^2 & y(9) = (9-3)^2 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} x_1 = 3 \\ y_1 = 36 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (3, 36) \\ x_1 \quad y_1 \end{array}$$

EQ of tangent line $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$
 $y - 36 = m(x - 3)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 2(t-3)(1)$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}} \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{array}{l} x = t^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}t^{-\frac{1}{2}} \end{array}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=9} = \frac{2(9-3)}{\frac{1}{2\sqrt{9}}} \Rightarrow \frac{12}{\frac{1}{2}(3)}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{t=9} = \frac{2(9-3)}{\frac{1}{2}(9)^{-\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$\frac{12}{1} \cdot \frac{6}{1} = 72$$

$$\frac{2(6)}{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3}} = 72$$

$$\boxed{y - 36 = 72(x - 3)}$$

OR

$$y = 36 + 72(x - 3)$$

3. Which of the following could be true if $f''(t) = t^{-\frac{2}{3}}$?

True

I. $f(t) = \frac{9}{4}t^{\frac{4}{3}}$

$$f'(t) = \cancel{\frac{9}{4}} t^{\frac{4}{3}-1} = 3t^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$f''(t) = \cancel{\frac{1}{3}(3)} t^{\frac{1}{3}-1} = t^{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

False

II. $f'(t) = 7 - 3t^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$f''(t) = 0 - 3 \cdot \frac{1}{3} t^{\frac{1}{3}-1} = -t^{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

True

III. $f'''(t) = -\frac{2}{3}t^{-\frac{5}{3}}$?

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

$$f'''(t) = -\frac{2}{3}t^{-\frac{2}{3}-1}$$

$$f'''(t) = -\frac{2}{3}t^{-\frac{5}{3}}$$

(A) I and II

(B) II and III

(C) I only

(D) III only

(E) I, II, and III

4. Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $x^2 + 5xy + y^5 = 8$.

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + \cancel{5x(y)} + \cancel{(y^5)} &= 8 \\ 2x + \left[5x \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(y) + y \frac{d}{dx}(5x) \right] + 5(y^4) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(y) &= 0 \\ 2x + \left[5x \frac{dy}{dx} + 5y \right] + 5y^4 \frac{dy}{dx} &= 0 \\ 2x + 5x \frac{dy}{dx} + 5y + 5y^4 \frac{dy}{dx} &= 0 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} (5x + 5y^4) &= -2x - 5y \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{-2x - 5y}{5x + 5y^4} \end{aligned}$$

5. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2x}\right)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{1}{1+u^2} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} & u = \frac{1}{2x} \quad (2x)^{-1} \\ \frac{1}{1+\left(\frac{1}{2x}\right)^2} \cdot \frac{-1}{2x^2} & \frac{du}{dx} = -1(2x)^{-2} \cdot 2 \\ & \frac{-2}{(2x)^2} \cdot \frac{-2}{4x^2} = \frac{-1}{2x^2} \end{aligned}$$

or simplify

$$\frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{4x^2}} \cdot \frac{-1}{2x^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\frac{4x^2}{4x^2} + \frac{1}{4x^2}} \cdot \frac{-1}{2x^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\frac{4x^2+1}{4x^2}} \cdot \frac{-1}{2x^2}$$

~~$4x^2$~~
 ~~2~~

$$\frac{-2}{4x^2+1}$$

6. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $y = 4^{-x+3}$

$$\frac{d}{dx} a^u = a^u \ln a \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4^{-x+3} \cdot \ln 4 \cdot -1$$

$a=4$
 $u = -x+3$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = -1$

7. Which of the following expression has the same derivative as $y = \log x$?

- (A) $\log_6 x$ (B) $\log 5x$ (C) $\log x^2$
 (D) $3 \log x$ (E) $\log \frac{1}{x}$

$$y = \log x \quad \frac{d}{dx} \log_a u = \frac{1}{u \ln a} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$y = \log_{10} x \quad u = x \quad a = 10 \quad \frac{du}{dx} = 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x \ln 10}$$

~~(A)~~ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x \ln 6}$ (B) $\frac{\log_{10} 5x}{\cancel{x}} \cdot \cancel{5}$

~~(C)~~ $\log_{10} x^2$

$$\frac{1}{x^2 \ln 10} \cdot 2x$$

$$\frac{2}{x \ln 10}$$

~~(D)~~ $3 \log_{10} x$

$$\frac{3}{x \ln 10}$$

~~(E)~~ $\log_{10} \frac{1}{x}$

$$\frac{1}{\cancel{x} \cdot \ln 10} \cdot \frac{-1}{\cancel{x}^2}$$

$$\frac{-1}{\cancel{\ln 10} \cdot \cancel{x}^2}$$

$$\frac{-1}{x \ln 10}$$

8. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$. $\log_5(e^x - 4x)$

$$a=5 \quad u = e^x - 4x \quad \frac{du}{dx} = e^x - 4$$

$$\frac{\frac{d}{dx}(\log_a u)}{(e^x - 4x) \ln 5} = \frac{1}{u \ln a} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{1}{(e^x - 4x) \ln 5} \cdot e^x - 4$$

or

$$\boxed{\frac{e^x - 4}{\ln 5 (e^x - 4x)}}$$

9. Find the derivative of the function $f(x)g(h(x))$

composite
 product
 $f(x) \circ g(h(x))$ ← chain rule

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

$$\boxed{f(x) g'(h(x)) \cdot h'(x) + g(h(x)) \cdot f'(x)}$$

10. Find $\frac{dV}{dt}$ $V = 3000 \left(1 - \frac{t}{20}\right)^2$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 3000 \frac{d}{dt} \left(1 - \frac{1}{20}t\right)^2$$

$$3000 \cdot 2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{20}t\right) \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \left(1 - \frac{1}{20}t\right)$$

$$\boxed{6000 \left(1 - \frac{1}{20}t\right) \cdot -\frac{1}{20}}$$

$$-300 \left(1 - \frac{1}{20}t\right)$$

$$-300 + 15t$$

11. Find $\frac{dh}{dr}$ $h(r) = \sqrt[3]{3r} \cdot g(r)$

$$(3r)^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot g(r) \quad \text{product}$$

$$(3r)^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot g'(r) + g(r) \cdot \frac{d}{dr}(3r)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\boxed{(3r)^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot g'(r) + g(r) \cdot \frac{1}{3}(3r)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 3}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{3r} \cdot g'(r) + g(r) \cdot (3r)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

12. Find $\frac{df}{dy}$ $f(y) = \frac{\pi}{y^8} + 3e^{\sin(-2y)}$

variable is y

$$\pi y^{-8} + 3e^{\sin(-2y)}$$

$$\frac{df}{dy} = -8\pi y^{-9} + 3e^{\sin(-2y)} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \sin(-2y)$$

$$\frac{df}{dy} = -8\pi y^{-9} + 3e^{\sin(-2y)} \cdot \cos(-2y) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (-2y)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{df}{dy} = -8\pi y^{-9} + 3e^{\sin(-2y)} \cdot \cos(-2y) \cdot -2}$$

$$-8\pi y^{-9} + -6e^{\sin(-2y)} \cdot \cos(-2y)$$

13. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ $y = \sin^{-1}(4x^3)$ $u = 4x^3$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1} u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \quad \frac{du}{dx} = 12x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(4x^3)^2}} \cdot 12x^2$$

$$\boxed{\frac{12x^2}{\sqrt{1-(4x^3)^2}}}$$

14. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ $y = (\ln(\tan^{-1}(\pi x)))^2$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \left(\ln(\tan^{-1}(\pi x)) \right)' \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \ln(\tan^{-1}(\pi x))$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \left(\ln(\tan^{-1}(\pi x)) \right)' \cdot \frac{1}{\tan^{-1}(\pi x)} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(\pi x)$$

$$\frac{2 \left(\ln(\tan^{-1}(\pi x)) \right)'}{\tan^{-1}(\pi x)} \cdot \frac{1}{1+(\pi x)^2} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (\pi x)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{2 \left(\ln(\tan^{-1}(\pi x)) \right)'}{\tan^{-1}(\pi x)} \cdot \frac{1}{1+(\pi x)^2} \cdot \pi}$$

15. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ $y = x^{\ln(x)}$

$$\ln y = \ln x^{\ln(x)}$$

$$\ln y = \ln x \cdot \ln x$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \ln x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \ln x \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 \ln x}{x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 \ln x}{x} \cdot y$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2 \ln x}{x} \cdot x^{\ln(x)}}$$

16. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $3xy = 0$
product

$$3x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + y(3) = 0$$

$$3x \frac{dy}{dx} = -3y$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3y}{3x}}$$

or $-\frac{y}{x}$

17. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $(y^4 + 2x^2)y^2 - 3x^2 = 10$

implicit

$$4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} + \left[2x^2 \cdot 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + y^2 \cdot 4x \right] - 6x = 0$$

$$4y^3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4x^2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 4xy^2 - 6x = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} (4y^3 + 4x^2y) = -4xy^2 + 6x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4xy^2 + 6x}{4y^3 + 4x^2y}$$

18. Find $\frac{df}{dy}$ if $f(y) = \left(\frac{y-3}{y+2}\right)^3$ chain quotient

Not implicit
y is variable

blob³

$$3\left(\frac{y-3}{y+2}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{d}{dy}\left(\frac{y-3}{y+2}\right)$$

$$3\left(\frac{y-3}{y+2}\right)^2 \cdot \left(\frac{(y+2)(1) - (y-3)(1)}{(y+2)^2} \right)$$

Simplified $\frac{15(y-3)^2}{(y+2)^4}$

19. Find $\frac{dx}{d\theta}$ if $x(\theta) = \cos(\tan(\sqrt{2\theta}))$

$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -\sin(\tan\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \frac{d}{d\theta}(\tan\sqrt{2\theta})$$

$$-\sin(\tan\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \sec^2(\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \frac{d}{d\theta}(\sqrt{2\theta})$$

$$-\sin(\tan\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \sec^2(\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2\theta}} \cdot \frac{d}{d\theta}(2\theta)$$

$$-\sin(\tan\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \sec^2(\sqrt{2\theta}) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2\theta}} \cdot 2$$

20. Find $\frac{df}{dt}$ if $f(t) = 5 \sec(3t) - \tan(3t)$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = 5 \sec(3t) \tan(3t) \cdot 3 - \sec^2(3t) \cdot 3$$

$$15 \sec(3t) \tan(3t) - 3 \sec^2(3t)$$