

## Non-AP Calculus 2.2-2.4 Derivatives Quiz Review WS #1

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2. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for  $y = \sqrt[4]{5x^3 - 2x + 9\pi}$

3. Find  $g'(x)$  for  $g(x) = x^3(x^2 - 7)^5$  (simplify fully in factored form)

4. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for  $y = \left(\frac{x^3}{1+x^2}\right)^5$  (simplify fully in factored form)

5. If  $f(x) = \frac{x+4}{x^2-2}$  find  $f'(x)$  (simplify fully). Then write the equation of the line tangent to  $f(x)$  at  $x = 1$  in point-slope form.

6. Particle moves along the x-axis so that its position at time  $t$  is given  $x(t) = t^3 - 9t^2 + 15t - 7$  where  $x(t)$  is in feet per second and  $t \geq 0$ . Use this to answer the questions below. **Include units with your answers**

a) Find the velocity and acceleration function

b) What is its velocity at  $t = 2$  seconds?

c) What is its acceleration at  $t = 4$  seconds?

d) Find the average velocity of particle in  $[3, 8]$

e) When is the particle at rest?

f) When is the particle moving right? When does particle change directions? (Create Sign Line) Give justification.

g) What is displacement of particle from  $t = 2$  to  $t = 6$ ? Show work.

h) What is the total distance of particle from  $t = 2$  to  $t = 6$ ? Show work.

i) Is the speed increasing or decreasing at  $t = 4$ ? Justify.

j) Is velocity increasing or decreasing at  $t = 2$ ? Justify.

# Solution Key

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$$y = 7x^4 - 7x^3 - \frac{3}{11}x^2 + 4\pi x - 5\pi^4 + x^{4/5} + 5x^{-7/2}$$

$$y' = 28x^3 - 21x^2 - \frac{3}{11} \cdot 2x + 4\pi - 0 + \frac{4}{5}x^{-1/5} + 5 \cdot -\frac{7}{2}x^{-9/2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 28x^3 - 21x^2 - \frac{6}{11}x + 4\pi + \frac{4}{5x^{1/5}} - \frac{35}{2x^{9/2}}$$

2. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for  $y = \sqrt[4]{5x^3 - 2x + 9\pi}$  \* chain rule

outside:  $( )^{1/4}$   
inside:  $5x^3 - 2x + 9\pi$

$$y = (5x^3 - 2x + 9\pi)^{1/4}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{4}(5x^3 - 2x + 9\pi)^{-3/4} \cdot (15x^2 - 2)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{15x^2 - 2}{4(5x^3 - 2x + 9\pi)^{3/4}}$$

3. Find  $g'(x)$  for  $g(x) = x^3(x^2 - 7)^5$

$$g'(x) = \underbrace{3x^2 \cdot (x^2 - 7)^5}_{x^2(x^2 - 7)^4} + \underbrace{x^3 \cdot 5(x^2 - 7)^4(2x)}_{x^2(x^2 - 7)^4}$$

$$g'(x) = x^2(x^2 - 7)^4 [3(x^2 - 7) + 10x^2]$$

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$$3x^2 - 21 + 10x^2$$

\* 1) product rule  $f'g + fg'$   
\* 2) chain rule  $\rightarrow$  outside:  $( )^5$   
inside:  $x^2 - 7$

$$g'(x) = x^2(x^2 - 7)^4(13x^2 - 21)$$

4. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for  $y = \left(\frac{x^3}{1+x^2}\right)^5$

$$y' = 5\left(\frac{x^3}{1+x^2}\right)^4 \cdot \left[\frac{3x^2(1+x^2) - x^3(2x)}{(1+x^2)^2}\right]$$

$$y' = 5\left(\frac{x^3}{1+x^2}\right)^4 \left[\frac{3x^2 + 3x^4 - 2x^4}{(1+x^2)^2}\right]$$

\* 1) chain rule  $\rightarrow$  outside:  $( )^5$   
inside:  $\frac{x^3}{1+x^2}$   
\* 2) quotient rule

$$y' = \frac{5x^{12}(x^4 + 3x^2)}{(1+x^2)^6} = \frac{5x^{12} \cdot x^2(x^2 + 3)}{(1+x^2)^6}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5x^{14}(x^2 + 3)}{(1+x^2)^6}$$

5. If  $f(x) = \frac{x+4}{x^2-2}$  find  $f'(x)$  (simplify fully). Then write the equation of the line tangent to  $f(x)$  at  $x=1$  in point-slope form.

\* quotient rule  $\frac{u}{v} \rightarrow \frac{u'v - uv'}{v^2}$

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

$$f'(x) = \frac{x^2-2-2x^2-8x}{(x^2-2)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{-x^2-8x-2}{(x^2-2)^2}$$

point:  $(1, -5)$   
slope:  $m = -11$

point:  $f(1) = \frac{1+4}{1^2-2} = \frac{5}{-1} = -5$

$$y+5 = -11(x-1)$$

slope:  $f'(1) = \frac{-1^2-8(1)-2}{(1^2-2)^2} = -11$

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a) Find the velocity and acceleration function

$$v(t) = 3t^2 - 18t + 15$$

$$a(t) = 6t - 18$$

b) What is its velocity at  $t=2$  seconds?

$$v(2) = 3(2)^2 - 18(2) + 15 = -9 \text{ ft/s}$$

c) What is its acceleration at  $t=4$  seconds?

$$a(4) = 6(4) - 18 = 6 \text{ ft/s}^2$$

d) Find the average velocity of particle in  $[3, 8]$

$$\text{avg. velocity} = \frac{\text{change in position}}{\text{change in time}} = \frac{x(8) - x(3)}{8 - 3}$$

$$x(8) = 49$$

$$x(3) = -16$$

$$\text{Avg. velocity} = \frac{49 - (-16)}{8 - 3} = \frac{65}{5} = 13 \text{ ft/s}$$

e) When is the particle at rest? \*set  $v(t) = 0$

$$v(t) = 3t^2 - 18t + 15$$

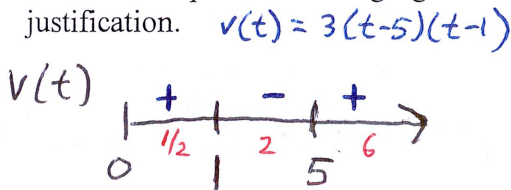
$$0 = 3(t^2 - 6t + 5)$$

$$0 = 3(t-5)(t-1)$$

$$t = 1, 5 \text{ seconds}$$

b/c  $v(t) = 0$

f) When is the particle moving right? When does particle change directions? (Create Sign Line) Give justification.



particle moving right  $[0, 1) \cup (5, \infty)$  b/c  $v(t) > 0$   
particle change directions at  $t = 1, 5$  seconds b/c  $v(t)$  change signs.

g) What is displacement of particle from  $t=2$  to  $t=6$ ? Show work.

\* displacement = final position - initial position

$$x(6) = -25 = x(6) - x(2)$$

$$x(2) = -5 = -25 - (-5) = -20 \text{ ft}$$

h) What is the total distance of particle from  $t=2$  to  $t=6$ ? Show work. \*changes direction at 5

$$x(2) = -5 > 27$$

$$x(5) = -32 > 7$$

$$x(6) = -25 > 7$$

$$27 + 7 = 34 \text{ ft}$$

i) Is the speed increasing or decreasing at  $t=4$ ? Justify.

$$v(4) = -9 \text{ ft/s}$$

$$a(4) = 6 \text{ ft/s}^2$$

speed decreasing at  $t=4$  because  $v(t)$  and  $a(t)$  have opposite signs.

j) Is velocity increasing or decreasing at  $t=2$ ? Justify.

$$\text{Since } a(2) = -6 \text{ ft/s}^2$$

velocity is decreasing at  $t=2$  because  $a(t) < 0$