

## 4.2 Inverse Derivatives

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and thoughts here!

## Notes

**Recall:** Given  $f(x) = 5(x - 2)^3 - 1$ , find  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

<b>CONFUSING NOTATION:</b>	<u>Reciprocal</u>		<u>Inverse</u>
	$x^{-1} =$	or	$f^{-1}(x)$ means

*Quote from the AP Exam:*

"Notation: The inverse of a trigonometric function  $x$  may be indicated using the inverse function notation  $f^{-1}$  or with the prefix "arc" (e.g.,  $\sin^{-1} x = \arcsin x$ )."

**Inverse Trig Derivatives:**

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1}(x) =$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cos^{-1}(x) =$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(x) =$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \csc^{-1}(x) =$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(x) =$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cot^{-1}(x) =$$

**Find the derivative.**

1.  $\frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1}(3x)$

2.  $\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(2x^2)$

3.  $\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(5x^6)$

4. What is the anti-derivative of  $\frac{12x}{\sqrt{1-36x^4}}$ ?**Derivative of an Inverse Function:**

$$\frac{d}{dx} [f^{-1}(x)] =$$

**The functions  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable. For all  $x$ ,  $f(g(x)) = x$  and  $g(f(x)) = x$ .**5. If  $f(12) = 4$  and  $f'(12) = -5$ , find  $g(4)$  and  $g'(4)$ .6. If  $f(3) = -2$  and  $f'(3) = 5$ , find  $g(-2)$  and  $g'(-2)$ .

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**Practice**

Find the following.

1. $\frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1}(5x)$	2. $\frac{d}{dx} \csc^{-1}(4x^5)$	3. $\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(2x)$
4. $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\sin x}{x}$	5. $\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(x^3)$	6. $\frac{d}{dx} \csc 6x$
7. $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x-2}{x^2+5x-14}$	8. $\frac{d}{dx} \cos^{-1}(3x^2)$	9. Anti-derivative of $f'(x) = \frac{5}{\sqrt{1-25x^2}}$
10. $\frac{d}{dx} \cot^{-1}(-x)$	11. Anti-derivative of $f'(x) = -\frac{6x^2}{1+4x^6}$	12. $\frac{d}{dx} \log_5 4x$
13. $\frac{d}{dx} \cos^{-1}(-7x)$	14. $\frac{d}{dx} \csc^{-1}(x^7)$	15. $\frac{d}{dx} \cot^{-1}(4x^4)$
16. $\frac{d}{dx} e^{2x^5}$	17. $\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(\sqrt{x})$	18. $\frac{d}{dx} 5x \sin^{-1}(2x^2)$

19. Anti-derivative of  
 $f'(x) = \frac{7}{|x|\sqrt{9x^{14}-1}}$

20.  $\frac{d}{dx} \tan(e^x)$

21.  $\frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(3 \ln x)$

22.  $\frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1}(2x)$

23.  $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{15x^3+3x^2+55x}{3x}$

24. Anti-derivative of  
 $f'(x) = -\frac{8x}{\sqrt{1-16x^4}}$

25. What is the equation of the line tangent to the curve  $y = \arcsin(x)$  at the point where  $x = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ ?

26. What is the equation of the line tangent to the curve  $y = \arccos(4x)$  at the point where  $x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}$ ?

**The functions  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable. For all  $x$ ,  $f(g(x)) = x$  and  $g(f(x)) = x$ .**

27. If  $f(1) = 5$  and  $f'(1) = -2$ , find  $g(5)$  and  $g'(5)$ .

28. If  $f(-3) = 7$  and  $f'(-3) = 8$ , find  $g(7)$  and  $g'(7)$ .

29. If  $f(2) = -3$  and  $f'(2) = 11$ , find  $g(-3)$  and  $g'(-3)$ .

30. If  $f(8) = 1$  and  $f'(8) = 6$ , find  $g(1)$  and  $g'(1)$ .

31. If  $f(-1) = 6$  and  $f'(-1) = -3$ , find  $g(6)$  and  $g'(6)$ .

32. If  $f(-8) = -1$  and  $f'(-8) = 7$ , find  $g(-1)$  and  $g'(-1)$ .

$x$	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$	$g(x)$	$g'(x)$
1	5	-5	4	5
2	1	-6	3	3
3	6	4	1	6
4	2	9	6	1
5	3	1	1	2
6	4	2	2	4

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33.  $g^{-1}(4)$

34.  $f^{-1}(5)$

35.  $\frac{d}{dx}g^{-1}(3)$

36.  $\frac{d}{dx}f^{-1}(1)$

37. Find the line tangent to the graph of  $f^{-1}(x)$  at  $x = 1$ .

$x$	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$	$g(x)$	$g'(x)$
5	6	-2	6	-5
6	9	2	5	-4
7	8	-10	10	9
8	10	4	9	2
9	5	5	7	10
10	7	7	8	6

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38.  $g^{-1}(7)$

39.  $f^{-1}(7)$

40.  $\frac{d}{dx}f^{-1}(6)$

41.  $\frac{d}{dx}g^{-1}(8)$

42. Find the line tangent to the graph of  $g^{-1}(x)$  at  $x = 8$ .

4.2 Inverse Derivatives

1. Compute the derivative of  $f(x) = \ln x - \sin x + \arctan x + 2^x, x > 0$ .

(A)  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \cos x + \frac{1}{1+x^2} + x2^x$

(B)  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \cos x + \frac{1}{1-x^2} + x2^x$

(C)  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + \cos x + \frac{1}{1-x^2} + (\ln 2)2^x$

(D)  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \cos x + \frac{1}{1+x^2} + (\ln 2)2^x$

(E)  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + \cos x + \frac{1}{1+x^2} + (\ln 2)2^x$

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2. What is an equation for the line tangent to  $y = \tan^{-1} x$  at  $x = \sqrt{3}$  ?

(A)  $y - \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{2}(x - \sqrt{3})$

(B)  $y - \frac{\pi}{6} = -\frac{1}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$

(C)  $y - \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{1}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$

(D)  $y - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{3}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$

(E)  $y - \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{1}{4}(x - \sqrt{3})$

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3.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{2x+3}{\sqrt{x^2+x+1}}$  is

(A) -2

(B) -1

(C) 0

(D) 2

(E) nonexistent

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4. If  $f(x) = 3x^2 - x$ , and  $g(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ , then  $g'(10)$  could be

(A) 59

(B)  $\frac{1}{59}$

(C)  $\frac{1}{10}$

(D) 11

(E)  $\frac{1}{11}$

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5. If  $f(x) = x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ , then  $f'(4)$ ?

(A) -10

(B) 24

(C) 5

(D) 10

(E) 20