

## Ch 3.3 Basic Rules of Differentiation

### GOALS:

Find the derivative of a function using basic rules:


1. Constant Rule
2. Power Rule
3. Sum & Difference Rules
4. Combination of Rules

### Study 3.3

#107,109,113,115,119,121,133-139,144,149  
(for sketch use calculator)

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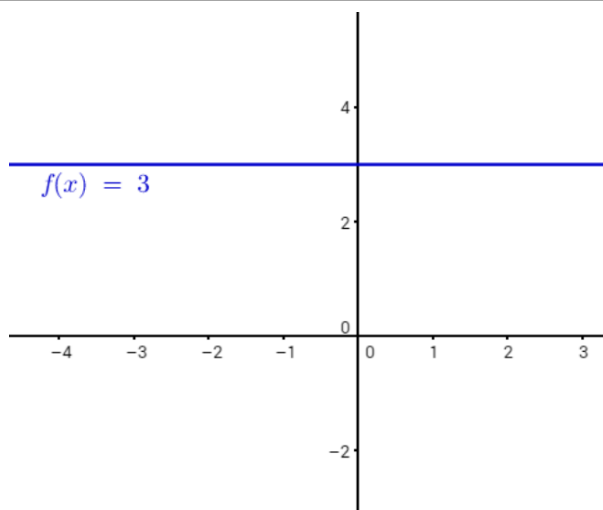
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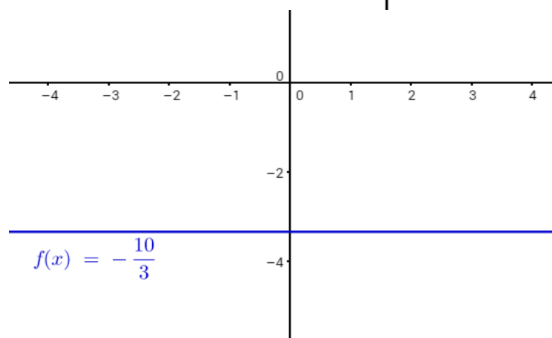
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**G:**  $f(x) = 3$       **F:**  $f'(x)$

$$f(x) = 3$$



**G:**  $f(x) = 3/2$       **F:**  $f'(x) ?$




**Does it matter if  $f(x) = -10/3$ ?  
or  $f(x) = k$ ?**

$$f(x) = -\frac{10}{3}$$

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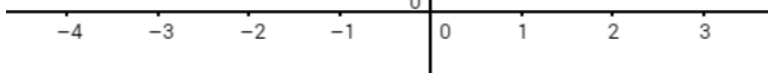
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**G:**  $f(x) = 3$

**F:**  $f'(x)$

$f'(x) = 0$

$f(x) = 3$

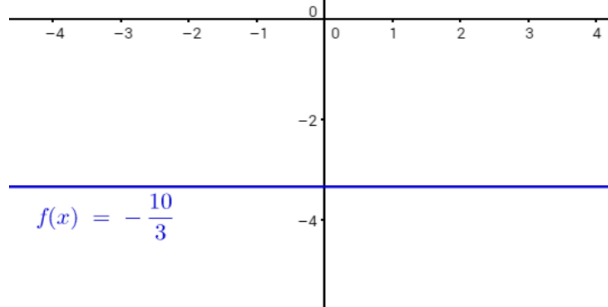


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$f'(x) = 0$

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**G:**  $f(x) = 3 - 5x$

**F:**  $f'(x)$

What if  $f(x) = 3 + 2x$ ?  $f'(x) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

What if  $f(x) = 3x + 2$ ?  $f'(x) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

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$$G: f(x) = 3 - 5x$$

$$F: f'(x)$$

$$y = mx + b$$

$$f'(x) = -5$$

or simply, straight line has same slope,  $m$ ,  
for all  $x$  where  $y = mx + b$

$$\text{What if } f(x) = 3 + 2x? \quad f'(x) = \underline{2}$$

$$\text{What if } f(x) = 3x + 2? \quad f'(x) = \underline{3}$$



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Can you see any patterns in finding the derivative?

$$f(x) = 3$$

$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$f(x) = 3 - 5x$$

$$f'(x) = -5$$

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

$$f'(x) = 3$$

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

$$f'(x) = 2x$$

$$f(x) = 4x^2$$

$$f'(x) = 8x$$

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

$$f'(x) = 2x$$

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

$$f'(x) = 2x + 2$$

$$f(x) = 5x - x^2$$

$$f'(x) = 5 - 2x$$



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Can you find the derivative?

$$f(x) = 3 \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = 3 - 5x \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = 3x + 2 \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = 4x^2 \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = x^2 + 3 \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1 \quad f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = 5x - x^2 \quad f'(x) =$$

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### General Formulas

1.  $\frac{d}{dx}(c) = 0$
2.  $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) + g(x)) = f'(x) + g'(x)$
3.  $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x)g(x)) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$
4.  $\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$ , for real numbers  $n$
5.  $\frac{d}{dx}(cf(x)) = cf'(x)$
6.  $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) - g(x)) = f'(x) - g'(x)$
7.  $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right) = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2}$
8.  $\frac{d}{dx}[f(g(x))] = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$

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### Rules of Differentiation


1. The Constant Rule  $\frac{d[c]}{dx} = 0$

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2. The Power Rule  $\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$

3. The Constant Multiple Rule  $\frac{d[cf(x)]}{dx} = cf'(x)$

4. The Sum & Difference Rule  $\frac{d[f(x) \pm g(x)]}{dx} = f'(x) \pm g'(x)$



$f(x) = 3$   
 $f'(x) = 0$

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

$f(x) = 4x^2$   
 $f'(x) = 4(2x) = 8x$

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$f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1$   
 $f'(x) = 2x + 2$

$y = 3x^4 - 2x^2 + x - 4$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(4x^3) - 2(2x) + 1$   
 $= 12x^3 - 4x + 1$

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

$$f'(x) \quad f''(x) \quad f'''(x)$$

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$$f(x) = -2$$

$$f'(x) =$$

$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

$$f(x) = x$$

$$f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = x^8$$

$$f'(x) =$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^8} = x^{-8}$$

$$f'(x) =$$

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

$$f'(x) =$$

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

$$f'(x) =$$

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$$f(x) = -2$$

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$$f(x) = x$$

$$f'(x) = 1$$

$$f(x) = x^8$$

$$f'(x) = 8x^7$$

$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^8} = x^{-8}$$

$$f'(x) = -8x^{-9}$$

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

$$f'(x) = 2(3x^2) - 2x^1 + 3(1x^0)$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 2x + 3$$

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

$$f'(x) = (1/2)x^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{2x^{1/2}}$$

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

$$f(x) = x^{-3}$$

$$f'(x) = -3x^{-3-1} = -3x^{-4} = -\frac{3}{x^4}$$

$F: f'(x)$

$$y = \frac{1}{x^2} \quad F: \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$y = x^{-2} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -2x^{-2-1} = -2x^{-3} = -\frac{2}{x^3}$$

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2(-3x^{-3-1}) = -6x^{-4} = -\frac{6}{x^4}$$


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$$y = x^2 \left( \frac{2}{x^2} + \frac{5}{x^3} \right) = 2 + \frac{5x^2}{x^3} = 2 + \frac{5}{x}$$

$$y = 2 + 5x^{-1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 + 5(-x^{-1-1}) = -5x^{-2} = -\frac{5}{x^2}$$

$$y = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} x^{\frac{1}{2}-1}$$

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

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

$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

$$y = x^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad F: \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3} x^{\frac{1}{3}-1} = \frac{1}{3} x^{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3 x^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

$$F: \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{3} \left( -\frac{2}{3} x^{-\frac{2}{3}-1} \right)$$

$$= -\frac{2}{9} x^{-\frac{5}{3}} = -\frac{2}{9 x^{\frac{5}{3}}}$$

$$\frac{-\frac{2}{3} - 1}{\frac{3}{3}} = -\frac{5}{3}$$

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

$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

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

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$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

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


$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3} [-2x^{-2-1}] = \frac{2}{3} [-2x^{-3}] = \frac{-4}{3x^3}$$

$$y = \frac{\pi}{(3x)^2} = \frac{\pi}{9x^2} = \frac{\pi}{9} x^{-2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\pi}{9} [-2x^{-3}] = \frac{-2\pi}{9x^3}$$

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$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

$$108. \quad f(x) = 4x^2 - 7x$$

$$110. \quad f(x) = x^4 + \frac{2}{x} = x^4 + 2x^{-1}$$

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$$f'(x) = 8x - 7$$

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110.  $f(x) = x^4 + \frac{2}{x}$

$$f(x) = x^4 + 2x^{-1}$$

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

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For the following exercises, find the equation of the tangent line  $T(x)$  to the graph of the given function at the indicated point. Use a graphing calculator to graph the function and the tangent line.

$$\frac{d[x^n]}{dx} = nx^{n-1}$$

118. [T]  $y = 3x^2 + 4x + 1$  at  $(0, 1)$

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$$y - y_1 = m_T(x - x_1)$$

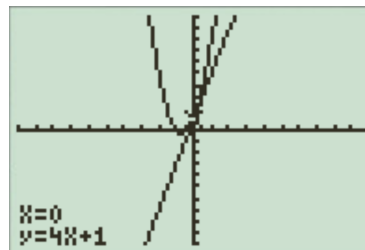
118. [T]  $y = 3x^2 + 4x + 1$  at  $(0, 1)$

$$m_T = f'(x) = 6x + 4$$

$$m_T = f'(0) = 6(0) + 4 = 4$$

$$y - 1 = 4(x - 0) = 4x$$

$$y = 4x + 1$$



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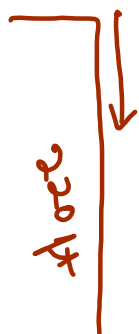
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G:  $s(t) = -16t^2 + v_0t + s_0$

G: A ball is thrown straight down from the top of a 220 ft. building with an initial velocity of -22 ft/sec.

F: What is its velocity after 3 sec? after falling 200 ft?



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F: What is its velocity after 3 sec? after falling 20 ft?

Consider - or +  
 $80 = (2)(40)$  38 or 42  
 $(4)(20)$  18 or 24  
 $(8)(10)$  2 or 18  
 $(16)(5)$  11 or 21

$$s(t) = -16t^2 + v_0t + s_0 = -16t^2 - 22t + 220$$

$$v(t) = s'(t) = -16(2t) - 22 + 0 = -32t - 22$$

$$v(t) = -32t - 22$$

$$v(3) = -32(3) - 22 = -118 \text{ ft/sec}$$

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need t when s=200 ft.

$$s(t) = -16t^2 - 22t + 220 = 200$$

$$-16t^2 - 22t + 20 = 0$$

$$8t^2 + 11t - 10 = 0$$

$$8t^2 + 16t - 5t - 10 = 0$$

$$8t(t + 2) - 5(t + 2) = 0$$

$$(8t - 5)(t + 2) = 0$$

$$t = 5/8, -2 \text{ no meaning}$$

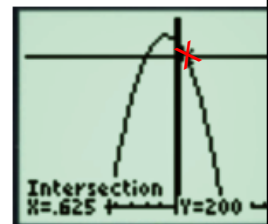
$$v(t) = -32t - 22$$

$$v(5/8) = -32(5/8) - 22$$

$$= -4(5) - 22$$

$$= -42 \text{ ft/sec}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (-5)(16) &= -80 \\ (-5) + (16) &= 11 \end{aligned}$$



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142. Determine all points on the graph of  $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 - x - 1$  for which the slope of the tangent line is

- horizontal
- 1.

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142. Determine all points on the graph of  $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 - x - 1$  for which the slope of the tangent line is

- a. horizontal
- b.  $-1$ .

$$m_T = f'(x) = 3x^2 + 2x - 1$$

horizontal means  $m_T = 0$

$$(3x-1)(x+1) = 0$$

$$3x-1=0 \mid x+1=0$$

$$x=1/3 \mid x=-1$$

$$(1/3, -32/27) \mid (-1, 0)$$

$$\frac{1}{27} + \frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{3} - 1 \mid -1 + 1 + 1 - 1$$

$$\frac{1+3-9-27}{27} \mid -1 + 1 + 1 - 1 = 0$$

$$m_T = -1$$

$$3x^2 + 2x - 1 = -1$$

$$3x^2 + 2x = 0$$

$$x(3x+2) = 0$$

$$x=0 \mid 3x+2=0$$

$$x=0 \mid x=-2/3$$

$$(0, -1) \mid (-2/3, -5/27)$$

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$$y = 3x^3 - 6 \quad F: m \text{ of graph at } (2, 8)$$

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$$y = 3x^3 - 6 \quad F: \text{m of graph at } (2, 18)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(3x^2) + 0 = 9x^2$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(2, 18)} = 9(2)^2 = 9(4) = 36$$

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$$G: y = x^3 - 3x \quad F: \text{a) eq tang. line at } (2, 2)$$

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G:  $y = x^3 - 3x$

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

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(2,2)} = 3(2^2) - 3 = 12 - 3 = 9$$

F: a) eq tang. line at  $(2, 2)$

$$y = m_T x + b$$

$$y - y_1 = m_T (x - x_1)$$

$$y - 2 = m_T (x - 2)$$

$$y - 2 = 9(x - 2)$$

$$y - 2 = 9x - 18$$

$$y = 9x - 16$$

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Average Rate  
of Change  
on Interval

vs

Instantaneous  
Rate of Change

Slope of Secant Line

eg:  $\frac{\text{total distance}}{\text{total time}}$

speed, average velocity

Slope of Tangent Line

eg: velocity at  
specific time

instantaneous velocity

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Average Rate of Change on Interval

G:  $f(x) = x^2 - 7$

F: average rate of change,  $[3, 3.1]$

$$f(3) = 9 - 7 = 2$$

Instantaneous Rate of Change

G:  $f(x) = x^2 - 7$

F: Instantaneous rates of change at endpoints.

$[3, 3.1]$



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Average Rate of Change on Interval

G:  $f(x) = x^2 - 7$

F: average rate of change,  $[3, 3.1]$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ave} &= \frac{f(3.1) - f(3)}{3.1 - 3} \\ &= \frac{(3.1^2 - 7) - (3^2 - 7)}{0.1} \\ &= \frac{9.61 - 7 - 9 + 7}{0.1} = \frac{0.61}{0.1} = 6.1 \end{aligned}$$

Instantaneous Rate of Change

G:  $f(x) = x^2 - 7$

F: Instantaneous rates of change at endpoints.

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= 2x \\ f'(3) &= 6 \\ f'(3.1) &= 6.2 \end{aligned}$$



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