

Quiz 4

(20 points)

You may use computers to check, but you must show the calculus you did, including all steps to find the following.

(1) Given $f(x) = \sqrt{\frac{x^2 \cos x}{2x+3}}$, find $f'(x)$ (7 points)

(Note: there is an easier way to do this than just directly... the computer does not always show you the easiest way)

Use logarithmic differentiation: Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$

$$\ln y = \ln \sqrt{\frac{x^2 \cos x}{2x+3}}$$

$$\ln y = \frac{1}{2} [\ln(x^2 \cos x) - \ln(2x+3)]$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln y = \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{1}{2} (2 \ln x + \ln \cos x - \ln(2x+3)) \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1 \cdot (-\sin x)}{2 \cos x} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{2x+3}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2} \tan x - \frac{1}{2x+3} \right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{\frac{x^2 \cos x}{2x+3}} \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2} \tan x - \frac{1}{2x+3} \right)$$

(2) Differentiate: $y = \sin^{-1}(2x) + x\sqrt{1-x^2}$

(6 points)

product and chain $\left(\frac{d}{dx}[\sin^{-1}x] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}\right)$

$$y' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(2x)^2}} \frac{d}{dx}[2x] + \sqrt{1-x^2} + x \cdot \frac{1}{2}(1-x^2)^{-1/2}(-2x)$$

$$y' = \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}} + \sqrt{1-x^2} - \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

(3) Evaluate: $\int \frac{1}{2+9x^2} dx$

(7 points)

$$u=3x$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \int \frac{1}{2+u^2} du$$

Using

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2+x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + C$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \frac{u}{\sqrt{2}} + C$$

$$\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3x}{\sqrt{2}} \right) + C$$