

Differentiation Sheet 5 Solutions

1) $y = x \cos x$ $u = x$ $v = \cos x$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = 1$ $\frac{dv}{dx} = -\sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \\ &= -x \sin x + (1) \cos x \\ &= \cos x - x \sin x \end{aligned}$$

2) $y = \frac{\sin x}{x^3}$ $u = \sin x$ $v = x^3$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = \cos x$ $\frac{dv}{dx} = 3x^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{1}{v^2} \left[v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{(x^3)^2} \left[x^3 \cos x - 3x^2 \sin x \right] \\ &= \frac{x^2}{x^6} (x \cos x - 3 \sin x) \\ &= \frac{x \cos x - 3 \sin x}{x^4} \end{aligned}$$

3) $f(x) = \sin 8x$
 $f'(x) = \cos 8x \times 8$
 $= 8 \cos 8x$

4) $f(x) = \tan 7x$
 $f'(x) = \sec^2 7x \times 7$
 $= 7 \sec^2 7x$

5) $\frac{d}{dx} (x^3 \ln x)$ $u = x^3$ $v = \ln x$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = 3x^2$ $\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \\ &= x^3 \left(\frac{1}{x} \right) + 3x^2 \ln x \\ &= x^2 + 3x^2 \ln x \\ &= x^2 (1 + 3 \ln x) \end{aligned}$$

$$6) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[(3x+1)^7 \right]$$

$$= 7(3x+1)^6 \times 3$$

$$= 21(3x+1)^6$$

$$7) \quad y = \sqrt{5x-2}$$

$$y = (5x-2)^{1/2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} (5x-2)^{-1/2} \times 5$$

$$= \frac{5}{2\sqrt{5x-2}}$$

$$8) \quad f(x) = \frac{e^x}{x^3}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{v^2} \left[v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{(x^3)^2} \left[x^3 e^x - 3x^2 e^x \right]$$

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

$$= \frac{e^x (x-3)}{x^4}$$

$u = e^x \quad v = x^3$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = e^x \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = 3x^2$

$$9) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{(2x-1)}{(3x+2)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{v^2} \left[v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{(3x+2)^2} \left[2(3x+2) - 3(2x-1) \right]$$

$$= \frac{6x+4-6x+3}{(3x+2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{7}{(3x+2)^2}$$

$u = 2x-1 \quad v = 3x+2$
 $\frac{du}{dx} = 2 \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = 3$

$$10) \quad y = \frac{1}{(3x+1)^2}$$

$$y = (3x+1)^{-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= -2(3x+1)^{-3} \times 3 \\ &= -\frac{6}{(3x+1)^3} \end{aligned}$$

$$11) \quad f(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5-2x}}$$

$$f(x) = 2(5-2x)^{-1/2}$$

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

$$12) \quad y = \ln|5-2x|$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{(5-2x)} \times (-2)$$

$$= \frac{-2}{(5-2x)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{(2x-5)}$$

$$13) \quad y = x^2 \sin 3x$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= x^2 \\ \frac{du}{dx} &= 2x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v &= \sin 3x \\ \frac{dv}{dx} &= 3\cos 3x \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{u dv}{dx} + \frac{v du}{dx}$$

$$= 3x^2 \cos 3x + 2x \sin 3x$$

$$= x(3x \cos 3x + 2 \sin 3x)$$

$$14) f(x) = 2x(3x+1)^3$$

$$u = 2x$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 2$$

$$v = (3x+1)^3$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = 3(3x+1)^2 \times 3$$

$$= 9(3x+1)^2$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{u dv}{dx} + \frac{v du}{dx}$$

$$= 2x(3x+1)^2 \times 9 + 2(3x+1)^3$$

$$= 2(3x+1)^2 [9x + (3x+1)]$$

$$= 2(3x+1)^2 (9x + 3x + 1)$$

$$= 2(3x+1)^2 (12x + 1)$$

$$15) \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{3x^2}{e^x} \right)$$

$$u = 3x^2$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 6x$$

$$v = e^x$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = e^x$$

$$= \frac{1}{v^2} \left[\frac{v du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{(e^x)^2} [6x e^x - 3x^2 e^x]$$

$$= \frac{3x e^x (2 - x)}{(e^x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{3x(2-x)}{e^x}$$

$$16) y = \ln \left| \frac{2x+1}{3x-1} \right|$$

$$y = \ln |2x+1| - \ln |3x-1|$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{(2x+1)} \times 2 - \frac{1}{(3x-1)} \times 3$$

$$= \frac{2}{(2x+1)} - \frac{3}{(3x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{2(3x-1) - 3(2x+1)}{(2x+1)(3x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{6x - 2 - 6x - 3}{(2x+1)(3x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{-5}{(2x+1)(3x-1)} = \frac{5}{(2x+1)(1-3x)}$$

$$17) \quad f(x) = e^{x^2}$$

$$f'(x) = e^{x^2} \times 2x$$

$$= 2xe^{x^2}$$

$$18) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[(3 - 2e^{3x})^4 \right]$$

$$= 4(3 - 2e^{3x})^3 \times (-2e^{3x} \times 3)$$

$$= -24e^{3x} (3 - 2e^{3x})^3$$

$$19) \quad y = (x^2 - 3)(2x + 1)^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$u = x^2 - 3 \quad v = (2x + 1)^2$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 2x \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = 2(2x + 1) \times 2$$

$$= 4(2x + 1)$$

$$= 4(x^2 - 3)(2x + 1) + 2x(2x + 1)^2$$

$$= 2(2x + 1) \left[2(x^2 - 3) + x(2x + 1) \right]$$

$$= 2(2x + 1) \left[2x^2 - 6 + 2x^2 + x \right]$$

$$= 2(2x + 1)(4x^2 + x - 6)$$

$$20) \quad f(x) = e^{\ln x}$$

$$f'(x) = e^{\ln x} \times \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= \frac{e^{\ln x}}{x}$$

$$21) \quad y = 5^x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (\ln 5) 5^x$$

$$= 5^x \ln 5$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 22) \quad f(x) &= 6^{3x} \\
 f'(x) &= (\ln 6) 6^{3x} \times 3 \\
 &= 6^{3x} 3 \ln 6 \\
 &= 6^{3x} \ln 6^3 \\
 &= 6^{3x} \ln 216
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 23) \quad f(x) &= \sin^2 x \\
 f'(x) &= 2 \sin x \times \cos x \\
 &= \sin 2x
 \end{aligned}$$

Double Angle
Identity
 $\sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cos x$

$$\begin{aligned}
 24) \quad y &= \cos^2 5x \\
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= 2 \cos 5x \times (-\sin 5x \times 5) \\
 &= -10 \sin 5x \cos 5x \\
 &= -5 (2 \sin 5x \cos 5x) \\
 &= -5 \sin 10x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 25) \quad y &= x \sin^{-1} x & u &= x & v &= \sin^{-1} x \\
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} & \frac{du}{dx} &= 1 & \frac{dv}{dx} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \\
 &= x \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \right) + (1) \sin^{-1} x \\
 &= \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \sin^{-1} x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$26) f(x) = \ln |\sin x|$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{\sin x} \times \cos x$$

$$= \frac{\cos x}{\sin x}$$

$$= \cot x$$

$$27) \frac{d}{dx} [\cos^{-1} 2x]$$

$$= - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(2x)^2}} \times 2$$

$$= - \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$$

$$28) y = \ln |\cos x|$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\cos x} \times (-\sin x)$$

$$= -\tan x$$

$$29) f(x) = x^3 \tan^{-1} 2x$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{u dv}{dx} + \frac{v du}{dx}$$

$$= x^3 \left(\frac{2}{1+4x^2} \right) + 3x^2 \tan^{-1} 2x$$

$$= x^2 \left(\frac{2x}{1+4x^2} + 3 \tan^{-1} 2x \right)$$

$$u = x^3$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 3x^2$$

$$v = \tan^{-1} 2x$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{1}{1+(2x)^2} \times 2$$

$$= \frac{2}{1+4x^2}$$

$$30) \quad y = \ln |(2x+1)(3x-2)|$$

$$y = \ln |2x+1| + \ln |3x-2|$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{(2x+1)} + \frac{3}{(3x-2)}$$

$$= \frac{2(3x-2) + 3(2x+1)}{(2x+1)(3x-2)}$$

$$= \frac{6x-4+6x+3}{(2x+1)(3x-2)}$$

$$= \frac{12x-1}{(2x+1)(3x-2)}$$

$$31) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{1}{3x-1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} \left[(3x-1)^{-1} \right]$$

$$= -1(3x-1)^{-2} \times 3$$

$$= \frac{-3}{(3x-1)^2}$$

$$32) \quad y = \frac{-5}{(4-3x)}$$

$$y = \frac{5}{(3x-4)}$$

$$y = 5(3x-4)^{-1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -5(3x-4)^{-2} \times 3$$

$$= \frac{-15}{(3x-4)^2}$$

33)

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

$$y = e^{x^{-2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= e^{x^{-2}} \cdot x^{-3} \\ &= -\frac{2e^{1/x^2}}{x^3} \end{aligned}$$

34)

$$f(x) = e^{2x} \ln|2x+1|$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= e^{2x} \\ \frac{du}{dx} &= 2e^{2x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v &= \ln|2x+1| \\ \frac{dv}{dx} &= \frac{2}{(2x+1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$f'(x) = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$= e^{2x} \left(\frac{2}{2x+1} \right) + 2e^{2x} \ln|2x+1|$$

$$= 2e^{2x} \left(\frac{1}{2x+1} + \ln|2x+1| \right)$$

35)

$$y = \frac{3x^2}{e^x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u &= 3x^2 \\ \frac{du}{dx} &= 6x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v &= e^x \\ \frac{dv}{dx} &= e^x \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{v^2} \left[v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{(e^x)^2} [6x e^x - 3x^2 e^x]$$

$$= \frac{3x e^x (2-x)}{(e^x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{3x(2-x)}{e^x}$$

$$= 3x e^{-x} (2-x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 36) \quad f(x) &= \ln|x+3| + \frac{1}{(x+3)} \\
 f(x) &= \ln|x+3| + (x+3)^{-1} \\
 f'(x) &= \frac{1}{(x+3)} - 1(x+3)^{-2} \times 1 \\
 &= +\frac{1}{(x+3)} - \frac{1}{(x+3)^2} \\
 &= \frac{1(x+3) - 1}{(x+3)^2} \\
 &= \frac{x+3-1}{(x+3)^2} \\
 &= \frac{x+2}{(x+3)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 37) \quad &\frac{d}{dx} (\ln\sqrt{x+1}) \\
 &= \frac{d}{dx} [\ln(x+1)^{1/2}]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Let } u &= (x+1)^{1/2} & y &= \ln u \\
 \frac{du}{dx} &= \frac{1}{2} (x+1)^{-1/2} \times 1 & \frac{dy}{du} &= \frac{1}{u} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx} \\
 &= \frac{1}{u} \times \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+1}} \\
 &= \cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{x+1}}} \times \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+1}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2(x+1)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$38) f(x) = \ln|e^x + e^{-x}|$$

Easiest to let $y = \ln|e^x + e^{-x}|$

Now

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

$$\frac{du}{dx} = e^x - e^{-x}$$

Also

$$y = \ln u$$

$$\frac{dy}{du} = \frac{1}{u}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{1}{u} \times (e^x - e^{-x})$$

$$= \frac{1}{(e^x + e^{-x})} \times (e^x - e^{-x})$$

$$= \frac{(e^x - e^{-x})}{(e^x + e^{-x})}$$

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

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