

Find the derivative of each function.

a)  $y = e^{\sqrt{x}}$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^{\sqrt{x}}}{2\sqrt{x}}$

1b)  $y = x^3 e^x$

$y' = x^3 e^x + e^x \cdot 3x^2$   
 or  
 $y' = x^2 e^x (x+3)$

1c)  $g(t) = (e^{-t} + e^t)^3$

$g'(t) = 3(e^{-t} + e^t)^2 \cdot (-e^{-t} + e^t)$

1d)  $y = \frac{e^x + 1}{e^x - 1}$

$y' = \frac{(e^x - 1)e^x - (e^x + 1) \cdot e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}$   
 or  
 $y' = \frac{e^x(e^x - 1 - (e^x + 1))}{(e^x - 1)^2}$   
 $y' = \frac{e^x(-2)}{(e^x - 1)^2} = \frac{-2e^x}{(e^x - 1)^2}$

a)  $y = 5^{-4x}$

$y' = -4(\ln 5)5^{-4x}$   
 $= \frac{-4 \ln 5}{625^x}$

2b)  $g(t) = t^2 2^t$

$g'(t) = t^2 \cdot 2^t \ln 2 + 2t \cdot 2^t$   
 $g'(t) = t \cdot 2^t (t \ln 2 + 2)$

2c)  $h(\theta) = 2^{-\theta} \cos(\pi\theta)$

$h'(\theta) = 2^{-\theta} \cdot (-\sin \pi\theta) \cdot \pi + \cos(\pi\theta) \cdot 2^{-\theta} \ln 2$   
 $h'(\theta) = 2^{-\theta} (-\pi \sin \pi\theta - \cos \pi\theta \ln 2)$

Find the equation of the tangent line at the given point of each function.

a)  $f(x) = e^{1-x}, (1, 1)$

$f'(x) = -e^{1-x}, f'(1) = -1$

Tangent line:  $y - 1 = -1(x - 1)$   
 $y = -x + 2$

3b)  $y = x^2 e^x - 2x e^x + 2e^x, (1, e)$

$y' = x^2 e^x + 2x \cdot e^x - [2x e^x + e^x \cdot 2] + 2e^x$   
 $y'(1) = 1^2 e + 2(1) \cdot e - [2(1)e + 2e] + 2e$   
 $= e + 2e - 4e + 2e$   
 $= e$

so  $y - e = e(x - 1)$   
 $y = ex$

Use implicit differentiation to find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

a)  $x e^y - 10x + 3y = 0$

$x e^y \frac{dy}{dx} + e^y - 10 + 3 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$\frac{dy}{dx} (x e^y + 3) = 10 - e^y$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{10 - e^y}{x e^y + 3}$

4b)  $e^{xy} + x^2 - y^2 = 10$

$e^{xy} [x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \cdot 1] + 2x - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

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

$x e^{xy} \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = -2x - y e^{xy}$

$\frac{dy}{dx} (x e^{xy} - 2y) = -2x - y e^{xy}$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2x - y e^{xy}}{x e^{xy} - 2y}$

5a) The value  $V$  of an item  $t$  years after it is purchased is  $V = 15,000e^{-0.6286t}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 10$ .

Find the rate of change of  $V$  with respect to  $t$  when  $t=5$ .

$$V' \uparrow V'(t) = 15,000 \cdot e^{-0.6286t} \cdot (-0.6286)$$

$$V'(5) = 15,000 \cdot e^{-0.6286(5)} \cdot (-0.6286)$$

$$= \$-406.89 \text{ each year}$$

(slope)

5b) After  $t$  years, the value of a car purchased for \$20,000 is  $V(t) = 20,000\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^t$ . Find the rate of change of  $V$  with respect to  $t$  when  $t=4$ . Label your answer and explain what it means in context to the problem.

$$V'(t) = 20,000 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^t \cdot 1 \cdot \ln\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$V'(4) = 20,000 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^4 \cdot \ln\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$= \$-1820.49 \text{ per year}$$

Change in car value per year  
after 4 years.

So... car dropping \$1820.49 per  
year in the 4th year

## 6) AP MULTIPLE CHOICE EXAMPLES

1)  $\frac{d}{dx}(2^x) = 2^x \cdot \ln 2 \cdot 1$

- (A)  $2^{x-1}$       (B)  $(2^{x-1})x$       (C)  $(2^x)\ln 2$       (D)  $(2^{x-1})\ln 2$       (E)  $\frac{2x}{\ln 2}$

2) If  $y = x^2 e^x$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 e^x + e^x \cdot 2x$   
 $x e^x (x + 2)$

- (A)  $2x e^x$       (B)  $x(x + 2e^x)$       (C)  $x e^x (x + 2)$   
 (D)  $2x + e^x$       (E)  $2x + e$

3) If  $y = 10^{(x^2-1)}$ , then  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10^{x^2-1} \cdot 2x \cdot \ln 10$

- (A)  $(\ln 10)10^{(x^2-1)}$       (B)  $(2x)10^{(x^2-1)}$       (C)  $(x^2-1)10^{(x^2-2)}$   
 (D)  $2x(\ln 10)10^{(x^2-1)}$       (E)  $x^2(\ln 10)10^{(x^2-1)}$

4) If  $y = e^{nx}$ , then  $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} =$

- (A)  $n^n e^{nx}$       (B)  $n! e^{nx}$       (C)  $n e^{nx}$       (D)  $n^n e^x$       (E)  $n! e^x$

$n=1$   $y = e^x$   
 $y' = 1e^x$   
 $1^1$

$n=2$   $y = e^{2x}$   
 $y' = e^{2x} \cdot 2$   
 $y'' = 2e^{2x} \cdot 2$   
 $2^2 \cdot 2 = 4e^{2x}$

$n=3$   $y = e^{3x}$   
 $y' = e^{3x} \cdot 3$   
 $y'' = 3e^{3x} \cdot 3$   
 $y''' = 9e^{3x} \cdot 3$   
 $3^3 \cdot 3 = 27e^{3x}$