

EXERCISES FOR SECTION 2.3

In Exercises 1–6, use the Product Rule to differentiate the function.

1. $g(x) = (x^2 + 1)(x^2 - 2x)$

3. $h(t) = \sqrt[3]{t}(t^2 + 4)$

5. $f(x) = x^3 \cos x$

2. $f(x) = (6x + 5)(x^3 - 2)$

4. $g(s) = \sqrt{s}(4 - s^2)$

6. $g(x) = \sqrt{x} \sin x$

In Exercises 7–12, use the Quotient Rule to differentiate the function.

7. $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + 1}$

9. $h(x) = \frac{\sqrt[3]{x}}{x^3 + 1}$

11. $g(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x^2}$

8. $g(t) = \frac{t^2 + 2}{2t - 7}$

10. $h(s) = \frac{s}{\sqrt{s} - 1}$

12. $f(t) = \frac{\cos t}{t^3}$

In Exercises 13–18, find $f'(x)$ and $f'(c)$.

13. $f(x) = (x^3 - 3x)(2x^2 + 3x + 5)$

14. $f(x) = (x^2 - 2x + 1)(x^3 - 1)$

15. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 3}$

16. $f(x) = \frac{x + 1}{x - 1}$

17. $f(x) = x \cos x$

18. $f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$

Value of c

$c = 0$

$c = 1$

$c = 1$

$c = 2$

$c = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$c = \frac{\pi}{6}$

In Exercises 19–24, complete the table without using the Quotient Rule (see Example 6).

Function	Rewrite	Differentiate	Simplify
19. $y = \frac{x^2 + 2x}{3}$			
20. $y = \frac{5x^2 - 3}{4}$			
21. $y = \frac{7}{3x^3}$			
22. $y = \frac{4}{5x^2}$			
23. $y = \frac{4x^{3/2}}{x}$			
24. $y = \frac{3x^2 - 5}{7}$			

In Exercises 25–38, find the derivative of the algebraic function.

25. $f(x) = \frac{3 - 2x - x^2}{x^2 - 1}$

26. $f(x) = \frac{x^3 + 3x + 2}{x^2 - 1}$

27. $f(x) = x \left(1 - \frac{4}{x+3} \right)$

29. $f(x) = \frac{2x + 5}{\sqrt{x}}$

31. $h(s) = (s^3 - 2)^2$

33. $f(x) = \frac{2 - \frac{1}{x}}{x - 3}$

35. $f(x) = (3x^3 + 4x)(x - 5)(x + 1)$

36. $f(x) = (x^2 - x)(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + x + 1)$

37. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + c^2}{x^2 - c^2}$, c is a constant

38. $f(x) = \frac{c^2 - x^2}{c^2 + x^2}$, c is a constant

28. $f(x) = x^4 \left(1 - \frac{2}{x+1} \right)$

30. $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}(\sqrt{x} + 3)$

32. $h(x) = (x^2 - 1)^2$

34. $g(x) = x^2 \left(\frac{2}{x} - \frac{1}{x+1} \right)$

In Exercises 39–54, find the derivative of the trigonometric function.

39. $f(t) = t^2 \sin t$

41. $f(t) = \frac{\cos t}{t}$

43. $f(x) = -x + \tan x$

45. $g(t) = \sqrt[4]{t} + 8 \sec t$

47. $y = \frac{3(1 - \sin x)}{2 \cos x}$

49. $y = -\csc x - \sin x$

51. $f(x) = x^2 \tan x$

53. $y = 2x \sin x + x^2 \cos x$

40. $f(\theta) = (\theta + 1) \cos \theta$

42. $f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$

44. $y = x + \cot x$

46. $h(s) = \frac{1}{s} - 10 \csc s$

48. $y = \frac{\sec x}{x}$

50. $y = x \sin x + \cos x$

52. $f(x) = \sin x \cos x$

54. $h(\theta) = 5\theta \sec \theta + \theta \tan \theta$

In Exercises 55–58, use a computer algebra system to differentiate the function.

55. $g(x) = \left(\frac{x+1}{x+2} \right) (2x - 5)$

56. $f(x) = \left(\frac{x^2 - x - 3}{x^2 + 1} \right) (x^2 + x + 1)$

57. $g(\theta) = \frac{\theta}{1 - \sin \theta}$

58. $f(\theta) = \frac{\sin \theta}{1 - \cos \theta}$

In Exercises 59–62, evaluate the derivative of the function at the indicated point. Use a graphing utility to verify your result.

59. $f(x) = \frac{1 + \csc x}{1 - \csc x}$ Point $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}, -3 \right)$

60. $f(x) = \tan x \cot x$ Point $(1, 1)$

61. $h(t) = \frac{\sec t}{t}$ Point $\left(\pi, -\frac{1}{\pi} \right)$

62. $f(x) = \sin x(\sin x + \cos x)$ Point $\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, 1 \right)$

In Exercises 63–68, (a) find an equation of the tangent line to the graph of f at the indicated point, (b) use a graphing utility to graph the function and its tangent line at the point, and (c) use the derivative feature of a graphing utility to confirm your results.

Function	Point
63. $f(x) = (x^3 - 3x + 1)(x + 2)$	(1, -3)
64. $f(x) = (x - 1)(x^2 - 2)$	(0, 2)
65. $f(x) = \frac{x}{x - 1}$	(2, 2)
66. $f(x) = \frac{(x - 1)}{(x + 1)}$	(2, $\frac{1}{3}$)
67. $f(x) = \tan x$	($\frac{\pi}{4}$, 1)
68. $f(x) = \sec x$	($\frac{\pi}{3}$, 2)

In Exercises 69 and 70, determine the point(s) at which the graph of the function has a horizontal tangent.

69. $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{x - 1}$

70. $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + 1}$

In Exercises 71 and 72, verify that $f'(x) = g'(x)$, and explain the relationship between f and g .

71. $f(x) = \frac{3x}{x + 2}$, $g(x) = \frac{5x + 4}{x + 2}$

72. $f(x) = \frac{\sin x - 3x}{x}$, $g(x) = \frac{\sin x + 2x}{x}$

In Exercises 73 and 74, find the derivative of the function f for $n = 1, 2, 3$, and 4. Use the result to write a general rule for $f'(x)$ in terms of n .

73. $f(x) = x^n \sin x$

74. $f(x) = \frac{\cos x}{x^n}$

75. **Area** The length of a rectangle is given by $2t + 1$ and its height is \sqrt{t} , where t is time in seconds and the dimensions are in centimeters. Find the rate of change of the area with respect to time.

76. **Volume** The radius of a right circular cylinder is given by $\sqrt{t + 2}$ and its height is $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{t}$, where t is time in seconds and the dimensions are in inches. Find the rate of change of the volume with respect to time.

77. **Inventory Replenishment** The ordering and transportation cost C for the components used in manufacturing a certain product is

$$C = 100 \left(\frac{200}{x^2} + \frac{x}{x + 30} \right), \quad x \geq 1$$

where C is measured in thousands of dollars and x is the order size in hundreds. Find the rate of change of C with respect to x when (a) $x = 10$, (b) $x = 15$, and (c) $x = 20$. What do these rates of change imply about increasing order size?

derivative

78. **Boyle's Law** This law states that if the temperature of a gas remains constant, its pressure is inversely proportional to its volume. Use the derivative to show that the rate of change of the pressure is inversely proportional to the square of the volume.

79. **Population Growth** A population of 500 bacteria is introduced into a culture and grows in number according to the equation

$$P(t) = 500 \left(1 + \frac{4t}{50 + t^2} \right)$$

derivative gives rate of change

where t is measured in hours. Find the rate at which the population is growing when $t = 2$.

80. **Rate of Change** Determine whether there exist any values of x in the interval $[0, 2\pi)$ such that the rate of change of $f(x) = \sec x$ and the rate of change of $g(x) = \csc x$ are equal.

81. Prove the following differentiation rules.

(a) $\frac{d}{dx}[\sec x] = \sec x \tan x$

(b) $\frac{d}{dx}[\csc x] = -\csc x \cot x$

(c) $\frac{d}{dx}[\cot x] = -\csc^2 x$

82. **Modeling Data** The table shows the number of motor homes n (in thousands) in the United States and the retail value v (in millions of dollars) of these motor homes for the years 1992 through 1997. The year is represented by t , with $t = 2$ corresponding to 1992. (Source: Recreation Vehicle Industry Association)

Year	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
n	226.3	243.8	306.7	281.0	274.6	239.3
v	\$6963	\$7544	\$9897	\$9768	\$9788	\$9139

(a) Use a graphing utility to find quadratic models for the number of motor homes $n(t)$ and the total retail value $v(t)$ of the motor homes.

(b) Find $A = v(t)/n(t)$. What does this function represent?

(c) Find $A'(t)$. Interpret the derivative in the context of these data.

In Exercises 83–88, find the second derivative of the function.

83. $f(x) = 4x^{3/2}$

84. $f(x) = x + 32x^{-2}$

85. $f(x) = \frac{x}{x - 1}$

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

87. $f(x) = 3 \sin x$

88. $f(x) = \sec x$

In Exercises 89–92, find the higher-order derivative.

Given	Find
89. $f'(x) = x^2$	$f''(x)$

90. $f''(x) = 2 - \frac{2}{x}$	$f'''(x)$
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91. $f'''(x) = 2\sqrt{x}$	$f^{(4)}(x)$
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92. $f^{(4)}(x) = 2x + 1$	$f^{(6)}(x)$
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