

# DERIVATIVE FORMULAS

## Constant Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}[c] = 0$$

## Basic

$$\frac{d}{dx}[x] = 1$$

## Sum Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}[u + v] = u' + v'$$

## Difference Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}[u - v] = u' - v'$$

## Product Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}[uv] = u'v + uv'$$

## Quotient Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{u}{v}\right] = \frac{u'v - uv'}{v^2}$$

## WITHOUT CHAIN RULE

### Power Rule

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

$$\frac{d}{dx}[cx^n] = cnx^{n-1}$$

### Exponential

$$\frac{d}{dx}[e^x] = e^x$$

### Natural Log

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\ln x] = \frac{1}{x}$$

### Logarithmic

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\log_a x] = \frac{1}{\ln a} \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

### Absolute Value

$$\frac{d}{dx}[|x|] = \frac{x}{|x|}$$

### Trig Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sin x] = \cos x$$

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

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cos x] = -\sin x$$

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

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\tan x] = \sec^2 x$$

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

### Inverse Trig Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sin^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\csc^{-1} x] = \frac{-1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cos^{-1} x] = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sec^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\tan^{-1} x] = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cot^{-1} x] = \frac{-1}{1+x^2}$$

## WITH CHAIN RULE

### Chain Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx}[u^n] = nu^{n-1}u'$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[cu^n] = cnu^{n-1}u'$$

### Exponential

$$\frac{d}{dx}[e^u] = e^u u'$$

### Natural Log

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\ln u] = \frac{1}{u} u'$$

### Logarithmic

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\log_a u] = \frac{1}{\ln a} \cdot \frac{1}{u} \cdot u'$$

### Absolute Value

$$\frac{d}{dx}[|u|] = \frac{u}{|u|} u'$$

### Trig Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sin u] = (\cos u)u'$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\csc u] = -(\csc u \cot u)u'$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cos u] = -(\sin u)u'$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sec u] = (\sec u \tan u)u'$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\tan u] = (\sec^2 u)u'$$

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

### Inverse Trig Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sin^{-1} u] = \frac{u'}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\csc^{-1} u] = \frac{-u'}{|u|\sqrt{u^2-1}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cos^{-1} u] = \frac{-u'}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\sec^{-1} u] = \frac{u'}{|u|\sqrt{u^2-1}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\tan^{-1} u] = \frac{u'}{1+u^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\cot^{-1} u] = \frac{-u'}{1+u^2}$$