

DAY 40 § 3.1 Power Rule

$$y = ax^n \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = a \cdot n \cdot x^{n-1}$$

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# 38-48 even, 56, 58, 62, 68, 83-90

38)  $y = \frac{x^2 + 1}{x} = x + x^{-1}$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - \frac{1}{x^2} = \frac{x^2 - 1}{x}$

40)  $g(x) = \frac{x^2 + \sqrt{x} + 1}{x^{3/2}} = x^{1/2} + x^{-1} + x^{-3/2}$   
 $g'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} - \frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{3}{2x^{5/2}}$   
 $g'(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2\sqrt{x} - 3}{2x^{5/2}}$

42)  $g(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x}(1+x)}{x^2} = \frac{x^{1/2} + x^{3/2}}{x^2} = x^{-3/2} + x^{-1/2}$   
 $g'(x) = -\frac{3}{2}x^{-5/2} - \frac{1}{2}x^{-3/2} = \frac{-3}{2x^{5/2}} - \frac{1}{2x^{3/2}} = \frac{-3-x}{2x^{5/2}}$

44)  $f(x) = \frac{ax+b}{x} = a + bx^{-1}$   
 $f'(x) = -\frac{b}{x^2}$

46)  $V(r) = \left(\frac{4\pi b}{3}\right)r^2$   
 $V'(r) = \left(\frac{4\pi b}{3}\right)2r$   
 $V'(r) = \frac{8\pi b}{3} \cdot r$

48)  $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$   
 $f'(x) = 2ax + b$

88) The derivative of a polynomial is always a polynomial  
TRUE.

89)  $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{\pi}{x^2}\right) = \frac{-\pi}{x}$   
FALSE it equals  $\left(\frac{-2\pi}{x^3}\right)$

90) If  $f'(2) = 3.1$ ,  $g'(2) = 7.3$   
 then  $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) + g(x))\Big|_{x=2} = 10.4$   
TRUE.

50)  $f(x) = x^3 - 9x^2 - 16x + 1$   
 has slope of  $f'(x) = 5$   
 at two points. ...

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 18x - 16 = 5$$

$$3x^2 - 18x - 21 = 0$$

$$3(x^2 - 6x - 7) = 0$$

$$3(x-7)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = 7 \quad x = -1$$

@ two points:  $(7, -209)$   $(-1, 7)$

58)  $f(x) = x^3$  tangent line @  $x = 2$   
 $f(2) = 8 \therefore (2, 8)$   
 $f'(x) = 3x^2 \Big|_{x=2} = 12$

TANGENT LINE:

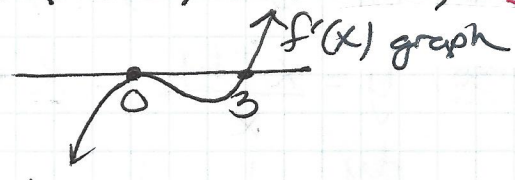
$$y = 12(x-2) + 8$$

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\* (62)  $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3$  is both decreasing & concave up on what intervals.

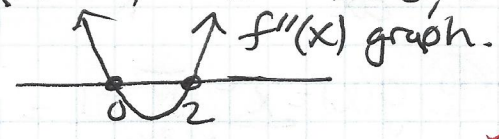
$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 12x^2 = 4x^2(x-3) = 0 \quad x=0, 3$

$f'(x) < 0 \Rightarrow f$  is decreasing on  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, 3)$



$f''(x) = 12x^2 - 24x = 12x(x-2) = 0 \quad x=0, 2$

$f''(x) > 0 \Rightarrow f$  is concave up on  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (2, \infty)$



Oh... now I need to apply poly inequality ideas.

$\therefore f(x)$  is decreasing and concave up on  $x \in (-\infty, 0) \cup (2, 3)$  when  $f'(x) < 0 \wedge f''(x) > 0$

(68) height of sand dune (in cm)  $f(t) = 700 - 3t^2$  where  $t$  measured in years since 2005.

$f(5) = 700 - 3(5)^2 = 625$  cm.

\* In 2010 the height of the sand dune is 625 cm.

$f'(5) : f'(t) = -6t \big|_{t=5} = -30 \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{year}} = f'(5)$

\* In the year 2010 the height of the sand dune is decreasing at a rate of 30 cm/year.

**NEED TO SEE:** \* when / what / behavior / rate / units . !

(83) The only fn that has derivative  $2x$  is  $x^2$  FALSE

counter-examples:  
 $f(x) = x^2 + 3$   
 $f(x) = x^2 - 7$

(84)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2} \rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2x}$  FALSE

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

(85) Two functions s.t.  $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) + g(x)) = 2x + 3$

(A)  $f(x) + g(x) = x^2 + 3x$  (B)  $f(x) + g(x) = (x^2 + 7) + (3x - 1)$

(86) A function whose derivative is  $g'(x) = 2x$  &  $g(x)$  has no zeros

$g(x) = x^2 + 3$  or  $g(x) = x^2 + 5$  or  $g(x) = x^2 + C$ , where  $C > 0$

(87)  $f''(x) = 6 \Rightarrow f'(x) = 6x + C \Rightarrow f(x) = 3x^2 + cx + d$   
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