

Section 2.5

- The Chain Rule: If  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable functions, then the composite function  $m(x) = f(g(x))$  is differentiable and is given by

$$m'(x) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

derivative of the inside  
evaluated at inside

- Specific Cases of the Chain Rule:

$$\rightarrow ① \bullet \text{If } y = (g(x))^n \text{ then } y' = n(g(x))^{n-1} \cdot g'(x)$$

$$\rightarrow ② \bullet \text{If } y = e^{g(x)} \text{ then } y' = e^{g(x)} \cdot g'(x)$$

$$\rightarrow ③ \bullet \text{If } y = b^{g(x)} \text{ then } y' = \ln b \cdot b^{g(x)} \cdot g'(x)$$

$$\rightarrow ④ \bullet \text{If } y = \ln(g(x)) \text{ then } y' = \frac{1}{g(x)} \cdot g'(x) = \frac{g'(x)}{g(x)}$$

$$\rightarrow ⑤ \bullet \text{If } y = \log_b(g(x)) \text{ then } y' = \frac{1}{\ln b} \cdot \frac{1}{g(x)} \cdot g'(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(o(i)) = o'(i) \cdot i'$$

$$o(-5x^2) = 5e^{-5x^2}$$

On Problems 1-9, find the derivative of the function.

$$1. f(x) = (7x^2 + 9x + 4)^{10}$$

$$f'(x) = 10(7x^2 + 9x + 4)^9 \cdot (14x + 9)$$

$o'(i)$        $i'$

$$o = x^{10} \quad i = 7x^2 + 9x + 4$$

$$o' = 10x^9 \quad i' = 14x + 9$$

$$o'(i) = 10(7x^2 + 9x + 4)^9$$

$$2. g(x) = 5e^{-5x^2}$$

$$g'(x) = 5e^{-5x^2} \cdot (-10x)$$

$$o = 5e^x \quad i = -5x^2$$

$$o' = 5e^x \quad i' = -10x$$

$$o'(i) = 5e^{-5x^2}$$

$$3. h(x) = \log_7(2x^4 - 3x + e^x)$$

$$h'(x) = \frac{1}{\ln 7} \cdot \frac{1}{2x^4 - 3x + e^x} \cdot (8x^3 - 3 + e^x)$$

$$o = \log_7 x \quad i = 2x^4 - 3x + e^x$$

$$o' = \frac{1}{\ln 7} \cdot \frac{1}{x} \quad i' = 8x^3 - 3 + e^x$$

$$o'(i) = \frac{1}{\ln 7} \cdot \frac{1}{2x^4 - 3x + e^x}$$

$$4. g(x) = 4x \left( 2^x + \sqrt[5]{x^2} + \frac{5}{x} \right)^9$$

use Prod Rule

$$= 4x \left( 2^x + x^{2/5} + 5x^{-1} \right)^9$$

$F$        $S$

$$g(x) = F \cdot S$$

$$g'(x) = F \cdot S' + S \cdot F'$$

$$F = 4x$$

$$F' = 4$$

$$S = (2^x + x^{2/5} + 5x^{-1})^9$$

$$S' = 9(2^x + x^{2/5} + 5x^{-1})^8 \cdot ( \ln 2 \cdot 2^x + \frac{2}{5}x^{-3/5} - 5x^{-2} )$$

$S$        $F'$

$$g'(x) = (4x) \left[ 9(2^x + x^{2/5} + 5x^{-1})^8 \cdot (\ln 2 \cdot 2^x + \frac{2}{5}x^{-3/5} - 5x^{-2}) \right] + (2^x + x^{2/5} + 5x^{-1})^9 \cdot (4)$$

$F$        $S'$

$$o = x^9 \quad i = 2^x + x^{2/5} + 5x^{-1}$$

$$5. f(t) = \frac{3}{\sqrt[5]{7t^3 + 2^t}} = \frac{3}{(7t^3 + 2^t)^{1/5}} = 3(7t^3 + 2^t)^{-1/5}$$

$$f'(t) = -\frac{3}{5}(7t^3 + 2^t)^{-6/5} \cdot (21t^2 + \ln 2 \cdot 2^t)$$

$o'(i)$        $i'$

$$\begin{aligned} o &= 3t^{-1/5} & i &= 7t^3 + 2^t \\ o' &= -\frac{3}{5}t^{-6/5} & i' &= 21t^2 + \ln 2 \cdot 2^t \\ o'(i) &= -\frac{3}{5}(7t^3 + 2^t)^{-6/5} \end{aligned}$$

$$i = \frac{T}{B} \quad i' = \frac{B \cdot T' - T \cdot B'}{B^2}$$

$$6. k(x) = \left( \frac{7x}{3x^3 - 4} \right)^8$$

$$k'(x) = 8 \left( \frac{7x}{3x^3 - 4} \right)^7 \cdot \left( \frac{(3x^3 - 4)(7) - (7x)(9x^2)}{(3x^3 - 4)^2} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} o &= x^8 & i &= \frac{7x}{3x^3 - 4} & T &= 7x & B &= 3x^3 - 4 \\ o' &= 8x^7 & i' &= \frac{(3x^3 - 4)(7) - (7x)(9x^2)}{(3x^3 - 4)^2} & T' &= 7 & B' &= 9x^2 \\ o'(i) &= 8 \left( \frac{7x}{3x^3 - 4} \right)^7 \end{aligned}$$

$$7. L(x) = \underbrace{3x^9}_{F} \cdot \underbrace{9^{(2x^7+4x)}}_{S}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &= 3x^9 & S &= 9^{2x^7+4x} \\ F' &= 27x^8 & S' &= \ln 9 \cdot 9^{2x^7+4x} \cdot (14x^6 + 4) \end{aligned}$$

$$L'(x) = \underbrace{(3x^9)}_F \left( \underbrace{\ln 9 \cdot 9^{2x^7+4x}}_{S'} \cdot (14x^6 + 4) \right) + \underbrace{(9^{2x^7+4x})}_{S} \left( \underbrace{27x^8}_{F'} \right)$$

$\log_8(t)$

$$8. m(t) = (\log_8(5 + 4e^t))^9$$

$$m'(t) = 9(\log_8(5 + 4e^t))^8 \cdot \left( \frac{1}{\ln 8} \cdot \frac{1}{5 + 4e^t} \cdot 4e^t \right)$$

$o'(i)$        $i'$

$$o = t^9 \quad i = \log_8(5 + 4e^t)$$

$$o' = 9t^8 \quad i' = \frac{1}{\ln 8} \cdot \frac{1}{5 + 4e^t} \cdot 4e^t$$

$$o'(i) = 9(\log_8(5 + 4e^t))^8$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 9. C(t) &= \ln \left( \frac{4(3t-7)^3 \sqrt[3]{4t+7}}{5t^2-4} \right) \\
 &= \ln \left( 4(3t-7)^3 (4t+7)^{\frac{1}{3}} \right) - \ln (5t^2-4) \\
 &= \ln(4) + \ln((3t-7)^3) + \ln((4t+7)^{\frac{1}{3}}) - \ln(5t^2-4) \\
 &= \ln(4) + 3\ln(3t-7) + \frac{1}{3}\ln(4t+7) - \ln(5t^2-4) \\
 C'(t) &= 0 + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{3t-7} \cdot 3 + \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{4t+7} \cdot 4 - \frac{1}{5t^2-4} \cdot 10t
 \end{aligned}$$

Recall our properties of logs:  
 $\rightarrow ① \log(AB) = \log(A) + \log(B)$   
 $\rightarrow ② \log\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = \log(A) - \log(B)$   
 $\rightarrow ③ \log(A^B) = B \cdot \log(A)$

10. If  $f(x)$  is a differentiable function with  $f(0) = 1$  and  $f'(0) = 2$ , what is  $g'(0)$  if

$$g(x) = \frac{(4f(x) + x^2)^8}{e^x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 g'(x) &= e^x \left[ 8(4f(x) + x^2)^7 \cdot (4f'(x) + 2x) \right] - (4f(x) + x^2)^8 \cdot e^x \\
 g'(0) &= e^0 \left[ 8(4f(0) + 0^2)^7 \cdot (4f'(0) + 2(0)) \right] - (4f(0) + 0^2)^8 \cdot e^0 \\
 &= 1 [8(4)^7(8)] - (4)^8 \cdot 1 = 983040
 \end{aligned}$$

11. Find the equation of the line tangent to the curve of  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{32x^2} + \ln[(x-3)^3]$  at  $x = 4$ .

① Find the slope of the tangent line:  $f'(x) = (32x^2)^{\frac{1}{3}} + 3\ln(x-3)$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{9}(32x^2)^{-\frac{8}{9}} \cdot 64x + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{x-3} \cdot 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(4) &= \frac{1}{9}(32 \cdot 4^2)^{-\frac{8}{9}} \cdot 64 \cdot 4 + \frac{3}{4-3} \\
 &= \frac{28}{9} \leftarrow m
 \end{aligned}$$

② To find the  $y$ -coord. of the point:  
 $f(4) = (32 \cdot 4^2)^{\frac{1}{3}} + 3\ln(4-3) = 2$

prop. of logs

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4, 2) \quad m &= \frac{28}{9} \\
 y &= mx + b \quad \text{OR} \quad y - 2 = \frac{28}{9}(x-4) \\
 &= \frac{28}{9}x + b \\
 &\quad +2 \\
 y &= \frac{28}{9}x - \frac{94}{9} + 2
 \end{aligned}$$

12. Anna has a bank account that earns interest at a rate of 3.4% per year compounded continuously. If she placed \$3,000 into the account when she opened it, at what rate (in dollars per year) is the account growing after 10 years?

$$A(t) = Pe^{rt} \quad P = 3000 \quad r = .034$$

$$A(t) = 3000e^{.034t}$$

$$A'(t) = 3000e^{.034t} (.034)$$

$$A'(t) = 102e^{.034t}$$

$$A'(10) = 102e^{.034(10)} \approx \$143.30 \text{ /year}$$

13. The profit function for a company that sells water flossers is given by  $P(x) = 10\sqrt{x^2 - 1} - 200$ , when  $x$  water flossers are sold. Find (and interpret) the marginal profit (in dollars per water flosser) when 50 water flossers are sold.

$$P(x) = 10(x^2 - 1)^{1/2} - 200$$

$$P'(x) = 10 \cdot \frac{1}{2}(x^2 - 1)^{-1/2} \cdot 2x$$

$$P'(x) = 10x(x^2 - 1)^{-1/2}$$

$$P'(50) = 10(50)(50^2 - 1)^{-1/2} \approx \$10.00/\text{flosser}$$

When 50 flossers are made & sold the profit is increasing by \$10/flosser.

### Section 2.6 Part 1 - Implicit Differentiation

- Sometimes we want to find the derivative of a function but cannot easily solve for  $y$ . In these situations we can use **implicit differentiation** to find the derivative ( $y' = \frac{dy}{dx}$ ) by following these steps:
  - Take the derivative with respect to the independent variable (typically  $x$ ) of both sides. Use the Chain Rule when necessary.
  - Move all terms that have  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in it to the left-hand side and all terms that do not have  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in it to the right-hand side.
  - Factor  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  out of all terms on the left-hand side and solve for  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

For problems 14-17, use implicit differentiation to find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

$$14. 7x - 14e^x + \sqrt[3]{y} = y - 2x^2 + 9$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(7x - 14e^x + y^{1/3}) = \frac{d}{dx}(y - 2x^2 + 9)$$

One line  
of calculus  
The rest is  
algebra!

$$\cancel{7} - \cancel{14e^x} + \frac{1}{3}y^{-2/3} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \cancel{\frac{dy}{dx}} - 4x + 0$$

$$\frac{1}{3}y^{-2/3} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} - \cancel{\frac{dy}{dx}} = -4x - 7 + 14e^x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{3}y^{-2/3} - 1 \right) = -4x - 7 + 14e^x$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{dx}((7x^2+4)^{1/3}) \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(7x^2+4)^{-2/3} \cdot 14x \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4x - 7 + 14e^x}{\frac{1}{3}y^{-2/3} - 1}$$

$$15. 5e^{2x} - 4\sqrt{y} = 3x^2 - 5y$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(5e^{2x} - 4y^{1/2}) = \frac{d}{dx}(3x^2 - 5y)$$

One line  
of calculus

$$\cancel{5e^{2x}} \cdot 2 - 4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 6x - \cancel{\ln 5 \cdot 5y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$-10e^{2x} + \cancel{+ \ln 5 \cdot 5y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}} = 6x - \cancel{10e^{2x}}$$

$$-2y^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + \ln 5 \cdot 5y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 6x - 10e^{2x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(-2y^{-1/2} + \ln 5 \cdot 5y) = 6x - 10e^{2x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6x - 10e^{2x}}{-2y^{-1/2} + \ln 5 \cdot 5y}$$

$$16. 3xe^y - 7x^2y^3 = 10$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(3xe^y - 7x^2y^3) = \frac{d}{dx}(10)$$

One line of  
calculus

$$3x \cdot e^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + e^y \cdot 3 - (7x^2 \cdot 3y^2 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + y^3 \cdot 14x) = 0$$

$$3x \cdot e^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + 3e^y - 21x^2y^2 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} - 14xy^3 = 0$$

$$3xe^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} - 21x^2y^2 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = -3e^y + 14xy^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(3xe^y - 21x^2y^2) = -3e^y + 14xy^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3e^y + 14xy^3}{3xe^y - 21x^2y^2}$$

$$17. \frac{3x^2 - 4y}{(e^y + 7)} = x \rightarrow 3x^2 - 4y = x(e^y + 7)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(3x^2 - 4y) = \frac{d}{dx}(x(e^y + 7))$$

$$6x - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} = x(e^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}) + (e^y + 7)(1)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(-4 - xe^y) = e^y + 7 - 6x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^y + 7 - 6x}{-4 - xe^y}$$

18. For the equation given, evaluate  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at the point  $(1, 0)$ .

$$y = \ln(10x^3 - 4y^5)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(y) = \frac{d}{dx}(\ln(10x^3 - 4y^5))$$

One line of calculus  $\rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{10x^3 - 4y^5} \cdot (30x^2 - 20y^4 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx})$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(10x^3 - 4y^5) = 30x^2 - 20y^4 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$+ 20y^4 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + 20y^4 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}(10x^3 - 4y^5) + 20y^4 \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 30x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}[10x^3 - 4y^5 + 20y^4] = 30x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{30x^2}{10x^3 - 4y^5 + 20y^4}$$

At the point  $(1, 0)$ :

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{30(1)^2}{10(1)^3 - 4(0)^5 + 20(0)^4}$$

$$= \frac{30}{10} = \boxed{3}$$

19. Find the equation of the line tangent to the curve of  $\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{y} = 1$  at the point  $(9, 4)$

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

$$\frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} - \frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}y^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1/2x^{-1/2}}{-1/2y^{-1/2}} = \frac{y^{1/2}}{x^{1/2}}$$

$$x^{1/2} - y^{1/2} = 1$$

③ Find eq. through  $(9, 4)$  w/  $m = \frac{2}{3}$

$$y - 4 = \frac{2}{3}(x - 9)$$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x - 6 + 4$$

$$\boxed{y = \frac{2}{3}x - 2}$$

② At the point  $(9, 4)$ :

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^{1/2}}{9^{1/2}} = \frac{2}{3} \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{slope} \\ \text{of tangent} \\ \text{line} \end{matrix}$$