

CALCULUS OF INVERSE FUNCTIONS

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Name: Solutions

1. Find the limit: $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 3^x = \infty$

2. Find the limit: $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^x = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{-x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 3^x = \infty$

3. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$. Assume y is a differentiable function of x .

$$3y = xe^{5y}$$

$$\ln(3y) = \ln(3) + \ln(y) = \ln(xe^{5y}) = \ln(x) + \ln(e^{5y}) = \ln(x) + 5y$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(y) - 5y = \ln(x) - \ln(3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} - 5y' = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow y' - 5yy' = \frac{y}{x} \Rightarrow y'(1 - 5y) = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \boxed{\frac{y}{x(1-5y)}}$$

For problems 4-10, find $f'(x)$.

4. $f(x) = e^x \sin x$

$$f'(x) = e^x \sin(x) + e^x \cos(x)$$

5. $f(x) = \ln(xe^{7x}) = \ln(x) + \ln(e^{7x}) = \ln(x) + 7x$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + 7$$

6. $f(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1 - \ln(x)^2}} \quad \ln(f(x)) = \ln\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{1 - \ln(x)^2}}\right) = \ln(x) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1 - \ln(x)^2)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{-2 \ln(x) \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{1 - \ln(x)^2} \right)$$

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

$$7. f(x) = (xe^x)^\pi = x^\pi e^{\pi x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \pi x^{\pi-1} e^{\pi x} + x^\pi (\pi e^{\pi x}) \\ &= \pi (x^{\pi-1} + x^\pi) e^{\pi x} \end{aligned}$$

$$8. f(x) = (e^{2x} + e)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{2e^{2x}}{2\sqrt{e^{2x} + e}}$$

$$9. f(x) = (\ln(5x^2 + 9))^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= 3 \ln(5x^2 + 9)^2 \left(\frac{10x}{5x^2 + 9} \right) \\ &= \frac{30x \ln(5x^2 + 9)^2}{5x^2 + 9} \end{aligned}$$

$$10. f(x) = \ln((5x^2 + 9)^3) = 3 \ln(5x^2 + 9)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3(10x)}{5x^2 + 9} = \frac{30x}{5x^2 + 9}$$

For problems 11-20, find the indefinite integral (you may need u -substitution).

$$11. \int e^x dx = e^x + C$$

$$12. \int a^x dx, \text{ where } a > 0 \text{ is a constant } (\neq 1).$$

$$\int a^x dx = \frac{a^x}{\ln(a)} + C$$

$$13. \int \pi^{2x} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \pi^u du = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\pi^u}{\ln(\pi)} + C$$

$$u = 2x$$

$$\frac{1}{2} du = \frac{1}{2} (2dx) = dx$$

$$= \frac{\pi^{2x}}{2 \ln(\pi)} + C$$

$$14. \int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| + C$$

$$15. \int e^{2x} dx = \frac{e^{2x}}{2\ln(e)} + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}e^{2x} + C}$$

$$16. \int \frac{\ln x}{x} dx = \int u du = \frac{1}{2}u^2 + C = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}\ln(x)^2 + C}$$

$$u = \ln(x)$$

$$du = \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$17. \int \frac{\sqrt{\ln(x)}}{x} dx = \int u^{1/2} du = \frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} + C = \boxed{\frac{2}{3} \ln(x)^{3/2} + C}$$

$$u = \ln(x)$$

$$du = \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$18. \int \frac{e^x}{\sqrt{1-e^x}} dx = - \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{u}} du = -2\sqrt{u} + C = \boxed{-2\sqrt{1-e^x} + C}$$

$$u = 1 - e^x$$

$$-du = -(e^x dx)$$

$$= e^x dx$$

$$19. \int \frac{\ln(e^{2x})}{x^2} dx = \int \frac{2x}{x^2} dx = 2 \int \frac{1}{x} dx = \boxed{2 \ln|x| + C}$$

$$20. \int \frac{e^x}{3+e^x} dx = \int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln|u| + C$$

$$u = 3 + e^x$$

$$du = e^x dx$$

$$= \ln|3 + e^x| + C$$

$$= \boxed{\ln(3 + e^x) + C}$$

$$21. \text{ Evaluate the definite integral: } \int_2^3 \frac{x e^{x^2}}{3} dx$$

$$u = x^2$$

$$u(2) = 4, u(3) = 9$$

$$du = 2x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} du = \frac{x}{2} dx$$

$$\int_2^3 \frac{x e^{x^2}}{3} dx = \frac{1}{6} \int_4^9 e^u du = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}(e^9 - e^4)}$$