

Derivatives involving exponential, logarithmic, and inverse trigonometric

An equation for a tangent to the graph of $y = \arcsin \frac{x}{2}$ at the origin is

- (A) $x - 2y = 0$ (B) $x - y = 0$ (C) $x = 0$ (D) $y = 0$ (E) $\pi x - 2y = 0$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\ln e^{2x}) =$$

- (A) $\frac{1}{e^{2x}}$ (B) $\frac{2}{e^{2x}}$ (C) $2x$ (D) 1 (E) 2

If $y = \tan u$, $u = v - \frac{1}{v}$, and $v = \ln x$, what is the value of $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $x = e$?

- (A) 0 (B) $\frac{1}{e}$ (C) 1 (D) $\frac{2}{e}$ (E) $\sec^2 e$

The slope of the line tangent to the graph of $y = \ln(x^2)$ at $x = e^2$ is

- (A) $\frac{1}{e^2}$ (B) $\frac{2}{e^2}$ (C) $\frac{4}{e^2}$ (D) $\frac{1}{e^4}$ (E) $\frac{4}{e^4}$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\arcsin 2x) =$$

- (A) $\frac{-1}{2\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$ (B) $\frac{-2}{\sqrt{4x^2-1}}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$
(D) $\frac{2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$ (E) $\frac{2}{\sqrt{4x^2-1}}$

If $y = e^{nx}$, then $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} =$

- (A) $n^n e^{nx}$ (B) $n!e^{nx}$ (C) $n e^{nx}$ (D) $n^n e^x$ (E) $n!e^x$

The slope of the line tangent to the graph of $y = \ln\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$ at $x = 4$ is

- (A) $\frac{1}{8}$ (B) $\frac{1}{4}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2}$ (D) 1 (E) 4

If $y = 10^{(x^2-1)}$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- (A) $(\ln 10)10^{(x^2-1)}$ (B) $(2x)10^{(x^2-1)}$ (C) $(x^2-1)10^{(x^2-2)}$
(D) $2x(\ln 10)10^{(x^2-1)}$ (E) $x^2(\ln 10)10^{(x^2-1)}$

If $y = \arctan(\cos x)$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- (A) $\frac{-\sin x}{1+\cos^2 x}$ (B) $-\left(\text{arcsec}(\cos x)\right)^2 \sin x$ (C) $\left(\text{arcsec}(\cos x)\right)^2$
(D) $\frac{1}{(\arccos x)^2 + 1}$ (E) $\frac{1}{1+\cos^2 x}$

If $y = \frac{\ln x}{x}$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- (A) $\frac{1}{x}$ (B) $\frac{1}{x^2}$ (C) $\frac{\ln x - 1}{x^2}$ (D) $\frac{1 - \ln x}{x^2}$ (E) $\frac{1 + \ln x}{x^2}$

If $y = x^2 e^x$, then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- (A) $2xe^x$ (B) $x(x+2e^x)$ (C) $xe^x(x+2)$
(D) $2x+e^x$ (E) $2x+e$

The slope of the line normal to the graph of $y = 2 \ln(\sec x)$ at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ is

- (A) -2
(B) $-\frac{1}{2}$
(C) $\frac{1}{2}$
(D) 2
(E) nonexistent

$$\frac{d}{dx}(2^x) =$$

- (A) 2^{x-1} (B) $(2^{x-1})x$ (C) $(2^x)\ln 2$ (D) $(2^{x-1})\ln 2$ (E) $\frac{2x}{\ln 2}$

If $f(x) = e^{3\ln(x^2)}$, then $f'(x) =$

- (A) $e^{3\ln(x^2)}$ (B) $\frac{3}{x^2}e^{3\ln(x^2)}$ (C) $6(\ln x)e^{3\ln(x^2)}$ (D) $5x^4$ (E) $6x^5$

If $f(x) = \frac{e^{2x}}{2x}$, then $f'(x) =$

- (A) 1
(B) $\frac{e^{2x}(1-2x)}{2x^2}$
(C) e^{2x}
(D) $\frac{e^{2x}(2x+1)}{x^2}$
(E) $\frac{e^{2x}(2x-1)}{2x^2}$

Let f be the function given by $f(x) = 2e^{4x^2}$. For what value of x is the slope of the line tangent to the graph of f at $(x, f(x))$ equal to 3?

- (A) 0.168 (B) 0.276 (C) 0.318 (D) 0.342 (E) 0.551

If $f(x) = \sin(e^{-x})$, then $f'(x) =$

- (A) $-\cos(e^{-x})$
- (B) $\cos(e^{-x}) + e^{-x}$
- (C) $\cos(e^{-x}) - e^{-x}$
- (D) $e^{-x} \cos(e^{-x})$
- (E) $-e^{-x} \cos(e^{-x})$

Let f be the function given by $f(x) = 3e^{2x}$ and let g be the function given by $g(x) = 6x^3$. At what value of x do the graphs of f and g have parallel tangent lines?

- (A) -0.701
- (B) -0.567
- (C) -0.391
- (D) -0.302
- (E) -0.258