

Homework 6 SOLUTIONS  
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**2.9** #8)  $y = x^2 e^x - x e^x$ ;  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x e^x + x^2 e^x - e^x - x e^x$   
↑ ↑  
product rule again  
 $= x^2 e^x + x e^x - e^x$  [organize by powers of  $x$ ]

#23)  $y = \ln(1/x) = \ln(u)$  where  $u = 1/x = x^{-1}$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{u} \cdot (-1) \cdot x^{-2} = -\frac{1}{u \cdot x^2}$  but  $u \cdot x = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{-\frac{1}{x}}$

Note:  $\ln(1/x) = -\ln(x)$  also; derivative is consistent with that.

#26)  $y = \ln(2x+2)$ ;  $u = 2x+2$ ,  $y = \ln u \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{2x+2} \cdot 2$

Note:  $2x+2 = 2 \cdot (x+1)$  so  $\ln(2x+2) = \ln(2) + \ln(x+1)$  ↑  $= \frac{1}{x+1}$   
(consistent again)

#49)  $A = 20 \cdot (1/2)^{t/140}$ ;  $t$  is in days,  $A$  is in grams

Chain rule:  $\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dA}{du} \frac{du}{dt}$ ,  $A = 20 \cdot (1/2)^u$ ,  $u = t/140$

Rewrite  $A$  as  $20 \cdot (1/2)^u = 20 \cdot e^{\ln(1/2) \cdot u} = 20 e^v$ ,  $v = \ln(1/2) \cdot u$ .

Then  $\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dA}{dv} \frac{dv}{du} \frac{du}{dt} = 20 e^v \cdot \ln(1/2) \cdot \frac{1}{140}$

When  $t = 2$  days, we get  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 20 e^{2/140 \ln(1/2)} \cdot \ln(1/2) \cdot \frac{1}{140} \approx -0.098$  grams/day

**Chap 2 Practice**

#4)  $y = (2x-5)(4-x)^{-1}$  product + chain or quotient (b)  
 (a)  $2 \cdot (4-x)^{-1} + (2x-5)(-1)(4-x)^{-2} \cdot (-1) = 2 \cdot (4-x)^{-1} + (2x-5)(4-x)^{-2}$   
 $= \frac{2 \cdot (4-x) + 2x-5}{(4-x)^2} = \frac{3}{(4-x)^2}$   
 (b)  $\frac{2 \cdot (4-x) - (2x-5)(-1)}{(4-x)^2} = \frac{3}{(4-x)^2}$

#10)  $s = \cos^4(1-2t)$  chain rule  $s = [\cos(1-2t)]^4 = u^4$ ,  $u = \cos(1-2t)$

$\frac{ds}{dt} = \frac{ds}{du} \frac{du}{dt} = 4u^3 \cdot \frac{du}{dt}$ . Do  $\frac{du}{dt}$  with chain rule again:  $u = \cos w$   
 $w = 1-2t$

Find  $\frac{du}{dt} = -\sin w \cdot \frac{dw}{dt} = -\sin w \cdot (-2) = 2 \sin(1-2t)$ . So  $\frac{ds}{dt} = \boxed{8 \cos^3(1-2t) \sin(1-2t)}$

#25)  $y = \frac{1}{4}x e^{4x} - \frac{1}{16}e^{4x}$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4}e^{4x} + \frac{1}{4}x \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(e^{4x}) - \frac{1}{16} \frac{d}{dx}(e^{4x})$

so  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4}e^{4x} + \frac{1}{4}x \cdot 4e^{4x} - \frac{1}{16} \cdot 4e^{4x} = \boxed{x e^{4x}}$  (chain rule easy)

#60) (a)  $(x^{1/2} f(x))' = \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} \cdot f(x) + x^{1/2} \cdot f'(x)$  [product rule; power rule]  
using  $x=1$ , get  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \cdot (-3) + 1 \cdot \frac{1}{5} = -\frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{5} = \boxed{-\frac{13}{10}}$

(b)  $(\sqrt{f(x)})' = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (f(x))^{-1/2} \cdot f'(x)$  ← CHAIN RULE! at  $x=0$ , get

$\frac{1}{2} \cdot (9)^{-1/2} \cdot (-2) = \boxed{-\frac{1}{3}}$

(c)  $[f(x^{1/2})]' = f'(x^{1/2}) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot x^{-1/2}$  = at  $x=1$  get  $f'(1) \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \boxed{\frac{1}{10}}$

(d)  $[f(1-5 \tan x)]'$  at  $x=0$ :  $f(u)$ ,  $u = 1-5 \tan x \rightarrow f'(u) \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$

At  $x=0$ ,  $u=1$  and  $\frac{du}{dx} = -5 \sec^2 x = -5$  at  $x=0$ : Answer is  $\frac{1}{5}(-5) = \boxed{-1}$

(e)  $\left(\frac{f(x)}{2+\cos x}\right)' = \frac{f'(x)(2+\cos x) - f(x)(-\sin x)}{(2+\cos x)^2}$ : at  $x=0$ ,  $\cos x = 1$   
 $f(0) = 9$   
 $f'(0) = -2$

Get value:  $\frac{-2 \cdot (3) + 0}{3^2} = \boxed{-\frac{2}{3}}$

(f)  $(10 \sin(\frac{\pi x}{2}) \cdot f^2(x))'$  at  $x=1$ : product rule, etc. gives

$10 \cdot \cos(\frac{\pi x}{2}) \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot [f(x)]^2 + 10 \sin(\frac{\pi x}{2}) \cdot 2f(x) \cdot f'(x)$ : set  $x=1$

↑  
chain rule

$f(1) = -3$  |  $\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) = 1$   
 $f'(1) = \frac{1}{5}$  |  $\cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) = 0$

Get  $0 + 10 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \cdot (-3) \cdot \frac{1}{5} = \boxed{-12}$

#89) (A) is derivative of (B): It can't be the other way since near  $x=0$ , slope of (A) is negative (indeed everywhere) while (B) is positive near 0.

#93) (a) Derivative is 0 at largest/smallest value of function  
(b) function is 1700 when derivative is largest (40)  
Function is about 1300 when derivative is smallest (-53)

3.11 #3] Absolute max at  $x=c$ ; no abs min [endpoints missing]  
#4] neither abs. max, min - [hole plus endpoints missing]

#5] Abs. max at c, abs min at a.

#6] Abs min at c, abs max at a.

#15]  $f' = 2/3$  - near 0 (line)  $\Rightarrow$  max, min at endpoints.  
 $f(2) = -4/3 - 5 = -19/3$ ,  $f(3) = 2/3 \cdot 3 - 5 = -3$

#17]  $f(x) = 4 - x^2$ ,  $f'(x) = -2x$ :  $x=0$  is critical point  
 $f(0) = 4$ ,  $f(-3) = 4 - 9 = -5$ ,  $f(1) = 4 - 1 = 3$

#39]  $f(x) = x(4-x^2)^{1/2}$   
 $f'(x) = 1 \cdot (4-x^2)^{1/2} + x \cdot \frac{1}{2}(4-x^2)^{-1/2} \cdot (-2x)$  ← chain rule  
Product rule  $= \frac{4-x^2-x^2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} = \frac{4-2x^2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}$

Domain:  $-2 \leq x \leq 2$ ; only local extremes are  $x = \pm\sqrt{2}$   
or  $x = \pm\sqrt{2}$ : At  $\sqrt{2}$ ,  $y = \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{2} = 2$  - local max  
At  $-\sqrt{2}$ ,  $y = -\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{2} = -2$  - local min

Note: For  $-2 < x < -\sqrt{2}$ ,  $f' < 0$ ;  
For  $-\sqrt{2} < x < \sqrt{2}$ ,  $f' > 0$ ;  
For  $\sqrt{2} < x < 2$ ,  $f' < 0$