

4.2 Inverse Derivatives

1. Compute the derivative of  $f(x) = \ln x - \sin x + \arctan x + 2^x, x > 0$ .

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

(A)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \cos x + \frac{1}{1+x^2} + x2^x$

(B)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \cos x + \frac{1}{1-x^2} + x2^x$

(C)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} + \cos x + \frac{1}{1-x^2} + (\ln 2)2^x$

(D)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \cos x + \frac{1}{1+x^2} + (\ln 2)2^x$

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

2. What is an equation for the line tangent to  $y = \tan^{-1} x$  at  $x = \sqrt{3}$  ?

Point  $(\sqrt{3}, \frac{\pi}{3})$   
 $y = \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{3})$   
 $y = \frac{\pi}{3}$



Slope  
 $y' = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$   
 $y'(\sqrt{3}) = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{3})^2+1}$   
 $= \frac{1}{3+1}$   
 $y'(\sqrt{3}) = \frac{1}{4}$

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

~~(B)  $y - \frac{\pi}{6} = -\frac{1}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$~~

(C)  $y - \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$

~~(D)  $y - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{3}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$~~

(E)  $y - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{1}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$

3.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{x^2+x+1}}$  is  $\frac{-2}{1}$   
*Same growth rate but negative*  
*Same growth rate positive*

(A) -2

(B) -1

(C) 0

(D) 2

(E) nonexistent

$$x = 3x^2 - x$$

$$f' = 6x - 1$$

$$f'(2) = 4(2) - 1 = 12 - 1 = 11$$

4. If  $f(x) = 3x^2 - x$ , and  $g(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ , then  $g'(10)$  could be

$$g'(10) = \frac{1}{f'[g(10)]} = \frac{1}{f'(2)} = \frac{1}{11}$$

$$10 = 3x^2 - x$$

$$0 = 3x^2 - x - 10$$

$$0 = (3x^2 - 6x) + (5x - 10)$$

$$0 = 3x(x-2) + 5(x-2)$$

$$0 = (x-2)(3x+5)$$

$$x = 2, -5/3$$

(A) 59

(B)  $\frac{1}{59}$

(C)  $\frac{1}{10}$

(D) 11

(E)  $\frac{1}{11}$

5. If  $f(x) = x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ , then  $f'(4)$ ?

$$f'(x) = \frac{5}{2} x^{3/2}$$

$$f'(4) = \frac{5}{2} (\sqrt{4})^3 = \frac{5}{2} (2)^3 = \frac{5}{2} (8) = 5 \cdot 4 = 20$$

(A) -10

(B) 24

(C) 5

(D) 10

(E) 20

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$x$	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$	$g(x)$	$g'(x)$
1	6	4	2	5
2	9	2	3	1
3	10	-4	4	2
4	-1	3	6	7

1. The functions  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable for all real numbers. The table above gives values of the functions and their first derivatives at selected values of  $x$ .

(a) If  $g^{-1}$  is the inverse function of  $g$ , write an equation for the line tangent to the graph of  $y = g^{-1}(x)$  at  $x = 2$ .

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#### Solutions

$$g(1) = 2, \text{ so } g^{-1}(2) = 1.$$

$$(g^{-1})'(2) = \frac{1}{g'(g^{-1}(2))} = \frac{1}{g'(1)} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{An equation of the tangent line is } y - 1 = \frac{1}{5}(x - 2).$$

#### Points

$$3 : \begin{cases} 1 : g^{-1}(2) \\ 1 : (g^{-1})'(2) \\ 1 : \text{tangent line equation} \end{cases}$$