

NELSON SENIOR MATHS METHODS 12

FULLY WORKED SOLUTIONS

CHAPTER 1: Derivatives, Exponential and trigonometric functions

Exercise 1.01 The product and quotient rules

Concepts and techniques

1 **a**
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}[x^3(2x + 3)] &= 3x^2(2x + 3) + 2x^3 \\ &= 8x^3 + 9x^2\end{aligned}$$

NOTE: These derivatives can be expressed in several ways.

A couple are listed below.

$$\begin{aligned}[x^3(2x + 3)] &= 3x^2(2x + 3) + 2x^3 \\ &= 8x^3 + 9x^2\end{aligned}$$

OR Let $y = [x^3(2x + 3)]$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= 3x^2(2x + 3) + 2x^3 \\ &= 8x^3 + 9x^2\end{aligned}$$

b
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}(3x - 2)(2x + 1) &= 3(2x + 1) + 2(3x - 2) \\ &= 12x - 1\end{aligned}$$

c
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}3x(5x + 7) &= 3(5x + 7) + 5(3x) \\ &= 30x + 21\end{aligned}$$

d
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} 4x^4(3x^2 - 1) &= 16x^3(3x^2 - 1) + 6x(4x^4) \\ &= 72x^5 - 16x^3\end{aligned}$$

e
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} 2x(3x^4 - x) &= 2(3x^4 - x) + (12x^3 - 1)2x \\ &= 30x^4 - 4x\end{aligned}$$

2 **a**
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} (3x - 7)(2x + 5) &= 3(2x + 5) + 2(3x - 7) \\ &= 12x + 1\end{aligned}$$

b
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} (5x + 2)(x^2 - 1) &= 5(x^2 - 1) + 2x(5x + 2) \\ &= 15x^2 + 4x - 5\end{aligned}$$

c
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} (5x - 3)(x^3 + 2x - 1) &= 5(x^3 + 2x - 1) + (3x^2 + 2)(5x - 3) \\ &= 5x^3 + 10x - 5 + 15x^3 - 9x^2 + 10x - 6 \\ &= 20x^3 - 9x^2 + 20x - 11\end{aligned}$$

d
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 + 7)(x^2 - x - 1) &= 2x(x^2 - x - 1) + (2x - 1)(x^2 + 7) \\ &= 2x^3 - 2x^2 - 2 + 2x^3 - x^2 + 14x - 7 \\ &= 4x^3 - 3x^2 + 14x - 9\end{aligned}$$

e
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} (x^3 + 3)(x^4 + 2x^3 - 5x^2 + x - 2) &= 3x^2(x^4 + 2x^3 - 5x^2 + x - 2) + (4x^3 + 6x^2 - 10x + 1)(x^3 + 3) \\ &= 3x^6 + 6x^5 - 15x^4 + 3x^3 - 2x^2 + 12x^6 + 6x^5 - 10x^4 + x^3 + 12x^3 + 18x^2 - 30x + 3 \\ &= 18x^6 + 12x^5 - 9x^4 + x^3 + 16x^3 + 16x^2 - 30x + 3\end{aligned}$$

3 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{2x-1} \right) = \frac{0(2x-1) - 2(1)}{(2x-1)^2} = \frac{-2}{(2x-1)^2}$

b $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{3x}{x+5} \right) = \frac{3(x+5) - 1(3x)}{(x+5)^2} = \frac{15}{(x+5)^2}$

c $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^3}{x^2-4} \right) = \frac{3x^2(x^2-4) - (2x)x^3}{(x^2-4)^2} = \frac{x^4 - 12x^2}{(x^2-4)^2}$

d $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x-3}{5x+1} \right) = \frac{1(5x+1) - 5(x-3)}{(5x+1)^2} = \frac{16}{(5x+1)^2}$

e $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x-7}{x^2} \right) = \frac{x^2 - 2x(x-7)}{x^4} = \frac{-x^2 + 14x}{x^4} = \frac{-x + 14}{x^3}$

f $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{5x+4}{x+3} \right) = \frac{5(x+3) - 1(5x+4)}{(x+3)^2} = \frac{11}{(x+3)^2}$

g $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x}{2x^2-x} \right) = \frac{1(2x^2-x) - (4x-1)x}{(2x^2-x)^2} = \frac{-2x^2}{(2x^2-x)^2}$

h $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x+4}{x-2} \right) = \frac{1(x-2) - 1(x+4)}{(x-2)^2} = \frac{-6}{(x-2)^2}$

i $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{2x+7}{4x-3} \right) = \frac{2(4x-3) - 4(2x+7)}{(4x-3)^2} = \frac{-34}{(4x-3)^2}$

j $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x+5}{3x+1} \right) = \frac{1(3x+1) - 3(x+5)}{(3x+1)^2} = \frac{-14}{(3x+1)^2}$

4 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} (x^{-4}) = -4x^{-5}$

b $\frac{d}{dx} (x^{-8}) = -8x^{-9}$

c $\frac{d}{dx} (2x^{-3}) = -6x^{-4}$

d $\frac{d}{dx} (5x^{-11}) = -55x^{-12}$

e $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^{-9}}{5} \right) = \frac{-9}{5} x^{-10}$

f $\frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$

g $\frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{1}{4}} \right) = \frac{1}{4} x^{-\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{1}{4x^{\frac{3}{4}}}$

h $\frac{d}{dx} \left(3x^{\frac{1}{7}} \right) = \frac{3}{7} x^{-\frac{6}{7}} = \frac{3}{7x^{\frac{6}{7}}}$

i $\frac{d}{dx} \left(5x^{\frac{2}{3}} \right) = \frac{10}{3} x^{-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{10}{3x^{\frac{1}{3}}}$

j $\frac{d}{dx} \left(2x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right) = -1x^{-\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{-1}{x^{\frac{3}{2}}}$

- 5**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x^5} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} x^{-5} = -5x^{-6} = \frac{-5}{x^6}$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x^6} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} x^{-6} = -6x^{-7} = \frac{-6}{x^7}$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{2}{x^3} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} 2x^{-3} = -6x^{-4} = \frac{-6}{x^4}$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{3x^2} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^{-2}}{3} \right) = \frac{-2x^{-3}}{3} = \frac{-2}{3x^3}$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{4}{5x} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{4x^{-1}}{5} \right) = \frac{-4x^{-2}}{5} = \frac{-4}{5x^2}$
- f** $\frac{d}{dx} (\sqrt{x}) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} x^{\frac{-1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$
- g** $\frac{d}{dx} (\sqrt[6]{x}) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{1}{6}} \right) = \frac{1}{6} x^{\frac{-5}{6}} = \frac{1}{6\sqrt[6]{x^5}}$
- h** $\frac{d}{dx} (4\sqrt[3]{x}) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(4x^{\frac{1}{3}} \right) = \frac{4}{3} x^{\frac{-2}{3}} = \frac{4}{3\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$
- i** $\frac{d}{dx} (\sqrt[3]{x^2}) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{2}{3}} \right) = \frac{2}{3} x^{\frac{-1}{3}} = \frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{x}}$
- j** $\frac{d}{dx} (\sqrt{x^5}) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{5}{2}} \right) = \frac{5}{2} x^{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{5\sqrt{x^3}}{2}$

6 **a** $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ so $f'(x) = -1x^{-2} = \frac{-1}{x^2}$ $\therefore f'(4) = \frac{-1}{16}$

b $g(x) = \frac{x^2 - 5}{x+3}$ so $g'(x) = \frac{2x(x+3) - 1(x^2 - 5)}{(x+3)^2} = \frac{x^2 + 6x + 5}{(x+3)^2}$
 $\therefore g'(-2) = \frac{4 - 12 + 5}{(-2+3)^2} = -3$

c $y = (2x^2 + 3x - 5)(x^3 - x^2 + 8)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (4x+3)(x^3 - x^2 + 8) + (3x^2 - 2x)(2x^2 + 3x - 5)$$

$$\therefore \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=3} = 15 \times 26 + 21 \times 22 = 852$$

d $p(t) = 4t^{\frac{5}{3}} - t^{-\frac{4}{3}}$

$$\therefore p'(t) = \frac{20}{3}t^{\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{4}{3}t^{-\frac{7}{3}}$$

$$p'(8) = \frac{20}{3} \times 4 + \frac{4}{3} \times 2^{-7} = \frac{80}{3} + \frac{1}{3 \times 32} = 26\frac{65}{96} = 26.6770\dots$$

e $h(y) = y^{-5}$

$$h'(y) = -5y^{-6}$$

$$h'(\frac{1}{2}) = -5(2^6) = -320$$

7 **a** $y = x^2(3x + 2)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x(3x+2) + 3x^2$$

$$\text{At } x=4, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = 8 \times 14 + 3 \times 16 = 160$$

b $y = \frac{1}{x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{x^2}$$

$$\text{At } x=3, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{9}$$

c $y = \frac{2x+1}{x-2}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-5}{(x-2)^2}$$

At $(1, -3)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -5$

Reasoning and communication

8 **a** $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) = \frac{-2}{x^3}$

The derivative is positive for $x < 0$.

b $\frac{d}{dx}\left(x - \sqrt[3]{x}\right) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(x - x^{\frac{1}{3}}\right) = 1 - \frac{1}{3}x^{-\frac{2}{3}} = 1 - \frac{1}{3x^{\frac{2}{3}}} = 1 - \frac{1}{3\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$

$$1 - \frac{1}{3\sqrt[3]{x^2}} > 0$$

$$\sqrt[3]{x^2} > \frac{1}{3}$$

$$x^2 > \frac{1}{27}$$

$$x < -\frac{1}{\sqrt{27}} \text{ or } x > \frac{1}{\sqrt{27}}$$

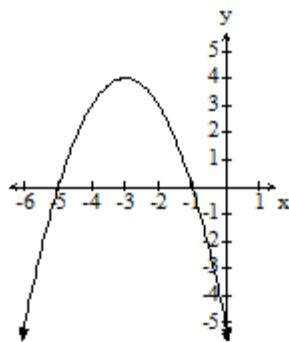
c $\frac{d}{dx}\left(-6x^{-4}\right) = 24x^{-5} = \frac{24}{x^5}$

The derivative is positive for $x > 0$.

d $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x+3}{x^2-5} \right) = \frac{-x^2 - 6x - 5}{(x^2 - 5)^2} = \frac{-(x+5)(x+1)}{(x^2 - 5)^2}$

$(x^2 - 5)^2$ is always positive

Consider the graph of $y = -(x + 5)(x + 1)$



$y > 0$ for $-5 < x < -1$

\therefore The derivative is positive for $-5 < x < -1$.

e $\frac{d}{dx}(x^{-3}) = -3x^{-4} = -\frac{3}{x^4}$

$x^4 > 0$ for all values of x . $x \neq 0$

$-\frac{3}{x^4}$ is always negative (or not defined at $x = 0$)

The derivative is never positive.

9 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x(3x - 2) + 3(x^2)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 9x^2 - 4x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 5 \text{ then } 5 = 9x^2 - 4x$$

$$9x^2 - 4x - 5 = 0$$

$$(x-1)(9x+5) = 0$$

$$x = 1 \text{ or } x = -\frac{5}{9}$$

If $x = 1$ then $y = 1$

$$\text{If } x = -\frac{5}{9} \text{ then } y = \frac{25}{81} \left(-\frac{5}{3} - 2 \right) = -\frac{275}{243}$$

$$M(1, 1), N\left(-\frac{5}{9}, 1\frac{32}{243}\right)$$

10 $y = \frac{2x-1}{x+3}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\frac{2(x+3) - 1(2x-1)}{(x+3)^2} \right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{7}{(x+3)^2}$$

$$\frac{7}{25} = \frac{7}{(x+3)^2}$$

$$(x+3)^2 = 25$$

$$x+3 = \pm 5$$

$$x = -3 \pm 5$$

$$x = 2 \text{ or } x = -8$$

11 $y = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x + 3}$

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

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

If $x = 2$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4+12+1}{25} = \frac{17}{25}$

If $x = 2$, $y = \frac{3}{5}$

$$y = mx + c$$

$$\frac{3}{5} = \frac{17}{25}(2) + c$$

$$c = -\frac{19}{25}$$

Equation of tangent is $y = \frac{17}{25}x - \frac{19}{25}$

i.e. $25y - 17x + 19 = 0$

12 $C(x) = (x + 1)(0.04x^2 - 10x + 20)^2$

a $C(20) = 21(0.04 \times 20^2 - 200 + 20)^2$

$$C(20) = \$564\ 816$$

b i $C'(x) = 1(0.04x^2 - 10x + 20)^2 + \left[\frac{d}{dx}(0.04x^2 - 10x + 20)^2 \right] \times (x+1)$

$$C'(x) = (0.04x^2 - 10x + 20)^2 + 2(0.04x^2 - 10x + 20)(0.08x - 10) \times (x + 1)$$

$$C'(20) = \$84\ 755.20$$

ii $C'(50) = \$376\ 960$

13 **a** Show that $\left(x^{\frac{1}{4}} - y^{\frac{1}{4}}\right)\left(x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{1}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{3}{4}}\right) = x - y$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left(x^{\frac{1}{4}} - y^{\frac{1}{4}}\right)\left(x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{1}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{3}{4}}\right) \\
 &= x^{\frac{1}{4}}\left(x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{1}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{3}{4}}\right) - y^{\frac{1}{4}}\left(x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{1}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{3}{4}}\right) \\
 &= x + \cancel{x^{\frac{3}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{4}}} + \cancel{x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{1}{2}}} + \cancel{x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{3}{4}}} - x \cancel{\frac{3}{4}y^{\frac{1}{4}}} - x \cancel{\frac{1}{2}y^{\frac{1}{2}}} - x \cancel{\frac{1}{4}y^{\frac{3}{4}}} - y \\
 &= x - y
 \end{aligned}$$

b Show that $\frac{d}{dx}x^{\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{1}{4}x^{-\frac{3}{4}}$.

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

$$f(x) = x^{\frac{1}{4}} \text{ and } f(x+h) = (x+h)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\text{so } f(x+h) - f(x) = (x+h)^{\frac{1}{4}} - x^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\text{Using } \left(x^{\frac{1}{4}} - y^{\frac{1}{4}}\right) = \frac{x - y}{\left(x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{\frac{1}{4}} + x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{3}{4}}\right)}$$

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

$$= \frac{h}{\left[(x+h)^{\frac{3}{4}} + (x+h)^{\frac{1}{2}}x^{\frac{1}{4}} + (x+h)^{\frac{1}{4}}x^{\frac{1}{2}} + x^{\frac{3}{4}}\right]}$$

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

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\left[(x+h)^{\frac{3}{4}} + (x+h)^{\frac{1}{2}}x^{\frac{1}{4}} + (x+h)^{\frac{1}{4}}x^{\frac{1}{2}} + x^{\frac{3}{4}}\right]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\left(x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{3}{4}} + x^{\frac{3}{4}}\right)} = \frac{1}{4x^{\frac{3}{4}}}$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{1}{4}x^{-\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 14 \quad (x-y)(x^2+xy+y^2) &= x^3 + x^2y + xy^2 - x^2y - xy^2 - y^3 \\
 &= x^3 - y^3
 \end{aligned}$$

Show that the derivative of $\sqrt[3]{x}$ is $\frac{1}{3\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$.

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

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} \text{ and } f(x+h) = \sqrt[3]{x+h}$$

$$\text{so } f(x+h) - f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x+h} - \sqrt[3]{x}$$

$$\text{Using } (x-y) = \frac{x^3 - y^3}{(x^2 + xy + y^2)}$$

$$f(x+h) - f(x) = \frac{(\sqrt[3]{x+h})^3 - (\sqrt[3]{x})^3}{[(\sqrt[3]{x+h})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x+h})\sqrt[3]{x} + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2]}$$

$$= \frac{x+h-x}{[(\sqrt[3]{x+h})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x+h})\sqrt[3]{x} + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2]}$$

$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{1}{h} \frac{x+h-x}{[(\sqrt[3]{x+h})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x+h})\sqrt[3]{x} + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{[(\sqrt[3]{x+h})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x+h})\sqrt[3]{x} + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2]}$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{[(\sqrt[3]{x+h})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x+h})\sqrt[3]{x} + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{[(\sqrt[3]{x})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2 + (\sqrt[3]{x})^2]} = \frac{1}{3(\sqrt[3]{x})^2}$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{1}{3\sqrt[3]{x^2}}$$

Exercise 1.02 The chain rule

Concepts and techniques

1 $m(x) = 3x + 3$, $g(x) = x^2$, $p(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$ and $q(x) = x^2 + 4$

a $g(m) = m^2$

$$m(x) = 3x + 3$$

$$g[m(x)] = g(3x + 3) = (3x + 3)^2 = 9x^2 + 18x + 9$$

b $m(g) = 3g + 3$

$$g(x) = x^2$$

$$m[g(x)] = m(x^2) = 3x^2 + 3$$

c $q[m(x)] = q(3x + 3) = (3x + 3)^2 + 4 = 9x^2 + 18x + 13$

d $m[q(x)] = m(x^2 + 4) = 3(x^2 + 4) + 3 = 3x^2 + 15$

e $p[q(x)] = p(x^2 + 4) = \sqrt[3]{x^2 + 4}$

f $q[p(x)] = q(\sqrt[3]{x}) = (\sqrt[3]{x})^2 + 4$

g $m[p(x)] = m(\sqrt[3]{x}) = 3\sqrt[3]{x} + 3$

$$m[p(8)] = 3\sqrt[3]{8} + 3 = 9$$

h $p[m(x)] = p(3x + 3) = \sqrt[3]{3x + 3}$

$$p[m(8)] = \sqrt[3]{3 \times 8 + 3} = \sqrt[3]{27} = 3$$

i $g[q(x)] = g(x^2 + 4) = (x^2 + 4)^2$

$$g[q(3)] = (9 + 4)^2 = 169$$

j $q[g(x)] = q(x^2) = x^4 + 4$

$$q[g(3)] = 81 + 4 = 85$$

- 2**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx} (x+3)^4 = 4(x+3)^3 \times 1 = 4(x+3)^3$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx} (2x-1)^3 = 3(2x-1)^2 \times 2 = 6(2x-1)^2$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx} (5x^2 - 4)^7 = 7(5x^2 - 4)^6 \times 10x = 70x(5x^2 - 4)^6$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx} (8x+3)^6 = 6(8x+3)^5 \times 8 = 48(8x+3)^5$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx} (1-x)^5 = 5(1-x)^4 (-1) = -5(1-x)^4$
- 3**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx} 3(5x+9)^9 = 27(5x+9)^8 \times 5 = 135(5x+9)^8$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx} 2(x-4)^2 = 4(x-4) \times 1 = 4x-16$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx} (2x^3 + 3x)^4 = 4(2x^3 + 3x)^3 \times (6x^2 + 3)$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 + 5x - 1)^8 = 8(x^2 + 5x - 1)^7 (2x + 5)$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx} (x^6 - 2x^2 + 3)^6 = 12(x^6 - 2x^2 + 3)^5 (3x^5 - 2x)$
- 4**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx} (3x-1)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2}(3x-1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \times 3 = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{3x-1}}$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx} (4-x)^{-2} = -2(4-x)^{-3} \times (-1) = 2(4-x)^{-3}$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 - 9)^{-3} = -3(x^2 - 9)^{-4} \times (2x) = -6x(x^2 - 9)^{-4}$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx} (5x+4)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{3}(5x+4)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \times 5 = \frac{5}{3(5x+4)^{\frac{2}{3}}}$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx} (x^3 - 7x^2 + x)^{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{3}{4}(x^3 - 7x^2 + x)^{-\frac{1}{4}} \times (3x^2 - 14x + 1) = \frac{3(3x^2 - 14x + 1)}{4(x^3 - 7x^2 + x)^{\frac{1}{4}}}$

5 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt{3x+4} = \frac{d}{dx} (3x+4)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} (3x+4)^{\frac{-1}{2}} \times 3 = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{(3x+4)}}$

b $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{5x-2} = \frac{d}{dx} (5x-2)^{-1} = -1(5x-2)^{-2} \times 5 = \frac{-5}{(5x-2)^2}$

c $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{(x^2+1)^4} = \frac{d}{dx} (x^2+1)^{-4} = -4(x^2+1)^{-5} \times 2x = \frac{-8x}{(x^2+1)^5}$

d $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt[3]{(7-3x)^2} = \frac{d}{dx} (7-3x)^{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{2}{3} (7-3x)^{\frac{-1}{3}} \times (-3) = \frac{-2}{(7-3x)^{\frac{1}{3}}} = \frac{-2}{\sqrt[3]{7-3x}}$

e $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{5}{\sqrt{4+x}} = \frac{d}{dx} 5(4+x)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{-5}{2} (4+x)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \times 1 = \frac{-5}{2(4+x)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \frac{-5}{2\sqrt{(4+x)^3}}$

6 **a**
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} x^2(x+1)^3 \\ &= 2x(x+1)^3 + 3(x+1)^2 \times 1 \times x^2 \\ &= x(x+1)^2 [2(x+1) + 3x] \\ &= x(x+1)^2 (5x+2) \end{aligned}$$

b
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} 4x(3x-2)^5 \\ &= 4(3x-2)^5 + 5(3x-2)^4 \times 3 \times 4x \\ &= 4(3x-2)^4 (3x-2 + 15x) \\ &= 4(3x-2)^4 (18x-2) \\ &= 8(3x-2)^4 (9x-1) \end{aligned}$$

c
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} 3x^4(4-x)^3 \\ &= 12x^3(4-x)^3 + 3(4-x)^2 (-1) 3x^4 \\ &= 3x^3(4-x)^2 [4(4-x) - 3x] \\ &= 3x^3(4-x)^2 (16-7x) \end{aligned}$$

d

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx} (x+1)(2x+5)^4 \\ &= 1(2x+5)^4 + 4(2x+5)^3 \times 2 \times (x+1) \\ &= (2x+5)^3 (2x+5+8x+8) \\ &= (2x+5)^3 (10x+13) \end{aligned}$$

e

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx} (x^3 + 5x^2 - 3)(x^2 + 1)^5 \\ &= (3x^2 + 10x)(x^2 + 1)^5 + 5(x^2 + 1)^4 \times 2x \times (x^3 + 5x^2 - 3) \\ &= x(x^2 + 1)^4 [(3x+10)(x^2 + 1) + 10(x^3 + 5x^2 - 3)] \\ &= x(x^2 + 1)^4 [(3x^3 + 10x^2 + 3x + 10) + (10x^3 + 50x^2 - 30)] \\ &= x(x^2 + 1)^4 (13x^3 + 60x^2 + 3x - 20) \end{aligned}$$

7 **a**

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx} \frac{(2x-9)^3}{5x+1} \\ &= \frac{(2x-9)^3}{5x+1} \\ &= \frac{3(2x-9)^2 2(5x+1) - 5(2x-9)^3}{(5x+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{(2x-9)^2 (6(5x+1) - 5(2x-9))}{(5x+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{(2x-9)^2 (30x+6 - 10x + 45)}{(5x+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{(20x+51)(2x-9)^2}{(5x+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

b

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx} \frac{x-1}{(7x+2)^4} \\ &= \frac{1(7x+2)^4 - 4(7x+2)^3 7(x-1)}{(7x+2)^8} \\ &= \frac{(7x+2)^3 ((7x+2) - 28(x-1))}{(7x+2)^8} \\ &= \frac{(7x+2)^3 (-21x+30)}{(7x+2)^8} \\ &= \frac{3(10-7x)}{(7x+2)^5} \end{aligned}$$

c

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx} \frac{(3x+4)^5}{(2x-5)^3} \\ &= \frac{5(3x+4)^4 3(2x-5)^3 - 3(2x-5)^2 2(3x+4)^5}{(2x-5)^6} \\ &= \frac{3(3x+4)^4 (2x-5)^2 [5(2x-5)^1 - 2(3x+4)]}{(2x-5)^6} \\ &= \frac{3(3x+4)^4 (4x-33)}{(2x-5)^4} \end{aligned}$$

d

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx} \frac{3x+1}{\sqrt{x+1}} \\ &= \frac{3\sqrt{x+1} - \frac{1}{2}(x+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \times 1(3x+1)}{(\sqrt{x+1})^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{(x+1)} \times \left(3\sqrt{x+1} - \frac{3x+1}{2\sqrt{x+1}} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(x+1)} \times \left[\frac{6(x+1) - (3x+1)}{2\sqrt{x+1}} \right] \\ &= \left[\frac{3x+5}{2\sqrt{(x+1)^3}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

e

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\sqrt{x-1}}{2x-3} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{1}{2}(x-1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \times 1 \times (2x-3) - 2\sqrt{x-1}}{(2x-3)^2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{(2x-3)^2} \times \left(\frac{2x-3}{2\sqrt{x-1}} - 2\sqrt{x-1} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(2x-3)^2} \times \left[\frac{2x-3-4(x-1)}{2\sqrt{x-1}} \right] \\
 &= \left[\frac{-2x+1}{2(2x-3)^2 \sqrt{x-1}} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

8 **a** $g(x) = (3x + 5)^3(2x - 1)^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 g'(x) &= 3(3x + 5)^2 \cdot 3(2x - 1)^2 + 2(2x - 1) \cdot 2(3x + 5)^3 \\
 &= (3x + 5)^2(2x - 1)[9(2x - 1) + 4(3x + 5)]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$g'(x) = (3x + 5)^2(2x - 1)[30x + 11]$$

$$g'(-2) = (-1)^2(-5)[-49] = 245$$

b

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(t) &= \frac{3t^2 - 2t + 1}{(4t - 5)^3} \\
 f'(t) &= \frac{(6t - 2)(4t - 5)^3 - 3(4t - 5)^2 \cdot 4(3t^2 - 2t + 1)}{(4t - 5)^6} \\
 &= \frac{(4t - 5)^2 [(6t - 2)(4t - 5) - 12(3t^2 - 2t + 1)]}{(4t - 5)^6} \\
 f'(3) &= \frac{[16 \times 7 - 12(22)]}{(7)^4} = \frac{-152}{2401}
 \end{aligned}$$

c $p(x) = \sqrt[3]{(4x-7)^5} = (4x-7)^{\frac{5}{3}}$

$$p'(x) = \frac{5}{3}(4x-7)^{\frac{2}{3}} \times 4$$

$$p'(0.5) = \frac{5}{3}(2-7)^{\frac{2}{3}} \times 4 = 19.49$$

d $h(z) = (3z-1)^4 \left(\sqrt[3]{2z-3} \right)^2$

$$h'(z) = 4(3z-1)^3 \times 3 \left(\sqrt[3]{2z-3} \right)^2 + \frac{2}{3}(2z-3)^{-\frac{1}{3}} \times 2(3z-1)^4$$

$$h'(z) = 12(3z-1)^3 \left(\sqrt[3]{2z-3} \right)^2 + \frac{4(3z-1)^4}{3\sqrt[3]{2z-3}}$$

$$h'(-1) = 12(-4)^3 \left(\sqrt[3]{-5} \right)^2 + \frac{4(-4)^4}{3\sqrt[3]{-5}} = -2445.26$$

e $m(x) = \frac{1}{(3x^2 - 2x - 4)^3} = (3x^2 - 2x - 4)^{-3}$

$$m'(x) = -3(3x^2 - 2x - 4)^{-4} (6x - 2)$$

$$m'(1) = -3(-3)^{-4} 4 = \frac{-4}{27}$$

Reasoning and communication

9 $y = (2x - 3)^4$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4(2x - 3)^3 \times 2 = 8(2x - 3)^3$$

$$-8 = 8(2x - 3)^3$$

$$(2x - 3)^3 = -1$$

$$2x - 3 = -1$$

$$2x = 2$$

$$x = 1 \quad y = ? \quad y = 1$$

Point is $(1, 1)$

10 $V = (1500t + 17t^2)^3$

a $V_{30} = 2.2 \times 10^{14}$ litres

b $\frac{dV}{dt} = 3(1500t + 17t^2)^2 (1500 + 34t)$

At $t = 5$,

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 3(1500 \times 5 + 17 \times 25)^2 (1500 + 34 \times 5) = 3.14 \times 10^{11} \text{ litres per minute}$$

c At $t = 30$,

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 3(1500 \times 30 + 17 \times 900)^2 (1500 + 34 \times 30) = 2.75 \times 10^{13} \text{ litres per minute}$$

11 Given $q(x) = \sqrt{x-4}$

a $x-4 \geq 0$ so $x \geq 4$

b $q'(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x-4)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \times 1 = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x-4}}$

At $x = 13$ the gradient is $q'(13) = \frac{1}{6}$

c $q(13) = \sqrt{13-4} = 3$

$$y = \frac{x}{6} + c$$

At $(13, 3)$, $3 = \frac{13}{6} + c \Rightarrow c = \frac{5}{6}$

The equation of the tangent at $x = 13$ is $y = \frac{x}{6} + \frac{5}{6}$

d At $x = a$, $q'(a) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{a-4}}$

e $A(a, \sqrt{a-4})$, Gradient is $\frac{\sqrt{a-4}-0}{a-0} = \frac{\sqrt{a-4}}{a}$

f $y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{a-4}}x + c$

Goes through $(0, 0) \Rightarrow c = 0$

Using A ,

$$\sqrt{a-4} = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{a-4}}$$

$$2(a-4) = a$$

$$a = 8$$

$$q(8) = \sqrt{8-4} = 2$$

$$A(8, 2)$$

- 12** For the function $y = \frac{1}{x+2} + 2$

a $\frac{dy}{dx} = -1(x+2)^{-2} = \frac{-1}{(x+2)^2}$

At $x = -2.5$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{(-2.5+2)^2} = -4$$

b At $x = -1.5$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{(-1.5+2)^2} = -4$$

c They are parallel.

d At $x = -2.2$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -25$

e At $x = -1.8$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -25$

f They are parallel.

g At $x = -3$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -1$

h At $x = -1$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -1$

i They are parallel.

j $x = -2 \pm k$

13 $y = (x + 2)^3$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(x + 2)^2$

At $x = -3$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3$

The gradient of the normal is $-\frac{1}{3}$

Equation of the normal: $y = -\frac{x}{3} + c$

Substitute the point $(-3, -1) \Rightarrow -1 = -\frac{-3}{3} + c \Rightarrow c = -2$

Therefore the normal passes through the point $(0, -2)$ so has y -intercept -2 .

14 $y = 4x^2$, Points equidistant from the origin are $(a, 4a^2)$ and $(-a, 4a^2)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 8x$$

If $x = a$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8a$ and if $x = -a$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -8a$

Slopes of the normals are

$$m_{\perp} = -\frac{1}{8a} \text{ and } m_{\perp} = \frac{1}{8a}$$

Equations of the normals are

$$y = -\frac{x}{8a} + c \quad \text{and} \quad y = \frac{x}{8a} + c$$

Use the points $(a, 4a^2)$ and $(-a, 4a^2)$ to find the c values:

$$4a^2 = -\frac{a}{8a} + c \quad \text{and} \quad 4a^2 = \frac{-a}{8a} + c$$

$$c = 4a^2 + \frac{1}{8} \quad \text{and} \quad c = 4a^2 - \frac{1}{8}$$

Equations of the normals are

$$y = -\frac{x}{8a} + 4a^2 + \frac{1}{8} \quad \text{and} \quad y = \frac{x}{8a} + 4a^2 - \frac{1}{8}$$

On the x -axis, $y = 0$, so

$$\frac{x}{8a} = 4a^2 + \frac{1}{8} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{x}{8a} = -4a^2 - \frac{1}{8}$$

$$x = 32a^3 + a \quad \text{and} \quad x = -32a^3 - a$$

These are equidistant distances from the origin on the x -axis.

Exercise 1.03 The derivative of exponential functions

Concepts and techniques

1 TI-Nspire CAS

The TI-Nspire CAS software interface displays the following calculations:

Expression	Value
e^{-2}	0.135335
$2 \cdot e^{0.3}$	2.69972
$\frac{1}{e^3}$	0.049787
$-3 \cdot e^{-3.1}$	-0.135148

ClassPad

The ClassPad software interface displays the following calculations:

Expression	Value
$e^{1.5}$	4.48168907
e^{-2}	0.1353352832
$2e^{0.3}$	2.699717615
$\frac{1}{e^3}$	0.04978706837
$-3e^{-3.1}$	-0.1351476072

a $e^{1.5} = 4.48$

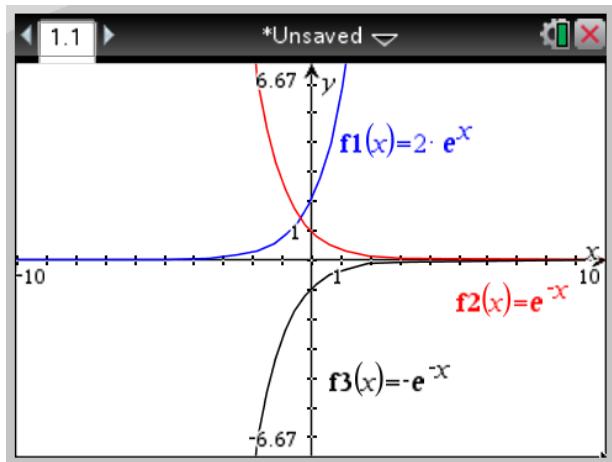
b $e^{-2} = 0.14$

c $2e^{0.3} = 2.70$

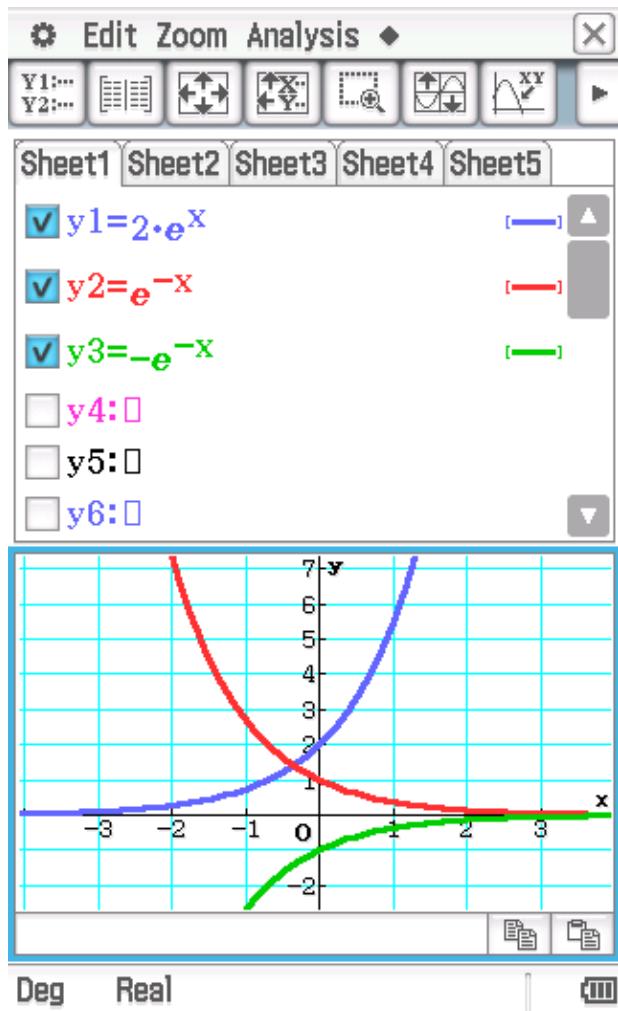
d $\frac{1}{e^3} = 0.05$

e $-3e^{-3.1} = -0.14$

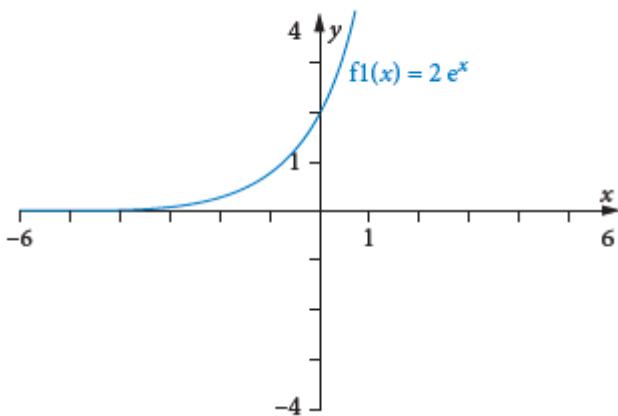
2 TI-Nspire CAS



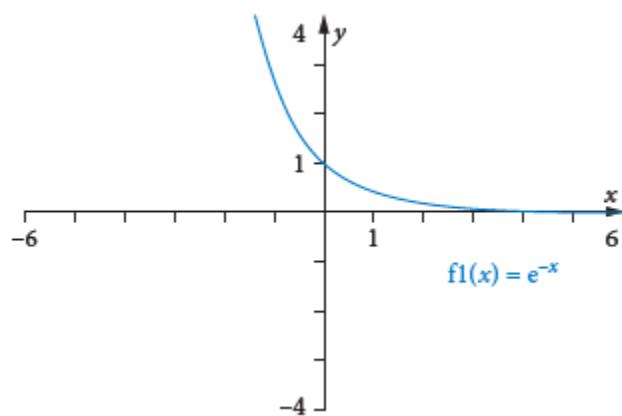
ClassPad



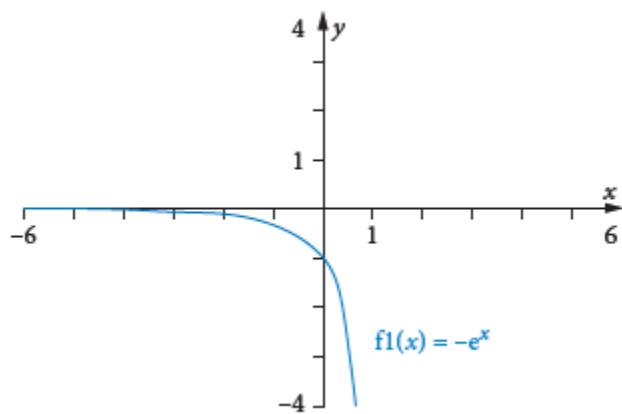
a $y = 2e^x$



b $y = e^{-x}$



c $y = -e^x$



3 **a** $y = e^x$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x$

At $(1, e)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = e$

b $y = e^x$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x$

At $x = 0.58$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{0.58} = 1.79$ (2 dp)

c $y = e^x$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x$

At $\left(-1, \frac{1}{e}\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{-1}$

Equation of tangent is $y = e^{-1}x + c$

Substitute $\left(-1, \frac{1}{e}\right)$ to find c

$$\frac{1}{e} = \frac{1}{e}(-1) + c$$

$$c = \frac{2}{e}$$

\therefore The equation of the tangent is $y = \frac{x}{e} + \frac{2}{e}$

4 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} 9e^x = 9e^x$

b $\frac{d}{dx} (-e^x) = -e^x$

c $\frac{d}{dx} (e^x + x^2) = e^x + 2x$

d $\frac{d}{dx} (2x^3 - 3x^2 + 5x - e^x) = 6x^2 - 6x + 5 - e^x$

e $\frac{d}{dx} (e^x + 1)^3 = 3e^x (e^x + 1)^2$

f $\frac{d}{dx} (5 - e^x)^9 = 9(5 - e^x)^8(-e^x) = -9 e^x (5 - e^x)^8$

g $\frac{d}{dx}(2e^x - 3)^6 = 6(2e^x - 3)^5(2e^x) = 12e^x(2e^x - 3)^5$

h $\frac{d}{dx}(e^x + x)^4 = 4(e^x + x)^3(e^x + 1)$

5 **a** $\frac{d}{dx}e^{3x} = 3e^{3x}$

b $\frac{d}{dx}e^{2x-1} = 2e^{2x-1}$

c $\frac{d}{dx}2e^{4x} = 2 \times 4 \times e^{4x} = 8e^{4x}$

d $\frac{d}{dx}e^{x^2-1} = 2xe^{x^2-1}$

e $\frac{d}{dx}e^{2x^5-3x^3+x-3} = (10x^4 - 9x^2 + 1)e^{2x^5-3x^3+x-3}$

6 **a** $\frac{d}{dx}xe^x = 1 \times e^x + e^x \cdot x = e^x + xe^x = e^x(1 + x)$

b $\frac{d}{dx}(2x + 3)e^x = 2e^x + e^x(2x + 3) = (2x + 5)e^x$

c $\frac{d}{dx}5x^3e^x = 15x^2e^x + e^x5x^3 = 5(3 + x)x^2e^x$

d $\frac{d}{dx}2xe^{3x} = 2e^{3x} + 3e^{3x}2x = 2(1 + 3x)e^{3x}$

e $\frac{d}{dx}e^{2x}(x^2 + x + 2) = 2e^{2x}(x^2 + x + 2) + (2x + 1)e^{2x} = (2x^2 + 4x + 5)e^{2x}$

7 **a** $\frac{d}{dx}\frac{e^x}{x^2} = \frac{e^x x^2 - 2x e^x}{x^4} = \frac{(x^2 - 2x)e^x}{x^4} = \frac{(x - 2)e^x}{x^3}$

b $\frac{d}{dx}\frac{e^{6x}}{3x} = \frac{6e^{6x}3x - 3e^{6x}}{9x^2} = \frac{(18x - 3)e^{6x}}{9x^2} = \frac{(6x - 1)e^{6x}}{3x^2}$

c $\frac{d}{dx}\frac{2e^{5x}}{5x^3} = \frac{10e^{5x} \times 5x^3 - 15x^2 \cdot 2e^{5x}}{25x^6} = \frac{(50x^3 - 30x^2)e^{5x}}{25x^6} = \frac{2(5x - 3)e^{5x}}{5x^4}$

d $\frac{d}{dx}\frac{x-1}{e^x} = \frac{1 \times e^x - e^x(x-1)}{e^{2x}} = \frac{(2-x)e^x}{e^{2x}} = \frac{(2-x)}{e^x}$

e
$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{e^x + 1}{e^{2x}} = \frac{e^x e^{2x} - 2e^{2x}(e^x + 1)}{e^{4x}} = \frac{e^{2x}[e^x - 2(e^x + 1)]}{e^{4x}} = \frac{-(e^x + 2)}{e^{2x}}$$

8 a
$$g(x) = \frac{e^x - 4}{\sqrt{e^x + 1}}$$

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

$$= \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \left[\sqrt{e^x + 1} - \frac{(e^x - 4)}{2\sqrt{e^x + 1}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \left[\frac{2(e^x + 1) - (e^x - 4)}{2\sqrt{e^x + 1}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \left(\frac{e^x + 6}{2\sqrt{e^x + 1}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{e^x (e^x + 6)}{2\sqrt{(e^x + 1)^3}}$$

$$\therefore g'(3) = \frac{e^3 (e^3 + 6)}{2\sqrt{(e^3 + 1)^3}}$$

$$g'(3) = 2.71 \text{ (2 dp)}$$

b
$$y = e^{4x}(x^3 - 3x + 5)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4e^{4x}(x^3 - 3x + 5) + (3x^2 - 3)e^{4x}$$

$$= e^{4x}(4x^3 + 3x^2 - 12x + 17)$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=-1} = ?$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{-4} (-4 + 3 + 12 + 17)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = 28e^{-4}$$

c $f(x) = \frac{xe^{3x} + 5}{x^2 + e}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(e^{3x} + 3xe^{3x})(x^2 + e) - (2x)(xe^{3x} + 5)}{(x^2 + e)^2}$$

$$f'(2) = 348.4 \text{ (1 dp)}$$

d $h(x) = 5x^2 e^{3x} + e^x$

$$h'(x) = 10xe^{3x} + 3e^{3x}5x^2 + e^x$$

$$h'(2) = 20e^6 + 3e^{6x}20 + e^2$$

$$h'(2) = 80e^6 + e^2 = 32\,281.69$$

e $y = 5e^{x^2-x-6}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 5(2x - 1)e^{x^2-x-6}$$

$$\text{At } x = 1, \frac{dy}{dx} = 5e^{-6} = 0.012$$

$$\text{At } x = 3, \frac{dy}{dx} = 25e^0 = 25$$

Reasoning and communication

9 Let $y = xe^{2x-1}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 \times e^{2x-1} + 2e^{2x-1}x = e^{2x-1}(1 + 2x)$$

$$x = ?, \text{ for } \frac{dy}{dx} = 5e^3$$

$$5e^3 = e^{2x-1}(1 + 2x)$$

We have $3 = 2x - 1$ (equating the power of e) and $1 + 2x = 5$ (equating the coefficients).

Both give $x = 2$.

10 $p(x) = e^{-kx} + 3x$

$$p(2) = e^{-2k} + 6 \Rightarrow (2, e^{-2k} + 6)$$

$$p'(x) = -ke^{-kx} + 3$$

$$p'(2) = -ke^{-2k} + 3 \Rightarrow \text{gradient of the tangent is } -ke^{-2k} + 3 \text{ at } x = 2$$

Equation of the tangent:

$$y = (-ke^{-2k} + 3)x + c$$

Using $(2, e^{-2k} + 6)$

$$e^{-2k} + 6 = (-ke^{-2k} + 3)2 \quad (c = 0, \text{ as passing through the origin})$$

$$e^{-2k} + 6 = -2ke^{-2k} + 6$$

$$-2k = 1 \text{ (equating coefficients)}$$

$$k = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Exercise 1.04 Applications of the exponential function and its derivative

Reasoning and communication

1 $N = 175e^{0.062t}$

- a i $t = 0$, so $N = 175e^0 = 175$ cases
ii $t = 1$, so $N = 175e^{0.062} = 186$ cases
iii $t = 6$, so $N = 175e^{0.062 \times 6} = 254$ cases
iv $t = 26$, so $N = 175e^{0.062 \times 26} = 877$ cases

b $\frac{dN}{dt} = 175 \times 0.062e^{0.062t} = 10.85 \times e^{0.062t}$

- i $t = 1$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 11.54$ cases per week
ii $t = 6$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 15.74$ cases per week
iii $t = 26$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 54.39$ cases per week

2 $S = 180e^{0.12t}$

- a $S_0 = 180e^0 = 180$ sales
b $S_{14} = 180e^{0.12 \times 14} = 965.80\dots$ sales
c $\frac{dS}{dt} = 180 \times 0.12e^{0.12t}$ sales per day

At $t = 14$, $\frac{dS}{dt} = 180 \times 0.12e^{0.12 \times 14} = 115.89\dots$ sales per day

d At $t = 42$, $\frac{dS}{dt} = 180 \times 0.12e^{0.12 \times 42} = 3336.55\dots$ sales per day

3 $N = 1100e^{0.025t}$

A study of swans in an area of Western Australia showed that the numbers were gradually increasing, with the number of swans N over t months given by $N = 1100e^{0.025t}$.

a $N_0 = 1100e^0 = 1100$

b **i** $N_5 = 1100e^{0.025 \times 5} = 1246$ swans

ii $N_{12} = 1100e^{0.025 \times 12} = 1485$ swans

iii $N_{36} = 1100e^{0.025 \times 36} = 2706$ swans

c $\frac{dN}{dt} = 1100 \times 0.025e^{0.025t}$

i At $t = 0$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 1100 \times 0.025e^0 = 27.5$ i.e. 27 or 28

ii At $t = 5$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 1100 \times 0.025e^{0.025 \times 5} = 31$

iii At $t = 12$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 1100 \times 0.025e^{0.025 \times 12} = 37$

4 $M = 200e^{-0.012t}$

a $M_0 = 200e^0 = 200$ grams

b **i** $M_5 = 200e^{-0.012 \times 5} = 188.35$ grams

ii $M_{20} = 200e^{-0.012 \times 20} = 157.33$ grams

iii $M_{100} = 200e^{-0.012 \times 100} = 60.24$ grams

c $\frac{dM}{dt} = 200 \times (-0.012)e^{-0.012t}$

$\frac{dM}{dt} = -2.4e^{-0.012t}$

i At $t = 5$, $\frac{dM}{dt} = -2.4e^{-0.012 \times 5} = -2.26$, i.e. decaying 2.26 grams per year

ii At $t = 20$, $\frac{dM}{dt} = -2.4e^{-0.012 \times 20} = -1.89$, i.e. decaying 1.89 grams per year

iii At $t = 100$, $\frac{dM}{dt} = -2.4e^{-0.012 \times 100} = -0.72$, i.e. decaying 0.72 grams

per year

5 $A = 120\ 000e^{-0.033t}$

a i $A_{10} = 120\ 000e^{-0.033 \times 10} = 86\ 271$ hectares

ii $A_{25} = 120\ 000e^{-0.033 \times 25} = 52\ 588$ hectares

iii $A_{50} = 120\ 000e^{-0.033 \times 50} = 23\ 046$ hectares

b $\frac{dM}{dt} = 120\ 000 \times (-0.033)e^{-0.033t}$

$$\frac{dM}{dt} = -3960e^{-0.033t}$$

i At $t = 2$, $\frac{dM}{dt} = -3960e^{-0.033 \times 2} = -3707$

i.e. decreasing at 3707 hectares per year

ii At $t = 15$, $\frac{dM}{dt} = -3960e^{-0.033 \times 15} = -2414$ hectares per year

i.e. decreasing at 2414 hectares per year

iii At $t = 40$, $\frac{dM}{dt} = -3960e^{-0.033 \times 40} = -1058$ hectares per year

i.e. decreasing at 1058 hectares per year

6 $\frac{dN}{dt} = 0.29N \Rightarrow N = Ae^{0.29t}$

a $N_0 = 90\ 000$

$$\therefore N = 90\ 000e^{0.29t}$$

b $N_6 = 90\ 000e^{0.29 \times 6} = 512\ 761$ bacteria

c $\frac{dN}{dt} = 90\ 000 \times 0.29e^{0.29t}$

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = 26100e^{0.29t}$$

At $t = 6$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 26100e^{0.29 \times 6} = 148\ 701$ bacteria per hour

d At $t = 10$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 26\ 100e^{0.29 \times 10} = 474\ 345$ bacteria per hour

7 $\frac{dR}{dt} = -0.008R \Rightarrow R = A e^{-0.008t}$

a $R_0 = 43 \text{ cm} \Rightarrow R = 43e^{-0.008t}$

b i $t = 10, R = 43e^{-0.008 \times 10} = 39.7 \text{ cm}$

ii $t = 30, R = 43e^{-0.008 \times 30} = 33.8 \text{ cm}$

iii $t = 100, R = 43e^{-0.008 \times 100} = 19.3 \text{ cm}$

c $\frac{dR}{dt} = -0.008R$

i $t = 10, \frac{dR}{dt} = -0.32$ so decreasing at 0.32 cm per year

ii $t = 30, \frac{dR}{dt} = -0.27$ so decreasing at 0.27 cm per year

iii $t = 100, \frac{dR}{dt} = -0.15$ so decreasing at 0.15 cm per year

8 $P = P_0 e^{0.024t}$

a P_0

b $P_6 = P_0 e^{0.024 \times 6} = P_0(1.154\ 884)$

Increase is 15.5%

c $\frac{dP}{dt} = 0.024, P_0 e^{0.024t} = 0.024P$

9 $Q = Q_0 e^{-0.07t}$

The formula for the decay of a radioactive substance over t years is given

by $Q = Q_0 e^{-0.07t}$.

a i $t = 2 \text{ years}, Q = Q_0(e^{-0.07 \times 2}) = Q_0(0.8693\dots)$ so about 87% left

ii $t = 10 \text{ years}, Q = Q_0(e^{-0.07 \times 10}) = Q_0(0.4965\dots)$ so about 49.7% left

iii $t = 20 \text{ years}, Q = Q_0(e^{-0.07 \times 20}) = Q_0(0.2465\dots)$ so about 24.7% left

b $0.5Q_0 = Q_0 e^{-0.07t}, t = ?$

$0.5 = e^{-0.07t}$

$t = 9.9021\dots \text{ years}$ i.e. the half-life is about 10 years

10 **a** $y = e^{2x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2e^{2x}$$

At $M(2, e^4)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2e^4$

Equation of the tangent at M :

$$y = 2e^4x + c$$

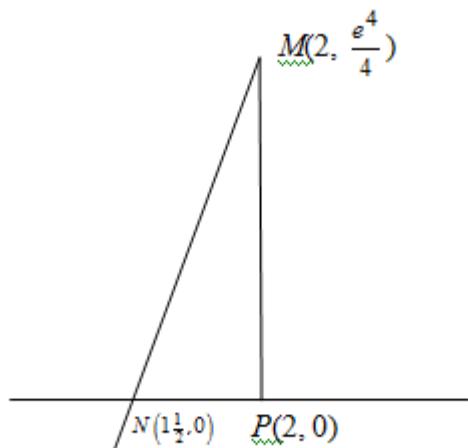
Using $M(2, e^4)$, $e^4 = 2e^4(2) + c \Rightarrow c = e^4 - 4e^4 = -3e^4$

$$y = 2e^4x - 3e^4$$

b If $y = 0$, then $x = \frac{3e^4}{2e^4} = 1\frac{1}{2}$

$$N(1\frac{1}{2}, 0)$$

c $A_{\Delta} = \frac{1}{2} \times (2 - 1\frac{1}{2}) \times e^4 = \frac{e^4}{4}$



11 $P = 100 + 2e^{0.3t}$

a $P_0 = 102$

b i $P_6 = 100 + 2e^{0.3 \times 6} = 112$ waterbirds

ii $P_{24} = 100 + 2e^{0.3 \times 24} = 2779$ waterbirds

c $\frac{dP}{dt} = 0.6e^{0.3t}$

d i At $t = 6$, $\frac{dP}{dt} = 0.6e^{0.3 \times 6} = 4$ waterbirds per month

ii At $t = 24$, $\frac{dP}{dt} = 0.6e^{0.3 \times 24} = 804$ waterbirds per month

12 $N = N_0 e^{1.2t}$

a $N_0 = 30\ 000$ bacteria

b $N_5 = 30\ 000 e^{1.2 \times 5} = 12\ 102\ 864$

c $\frac{dN}{dt} = 30\ 000 \times 1.2e^{1.2t}$

i At $t = 5$ hours, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 30\ 000 \times 1.2e^{1.2 \times 5} = 14\ 523\ 427$ bacteria per hour

ii At $t = 12$ hours, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 30\ 000 \times 1.2e^{1.2 \times 12} = 6.459 \times 10^{10}$ bacteria per hour

iii At $t = 24$ hours, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 30\ 000 \times 1.2e^{1.2 \times 24} = 1.159 \times 10^{17}$ bacteria per hour

Exercise 1.05 The derivatives of trigonometric functions

Concepts and techniques

1 a $\frac{d}{dx}[x + \sin(x)] = 1 + \cos(x)$

b $\frac{d}{dx}[6 \sin(x)] = 6 \cos(x)$

c $\frac{d}{dx}\sin(6x) = 6 \cos(6x)$

d $\frac{d}{dx}\sin(x^2 - 3) = 2x \cos(x^2 - 3)$

e $\frac{d}{dx}4 \sin\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) = \frac{4}{3} \cos\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$

2 a $\frac{d}{dx}[\sin(x) + 9]^6 = 6[\sin(x) + 9]^5 \cos x = 6 \cos(x)[\sin(x) + 9]^5$

b $\frac{d}{dx}[x \sin(x)] = 1 \times \sin(x) + [\cos(x)]x = \sin(x) + x \cos(x)$

c $\frac{d}{dx}\sin(e^x) = e^x \cos(e^x)$

d $\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{\sin(2x)}{5x^2}\right] = \frac{2\cos(2x) \times 5x^2 - 10x \sin(2x)}{25x^4} = \frac{2x \cos(2x) - 2 \sin(2x)}{5x^3}$

e $\frac{d}{dx}e^{\sin(x)} = \cos(x) e^{\sin(x)}$

3 **a** $y = \sin(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(x)$$

At the point where $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$

b $y = 3 \sin(4x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 12\cos(4x)$$

At the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{16}, \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12\cos 4\left(\frac{\pi}{16}\right) = 12\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 12 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 6\sqrt{2}$

c $f(x) = \sin(x)$

$$f'(x) = \cos(x)$$

At the point $\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}, -1\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = 0$

d $y = x + \sin(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + \cos(x)$$

At the point where $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

e $y = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x\cos(x) - 1 \times \sin(x)}{x^2} = \frac{x\cos(x) - \sin(x)}{x^2}$$

At the point where $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{0 - 1}{\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2} = -\frac{4}{\pi^2}$

- 4**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx}[2 + \cos(x)] = -\sin(x)$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx}[3 \cos(x)] = -3 \sin(x)$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos(5x) = -5 \sin(5x)$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos(3x^2 + 1) = -6x \sin(3x^2 + 1)$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx}2 \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = -\sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$
- 5**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx}[4x + \cos(x)]^3 = 3[4x + \cos(x)]^2[4 - \sin(x)] = 3[4 - \sin(x)][4x + \cos(x)]^2$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx}[x \cos(x)] = \cos(x) - x \sin(x)$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos(e^{3x}) = -[\sin(e^{3x})]3e^{3x} = -3e^{3x}[\sin(e^{3x})]$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{\cos(x)}{3x}\right] = \frac{3x(-\sin x) - 3\cos(x)}{9x^2} = \frac{-x(\sin x) - \cos(x)}{3x^2}$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos[\sin(x)] = -\sin[\sin(x)] \times \cos(x)$
- 6**
- a** $\frac{d}{dx}\tan(x) = \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)}$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx}[x + 6 \tan(x)] = 1 + \frac{6}{\cos^2(x)}$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx}\tan(9x) = \frac{9}{\cos^2(9x)}$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx}3 \tan(4x) = \frac{12}{\cos^2(4x)}$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx}[\tan(x) - 1]^5 = 5[\tan(x) - 1]^4 \times \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)} = \frac{5[\tan(x) - 1]^4}{\cos^2(x)}$

7 a $\frac{d}{dx} x^2 \tan(x) = 2x \tan(x) + \frac{x^2}{\cos^2(x)}$

b $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\tan(2x)}{x} = \frac{\frac{2x}{\cos^2(2x)} - \tan(2x)}{x^2} = \frac{2}{x \cos^2(2x)} - \frac{\tan(2x)}{x^2}$

c $\frac{d}{dx} e^{\tan(x)} = \frac{e^{\tan(x)}}{\cos^2(x)}$

d $\frac{d}{dx} \tan[\cos(x)] = \frac{-\sin(x)}{\cos^2[\cos(x)]}$

e $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\tan(x)}{e^x} = \frac{\frac{e^x}{\cos^2(x)} - e^x \tan(x)}{e^{2x}} = \frac{1}{e^x \cos^2(x)} - \frac{\tan(x)}{e^x}$

8 a $\frac{d}{dx} e^{2x} \sin(x) = 2e^{2x} \sin(x) + [e^{2x} \cos(x)] = e^{2x} [2 \sin(x) + \cos(x)]$

At $x = 0.5$, $\frac{d}{dx} e^{2x} \sin(x) = e[2 \sin(0.5) + \cos(0.5)]$

b $\frac{d}{dx} [x^2 \tan(x)] = 2x \tan(x) + \frac{x^2}{\cos^2(x)}$

At $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$, $\frac{d}{dx} [x^2 \tan(x)] = 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \frac{\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = \frac{\pi}{2} + \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2 \times 2 = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi^2}{8}$

c $\frac{d}{dx} \cos^2(x) = 2\cos(x)[- \sin(x)]$

At $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$, $\frac{d}{dx} \cos^2(x) = 2\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \left[-\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right] = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

d $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\cos(e^x)}{e^x} = \frac{-e^x \sin(e^x) \times e^x - e^x \times \cos(e^x)}{e^{2x}} = -\left[\frac{e^x \sin(e^x) + \cos(e^x)}{e^x} \right]$

At $x = 1$, $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\cos(e^x)}{e^x} = -\left[\frac{e \sin(e) + \cos(e)}{e} \right]$

$$\mathbf{e} \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[x^3 \cos(x^2) \right] = 3x^2 \cos(x^2) - 2x \left[\sin(x^2) \right] \times x^3$$

$$= x^2 \left\{ 3 \cos(x^2) - 2x^2 \left[\sin(x^2) \right] \right\}$$

$$\text{At } x = e, \frac{d}{dx} \left[x^3 \cos(x^2) \right] = e^2 \left\{ 3 \cos(e^2) - 2e^2 \left[\sin(e^2) \right] \right\}$$

9 **a** $p(x) = x^2 \sin(x) - x \cos(x)$

$$p'(x) = [2x \sin(x) + x^2 \cos(x)] - [\cos(x) - x \sin(x)]$$

$$p'(x) = 3x \sin(x) + x^2 \cos(x) - \cos(x)$$

$$p'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 3 \times \left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)^2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$= 3 \times \left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{\pi^2}{36} \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi^2 \sqrt{3}}{72} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= 0.16 \text{ (2 dp)}$$

TI-Nspire CAS

The screenshot shows the TI-Nspire CAS software interface. The top menu bar shows '1.1' and '1.2'. A message '*Unsaved' is displayed. The main workspace shows two lines of input:

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Define p(x)=x^2·sin(x)-x·cos(x)
Define p1(x)=d/dx(p(x))
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Below these, the result for $p'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ is shown in two forms:

$$\frac{\pi^2 \cdot \sqrt{3}}{72} + \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

and

$$\left(\frac{\pi^2 \cdot \sqrt{3}}{72} + \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \rightarrow \text{Decimal}$$

The decimal value is given as 0.156799.

ClassPad

The screenshot shows the ClassPad software interface. The top menu bar includes 'Edit', 'Action', and 'Interactive'. A toolbar below has buttons for '0.5', '1/2', 'd/dx', 'Simp', and 'f/dx'. The main workspace shows two lines of input:

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Define p(x)=x^2·sin(x)-x·cos(x)
Define p1(x)=d/dx(p(x))
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Below these, the result for $p'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ is shown in two forms:

$$\text{done}$$

and

$$\text{done}$$

The decimal value is given as 0.1567985412.

b $y = \sqrt{\cos(x)}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(x)]^{-\frac{1}{2}} [-\sin(x)] = \frac{-\sin(x)}{2\sqrt{\cos(x)}}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=\frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{-\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}{2\sqrt{\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{2\sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}} = -0.269$$

TI-Nspire CAS

The TI-Nspire CAS screen shows two lines of input and output. The first line defines $f(x) = \sqrt{\cos(x)}$ and the second line defines the derivative $f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(\sqrt{\cos(x)})$. To the right, the derivative is evaluated at $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$, resulting in the exact fraction $\frac{-3^{4/2} \cdot \sqrt{2}}{12}$ and its decimal approximation -0.268642 .

ClassPad

The ClassPad screen shows the following steps: defining $f(x) = \sqrt{\cos(x)}$ and $f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x))$. It then displays the derivative expression $f'(x) = \frac{-0.5 \cdot \sin(x)}{(\cos(x))^{0.5}}$ and evaluates it at $x = \pi/6$ to get the decimal result -0.268642483 .

Reasoning and communication

10 $y = \tan(x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)}$

$$\frac{1}{\cos^2(x)} = 2$$

$$\cos^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos(x) = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{\pi}{4}, \pm \frac{3\pi}{4}, \pm \frac{5\pi}{4}, \dots$$

$$x = \pm \frac{\pi(2n+1)}{4}, \text{ where } n \text{ is any whole number.}$$

11 **a** $x = 2 \sin(3t)$

Greatest displacement from the centre is 2 cm.

b $x = 0$, so $2 \sin(3t) = 0$

$$3t = 0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, \dots$$

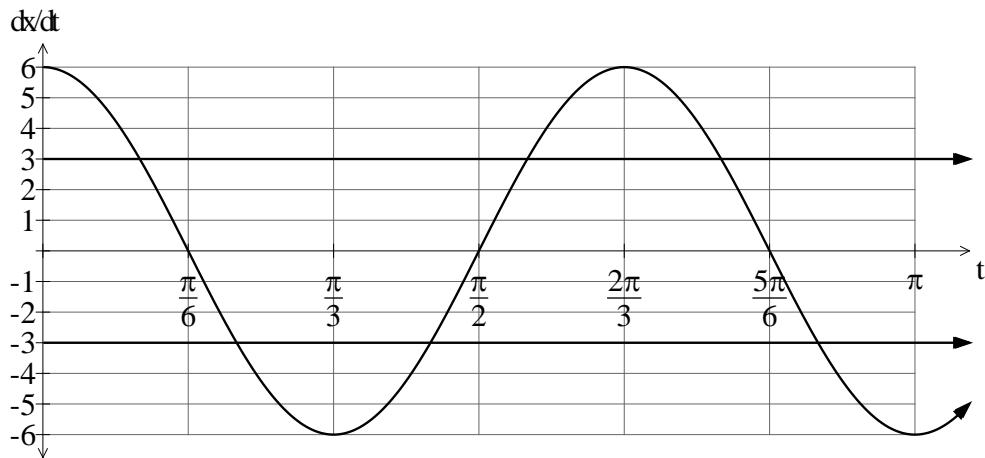
$$t = 0, \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \pi, \dots$$

$$t = \frac{n\pi}{3} \text{ for } n \text{ any whole number}$$

c $\frac{dx}{dt} = 6 \cos(3t)$

At $t = \frac{\pi}{6}$ seconds, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 6 \cos 3\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0$ cm per sec

d $\frac{dx}{dt} = 6 \cos(3t)$



$$6 \cos(3t) = \pm 3, t = ?$$

$$\cos(3t) = 0.5 \quad \text{or} \quad \cos(3t) = -0.5$$

$$3t = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}, \dots \quad \text{or} \quad 3t = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \dots$$

$$t = \frac{\pi}{9}, \frac{5\pi}{9}, \dots \quad \text{or} \quad t = \frac{2\pi}{9}, \frac{4\pi}{9}, \dots$$

$$\text{First three times are } \frac{\pi}{9}, \frac{2\pi}{9}, \frac{4\pi}{9}$$

12 $V = \sin(2t) + 3t + 1$ mm/s.

a At $\frac{\pi}{12}$ seconds, $V = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + 3\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) + 1 = 2.3$ mm/s.

b $a = \frac{dV}{dt} = 2\cos(2t) + 3$

$$\text{At } t = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ seconds, } \frac{dV}{dt} = 2\cos 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 3 = 0 + 3 = 3 \text{ mm/s}^2.$$

c The minimum value of $2\cos(2t)$ is -2 .

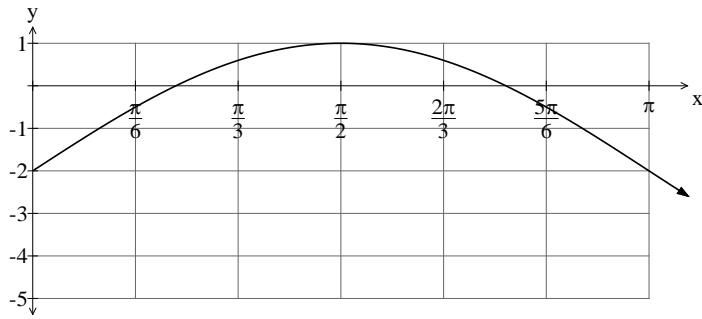
Therefore minimum acceleration is $-2 + 3 = 1$

Therefore the acceleration of the string is never 0.

Exercise 1.06 Applications of trigonometric functions and their derivatives

Reasoning and communication

1 $y = 3 \sin(x) - 2$



If $y = 0$, then $\sin(x) = \frac{2}{3}$

$x = 0.72973$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3 \cos(x)$$

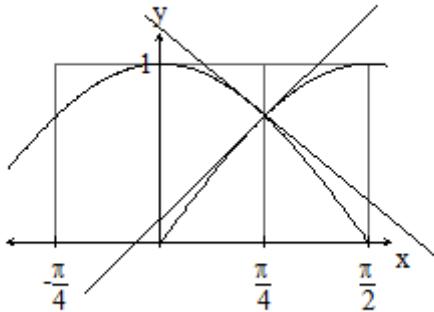
Gradient at $x = 0.72973$ is $3 \cos(0.72973) = 2.23607$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}(2.23607)$$

$$\theta = 1.15^c$$

2 $\sin(x) = \cos(x)$ at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$y = \sin(x) \text{ so } \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(x)$$



At $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$, the gradient of $y = \sin(x)$ is $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ i.e. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

The angle made with the positive x -axis is $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = 0.6155^c$

$$y = \cos(x) \text{ so } \frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin(x)$$

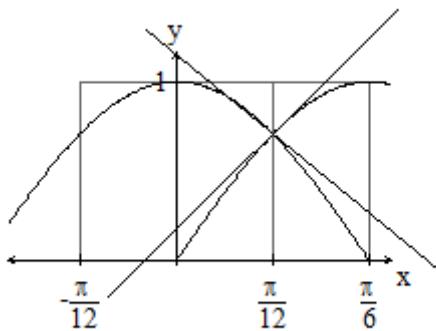
At $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$, the gradient of $y = \cos(x)$ is $-\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ i.e. $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

The angle made with the negative x -axis is $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = 0.6155^c$

The angle between the curves is $2 \times 0.6155^c = 1.23^c$ to 2 dp

3 $\sin(3x) = \cos(3x)$ at $\tan(3x) = 1$

$$3x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \text{ so } x = \frac{\pi}{12}$$



$$y = \sin(3x), \text{ so } \frac{dy}{dx} = 3\cos(3x)$$

At $x = \frac{\pi}{12}$, the gradient of $y = \sin(3x)$ is $3 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ i.e. $\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

The angle made with the positive x -axis is $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = 1.3803^c$

$$y = \cos(3x), \text{ so } \frac{dy}{dx} = -3\sin(3x)$$

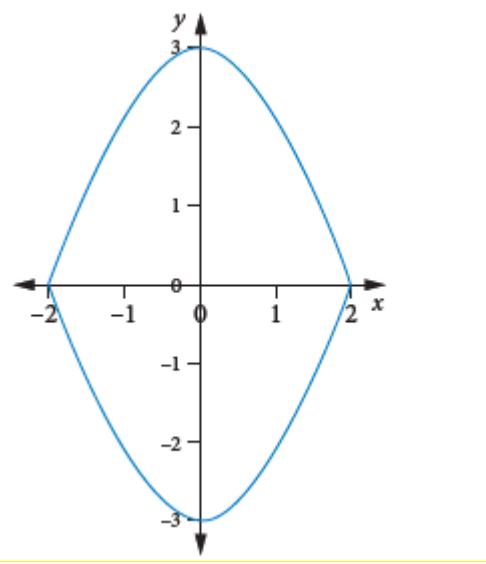
At $x = \frac{\pi}{12}$, the gradient of $y = \cos(3x)$ is $-3\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ i.e. $-\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

The angle made with the negative x -axis is $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = 1.3803^c$

The angle between the curves is $2 \times 1.3803^c = 2.26^c$ to 2 dp or the acute angle is 0.88^c .

4

a



b The difference in radius between the x and y directions is 1 cm.

c $y = 3 \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3\pi}{4} \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{At } x = -2, \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3\pi}{4} \sin\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

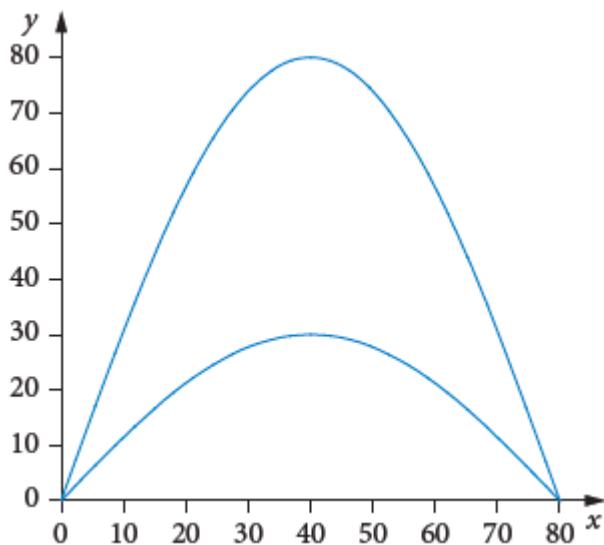
$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$\theta = 1.17$$

so the angle is 2.34 radians (top and bottom)

5

a



b 50 m

c $y = 80 \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right)$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = 80 \times \frac{\pi}{80} \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right) = \pi \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right)$

At $x = 0$, the gradient of $y = 80 \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right)$ is $\pi \cos(0)$ i.e. π

The angle made with the positive x -axis is $\theta = \tan^{-1}(\pi) = 1.2626^c$

$$y = 30 \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right), \text{ so } \frac{dy}{dx} = 30 \times \frac{\pi}{80} \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right) = \frac{3\pi}{8} \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right)$$

At $x = 0$, the gradient of $y = 30 \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{80}\right)$ is $\frac{3\pi}{8} \cos(0)$ i.e. $\frac{3\pi}{8}$

The angle made with the positive x -axis is $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3\pi}{8}\right) = 0.8670^c$

The angle between the curves is $1.2626^c - 0.8670^c = 0.396^c$ to 3 dp.

6 **a** $y = \sin(x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(x)$

At the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Equation of the tangent at $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ is $y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + c$

Substitute $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ to get c

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + c \Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\pi\sqrt{3}}{12}$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\pi\sqrt{3}}{12}$$

b $y = -2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$

Where $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

If $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then $y = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{2}} = -\sqrt{2}$

i.e. $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, -\sqrt{2}\right)$

Equation of the tangent where $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + c$$

Substitute $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, -\sqrt{2}\right)$ to get c

$$-\sqrt{2} = \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\frac{\pi}{2} + c \Rightarrow c = -\sqrt{2} + \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x - \sqrt{2} + \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

c $y = \cos(x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin(x)$

At the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$

Equation of the tangent at $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$

$$y - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$12y - 6\sqrt{3} = -6x + \pi$$

$$6x + 12y - 6\sqrt{3} - \pi = 0$$

d $y = \sin(2x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \cos(2x)$

At the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{12}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Equation of the tangent at $\left(\frac{\pi}{12}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

$$y - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)$$

$$24y - 12 = 12\sqrt{3}x - \sqrt{3}\pi$$

$$12\sqrt{3}x - 24y + 12 - \sqrt{3}\pi = 0$$

e $y = \tan(3x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{\cos^2(3x)}$

At the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{12}, 1\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = 6$

Equation of the tangent at $\left(\frac{\pi}{12}, 1\right)$

$$y = 6x + c$$

Substitute $\left(\frac{\pi}{12}, 1\right)$ to get c

$$1 = 6 \times \frac{\pi}{12} + c \Rightarrow c = 1 - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y = 6x + 1 - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

7 **a** $x = 3 \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \Rightarrow v = -\frac{3}{2} \sin\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$

b $a = -\frac{3}{4} \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$

c $0 = 3 \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$

$$\frac{t}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}, \dots$$

$$t = \pi, 3\pi, 5\pi, \dots$$

d $v_\pi = -\frac{3}{2} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\frac{3}{2}$

$$v_{3\pi} = -\frac{3}{2} \sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$v_{5\pi} = -\frac{3}{2} \sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{2}\right) = -\frac{3}{2} \text{ and so on}$$

$$a_\pi = -\frac{3}{4} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$a_{3\pi} = -\frac{3}{4} \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) = 0 \text{ and so on}$$

e $a = -\frac{3}{4} \cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$

Greatest acceleration when $\cos\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) = -1$

i.e. $\frac{t}{2} = \pi, 3\pi, 5\pi, 7\pi, \dots$

$\therefore t = 2\pi, 6\pi, 10\pi, 14\pi, \dots$

8 **a** $v = 1.26 \sin(2\pi t)$

$$a = 1.26 \times 2\pi \cos(2\pi t)$$

$$a = 2.52\pi \cos(2\pi t)$$

b $v_5 = 1.26 \sin(2\pi \times 5) = 0 \text{ m/s}$

$$a_5 = 2.52\pi \cos(2\pi \times 5) = 7.92 \text{ m/s}^2$$

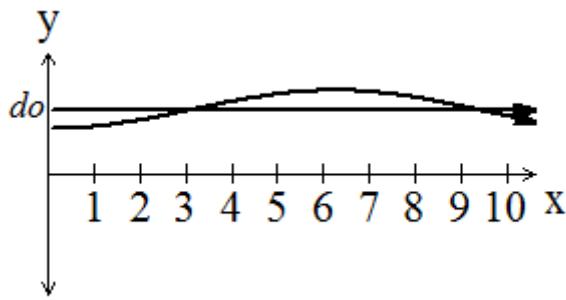
c If $v = -1.26$, $a = ?$

$v = -1.26$ when $2\pi t = 1.5\pi, 3.5\pi, \text{ etc.}$

$$a = 2.52\pi \cos(1.5\pi), \text{ etc} = 0$$

$$a = 0$$

9 $d = d_0 - 0.9 \cos (0.503t)$



Low tide at $t = 0$

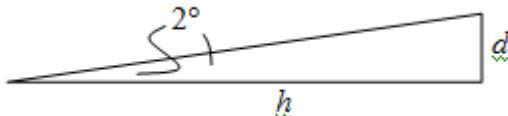
$$d = d_0 - 0.9 \cos (0.503t)$$

$$\frac{dd}{dt} = 0 + 0.9 \times 0.503 \sin (0.503t)$$

$$\frac{dd}{dt} = 0.4527 \sin (0.503t)$$

At $t = 2$, $\frac{dd}{dt} \approx 0.38$ m/hr which is equivalent to 0.64 cm/min.

Mudflat slopes up at 2° .



$$\tan (2^\circ) = \frac{h}{d}$$

$$h = \frac{d}{\tan(2^\circ)}, \text{ so } \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{1}{\tan(2^\circ)} \frac{dd}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{0.4527 \sin(0.503t)}{\tan(2^\circ)} \approx 10.95 \text{ m/h} = \frac{100 \times 10.95}{60} \approx 18 \text{ cm/min}$$

10 **a** $x = 2 \sin (3t)$
 $v = 6 \cos (3t)$
 $a = -18 \sin (3t)$
 $= -9[2 \sin (3t)]$

$$\therefore a = -9x$$

b $x = a \cos (nt)$
 $v = -an \sin (nt)$
 $a = -an^2 \cos (nt)$
 $= -n^2[a \cos (nt)]$
 $\therefore a = -n^2 x$

Chapter 1 Review

Multiple choice

1 B $\frac{d}{dx}(3x^2 - 5x + 2)(x^4 + 3x^3 + x - 6)$
 $= (6x - 5)(x^4 + 3x^3 + x - 6) + (4x^3 + 9x^2 + 1)(3x^2 - 5x + 2)$
 $= 18x^5 + 20x^4 - 52x^3 + 27x^2 - 46x + 32$

2 B $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{2x+1}{3x-2}\right) = \frac{2(3x-2)-3(2x+1)}{(3x-2)^2} = \frac{-7}{(3x-2)^2}$

3 D $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{x^4}\right) = -4x^{-5} = \frac{-4}{x^5}$

4 C $g(x) = (x^3 - 3x + 1)^3$
 $g'(x) = 3(x^3 - 3x + 1)^2(3x^2 - 3) = 9(x^2 - 1)(x^3 - 3x + 1)^2$
 $g'(-2) = 27$

5 E $y = e^{2x} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2e^{2x}$

At $x = 1.5$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 40.2$

6 D $y = 4 \sin(e^x) + 2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 4e^x \cos(e^x)$
 $\left.\frac{dy}{dx}\right|_{x=2} = 4e^2 \cos(e^2) = 13.25$

7 B $y = \cos(3x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -3\sin(3x)$

At the point where $x = \frac{\pi}{9}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -3\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$ and $y = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$

Equation of tangent: $y = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}x + c$

Substitute the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{9}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

$$\frac{1}{2} = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{\pi}{9} + c$$

$$c = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{6}$$

$$y = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}x + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}\pi}{6}$$

$$6y = -9\sqrt{3}x + 3 + \sqrt{3}\pi$$

$$9\sqrt{3}x + 6y - 3 - \sqrt{3}\pi = 0$$

Short answer

8 a $\frac{d}{dx}x^5(3x^2 + 2x - 5) = 5x^4(3x^2 + 2x - 5) + x^5(6x + 2)$

$$= 21x^6 + 12x^5 - 25x^4$$

b $\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 + 1)(x^3 - 4x - 1) = 2x(x^3 - 4x - 1) + (3x^2 - 4)(x^2 + 1)$

$$= 5x^4 - 9x^2 - 2x - 4$$

9 a $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{5x^3}{2x+1}\right) = \frac{15x^2(2x+1) - 2(5x^3)}{(2x+1)^2} = \frac{20x^3 + 15x^2}{(2x+1)^2}$

b $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{x^2 + x - 2}{4x - 3}\right) = \frac{(2x+1)(4x-3) - 4(x^2 + x - 2)}{(4x-3)^2} = \frac{4x^2 - 6x + 5}{(4x-3)^2}$

10 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} x^{-6} = -6x^{-7} = -\frac{6}{x^7}$

b $\frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{1}{7}} \right) = \frac{1}{7} x^{\frac{-6}{7}} = \frac{1}{7x^{\frac{6}{7}}}$

c $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt{x^3} = \frac{3}{2} x^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{3\sqrt{x}}{2}$

d $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{9}{x^2} \right) = -18x^{-3} = \frac{-18}{x^3}$

11 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} (2x - 7)^5 = 5 \times 2 \times (2x - 7)^4 = 10(2x - 7)^4$

b $\frac{d}{dx} 3(2x^3 + x^2 - 3)^4 = 24x(2x^3 + x^2 - 3)^3(3x + 1)$

12 **a** $\frac{d}{dx} (x^5 + 1)^{-3} = -3(x^5 + 1)^{-4}(5x^4) = -15x^4(x^5 + 1)^{-4}$

b $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt[3]{x-1} = \frac{1}{3} (x-1)^{\frac{-2}{3}} = \frac{1}{3\sqrt[3]{(x-1)^2}}$

13 **a**
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} [3x^2(x+2)^8] \\ &= 6x(x+2)^8 + 8(x+2)^7 \cdot 3x^2 \\ &= 3x(x+2)^7 [2(x+2) + 8x] \\ &= 6x(5x+2)(x+2)^7 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{b} \quad & \frac{d}{dx} \frac{3x^2}{(5x-1)^4} = \frac{6x(5x-1)^4 - 20(5x-1)^3 \cdot 3x^2}{(5x-1)^8} \\
 &= \frac{(5x-1)^3 [6x(5x-1) - 60x^2]}{(5x-1)^8} \\
 &= \frac{(30x^2 - 6x - 60x^2)}{(5x-1)^5} \\
 &= \frac{(-6x - 30x^2)}{(5x-1)^5} \\
 &= \frac{-6x(1+5x)}{(5x-1)^5}
 \end{aligned}$$

14 a Given $y = e^x$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x$ at the point $(3, e^3)$ is e^3 .

b $y = 3e^x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^x$ so at the point where $x = -2$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^{-2}$

Equation of tangent $y = 3e^{-2}x + c$.

Substitute $(-2, 3e^{-2})$, $3e^{-2} = -6e^{-2} + c \Rightarrow c = 9e^{-2}$

Equation of tangent $y = 3e^{-2}x + 9e^{-2}$

or $3x - e^2y + 9 = 0$ (by multiplying by e^2)

15 a $\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 + 2e^x) = 2x + 2e^x$

b $\frac{d}{dx}e^{6x} = 6e^{6x}$

c $\frac{d}{dx}(e^x - 3)^9 = 9e^x(e^x - 3)^8$

d $\frac{d}{dx}2e^{4x+1} = 8e^{4x+1}$

e $\frac{d}{dx}(e^x + e^{-x}) = (e^x - e^{-x})$

16 **a** $\frac{d}{dx}(4x+3)e^{2x} = 4e^{2x} + 2e^{2x}(4x+3) = 2e^{2x}(4x+5)$

b
$$\frac{d}{dx} \frac{e^{3x}}{x-4} = \frac{3e^{3x}(x-4) - 1 \times e^{3x}}{(x-4)^2} = \frac{e^{3x}(3x-13)}{(x-4)^2}$$

17 **a** $N = 1000e^{0.24t} \Rightarrow N_0 = 1000e^0 = 1000$

b **i** $N_6 = 1000e^{0.24 \times 6} = 4\ 221$

ii $N_{24} = 1000e^{0.24 \times 24} = 317\ 348$

c $N = 1000e^{0.24t} \Rightarrow \frac{dN}{dt} = 1000 \times 0.24e^{0.24t} = 240e^{0.24t}$

i At $t = 6$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 240e^{0.24 \times 6} = 1013$

ii At $t = 24$, $\frac{dN}{dt} = 240e^{0.24 \times 24} = 76\ 164$

18 **a** **i** $T_2 = 75e^{-0.15 \times 2} = 56^\circ$

ii $T_5 = 75e^{-0.15 \times 5} = 35^\circ$

b $\frac{dN}{dt} = 75 \times (-0.15) e^{-0.15t}$

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -11.25e^{-0.15t}$$

i At $t = 2$ minutes,

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -11.25e^{-0.15 \times 2} = -8.33^\circ \text{ i.e. decreases at } 8.33^\circ \text{ per minute}$$

ii At $t = 5$ minutes,

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -11.25e^{-0.15 \times 5} = -5.31^\circ \text{ i.e. decreases at } 5.31^\circ \text{ per minute}$$

19 $\frac{dQ}{dt} = 0.04Q \Rightarrow Q = Q_0 e^{0.04t}$

a The formula for the increase in salt over t weeks is given by $Q = 375e^{0.04t}$.

b At $t = 6$ weeks, $Q = 375e^{0.04 \times 6} = 477$ grams

c $\frac{dQ}{dt} = 0.04Q \Rightarrow$ At $t = 6$ weeks, $\frac{dQ}{dt} = 0.04 \times 477 = 19$ grams per week

- 20** **a** $\frac{d}{dx}[3 \sin(x) + 1] = 3 \cos(x)$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx}[\sin(5x)] = 5 \cos(5x)$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx}x \sin(2x) = \sin(2x) + 2x \cos(2x)$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx}[3x - \sin(x)]^7 = 7[3 - \cos(x)][3x - \sin(x)]^6$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx}\sin(x^3 + 1) = 3x^2 \cos(x^3 + 1)$
- 21** **a** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) = -\frac{1}{3}\sin\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx}e^x \cos(x) = e^x \cos(x) - e^x \sin(x) = e^x [\cos(x) - \sin(x)]$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx}[2 + \cos(3x)]^5 = -15 \sin(3x)[2 + \cos(3x)]^4$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos(\pi x) = -\pi \sin(\pi x)$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx}\cos^2(x) = -2 \sin(x) \cos(x)$
- 22** **a** $\frac{d}{dx}6 \tan(x) = \frac{6}{\cos^2(x)}$
- b** $\frac{d}{dx}\tan(3x) = \frac{3}{\cos^2(3x)}$
- c** $\frac{d}{dx}\tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{5}\right) = \frac{\pi}{5\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi x}{5}\right)}$
- d** $\frac{d}{dx}x^3 \tan(2x) = 3x^2 \tan(2x) + \frac{2x^3}{\cos^2(2x)}$
- e** $\frac{d}{dx}\frac{\tan(x)}{x} = \frac{\frac{x}{\cos^2(x)} - 1 \times \tan(x)}{x^2} = \frac{1}{x\cos^2(x)} - \frac{\tan(x)}{x^2}$

Application

23 $Q = Q_0 e^{kt}$

$$\frac{dQ}{dt} = Q_0 \times k \times e^{kt}$$

$$= k(Q_0 e^{kt})$$

$$\therefore \frac{dQ}{dt} = kQ$$

24 a $y = \tan(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)}$$

At the point $\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, 1\right)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = 2$

Equation of the tangent $y = 2x + c$

$$\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, 1\right), y = 2x + c \Rightarrow 1 = 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + c \Rightarrow c = 1 - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y = 2x + 1 - \frac{\pi}{2}$$

b $A\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}, 0\right)$, $B\left(0, 1 - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

c $A_{\Delta} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\right)\left(1 - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{16}(\pi - 2)(\pi - 2) = \frac{1}{16}(\pi - 2)^2 \approx 0.163 \text{ units}^2$

25 a $x = 6 \sin(t) \Rightarrow x_5 = 6 \sin(5) = -5.8 \text{ cm}$

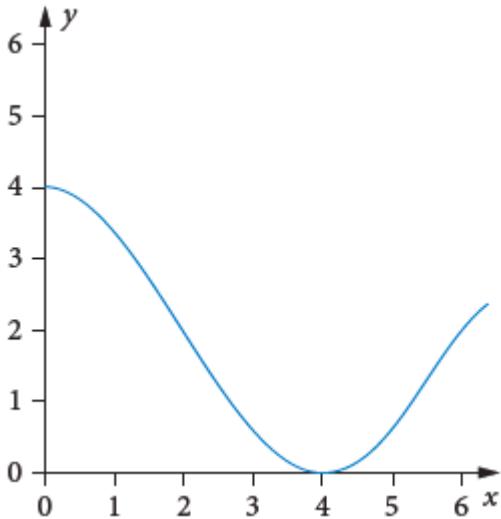
b if $x = 0, 0 = 6 \sin(t)$

$$t = 0, \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, \dots$$

i.e. $t = n\pi$, where n is any whole number.

c $v = 6 \cos(t) \Rightarrow v_3 = 6 \cos(3) = -5.94 \text{ cm per sec}$

26 **a** $y = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right) + 2$



b $\frac{dy}{dx} = -2 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right)$

$$\text{At } x = 6, \frac{dy}{dx} = -2 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \sin\left(\frac{\pi(3)}{2}\right) = -\frac{\pi}{2}(-1) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\theta = 57.52^\circ$$