

3.6 Calculating Higher-Order Derivatives

Calculus

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CA #1

Find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ based on the given information.

1. $y = 2xe^{-x}$

2. $x^2y = 5$

3. $\cos y = 2x^2$

Evaluate the 2nd derivative at the given point.

4. If $f(x) = 4x^3 - 2x^{-3}$, find $f''(-1)$.

5. If $f(x) = \sin x - \cos x$, find $f''\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$.

6. If $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 - 5y^2$, find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ at $(2, \frac{1}{2})$

7. If $\frac{dy}{dx} = y^2 \sin x$, find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ at $(\frac{\pi}{6}, 1)$

1. $2e^{-x}(x - 2)$	2. $\frac{x^2}{6y}$	3. $-4\csc y - 16x^2\csc^2 y \cot y$	4. 0	5. $-\frac{z}{1+z} + \frac{z}{\sqrt{3}}$	6. $-\frac{39}{4}$	7. $\frac{z}{1+\sqrt{3}}$
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