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## Section 3.4 Derivatives of trigonometric functions

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin x = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos x = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x} = 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x - 1}{x} = 0$$

### Derivatives

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

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

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cot x = -\frac{1}{\sin^2 x} = -\csc^2 x$$

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

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

### Example

(a) Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 5x}{\tan 2x}$

(b) Find  $y'$  if  $y = \sqrt{\csc 2x} + \tan^2(x^2 + 1)$

## Section 3.5 The Chain Rule

If the derivatives  $g'(x)$  and  $f'(g(x))$  both exist, and  $F = f \circ g$  is the composite function defined by  $F(x) = f(g(x))$ , then  $F'(x)$  exists and is given by the product  $F'(x) = f'(g(x))g'(x)$

If  $n$  is any real number and  $u = g(x)$  is differentiable, then

$$\frac{d}{dx}[g(x)]^n = n[g(x)]^{n-1}g'(x)$$

**Example** Find  $y'$  if  $y = \sqrt{xe^x + x}$

## Section 3.6 **Implicit differentiation**

**Example** Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $\sin(x + y) = y^2 \tan x$

Two curves are called **orthogonal** if at each point of intersection their tangent lines are perpendicular.

**Example** Show that the curves  $2x^2 + y^2 = 3$  and  $x = y^2$  are orthogonal.

## Section 3.7 Derivatives of vector functions

If  $\vec{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t) \rangle$  is a vector function, then

$\vec{r}'(t) = \langle x'(t), y'(t) \rangle$  if  $x'(t)$  and  $y'(t)$  exist.

**velocity** at time  $t = \vec{r}'(t) = \langle x'(t), y'(t) \rangle$

**speed** at time  $t = |\vec{r}'(t)| = \sqrt{[x'(t)]^2 + [y'(t)]^2}$

**acceleration** at time  $t = \vec{r}''(t) = \langle x''(t), y''(t) \rangle$

**Example** The vector function  $\vec{r}(t) = \langle t, 25t - 5t^2 \rangle$  represents the position of a particle at time  $t$ . Find the velocity, speed, and acceleration at  $t = 1$ .

## Section 3.8 Higher derivatives

$$\boxed{f''(x) = [f'(x)]'}, \boxed{f'''(x) = [f''(x)]'}, \dots, \boxed{f^{(n)}(x) = [f^{(n-1)}(x)]'}$$

For the vector function  $\vec{r}(t) = \langle x(t), y(t) \rangle$

$$\boxed{\vec{r}'(t) = \langle x'(t), y'(t) \rangle}, \boxed{\vec{r}''(t) = [\vec{r}'(t)]' = \langle x''(t), y''(t) \rangle}, \dots$$

**Example** Find  $y''$  if  $y = e^{-5x} \cos 3x$

## Section 3.9 Slopes and tangents to parametric curves

Suppose that curve  $C$  is given by the parametric equation  
 $x = x(t)$ ,  $y = y(t)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$

**Example** Find an equation of the tangent to the curve  
 $x(t) = 3t^2 + 1$ ,  $y(t) = 2t^3 + 1$  that pass through the point  $(4,3)$ .

## Section 3.10 **Related rates**

### **Strategy**

1. Read the problem carefully.
2. Draw a diagram if possible.
3. Introduce notation. Assign symbols to all quantities that are functions of time.
4. Express the given information and the required rate in terms of derivatives.
5. Write an equation that relates the various quantities of the problem. If necessary, use the geometry of the situation to eliminate one of the variables by substitution.
6. Use the Chain Rule to differentiate both sides of the equation with respect to  $t$ .
7. Substitute the given information into the resulting equation and solve for the unknown rate.



## Section 3.11 Differentials; linear and quadratic approximations

**Definition** Let  $y = f(x)$ , where  $f$  is a differentiable function. Then the **differential**  $dx$  is an independent variable; that is  $dx$  can be given the value of any real number. The **differential**  $dy$  is then defined in terms of  $dx$  by the equation  $dy = f'(x)dx$ .

**Example** The circumference of a sphere was measured to be 84 cm with a possible error of 0.5 cm. Estimate the maximum error in the calculated surface area.

Suppose that  $f(a)$  is a known number and the approximate value is to be calculated for  $f(a + \Delta x)$  where  $\Delta x$  is small. Then

$$f(a + \Delta x) \approx f(a) + f'(a)\Delta x$$

**Example** Use differentials to find an approximate value for  $(1.97)^6$ .

The approximation  $f(x) \approx f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$  is called the **linear approximation** or **tangent line approximation** of  $f$  at  $a$ , and the function  $L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$  is called the **linearization** of  $f$  at  $a$ .

The **quadratic approximation** of  $f$  near  $a$  is 
$$f(x) \approx f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2}(x - a)^2.$$

**Example 8.** Find the linear and quadratic approximation to  $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$  near 1.

## Section 3.12 Newton's method

The **Newton's** or **Newton's-Raphson method** gives *approximations* to the root  $r$  of the equation  $f(x) = 0$  where  $f$  is a differentiable function. First approximation  $x_1$

$$\text{Second approximation } x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

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$$n\text{th approximation } x_n = x_{n-1} - \frac{f(x_{n-1})}{f'(x_{n-1})}$$

**Example 6.** Use Newton's method to find  $\sqrt[10]{100}$  correct to four decimal places.

## Chapter 4. Inverse functions: exponential, logarithmic, and inverse trigonometric functions

### Section 4.1 Exponential functions and their derivatives

An **exponential function** is a function of the form  $f(x) = a^x$  where  $a$  is a positive constant.

If  $a > 0$  and  $a \neq 1$ , then  $f(x) = a^x$  is continuous function with domain  $(-\infty, \infty)$  and range  $(0, \infty)$ .

If  $0 < a < 1$ ,  $f(x) = a^x$  is decreasing function

if  $a > 1$ ,  $f(x) = a^x$  is increasing function

If  $a, b > 0$  and  $x, y$  are reals, then

$$1. a^{x+y} = a^x a^y \quad 2. a^{x-y} = \frac{a^x}{a^y} \quad 3. (a^x)^y = a^{xy} \quad 4. (ab)^x = a^x b^x$$

If  $0 < a < 1$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} a^x = \infty$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} a^x = 0$

If  $a > 1$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} a^x = 0$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} a^x = \infty$

e is the number such that  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h} = 1$

$e \approx 2.71828182845904523536$

$$(e^x)' = e^x$$

$$(e^{g(x)})' = e^{g(x)} g'(x)$$

### Example

(a) Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x} + 1}$

(b) Find  $y'$  if  $y = e^{x \cos x}$

## Section 4.2 Inverse functions

**Definition** A function  $f$  with domain  $A$  is called **one-to-one function** if  $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$  whenever  $x_1 \neq x_2$ .

**Horizontal line test** A function is one-to-one if and only if no horizontal line intersects its graph more than once.

**Definition** Let  $f$  be one-to-one function with domain  $A$  and range  $B$ . Then its **inverse function**  $f^{-1}$  has domain  $B$  and range  $A$  and is defined by  $f^{-1}(y) = x \iff f(x) = y$  for any  $y$  in  $B$ .

domain of  $f^{-1} = \text{range of } f$

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Let  $f$  be one-to-one function with domain  $A$  and range  $B$ . If  $f(a) = b$ , then  $f^{-1}(b) = a$ .

## Cancellation equations

$$f^{-1}(f(x)) = x \text{ for every } x \in A$$

$$f(f^{-1}(x)) = x \text{ for every } x \in B$$

## How to find the inverse function of a one-to-one function $f$

1. Write  $y = f(x)$
2. Solve this equation for  $x$  in terms of  $y$ .
3. Interchange  $x$  and  $y$ . The resulting equation is  $y = f^{-1}(x)$ .

The graph of  $f^{-1}$  is obtained by reflecting the graph  $f$  about the line  $y = x$ .

**Theorem** If  $f$  is a one-to-one continuous function defined on an interval, then its inverse function  $f^{-1}$  is also continuous.

**Theorem** If  $f$  is a one-to-one differentiable function with inverse function  $g = f^{-1}$  and  $f'(g(a)) \neq 0$ , then the inverse function is

differentiable at  $a$  and

$$g'(a) = \frac{1}{f'(g(a))}$$

**Example** Find  $f^{-1}$  if  $f(x) = \frac{1+3x}{5-2x}$ .

**Example** Suppose  $g$  is the inverse function of  $f$ . Both functions are differentiable. Assuming that  $f(1) = 3$ ,  $f(3) = 1$ ,  $f'(1) = 4$ ,  $f'(3) = \frac{1}{2}$ . Find  $g'(3)$ .

**Example** If  $f(x) = x + x^2 + e^x$  and  $g(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ , find  $g'(1)$ .