

EXERCISE 30.1
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1. Find the derivative of $f(x) = 3x$ at $x = 2$
Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = 3x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where, } h \text{ is a small positive number}\}$$

 Derivative of $f(x) = 3x$ at $x = 2$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(2) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2+h) - f(2)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3(2+h) - 3 \times 2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3h + 6 - 6}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 3 = 3 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

 Derivative of $f(x) = 3x$ at $x = 2$ is 3

2. Find the derivative of $f(x) = x^2 - 2$ at $x = 10$
Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = x^2 - 2$$

By using the derivative formula,

 Derivative of $x^2 - 2$ at $x = 10$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(10) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(10+h) - f(10)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(10+h)^2 - 2 - (10^2 - 2)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{100 + h^2 + 20h - 2 - 100 + 2}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 + 20h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(h+20)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (h+20) \\ &= 0 + 20 = 20 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

Derivative of $f(x) = x^2 - 2$ at $x = 10$ is 20

3. Find the derivative of $f(x) = 99x$ at $x = 100$.

Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = 99x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a very small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of $99x$ at $x = 100$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(100) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(100+h) - f(100)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{99(100+h) - 99 \times 100}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{9900 + 99h - 9900}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{99h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 99 = 99 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

Derivative of $f(x) = 99x$ at $x = 100$ is 99

4. Find the derivative of $f(x) = x$ at $x = 1$

Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a very small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of x at $x = 1$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h) - 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+h-1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

Derivative of $f(x) = x$ at $x = 1$ is 1

5. Find the derivative of $f(x) = \cos x$ at $x = 0$
Solution:

Given:

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

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a very small positive number}\}$$

 Derivative of $\cos x$ at $x = 0$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(0) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(h) - \cos 0}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} \end{aligned}$$

Let us try and evaluate the limit.

 We know that $1 - \cos x = 2 \sin^2(x/2)$

So,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(1 - \cos h)}{h} = - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2}}{h}$$

 Divide the numerator and denominator by 2 to get the form $(\sin x)/x$ to apply sandwich theorem.

$$= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2}}{\frac{h^2}{2}} \times h$$

By using algebra of limits we get

$$= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sin \frac{h}{2}}{\frac{h}{2}} \right) \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h$$

 [By using the formula: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$]

$$f'(0) = -1 \times 0 = 0$$

 \therefore Derivative of $f(x) = \cos x$ at $x = 0$ is 0

6. Find the derivative of $f(x) = \tan x$ at $x = 0$
Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = \tan x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of $\cos x$ at $x = 0$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(0) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+h) - f(0)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan(h) - \tan 0}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan h}{h} \quad [\text{Since it is of indeterminate form}] \end{aligned}$$

By using the formula: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{x} = 1$ {i.e., sandwich theorem}

$$f'(0) = 1$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = \tan x$ at $x = 0$ is 1

7. Find the derivatives of the following functions at the indicated points:

(i) $\sin x$ at $x = \pi/2$

(ii) x at $x = 1$

(iii) $2 \cos x$ at $x = \pi/2$

(iv) $\sin 2x$ at $x = \pi/2$

Solution:

(i) $\sin x$ at $x = \pi/2$

Given:

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

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of $\sin x$ at $x = \pi/2$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - \sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} \quad \{\because \sin(\pi/2 + x) = \cos x\} \end{aligned}$$

[Since it is of indeterminate form. Let us try to evaluate the limit.]

We know that $1 - \cos x = 2 \sin^2(x/2)$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-(1 - \cos h)}{h} = - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2}}{h}$$

Divide the numerator and denominator by 2 to get the form $(\sin x)/x$ to apply sandwich theorem.

$$= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2}}{\frac{h}{2}} \times h$$

Using algebra of limits we get

$$= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sin \frac{h}{2}}{\frac{h}{2}} \right) \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h$$

[By using the formula: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$]

$$f'(\pi/2) = -1 \times 0 = 0$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = \sin x$ at $x = \pi/2$ is 0

(ii) x at x = 1

Given:

$$f(x) = x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a very small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of x at x = 1 is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'(1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h) - 1}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1+h-1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

Derivative of $f(x) = x$ at $x = 1$ is 1

(iii) 2 cos x at x = $\pi/2$

Given:

$$f(x) = 2 \cos x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of $2\cos x$ at $x = \pi/2$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - 2\cos\frac{\pi}{2}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2\sin h}{h} \quad \{\because \cos(\pi/2 + x) = -\sin x\} \end{aligned}$$

[Since it is of indeterminate form]

$$= -2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h}$$

By using the formula: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$

$$f'(\pi/2) = -2 \times 1 = -2$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 2\cos x$ at $x = \pi/2$ is -2

(iv) $\sin 2x$ at $x = \pi/2$

Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = \sin 2x$$

By using the derivative formula,

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} \quad \{\text{Where } h \text{ is a small positive number}\}$$

Derivative of $\sin 2x$ at $x = \pi/2$ is given as

$$\begin{aligned} f'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right) - f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin\left\{2 \times \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + h\right)\right\} - \sin 2 \times \frac{\pi}{2}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\pi + 2h) - \sin \pi}{h} \quad \{\because \sin(\pi + x) = -\sin x \text{ \& } \sin \pi = 0\} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin 2h - 0}{h} \\ &= -\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 2h}{h} \end{aligned}$$

[Since it is of indeterminate form. We shall apply sandwich theorem to evaluate the limit.]

Now, multiply numerator and denominator by 2, we get

$$= - \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 2h}{2h} \times 2 = -2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 2h}{2h}$$

By using the formula: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$

$$f'(\pi/2) = -2 \times 1 = -2$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = \sin 2x$ at $x = \pi/2$ is -2



EXERCISE 30.2
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1. Differentiate each of the following from first principles:
(i) $2/x$
(ii) $1/\sqrt{x}$
(iii) $1/x^3$
(iv) $[x^2 + 1]/x$
(v) $[x^2 - 1]/x$
Solution:
(i) $2/x$

Given:

$$f(x) = 2/x$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{2}{x+h} - \frac{2}{x}}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x - 2x - 2h}{hx(x+h)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2h}{hx(x+h)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2}{x(x+h)} \end{aligned}$$

 When $h=0$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{-2}{x^2} \\ &= -2x^{-2} \end{aligned}$$

 \therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 2/x$ is $-2x^{-2}$
(ii) $1/\sqrt{x}$

Given:

$$f(x) = 1/\sqrt{x}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{x+h}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}}{h}$$

By using algebra of limits, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{x+h}}{h\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x+h}} \times \frac{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+h}}{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+h}} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - x - h}{h\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x+h}(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+h})} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h}{h\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x+h}(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+h})} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x+h}(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x+h})} \end{aligned}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{-1}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x}(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x})} \\ &= \frac{-1}{x \times 2\sqrt{x}} \\ &= \frac{-1}{2x^{\frac{3}{2}}} \\ &= -\frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{3}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 1/\sqrt{x}$ is $-1/2 x^{-3/2}$

(iii) $1/x^3$

Given:

$$f(x) = 1/x^3$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{(x+h)^3} - \frac{1}{x^3}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 - (x+h)^3}{h(x+h)^3 x^3}$$

By using the formula $[a^3 - b^3 = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)]$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 - x^3 - 3x^2h - 3xh^2 - h^3}{h(x+h)^3 x^3}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-3x^2h - 3xh^2 - h^3}{h(x+h)^3 x^3}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(-3x^2 - 3xh - h^2)}{h(x+h)^3 x^3}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(-3x^2 - 3xh - h^2)}{(x+h)^3 x^3}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$= \frac{-3x^2}{x^6}$$

$$= \frac{-3}{x^4}$$

$$= -3x^{-4}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 1/x^3$ is $-3x^{-4}$

(iv) $[x^2 + 1]/x$

Given:

$$f(x) = [x^2 + 1]/x$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{(x+h)^2+1}{x+h} - \frac{x^2+1}{x}}{h}$$

Upon expansion,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x^2+2xh+h^2+1}{x+h} - \frac{x^2+1}{x}}{h}$$

By using algebra of limits, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 + 2x^2h + h^2x + x - x^3 - x^2h - x - h}{xh(x+h)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2h + h^2x - h}{xh(x+h)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(x^2 + hx - 1)}{xh(x+h)} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + hx - 1}{x(x+h)} \end{aligned}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2} \\ &= 1 - 1/x^2 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 1 - 1/x^2$

(v) $[x^2 - 1] / x$

Given:

$$f(x) = [x^2 - 1] / x$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{(x+h)^2-1}{x+h} - \frac{x^2-1}{x}}{h}$$

Upon expansion,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 1}{x+h} - \frac{x^2 - 1}{x}}{h}$$

By using algebra of limits, we get

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^3 + 2x^2h + h^2x - x - x^3 - x^2h + x + h}{xh(x+h)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2h + h^2x + h}{xh(x+h)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(x^2 + hx + 1)}{xh(x+h)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + hx + 1}{x(x+h)}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$= \frac{x^2 + 1}{x^2}$$

$$= 1 + 1/x^2$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 1 + 1/x^2$

2. Differentiate each of the following from first principles:

(i) e^{-x}

(ii) e^{3x}

(iii) e^{ax+b}

Solution:

(i) e^{-x}

Given:

$$f(x) = e^{-x}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{-x}) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-(x+h)} - e^{-x}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-x}e^{-h} - e^{-x}}{h}$$

Taking e^{-x} common, we have

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-x}(e^{-h} - 1)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} e^{-x} \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-h}-1}{-h} \times (-1)$$

We know that, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x-1}{x} = \log_e e = 1$

$$= -e^{-x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{-h} - 1}{-h}$$

So,

$$= -e^{-x} (1)$$

$$= -e^{-x}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = -e^{-x}$

(ii) e^{3x}

Given:

$$f(x) = e^{3x}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{3x}) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3(x+h)} - e^{3x}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3x}e^{3h} - e^{3x}}{h}$$

Taking e^{-x} common, we have

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3x}(e^{3h} - 1)}{3h}$$

By using algebra of limits,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} e^{3x} \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3h}-1}{h}$$

Since we cannot substitute the value of h directly, we take

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} e^{3x} \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3h} - 1}{3h} \times 3$$

We know that, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x} = \log_e e = 1$

$$= 3e^{3x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{3h} - 1}{3h}$$

$$= 3e^{3x} (1)$$

$$= 3e^{3x}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 3e^{3x}$

(iii) e^{ax+b}

Given:

$$f(x) = e^{ax+b}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{ax+b}) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{a(x+h)+b} - e^{ax+b}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ax+b} e^{ah} - e^{ax+b}}{h}$$

Taking e^{ax+b} common, we have

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ax+b} (e^{ah} - 1)}{h}$$

By using algebra of limits,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} e^{ax+b} \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ah} - 1}{h}$$

Since we cannot substitute the value of h directly, we take

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} e^{ax+b} \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ah} - 1}{ah} \times a$$

We know that, $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x} = \log_e e = 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= ae^{ax+b} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{ah} - 1}{ah} \\
 &= ae^{ax+b} (1) \\
 &= ae^{ax+b}
 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = ae^{ax+b}$

3. Differentiate each of the following from first principles:

(i) $\sqrt{\sin 2x}$

(ii) $\sin x/x$

Solution:

(i) $\sqrt{\sin 2x}$

Given:

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\sin 2x}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} - \sqrt{\sin 2x}}{h}$$

Multiply numerator and denominator by $\sqrt{\sin 2(x+h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}$, we have

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} - \sqrt{\sin 2x}}{h} \times \frac{\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}}{\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}}$$

By using $a^2 - b^2 = (a+b)(a-b)$, we get

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(2x+2h) - \sin 2x}{h \left(\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x} \right)}$$

By using the formula,

$$\sin C - \sin D = 2 \cos \left(\frac{C+D}{2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{C-D}{2} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos\left(\frac{2x+2h+2x}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{2x+2h-2x}{2}\right)}{h \left(\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}\right)} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos(2x+h) \sin h}{h \left(\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}\right)}
 \end{aligned}$$

By applying limits to each term, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2 \cos(2x+h) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\left(\sqrt{\sin(2x+2h)} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}\right)} \\
 &= 2 \cos 2x (1) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sin 2x} + \sqrt{\sin 2x}} \\
 &= \frac{2 \cos 2x}{2\sqrt{\sin 2x}} \\
 &= \frac{\cos 2x}{\sqrt{\sin 2x}}
 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = \cos 2x / \sqrt{(\sin 2x)}$

(ii) $\sin x/x$

Given:

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

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\sin(x+h)}{x+h} - \frac{\sin x}{x}}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin(x+h) - (x+h) \sin x}{hx(x+h)}
 \end{aligned}$$

By using algebra of limits,

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(\sin x \cos h + \cos x \sin h) - x \sin x - h \sin x}{hx(x+h)} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x \cos h + x \cos x \sin h - x \sin x - h \sin x}{hx(x+h)} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x \cos h - x \sin x + x \cos x \sin h - h \sin x}{hx(x+h)}
 \end{aligned}$$

By applying limits to each term, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= x \sin x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos h - 1}{h} + \frac{x \cos x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{\sin x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} \\
 &= x \sin x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2}}{h} + \frac{x \cos x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{\sin x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} \\
 &= x \sin x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{2}}{\frac{h^2}{4}} \times \frac{h}{4} + \frac{x \cos x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{\sin x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} \\
 &= -x \sin x \times \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{2} + \frac{x \cos x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{\sin x}{x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x+h}
 \end{aligned}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -x \sin x \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) (0) + \frac{\cos x}{x} - \frac{\sin x}{x^2} \\
 &= \frac{\cos x}{x} - \frac{\sin x}{x^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

By taking LCM, we get

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

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = [x \cos x - \sin x]/x^2$

4. Differentiate the following from first principles:

(i) $\tan^2 x$

(ii) $\tan(2x + 1)$

Solution:

(i) $\tan^2 x$

Given:

$f(x) = \tan^2 x$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan^2(x+h) - \tan^2 x}{h}$$

By using $(a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - b^2$, we have

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[\tan(x+h) + \tan x][\tan(x+h) - \tan x]}{h}$$

Replacing tan with sin/cos,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left[\frac{\sin(x+h)}{\cos(x+h)} + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right] \left[\frac{\sin(x+h)}{\cos(x+h)} - \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right]}{h}$$

By taking LCM,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[\sin(x+h)\cos x + \cos(x+h)\sin x][\sin(x+h)\cos x - \cos(x+h)\sin x]}{h \cos^2 x \cos^2(x+h)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{[\sin(2x+h)][\sin h]}{h \cos^2 x \cos^2(x+h)}$$

By applying limits to each term, we get

$$= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \sin(2x+h) \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin h}{h} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\cos^2(x+h)}$$

When $h=0$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \sin(2x) (1) \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} 2 \sin x \cos x \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \\ &= 2 \times \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \times \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \\ &= 2 \tan x \sec^2 x \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 2 \tan x \sec^2 x$

(ii) $\tan(2x+1)$

Given:

$$f(x) = \tan(2x + 1)$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan(2x + 2h + 1) - \tan(2x + 1)}{h}$$

Replacing tan with sin/cos,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\sin(2x+2h+1)}{\cos(2x+2h+1)} - \frac{\sin(2x+1)}{\cos(2x+1)}}{h}$$

By taking LCM,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(2x + 2h + 1) \cos(2x + 1) - \cos(2x + 2h + 1) \sin(2x + 1)}{h \cos(2x + 2h + 1) \cos(2x + 1)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(2x + 2h + 1 - 2x - 1)}{h \cos(2x + 2h + 1) \cos(2x + 1)}$$

By applying limits to each term, we get

$$= \frac{1}{\cos(2x + 1)} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(2h)}{2h} \times 2 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\cos(2x + 2h + 1)}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

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

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

$$= 2 \sec^2(2x + 1)$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = 2 \sec^2(2x + 1)$

5. Differentiate the following from first principles:

(i) $\sin \sqrt{2x}$

(ii) $\cos \sqrt{x}$

Solution:

(i) $\sin \sqrt{2x}$

Given:

$$f(x) = \sin \sqrt{2x}$$

$$f(x+h) = \sin \sqrt{2(x+h)}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \sqrt{2x+2h} - \sin \sqrt{2x}}{h}$$

By using the formula,

$$\begin{aligned} \sin C - \sin D &= 2 \sin \left(\frac{C-D}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{C+D}{2} \right) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} + \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{h} \end{aligned}$$

By using algebra of limits,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \times 2 \sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} + \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{2h + 2x - 2x}$$

To use the sandwich theorem to evaluate the limit, we need $\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2}$ in denominator.

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \times 2 \sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{\left(\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x} \right) \sqrt{2x+2h} + \sqrt{2x}} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \times 2 \sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right) \cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{2 \times \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right) \left(\sqrt{2x+2h} + \sqrt{2x} \right)} \end{aligned}$$

By applying limits to each term, we get

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{\sqrt{2x+2h} + \sqrt{2x}}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$= 1 \times \frac{2 \cos \sqrt{2x}}{2\sqrt{2x}} \left[\because \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2x+2h} - \sqrt{2x}}{2} \right)} = 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{\cos \sqrt{2x}}{\sqrt{2x}}$$

∴ Derivative of $f(x) = \cos \sqrt{2x} / \sqrt{2x}$

(ii) $\cos \sqrt{x}$

Given:

$$f(x) = \cos \sqrt{x}$$

$$f(x+h) = \cos \sqrt{x+h}$$

By using the formula,

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

By substituting the values we get,

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos \sqrt{x+h} - \cos \sqrt{x}}{h}$$

By using the formula,

$$\begin{aligned} \cos C - \cos D &= -2 \sin\left(\frac{C+D}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{C-D}{2}\right) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{2}\right)}{h} \end{aligned}$$

By using algebra of limits, we get

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{2}\right)}{x+h-x}$$

To use the sandwich theorem to evaluate the limit, we need $\frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{2}$ in denominator.

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2 \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{2}\right)}{2 \times (\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}) \frac{(\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x})}{2}}$$

By applying limits to each term, we get

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{2}\right)}{\frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{2}} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-\sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}}{2}\right)}{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}}$$

When $h = 0$, we get

$$= 1 \times \frac{-\sin \sqrt{x}}{2\sqrt{x}} \left[\because \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{x+h}-\sqrt{x}}{2}\right)}{\frac{\sqrt{x+h}-\sqrt{x}}{2}} = 1 \right]$$
$$= \frac{-\sin \sqrt{x}}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x) = -\sin \sqrt{x} / 2\sqrt{x}$



EXERCISE 30.3

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Differentiate the following with respect to x:

1. $x^4 - 2\sin x + 3 \cos x$

Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = x^4 - 2\sin x + 3 \cos x$$

Differentiate on both the sides with respect to x, we get

$$\frac{d}{dx}\{f(x)\} = \frac{d}{dx}(x^4 - 2\sin x + 3\cos x)$$

By using algebra of derivatives,

$$f' = \frac{d}{dx}(x^4) - 2\frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) + 3\frac{d}{dx}(\cos x)$$

We know that,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

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

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

So,

$$= 4x^{4-1} - 2\cos x + 3(-\sin x)$$

$$= 4x^3 - 2\cos x - 3\sin x$$

 \therefore Derivative of $f(x)$ is $4x^3 - 2\cos x - 3\sin x$

2. $3^x + x^3 + 3^3$

Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = 3^x + x^3 + 3^3$$

Differentiate on both the sides with respect to x, we get

$$\frac{d}{dx}\{f(x)\} = \frac{d}{dx}(3^x + x^3 + 3^3)$$

By using algebra of derivatives,

$$f' = \frac{d}{dx}(3^x) + \frac{d}{dx}(x^3) + \frac{d}{dx}(3^3)$$

We know that,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(a^x) = a^x \log a$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\text{constant}) = 0$$

$$f' = 3^x \log_e 3 + 3x^{3-1} + 0$$

$$= 3^x \log_e 3 + 3x^2$$

∴ Derivative of $f(x)$ is $3^x \log_e 3 + 3x^2$

$$3. \frac{x^3}{3} - 2\sqrt{x} + \frac{5}{x^2}$$

Solution:

Given:

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

Differentiate on both the sides with respect to x , we get

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

By using algebra of derivatives,

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

We know that,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f' &= \frac{1}{3} (3x^{3-1}) - 2 \times \frac{1}{2} x^{\frac{1}{2}-1} + 5(-2)x^{-2-1} \\ &= 3 \times \frac{1}{3} x^2 - x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 10x^{-3} \\ &= x^2 - x^{(-1/2)} - 10x^{-3} \end{aligned}$$

∴ Derivative of $f(x)$ is $x^2 - x^{(-1/2)} - 10x^{-3}$

$$4. e^{x \log a} + e^{a \log x} + e^{a \log a}$$

Solution:

Given:

$$f(x) = e^{x \log a} + e^{a \log x} + e^{a \log a}$$

We know that,

$$e^{\log f(x)} = f(x)$$

So,

$$f(x) = a^x + x^a + a^a$$

Differentiate on both the sides with respect to x , we get

$$\frac{d}{dx}\{f(x)\} = \frac{d}{dx}(a^x + x^a + a^a)$$

By using algebra of derivatives,

$$f' = \frac{d}{dx}(a^x) + \frac{d}{dx}(x^a) + \frac{d}{dx}(a^a)$$

We know that,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(a^x) = a^x \log a$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\text{constant}) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f' &= a^x \log_e a - ax^{a-1} + 0 \\ &= a^x \log a - ax^{a-1} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x)$ is $a^x \log a - ax^{a-1}$

5. $(2x^2 + 1)(3x + 2)$

Solution:

Given:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (2x^2 + 1)(3x + 2) \\ &= 6x^3 + 4x^2 + 3x + 2 \end{aligned}$$

Differentiate on both the sides with respect to x , we get

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

By using algebra of derivatives,

$$f' = 6 \frac{d}{dx}(x^3) + 4 \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) + 3 \frac{d}{dx}(x) + \frac{d}{dx}(2)$$

We know that,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\text{constant}) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f' &= 6(3x^{3-1}) + 4(2x^{2-1}) + 3(x^{1-1}) + 0 \\ &= 18x^2 + 8x + 3 + 0 \\ &= 18x^2 + 8x + 3 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Derivative of $f(x)$ is $18x^2 + 8x + 3$

EXERCISE 30.4
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Differentiate the following functions with respect to x:
1. $x^3 \sin x$
Solution:

 Let us consider $y = x^3 \sin x$

 We need to find dy/dx

 We know that y is a product of two functions say u and v where,

 $u = x^3$ and $v = \sin x$
 $\therefore y = uv$

Now let us apply product rule of differentiation.

By using product rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

 As, $u = x^3$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 3x^{3-1} = 3x^2 \dots \text{Equation (2) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

 As, $v = \sin x$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) = \cos x \dots \text{Equation (3) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) = \cos x \right\}$$

 From equation(1), we can find dy/dx

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^3 \frac{dv}{dx} + \sin x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^3 \cos x + 3x^2 \sin x \quad \left\{ \text{Using equation 2 \& 3} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = x^3 \cos x + 3x^2 \sin x$$

2. $x^3 e^x$
Solution:

 Let us consider $y = x^3 e^x$

 We need to find dy/dx

 We know that y is a product of two functions say u and v where,

 $u = x^3$ and $v = e^x$
 $\therefore y = uv$

Now let us apply product rule of differentiation.

By using product rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

As, $u = x^3$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 3x^{3-1} = 3x^2 \dots \text{Equation (2)} \left\{ \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

As, $v = e^x$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x \dots \text{Equation (3)} \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x \right\}$$

Now from equation (1), we can find dy/dx

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^3 \frac{dv}{dx} + e^x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^3 e^x + 3x^2 e^x \quad \{\text{Using equation 2 \& 3}\}$$

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

3. $x^2 e^x \log x$

Solution:

Let us consider $y = x^2 e^x \log x$

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a product of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = x^2 \text{ and } v = e^x$$

$$\therefore y = uv$$

Now let us apply product rule of differentiation.

By using product rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} + uv \frac{dw}{dx} \dots \text{equation 1}$$

As, $u = x^2$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 2x^{2-1} = 2x \dots \text{Equation (2)} \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

As, $v = e^x$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x \dots \text{Equation (3)} \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(e^x) = e^x \right\}$$

As, $w = \log x$

$$\frac{dw}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(\log x) = \frac{1}{x} \dots \text{Equation (4)} \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(\log_e x) = \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 \log x \frac{dv}{dx} + e^x \log x \frac{du}{dx} + x^2 e^x \frac{dw}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 e^x \log x + 2xe^x \log x + x^2 e^x \frac{1}{x} \quad \{\text{Using equation 2, 3 \& 4}\}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = xe^x(1 + x \log x + 2 \log x)$$

4. $x^n \tan x$

Solution:

Let us consider $y = x^n \tan x$

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a product of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = x^n \text{ and } v = \tan x$$

$$\therefore y = uv$$

Now let us apply product rule of differentiation.

By using product rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \dots \text{Equation 1}$$

$$\text{As, } u = x^n$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = nx^{n-1} \dots \text{Equation 2 } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

$$\text{As, } v = \tan x$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) = \sec^2 x \dots \text{Equation 3 } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) = \sec^2 x \right\}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^n \frac{dv}{dx} + \tan x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^n \sec^2 x + nx^{n-1} \tan x \quad \{\text{Using equation 2 \& 3}\}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = x^{n-1}(n \tan x + x \sec^2 x)$$

5. $x^n \log_a x$

Solution:

Let us consider $y = x^n \log_a x$

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a product of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = x^n \text{ and } v = \log_a x$$

$$\therefore y = uv$$

Now let us apply product rule of differentiation.

By using product rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

$$\text{As, } u = x^n$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = nx^{n-1} \dots \text{Equation (2) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

$$\text{As, } v = \log_a x$$

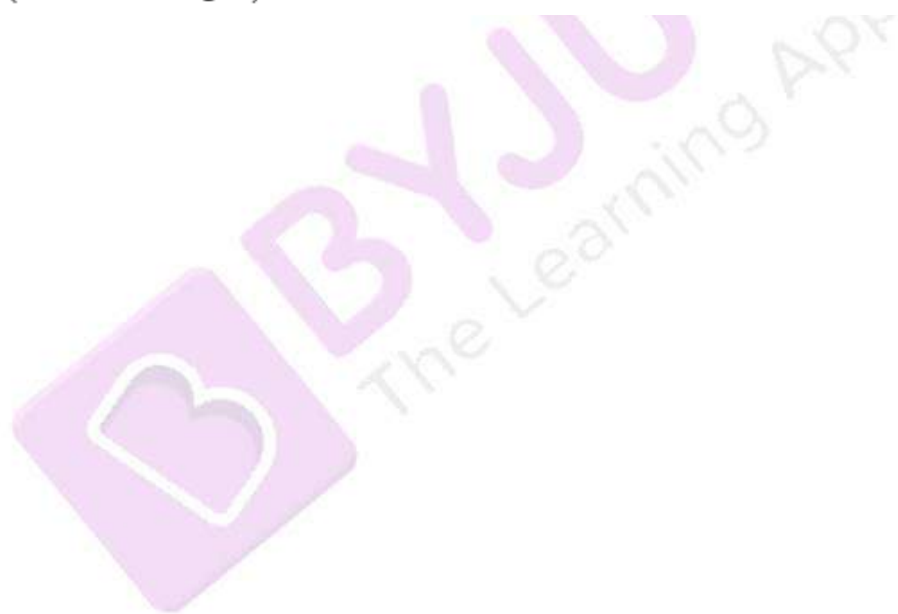
$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(\log_a x) = \frac{1}{x \log_e a} \dots \text{Equation (3) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx}(\log_a x) = \frac{1}{x \log_e a} \right\}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^n \frac{dv}{dx} + \log_a x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^n \frac{1}{x \log_e a} + nx^{n-1} \log_a x \quad \left\{ \text{Using equation 2 \& 3} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = x^{n-1} \left(n \log_a x + \frac{1}{\log a} \right)$$



EXERCISE 30.5
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Differentiate the following functions with respect to x:

1. $\frac{x^2 + 1}{x + 1}$

Solution:

Let us consider

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

 We need to find dy/dx

 We know that y is a fraction of two functions say u and v where,
 $u = x^2 + 1$ and $v = x + 1$

$$\therefore y = u/v$$

Now let us apply quotient rule of differentiation.

By using quotient rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

$$\text{As, } u = x^2 + 1$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 2x^{2-1} + 0 = 2x \dots \text{Equation (2) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

$$\text{As, } v = x + 1$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (x + 1) = 1 \dots \text{Equation (3) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

 Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \\ &= \frac{(x+1)(2x) - (x^2+1)(1)}{(x+1)^2} \quad \{ \text{Using equation 2 and 3} \} \\ &= \frac{2x^2 + 2x - x^2 - 1}{(x+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{(x+1)^2} \\ \therefore \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{(x+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

2. $\frac{2x - 1}{x^2 + 1}$

Solution:

Let us consider

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

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a fraction of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = 2x - 1 \text{ and } v = x^2 + 1$$

$$\therefore y = u/v$$

Now let us apply quotient rule of differentiation.

By using quotient rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

$$\text{As, } u = 2x - 1$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 2x^{1-1} - 0 = 2 \dots \text{Equation (2) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

$$\text{As, } v = x^2 + 1$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (x^2 + 1) = 2x \dots \text{Equation (3) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \\ &= \frac{(x^2 + 1)(2) - (2x - 1)(2x)}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \quad \{ \text{Using equation 2 and 3} \} \\ &= \frac{2x^2 + 2 - 4x^2 + 2x}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \\ &= \frac{-2x^2 + 2x + 2}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \\ \therefore \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{2(1 + x - x^2)}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

3. $\frac{x + e^x}{1 + \log x}$

Solution:

Let us consider

$$y = \frac{x + e^x}{1 + \log x}$$

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a fraction of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = x + e^x \text{ and } v = 1 + \log x$$

$$\therefore y = u/v$$

Now let us apply quotient rule of differentiation.

By using quotient rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \dots \text{Equation 1}$$

As, $u = x + e^x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (x + e^x) \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \ \& \ \frac{d}{dx} (e^x) = e^x \right\}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (x) + \frac{d}{dx} (e^x) = 1 + e^x \dots \text{Equation 2}$$

As, $v = 1 + \log x$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dv}{dx} &= \frac{d}{dx} (\log x + 1) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx} (1) + \frac{d}{dx} (\log x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = 0 + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{x} \dots \text{Equation 3} \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (\log x) = \frac{1}{x} \right\}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(1 + \log x)(1 + e^x) - (x + e^x) \left(\frac{1}{x} \right)}{(\log x + 1)^2} \left\{ \text{Using equation 2 and 3} \right\} \\ &= \frac{1 + e^x + \log x + e^x \log x - 1 - \frac{e^x}{x}}{(\log x + 1)^2} \\ &= \frac{x \log x (1 + e^x) + e^x (x - 1)}{x (\log x + 1)^2} \\ \therefore \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{x \log x (1 + e^x) - e^x (1 - x)}{x (1 + \log x)^2} \end{aligned}$$

4. $\frac{e^x - \tan x}{\cot x - x^n}$

Solution:

Let us consider

$$y = \frac{e^x - \tan x}{\cot x - x^n}$$

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a fraction of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = e^x - \tan x \text{ and } v = \cot x - x^n$$

$$\therefore y = u/v$$

Now let us apply quotient rule of differentiation.

By using quotient rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

As, $u = e^x - \tan x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (e^x - \tan x) \quad \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (\tan x) = \sec^2 x \text{ \& } \frac{d}{dx} (e^x) = e^x \right\}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = -\frac{d}{dx} (\tan x) + \frac{d}{dx} (e^x) = \sec^2 x + e^x \dots \text{Equation (2)}$$

As, $v = \cot x - x^n$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dv}{dx} &= \frac{d}{dx} (\cot x - x^n) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx} (\cot x) - \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) \quad \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (\cot x) = -\operatorname{cosec}^2 x \text{ \& } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = -\operatorname{cosec}^2 x - nx^{n-1} \dots \text{Equation (3)}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \quad \left\{ \text{Using equation 2 and 3, we get} \right\}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(\cot x - x^n)(\sec^2 x + e^x) - (e^x - \tan x)(-\operatorname{cosec}^2 x - nx^{n-1})}{(\cot x - x^n)^2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(\cot x - x^n)(e^x - \sec^2 x) + (e^x - \tan x)(\operatorname{cosec}^2 x + nx^{n-1})}{(\cot x - x^n)^2}$$

5. $\frac{ax^2 + bx + c}{px^2 + qx + r}$

Solution:

Let us consider

$$y = \frac{ax^2 + bx + c}{px^2 + qx + r}$$

We need to find dy/dx

We know that y is a fraction of two functions say u and v where,

$$u = ax^2 + bx + c \text{ and } v = px^2 + qx + r$$

$$\therefore y = u/v$$

Now let us apply quotient rule of differentiation.

By using quotient rule, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \dots \text{Equation (1)}$$

As, $u = ax^2 + bx + c$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 2ax + b \dots \text{Equation (2) } \left\{ \text{Since, } \frac{d}{dx} (x^n) = nx^{n-1} \right\}$$

As, $v = px^2 + qx + r$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} (px^2 + qx + r) = 2px + q \dots \text{Equation (3)}$$

Now, from equation 1, we can find dy/dx

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \\ &= \frac{(px^2 + qx + r)(2ax + b) - (ax^2 + bx + c)(2px + q)}{(px^2 + qx + r)^2} \quad \{ \text{Using equation 2 and 3} \} \\ &= \frac{2apx^3 + bpx^2 + 2aqx^2 + bqx + 2arx + br - 2apx^3 - aqx^2 - 2bpx^2 - bqx - 2pcx - qc}{(px^2 + qx + r)^2} \\ &= \frac{aqx^2 - bpx^2 + 2arx + br - 2pcx - qc}{(px^2 + qx + r)^2} \\ &= \frac{x^2(aq - bp) + 2x(ar - pc) + br - qc}{(px^2 + qx + r)^2} \\ \therefore \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{x^2(aq - bp) + 2x(ar - pc) + br - qc}{(px^2 + qx + r)^2} \end{aligned}$$