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Period 2

Chapter 3 and 4 Summary

Chapter 3

Logarithmic Differentiation ?

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

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\log_b(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\ln(x)}{\ln(b)} \right) = \ln(b) \frac{d}{dx} (\ln(x))$$

★ Ignore absolute values with logarithmic functions like $\sqrt{|x|}$

★ Do not use product/quotient rule with constants

★ Try to use algebra, trig, or precalc before Calculus.

★ Since calculus cannot handle absolute values, must create piecewise-defined $f(x)$

Implicit Differentiation

$$\text{ex. } \frac{d}{dx} (y^2 + x = y + x^2) \Rightarrow 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 = \frac{dy}{dx} + 2x$$

• Define function in terms of x and y , implying the original function with "y". $y' \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx}$

Exponential Differentiation

• Take \ln of both sides to apply logarithm identities (ex $\ln x^e = e \ln x$)

$$\text{ex. } \frac{d}{dx} (e^y) = e^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}$$

• Then solve for $\frac{dy}{dx}$ algebraically

• natural logs are your friends ? 😊

Inverse Differentiation

• Given coordinate pair (a, b) , domain and range interchange

$$f^{-1}'(b) = \frac{1}{f'(a)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sin(x)^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} (\cos(x)^{-1}) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\tan(x)^{-1}) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} (\cot(x)^{-1}) = \frac{-1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sec(x)^{-1}) = \frac{1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} (\csc(x)^{-1}) = \frac{-1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$

Related Rates

Given a rate, $\frac{dV}{dt}$, want to find $\frac{dR}{dt}$, use $\frac{dV}{dt} \cdot \boxed{\frac{dR}{dV}} = \frac{dR}{dt}$

Solve for $\frac{dR}{dt}$

Chapter 4

Optimization

- * extrema are y-values
 - * always use radians
 - * when rounding, use three decimals
- Step 1: maximizing or minimizing?
Step 2: what is getting maximized/minimized?
Step 3: formula for Step 2.
Step 4: write formula in 1 variable using auxiliary equations

2nd and 3rd derivative

$f'(x) > 0$, $f(x)$ increasing

$f'(x) < 0$, $f(x)$ decreasing

$f''(x) > 0$, $f(x)$ concave up

$f''(x) < 0$, $f(x)$ concave down

• when defining increasing/decreasing, $[a, b]$
• when defining concavity, (a, b)

Mean Value Theorem

"If $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable on (a, b) , then
 $\exists c \mid f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$ (A point where instant rate of change is equal to average rate of change)

Rolle's Theorem (subset of Mean Value Theorem)

"If $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable on (a, b) and $f(a) = f(b)$, then $\exists c \mid f'(c) = 0$." (Since the average rate is 0, a point where the tangent is also horizontal)

Rectilinear Motion

$s(t)$ is position, $v(t)$ is velocity, $a(t)$ is acceleration

$$s'(t) = v(t)$$

$$s''(t) = v'(t) = a(t)$$

$\int_a^b v(t)$ is displacement, $\int_a^b |v(t)|$ is total distance travelled

Use geometric methods for integrals with basic shapes.