

1.) Differentiate each of the following functions. DO NOT SIMPLIFY  
ANSWERS.

a.)  $y = x^{3/4} + \sqrt{123} - 2x^{-7}$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{D}} Y' = \frac{3}{4}x^{-1/4} + 0 - 2 \cdot -7x^{-8}$$

b.)  $f(x) = \frac{2^x}{6+e^{3x}}$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{D}} f'(x) = \frac{(6+e^{3x}) \cdot 2^x \ln 2 - 2^x \cdot e^{3x} \cdot 3}{(6+e^{3x})^2}$$

d.)  $f(x) = (\ln x)^x \rightarrow \ln f(x) = \ln(\ln x)^x = x \cdot \ln(\ln x) \xrightarrow{\text{D}}$

$$\frac{1}{f(x)} \cdot f'(x) = x \cdot \frac{1}{\ln x} \cdot \frac{1}{x} + (1) \cdot \ln(\ln x) \rightarrow$$

$$f'(x) = (\ln x)^x \left\{ \frac{1}{\ln x} + \ln(\ln x) \right\}$$

2.) Let  $f(x) = x(5-x)^4$ .

a.) Solve  $f'(x) = 0$  for  $x$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \xrightarrow{\text{D}} f'(x) &= x \cdot 4(5-x)^3 \cdot (-1) + (1)(5-x)^4 \\ &= (5-x)^3 [-4x + (5-x)] \\ &= (5-x)^3 [5-5x] = 0 \rightarrow x = 5, x = 1 \end{aligned}$$

b.) Solve  $f''(x) = 0$  for  $x$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \xrightarrow{\text{D}} f''(x) &= (5-x)^3 [5] + 3(5-x)^2 (-1) [5-5x] \\ &= -(5-x)^2 [5(5-x) + 3(5-5x)] \\ &= -(5-x)^2 [25-5x + 15-15x] \\ &= -(5-x)^2 [40-20x] = 0 \rightarrow x = 5, x = 2 \end{aligned}$$

- 3.) Use the Intermediate Value Theorem to prove that the equation  $x^3 = 4 - x$  is solvable. This is a writing exercise. You will be scored on proper style and mathematical correctness.

$x^3 = 4 - x \rightarrow x^3 + x - 4 = 0$  so let  $f(x) = x^3 + x - 4$   
 and  $m = 0$ . Function  $f$  is continuous for  
 all  $x$ -values since  $f$  is a polynomial.  
 and  $f(1) = -2$ ,  $f(2) = 6$ , and  $m = 0$  is between  
 $f(1)$  and  $f(2)$ . Choose interval  $[1, 2]$ .  
 Thus, by IMVT there is a #  $c$ ,  $1 \leq c \leq 2$ ,  
 so that  $f(c) = m$ , i.e.,  $c^3 + c - 4 = 0$   
 and the equation is solvable.

5. Use linearization to estimate the value of  $\sqrt{8}$ . DO NOT SIMPLIFY THE ANSWER.

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \sqrt{x} \quad \& \quad a = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L(x) &= f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) \\ &= \sqrt{9} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{9}}(x-9) = 3 + \frac{1}{6}(x-9) \\ \Rightarrow L(x) &= 3 + \frac{1}{6}(x-9) \end{aligned}$$

$$\sqrt{8} \approx L(8) = 3 + \frac{1}{6}(-1) \text{ or } 2\frac{5}{6}$$

- 5.) Assume that  $y$  is a function of  $x$  and  $xy^2 + y = x + 3$ . Determine an equation of the line perpendicular to this graph at  $x = 0$ .

$$\text{If } x=0, \text{ then } (0)y^2 + y = 0 + 3 \rightarrow y = 3;$$

$$xy^2 + y = x + 3 \xrightarrow{\text{D}} x \cdot 2yy' + (1)y^2 + y' = 1 + 0 \rightarrow$$

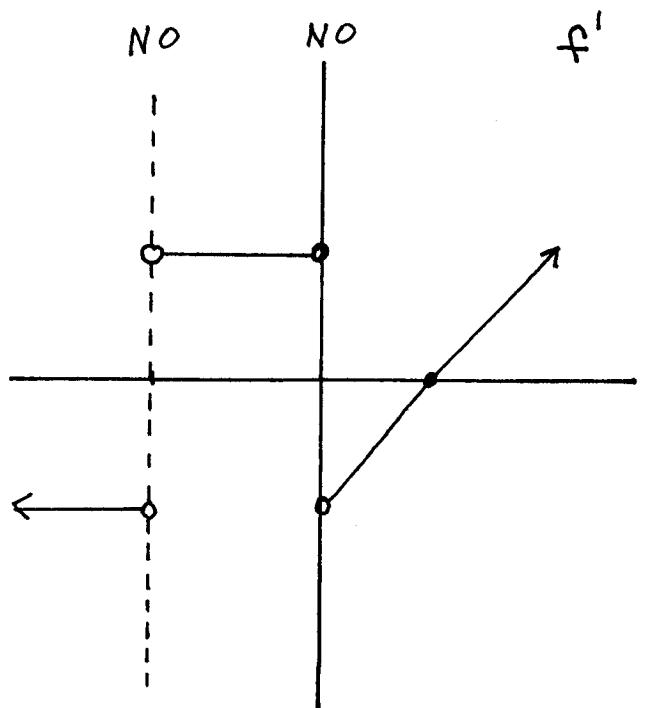
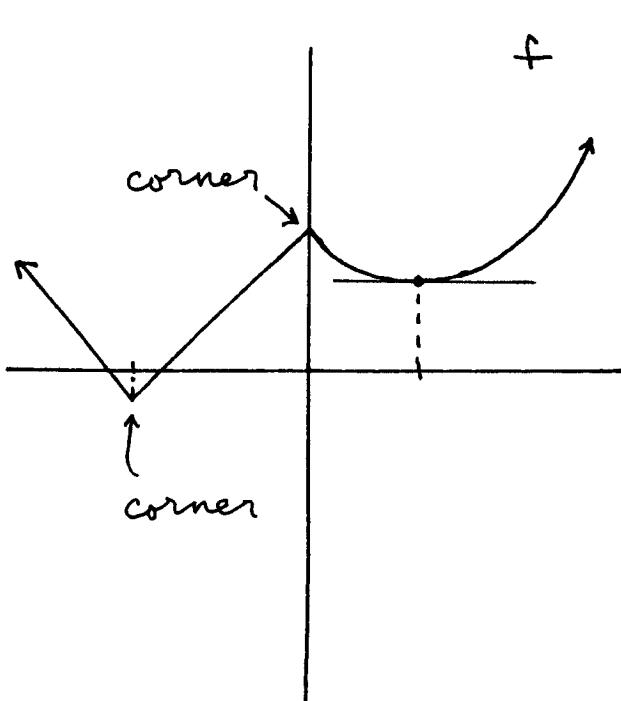
$$y'(2xy + 1) = 1 - y^2 \rightarrow y' = \frac{1 - y^2}{2xy + 1} \text{ and}$$

$$x=0, y=3 \rightarrow y' = \frac{1 - 9}{2(0)(3) + 1} = -8 \text{ so slope}$$

is  $m = \frac{1}{8}$  and line is

$$y - 3 = \frac{1}{8}(x - 0) \text{ or } y = \frac{1}{8}x + 3$$

- 6.) Sketch a graph of the derivative  $f'$  using the given graph of  $f$ .



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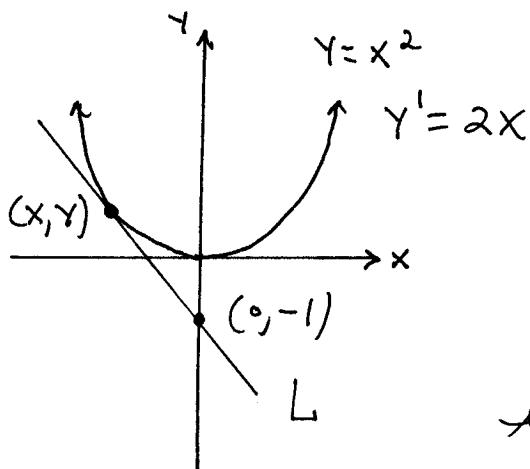
- (a) State the definition of the derivative.

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

- (b) Use the definition of the derivative to differentiate the function

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x+h}{x+h+7} - \frac{x}{x+7}}{h} \cdot \frac{(x+7)(x+h+7)}{(x+7)(x+h+7)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)(x+7) - x(x+h+7)}{h(x+7)(x+h+7)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 7x + h(x+7) - x^2 - hx - 7x}{h(x+7)(x+h+7)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{7x}{h(x+7)(x+h+7)} = \frac{7}{(x+7)^2} \end{aligned}$$

- 9.) Find all points  $(x, y)$  on the graph of  $f(x) = x^2$  with tangent lines to the graph of  $f$  passing through the point  $(0, -1)$ .



SLOPE of line  $L$  is

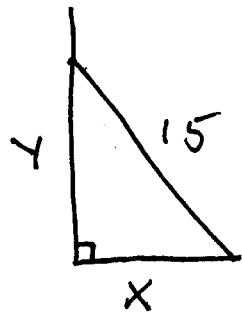
$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad m &= 2x \\ 2. \quad m &= \frac{y - (-1)}{x - 0} \\ &= \frac{y + 1}{x} = \frac{x^2 + 1}{x} \end{aligned}$$

then set equal  $\rightarrow$

$$2x = \frac{x^2 + 1}{x} \rightarrow 2x^2 = x^2 + 1 \rightarrow x^2 = 1 \rightarrow x = \pm 1 \rightarrow$$

$$x = 1, y = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -1, y = 1$$

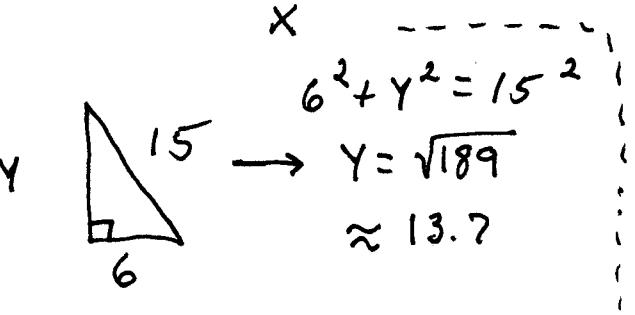
- 8.) A 15-foot ladder is leaning against a wall. If the base of the ladder is pushed toward the wall at the rate of 2 ft./sec., at what rate is the top of the ladder moving up the wall when the base of the ladder is 6 ft. from the wall?



assume  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -2 \text{ ft. / sec.}$ ; find

$\frac{dy}{dt}$  when  $x = 6 \text{ ft.}$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 15^2 \rightarrow 2x \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$



$$(6)(-2) + \sqrt{189} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{12}{\sqrt{189}} \approx 0.87 \text{ ft. / sec.}$$

- 3.) You are standing on the top edge of a building which is 96 ft. high. You throw an apple straight UP at 80 ft./sec. and watch as it falls back to the ground.

- a.) Assume that the acceleration due to gravity is  $s''(t) = -32 \text{ ft. / sec.}^2$ . Derive velocity,  $s'(t)$ , and height (above ground),  $s(t)$ , formulas for this apple.

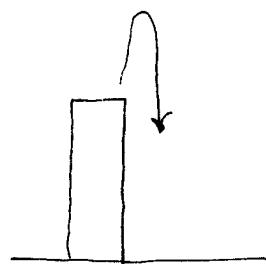
$$s'''(t) = -32 \rightarrow$$

$$s'(t) = -32t + C \quad (\text{and } s'(0) = 80 \text{ ft. / sec.})$$

$$\rightarrow C = 80 \rightarrow s'(t) = -32t + 80$$

$$s(t) = -16t^2 + 80t + C \quad (\text{and } s(0) = 96 \text{ ft.})$$

$$\rightarrow C = 96 \rightarrow s(t) = -16t^2 + 80t + 96$$



- b.) In how many seconds will the apple strike the ground?

$$\underline{\text{strike ground}} : s(t) = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$-16t^2 + 80t + 96 = 0 \rightarrow -16(t^2 - 5t - 6) = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$-16(t-6)(t+1) = 0 \rightarrow \underline{t = 6 \text{ sec.}}$$

- c.) How high does the apple go?

$$\underline{\text{highest point}} : s'(t) = 0 \rightarrow -32t + 80 = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$\underline{t = 2.5 \text{ sec.}} \rightarrow$$

$$s(2.5) = -16(2.5)^2 + 80(2.5) + 96 = \underline{196 \text{ ft.}}$$

The following EXTRA CREDIT PROBLEM is worth This problem is OPTIONAL.

1.) Evaluate the following limit :  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x^2 \cdot \sin^2(\sin x^2)}{\cos^2 x^2 - 1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \stackrel{\text{"0/0" }}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x^2 \cdot \sin(\sin x^2) \cdot \sin(\sin x^2)}{-\sin^2 x^2} \\
 & = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\cancel{\sin x^2}}{\cancel{\sin x^2}} \cdot \frac{\sin(\sin x^2)}{\sin x^2} \cdot \sin(\sin x^2) \\
 & = (-1) \cdot (1) \cdot \sin(\sin 0) \\
 & = -1 \cdot \sin 0 \\
 & = -1(0) = 0
 \end{aligned}$$