

Closing Fri: 3.5(1)(2)

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**Entry Task:** Consider  $y^3 + x^2 = 4$ .

1. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

2. Find  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$

□  $3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = -2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x}{3y^2}}$$

□  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} \left( -\frac{2x}{3y^2} \right) \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \\ 2 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \\ 0 \end{matrix}$$
$$= \frac{(3y^2)(-2) - (-2x)(6y \frac{dy}{dx})}{(3y^2)^2}$$
$$= \frac{-6y^2 + 12xy \frac{dy}{dx}}{9y^4}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} & -6y^2 + 12xy \left( -\frac{2x}{3y^2} \right) \\ & \hline \\ & = \frac{-6y^2 - 8x^2/y}{9y^4} \\ & = \frac{-6y^3 - 8x^2}{9y^5} \end{aligned}}$$

### 3.6 Logarithmic Derivatives

Recall logarithm facts:

$$1. y = \ln(x) \leftrightarrow e^y = x$$

$$y = \log_a(x) \leftrightarrow a^y = x$$

$$\text{So } \ln(x) = \log_e(x)$$

$$2. e^{\ln(x)} = x \text{ and } \ln(e^y) = y$$

$$a^{\log_a(x)} = x \text{ and } \log_a(a^y) = y$$

$$3. \ln(ab) = \ln(a) + \ln(b)$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \ln(a) - \ln(b)$$

$$\ln(x^n) = n \ln(x)$$

### Test of basic understanding

a) Solve  $3^x + 1 = 11$

$$-1 \hookrightarrow 3^x = 10$$

$$x = \log_3(10)$$

$$\approx 2.095903$$

$$\ln(3^x) = \ln(10)$$

$$x \ln(3) = \ln(10)$$

$$x = \frac{\ln(10)}{\ln(3)}$$

$$\approx 2.095903 \quad \text{check!}$$

b) Solve  $(\log_4(2x) - 4)^3 = 8$ .

$$\log_4(2x) - 4 = 2$$

$$\log_4(2x) = 3$$

$$2x = 4^3 = 64$$

$$x = \frac{64}{2} = 32$$

check!

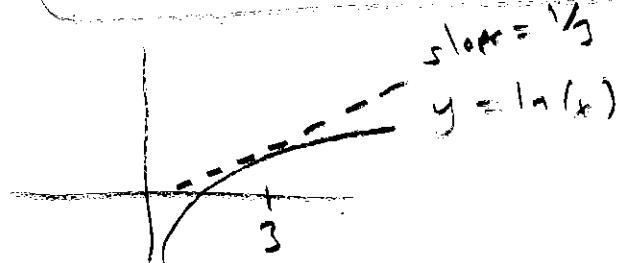
Find the derivative of  $y = \ln(x)$

$$e^y = x$$

$$\Rightarrow e^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 1$$

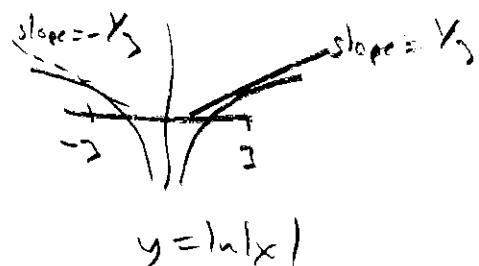
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{e^y} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{d}{dx} (\ln(x)) \right) = \frac{1}{x}$$



More generally

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\ln|x|) = \frac{1}{x}$$



Find the derivative of  $y = \log_a(x)$

$$a^y = x$$

$$\Rightarrow a^y \ln(a) \frac{dy}{dx} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{a^y \ln(a)}$$
$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x \ln(a)}}$$

Example: Find the derivative of

a)  $y = \ln(x^2 - 3x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x^2 - 3x} \cdot (2x - 3)$$
$$= \boxed{\frac{2x - 3}{x^2 - 3x}}$$

b)  $y = \underbrace{\tan^{-1}(2x)}_F \underbrace{\ln(3x + 1)}_S$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= \tan^{-1}(2x) \cdot \frac{1}{3x+1} \cdot 2 + \frac{1}{1+(2x)^2} \cdot 2 \ln(3x+1) \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{3\tan^{-1}(2x)}{3x+1}}_{\text{ }} + \underbrace{\frac{2\ln(3x+1)}{1+4x^2}}_{\text{ }}\end{aligned}$$

## Power functions:

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

↑ VARIABLE IN BASE      ↑ CONSTANT

## Exponential functions:

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^{g(x)}] = e^{g(x)} g'(x)$$

↑ VARIABLE IN EXPONENT

$$\frac{d}{dx} [a^{g(x)}] = a^{g(x)} \ln(a) g'(x)$$

↑ CONSTANT      ↑ d

Example:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} [(x^3 + 2x)^{10}] &= \\ &= 10(x^3 + 2x)^9 \cdot (3x^2 + 2)\end{aligned}$$

Examples:

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^{(x^4 - 5x)}] = e^{(x^4 - 5x)} \cdot (4x^3 - 5)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [7^{(x^4 - 5x)}] = 7^{(x^4 - 5x)} \ln(7) \cdot (4x^3 - 5)$$

# What if x is in base AND exponent?

Example:  $y = (3x + 1)^x$

Answer: *Logarithmic Differentiation*

Step 1: Take log of both sides

Step 2: Differentiate implicitly

Step 3: Solve for y'.

$$\ln(y) = \ln((3x+1)^x)$$

↙  
WRONG

$$\Rightarrow \ln(y) = x \ln(3x+1)$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = x \cdot \frac{1}{3x+1} \cdot 3 + (1) \ln(3x+1)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y \left( \frac{3x}{3x+1} + \ln(3x+1) \right)$$

$$= (3x+1)^x \left( \frac{3x}{3x+1} + \ln(3x+1) \right)$$

$$y = e^{x \ln(3x+1)}$$
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{x \ln(3x+1)} \cdot \left( \frac{3x}{3x+1} + \ln(3x+1) \right)$$
$$= (3x+1)^x \left( \frac{3x}{3x+1} + \ln(3x+1) \right)$$

Example (Directly from HW):

Find  $dy/dx$ .

$$y = (\sin(7x))^{\ln(x)}$$

$$\ln(y) = \ln(x) \ln(\sin(7x))$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \ln(\sin(7x)) + \ln(x) \frac{1}{\sin(7x)} \cos(7x) \cdot 7$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y \left( \frac{\ln(\sin(7x))}{x} + 7 \ln(x) \cot(7x) \right)$$

## Preview of 3.9 (Related Rates)

Example (from homework):

If a (spherical) snowball melts so that its surface area decreases at a rate of  $5 \text{ cm}^2/\text{min}$ , find the rate at which the diameter decreases when the diameter is 12 cm.

Steps to all these problems

1. Draw and label a picture
2. What do you **know**?
- What do you **want**?
3. Write equations relating quantities.
4. Differentiate to get rates.
5. Plug in values (**wait** until end)



$r = \text{radius}$

$D = \text{diameter}$

$V = \text{volume} = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

$S = \text{surface area} = 4\pi r^2$

$r = r(t)$

$d = d(t)$

$V = V(t)$

$S = S(t)$

$\text{cm}$   
 $\text{cm}$

$\text{cm}^3$

$\text{cm}^2$

GIVEN  $\frac{ds}{dt} = -5$

WANT  $\frac{dd}{dt} = ?$  when  $D=12$

①  $D = 2r \Rightarrow \frac{dD}{dt} = 2 \frac{dr}{dt}$

②  $S = 4\pi r^2 \Rightarrow \frac{ds}{dt} = 8\pi r \frac{dr}{dt}$

PLUG IN  $\frac{ds}{dt} = -5, D = 12$

$D = 12 \Rightarrow r = 6$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{ds}{dt} = -5 &\Rightarrow -5 = 8\pi(6) \frac{dr}{dt} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dt} = -\frac{5}{48\pi} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dd}{dt} = 2 \left( -\frac{5}{48\pi} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{5}{24\pi} \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{min}}$$

$$\approx -0.0663 \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{min}}$$