

Question 1: Find the following derivatives (Take care to use proper notation; it is not necessary to simplify your answers):

(a) $f(x) = 4x^3 \cos(x)$

$$f'(x) = 12x^2 \cos(x) - 4x^3 \sin(x)$$

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(b) $y = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{1 + \tan(x)} = \frac{x^{1/2}}{1 + \tan(x)}$

$$y' = \frac{[1 + \tan(x)] \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} - x^{1/2} \sec^2(x)}{[1 + \tan(x)]^2}$$

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(c) $g(t) = t^2 \sec(1/t)$

$$g'(t) = 2t \sec\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) + \cancel{t^2} \sec\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \tan\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \left(\frac{-1}{t^2}\right)$$

$$= 2t \sec\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) - \sec\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) \tan\left(\frac{1}{t}\right)$$

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(d) $y = \frac{x^2}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)} \cdot \frac{x^2}{x^2} = \frac{x^4}{1 + x^2}$

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

$$= \frac{4x^3 + 2x^5}{(1 + x^2)^2}$$

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Question 2: Find the following derivatives (Take care to use proper notation; it is not necessary to simplify your answers):

(a) $f(x) = \cos^4(1 - 2x)$

$$f'(x) = 4 \cos^3(1-2x) \cdot [-\sin(1-2x)] \cdot (-2)$$

$$= 8 \cos^3(1-2x) \sin(1-2x)$$

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(b) $y = \frac{1}{2} \cos(2x) \sqrt{1 + \sin(2x)} = \frac{1}{2} \cos(2x) [1 + \sin(2x)]^{1/2}$

$$y' = -\frac{1}{2} \sin(2x) \cdot 2 \cdot [1 + \sin(2x)]^{1/2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos(2x) \cdot \frac{1}{2} [1 + \sin(2x)]^{-1/2} \cdot \cos(2x) \cdot 2$$

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

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(c) $g(t) = t^{-2}(4 + t^3)^7$

$$g'(t) = -2t^{-3} (4 + t^3)^7 + t^{-2} \cdot 7(4 + t^3)^6 (3t^2)$$

$$= -2t^{-3} (4 + t^3)^7 + 21 (4 + t^3)^6$$

[3]

(d) $y = \sqrt{\tan\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right)} = \left[\tan\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right)\right]^{1/2}$

$$y' = \frac{1}{2} \left[\tan\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right)\right]^{-1/2} \cdot \sec^2\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right) \cdot \frac{(1+x) \cdot 1 - x \cdot 1}{(1+x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sec^2\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right)}{2 \sqrt{\tan\left(\frac{x}{1+x}\right)} (1+x)^2}$$

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Question 3: Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ by implicit differentiation:

$$x^4 + \sin(y) = x^3 y^2$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [x^4 + \sin(y)] = \frac{d}{dx} [x^3 y^2]$$

$$4x^3 + \cos(y) y' = 3x^2 y^2 + x^3 \cdot 2y y'$$

$$y' [\cos(y) - 2x^3 y] = 3x^2 y^2 - 4x^3$$

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

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Question 4: Find an equation of the tangent line to

$$y^4 - 4y^2 = x^4 - 9x^2$$

at the point $(-3, 2)$.

$$\frac{d}{dx} [y^4 - 4y^2] = \frac{d}{dx} [x^4 - 9x^2]$$

$$4y^3 y' - 8y y' = 4x^3 - 18x$$

at $(-3, 2)$:

$$4(2)^3 y' - 8(2) y' = 4(-3)^3 - 18(-3)$$

$$16y' = -54$$

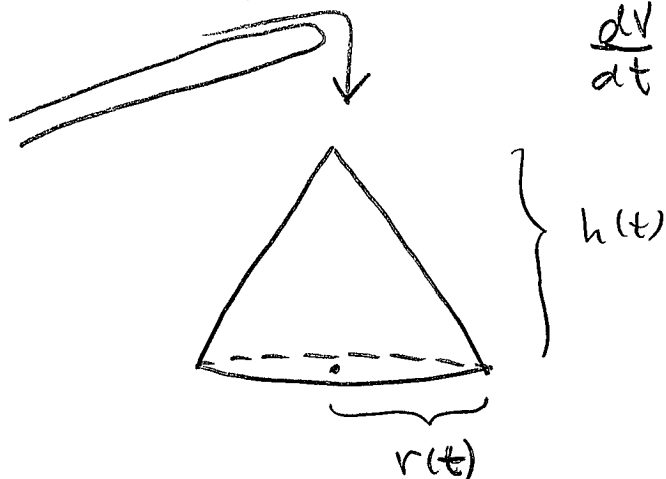
$$y' = \frac{-54}{16} = \frac{-27}{8}$$

∴ Equation of tangent line is

$$y - 2 = \frac{-27}{8}(x + 3)$$

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Question 5: Sand falls from a conveyor belt onto a cone shaped pile at the rate of $10 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}$. The pile of sand grows in such a way that the height of the pile is always $3/8$ of the base diameter. How fast is the height of the pile growing when the pile is 4 m tall? (Recall, the volume of a cone of height h and base radius r is $V = \pi r^2 h/3$.)



$$\frac{dV}{dt} = +10 \frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{min}}$$

$$h(t) = \frac{3}{8} \underbrace{[2r(t)]}_{\text{diameter}}$$

$$\therefore h(t) = \frac{3}{4} r(t) \Rightarrow r(t) = \frac{4}{3} h(t)$$

Find $\frac{dh}{dt}$ when $h = 4 \text{ m}$.

$$V = \frac{\pi}{3} r^2 h$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} \left[\frac{4}{3} h \right]^2 h$$

$$= \frac{16\pi}{27} h^3$$

$$\therefore \frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{16\pi}{9 \cdot 27} 3h^2 \frac{dh}{dt}$$

When $h = 4$:

$$10 = \frac{16\pi}{9} \cdot 4^2 \cdot \frac{dh}{dt}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{90}{4^4 \pi}$$

$$= \frac{45}{128\pi} \frac{\text{m}}{\text{min}}$$

\therefore Height of pile is increasing at $\frac{45}{128\pi} \frac{\text{m}}{\text{min}}$.

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Question 6: For this question consider the function $f(x) = (1+x)^k$ where k is a constant.

(a) Find $L(x)$, the linearization of f at $a=0$. (Your answer should have k in it.)

$$f(x) = (1+x)^k ; f(a) = (1+0)^k = 1$$

$$f'(x) = k(1+x)^{k-1} ; f'(a) = k(1+0)^{k-1} = k$$

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

$$L(x) = 1 + kx$$

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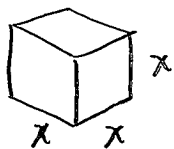
(b) Use part (a) to approximate $(1.1)^\pi$.

$$\text{Here } (1+x)^k \approx (1.1)^\pi, \text{ so } x = \frac{1}{10} \text{ and } k = \pi.$$

$$\therefore (1.1)^\pi \approx 1 + \pi \cdot \left(\frac{1}{10}\right) = \boxed{1 + \frac{\pi}{10}}$$

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Question 7: The side length of a cube was measured to be 10 cm with a maximum measurement error of $1/100$. Estimate the maximum relative error in the calculated surface area of the cube.



$$x = 10$$

$$dx = \frac{1}{100}$$

$$S = 6x^2$$

Approximate relative error is

$$\frac{ds}{s} = \frac{\frac{d}{dx} [6x^2] dx}{6x^2}$$

$$= \frac{12x dx}{6x^2}$$

$$= 2 \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$= \frac{2 \left(\frac{1}{100}\right)}{10}$$

$$= \frac{2}{1000} = \boxed{\frac{1}{500}}$$

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