

Mini-Quiz 7/5 Solution

Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ when

$$x^2 y^2 = 1.$$

SOLUTION:

$$x^2 y^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 y^2) = \frac{d}{dx}(1)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^2) y^2 + x^2 \frac{d}{dx}(y^2) = 0$$

$$2x y^2 + x^2 \left(2y \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 0$$

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left[\frac{-2x y^2}{2x^2 y} \right] =$$

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Theorem

Use the limit definition to prove

$$(a) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \sin x = \cos x$$

$$(b) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \cos x = -\sin x$$

PROOF OF (a): Use the trig. identity

$$\sin(x+h) = \sin x \cos h + \cos x \sin h$$

The difference quotient is

$$\frac{\sin(x+h) - \sin x}{h} = \frac{[\sin x \cos h + \cos x \sin h] - \sin x}{h}$$

$$= \frac{\sin x (\cos h - 1) + \cos x \sin h}{h}$$

$$= \sin x \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} + \cos x \frac{\sin h}{h}$$



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Therefore

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

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} \sin x &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x+h) - \sin x}{h} \\&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\sin x \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} + \cos x \frac{\sin h}{h} \right] \\&= \sin x \left[\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} \right] + \cos x \left[\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \right] = 0 + \cos x \cdot 1 \\&= \cos x\end{aligned}$$

Hint for the proof of (b):

The proof of (b) is similar to the proof of (a).

Use the trig. identity

$$\cos(x+h) = \cos x \cos h - \sin x \sin h.$$

Example: Find the derivative of

$$f(x) = -4 \sin x + \cos \frac{\pi}{6}$$

SOLUTION:

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(-4 \sin x + \cos \frac{\pi}{6}) = \frac{d}{dx}(-4 \sin x) + \frac{d}{dx}(\cos \frac{\pi}{6})$$

$$= -4 \frac{d}{dx} \sin x + \frac{d}{dx} \cos \frac{\pi}{6}$$

→ This is a constant.

$$= -4 \cos x + 0$$

$$= -4 \cos x$$



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Example: Find the derivative of

$$y = \cos(x^2 + 1)$$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 & \text{ Network Configuration} \\ & \text{Connect To Wi-Fi Network} \\ 2 & \text{ Choose This Apple TV} \\ & \text{SPRL1340} \\ y' &= \frac{d}{dx} (\cos(x^2 + 1)) \\ &= -\sin(x^2 + 1) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (x^2 + 1) \\ &= \boxed{-\sin(x^2 + 1) \cdot 2x} \\ &= \boxed{-2x \sin(x^2 + 1)} \end{aligned}$$

Example: Find the derivative of

$$y = x^2 \sin(3x) - \cos(5x)$$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= \frac{d}{dx} (x^2 \sin(3x)) - \frac{d}{dx} \cos(5x) \\ &= \left[\frac{d}{dx} (x^2) \sin(3x) + x^2 \frac{d}{dx} \sin(3x) \right] - [-\sin(5x) \cdot 5] \\ &= \boxed{2x \sin(3x) + x^2 (\cos(3x) \cdot 3)} + 5 \sin(5x) \\ &= \boxed{2x \sin(3x) + 3x^2 \cos(3x) + 5 \sin(5x)} \end{aligned}$$

The derivatives of the other trigonometric functions can be found using these identities.

$$\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\cot x = \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$\sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x}$$

$$\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x}$$

Example: Prove $\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x$

SOLUTION:

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

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

$$= \frac{\cos x \cdot \cos x - \sin x \cdot (-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x}$$

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

In summary, the derivatives of trigonometric functions are:

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

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

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

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

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

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

In summary, the derivatives of the
six trigonometric functions are:

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

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

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

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

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

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

Example: Compute the derivatives of:

$$(a): \tan(x^2) = \tan x^2 \quad (b): \tan^2 x = (\tan x)^2$$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} (a): \frac{d}{dx} \tan(x^2) &= \sec^2(x^2) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) \\ &= \boxed{\sec^2(x^2) \cdot 2x} \\ &= \boxed{2x \sec^2(x^2)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (b): \frac{d}{dx} \tan^2 x &= 2 \tan x \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) \\ &= \boxed{2 \tan x \cdot \sec^2 x} \end{aligned}$$

Example:

Find the equation of the tangent line of
 $f(x) = \tan x$

at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

SOLUTION:

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{At } x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= \sec^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \dots \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{\frac{2}{4}} = \frac{4}{2} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \\ &= \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{4}}{\cos \frac{\pi}{4}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}}{\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Equation of the tangent line

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

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

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

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

Example: Find the derivative of
 $f(x) = \sec(\sqrt{x^2+1})$

SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \sec(\sqrt{x^2+1}) \\ &= \sec(\sqrt{x^2+1}) \tan(\sqrt{x^2+1}) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(\sqrt{x^2+1}) \\ &= \boxed{\sec(\sqrt{x^2+1}) \tan(\sqrt{x^2+1}) \cdot \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \sqrt{x^2+1} &= \frac{d}{dx} (x^2+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (x^2+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (x^2+1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x^2+1}} \cdot 2x \\ &= \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} \end{aligned}$$

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Find the derivative of

$$y = \sin(\cos(3x)).$$