

Review List:

Definition of a derivative
How the difference quotient was created
Using the difference quotient to find derivatives
Finding the equation of a tangent line

Power Rule,
Chain, Rule,
Product Rule
Quotient Rule
Exponential and log functions,
Trig functions

Implicit Differentiation
Higher Order Derivatives
Rate of change in **motion**.
Differentiability

Derivatives Self-TEST/Review 2020 Section 1

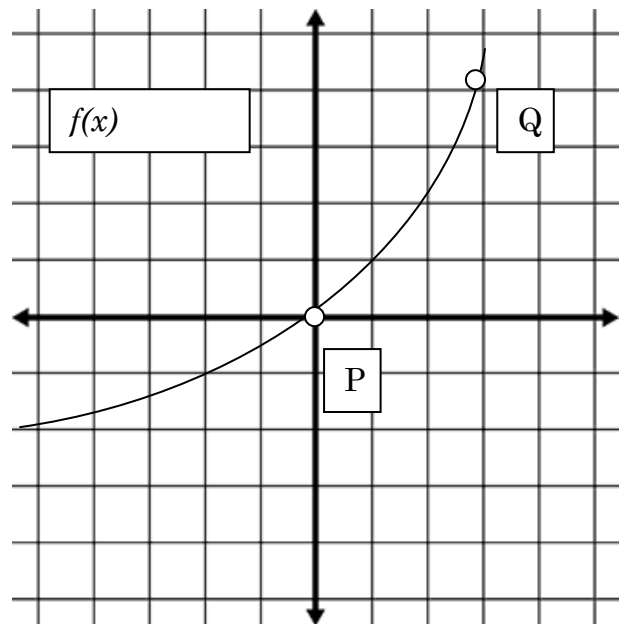
1. Describe what a derivative is:

2. a) Write down the equation for the *difference quotient formula* (remember this formula is a limit).

b) What is the *difference quotient* trying to accomplish?

b) Examine the sketch of the function $f(x)$ to the right.

c) Draw a **secant line** through P and Q



d) Use your notes and label “ h ” is on the graph.

e) Label $f(x+h)$ on the graph

f) Explain what “ h ” is in the *difference quotient formula*

e) Explain why, to get the derivative of $f(x)$, we need to make h approach zero

4. Use the difference quotient to find $f'(x)$ of the following function.
(use known derivative techniques to check your answers)

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

5. Find the equation of the line tangent to the function
 $f(x) = 6\sqrt{x-4}$ at the point where $x=10$. Use any method.

6.

a) Find y' if $y = \frac{2}{x^2 - 2x + 3}$

b) Find y' if $y = \frac{\sqrt[3]{x+1}}{(1-x)}$

c) Find y' if $y = \cos e^{\sin x}$

d) Find y' if $y = \sin^3(\tan x^2)$

e) Find y' if $y = x^2 \cos x$

f) $y = 3^{-2x^4}$

g) $y = \log_5 -x^5$

7.

An object moves along a coordinate line, its position at each time $t \geq 0$ given by $x(t) = 3t^2 - 7t + 4$. Find the position, velocity, acceleration, and speed at time $t_0 = 4$.

8.

Use implicit differentiation to obtain $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of x and y for $x^2 - 4xy + 2y^2 = 5$.

9.

Find the second derivative for $y = \sqrt{9 + x^3}$.

Answers:

#5 $y = \frac{3}{\sqrt{6}}x + \sqrt{6}$

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

a)

b) $y' = \frac{2x+4}{3(x+1)^{2/3}(1-x)^2}$

c) $y' = -\sin e^{\sin x} (e^{\sin x}) \cos x$

d) $y' = 6x \sin^2(\tan x^2) \cos(\tan x^2) \sec^2 x^2$

e) $y' = x(2 \cos x - x \sin x)$

f) $3^{-2x^4} \cdot (-8x^3) \ln 3$

g) $\frac{-5x^4}{-x^5 \ln 5}$

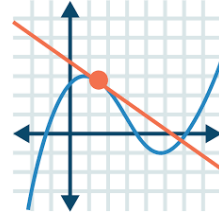
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2y-x}{2y-2x}$$

$x(4) = 24; v(4) = 17; a(4) = 6$
Speed = $|v(4)| = 17$

$$\frac{3x^4 + 108x}{4(9+x^3)\sqrt{9+x^3}}$$

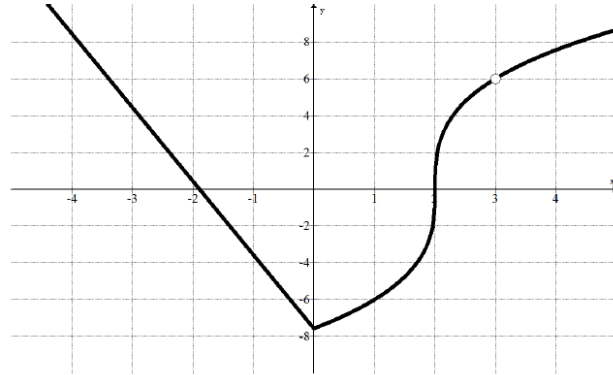
$$\frac{dy}{dx}$$

Section 2 TEST yourself



1.

Consider the graph of $f(x)$ shown below. Use this graph to answer questions #16 - 17.



16. State all of the values of x at which $f(x)$ is continuous but not differentiable.
(2 pts.)

- a) $x = 0, x = 2, x = 3$
- b) $x = 3$
- c) $x = 0, x = 3$
- d) $x = 0, x = 2$

2. Use **implicit differentiation** to find the derivative of the following function and the slope of $2y - y^3 = xy$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

3. Use the **difference quotient** to find $f'(x)$ of the following function:

$$f(x) = \sqrt{2x + 4}$$

4. By sketching the following function (or using a graphing utility) determine any points where $h(x)$ is not differentiable.

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

5. Given the position function $s = 2t^3 - 27t^2 + 108t + 5$ (s in meters, t in seconds) find the following:

- Position of the particle at $t=0$
- The time when the particle has zero acceleration.
- The velocity when the acceleration is zero.
- The acceleration when the velocity is zero.
- The **total distance** traveled in the first 7 seconds.
(you might have to graph to get the answer for e.)

6.

$$\text{Is } G(x) = \begin{cases} \cos x, & \text{if } x \leq \pi \\ x^2 - \pi x - 1, & \text{if } x > \pi \end{cases} \text{ differentiable at } x = \pi?$$

Show your work and determine if $G(x)$ is **differentiable** and **continuous** at $x = \pi$

7. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} ax^2 + 10, & x < 2 \\ x^2 - 6x + b, & x \geq 2 \end{cases}$

If $f(x)$ is **differentiable** and **continuous**, find the correct values of **a** and **b**.

SHOW YOUR WORK!

8. Use the alternative difference quotient to find the slope of the following function at $x = 4$

$$f(x) = x^2 - 3x - 5 \text{ at } x = 4 \qquad f'(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

9. Do the following on the differentiation sheet:

1-4,7,9,12,15,17,20,25,26,30,31,32,33,35,37,39,49,55,58,83,99,106,107,113,130,131,133,138

Answers:

#1 D

#2 $y'(x) = -\frac{y}{x + 3y^2 - 2}$

#3 Use conjugate

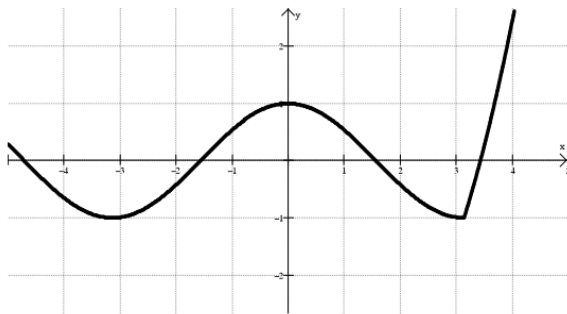
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2x+4}}$$

#4 $f(x)$ not differentiable at $x=0$.

#5 a) $5m$ b) $t = 4.5s$ c) $v = -13.5m/s$ d) $a = -18m/s^2, 18m/s^2$

e) $d = 124m$ (displacement)
distance is actually 173.

#6



Yes Continuous.....but, not differentiable

#7 $a=-1/2$ $b=16$

#8 Slope = 5

#9 Answers on back of differentiation sheet