

Mon - wk 6

Last week: product rule, quotient rule, basic app

compute $f'(x)$, $f''(x)$, $f'''(x)$, $f^{(4)}(x)$

Ex $f(x) = (3x^2 + x)(5x + 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= (6x+1)(5x+1) + (3x^2+x) \cdot 5 \\ &= 30x^2 + 6x + 5x + 1 + 15x^2 + 5x \\ &= 45x^2 + 16x + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} (f'(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} ((6x+1)(5x+1) + (3x^2+x) \cdot 5) \\ &= 6(5x+1) + (6x+1) \cdot 5 + (6x+1) \cdot 5 + \underbrace{(3x^2+x) \cdot 0}_{=0} \\ &= 30x + 6 + 30x + 5 + 30x + 5 = 90x + 16 \end{aligned}$$

or

$$\frac{d}{dx} (45x^2 + 16x + 1) = 90x + 16$$

$$f'''(x) = 90, \quad f^{(4)}(x) = 0$$

CHAIN RULE
Today: Higher Derivatives

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

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

why?

If $f(x)$ = position @ time
eg., $f = ft$
 $x = \text{time}$

then $f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} (f(x)) = \text{velocity}$

$f''(x) = \text{acceleration}$
 $= \frac{d}{dx} (f'(x))$

$f'''(x) = \frac{d}{dx} (f''(x))$ jerk

$$A = \pi r^2 \quad \text{area of circle}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dr} = 2\pi r$$

Here r is constant _____ ↗

If r changes wrt time, $\frac{dA}{dt}$ will change

So $A = \pi (r(t))^2$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi r \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

CHAIN RULE

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dA}{dr} \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

Formal Chain Rule Def'n

$$F(x) = f(g(x))$$

$g(x)$ is "inside" $f(x)$

$$F'(x) = \frac{df}{dx} = \frac{df}{dg} \cdot \frac{dg}{dx}$$

derivative of inside
derivative of outside

$$x^3 \rightarrow 3x^2$$
$$(blah)^3 \rightarrow 3(blah)^2 \cdot \frac{d(blah)}{dx}$$

Ex.

$$F(x) = (3x+1)^3 = f(g(x)) \quad \text{where} \quad \begin{cases} f(x) = x^3 \\ g(x) = 3x+1 \end{cases}$$

$$F'(x) = \frac{df}{dg} \cdot \frac{dg}{dx} = 3(3x+1)^2 \cdot 3$$

derivative of x^3 evaluated @ g } $3x^2$ evaluated @ $x \rightarrow 3x+1$
 $3(3x+1)^2$

Derivatives

So far, we know _____

- polynomials
- e^x
- products/quotients

Chain

Ex $(5x^2 + 3x + 2)$

$$f(x) = e$$

$$f'(x) = \underbrace{e^{5x^2 + 3x + 2}}_{\text{deriv. of outside}} \cdot \underbrace{(10x + 3)}_{\text{deriv. of inside}}$$

Ex

$$f(x) = 5(e^x + 1)^2$$

$$f'(x) = 2 \cdot 5(e^x + 1)^1 \cdot e^x \\ = 10e^x(e^x + 1)$$

Ex

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

Ey

$$g(x) = \left((e^x - 1)(x^2 + 1) + 1 \right)^5$$