

Derivatives of Sine and Cosine

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

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


Identities you need to memorize for this course include:

1. $\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) = 1$

2. $\sin(2x) = 2\sin(x)\cos(x)$

3. $\cos(2x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x) = 1 - 2\sin^2(x) = 2\cos^2(x) - 1$

**1. If $f(x) = \sin x$,

then $(f)' \left(\frac{\pi}{3} \right) =$ 

$f'(x) = \cos x$

$f' \left(\frac{\pi}{3} \right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{1}{2}$

2. Find the derivative for

$G(x) = \frac{1}{x^2} + 5\cos(x)$.

$G'(x) = -2x^{-3} - 5\sin x$

$= \frac{-2}{x^3} - 5\sin x$

3. For $f(x) = -4\cos(x) - \pi$

find $\frac{d^2 y}{(d(x))^2}$.

$f'(x) = 4 \sin x$

$f''(x) = 4 \cos x$

**4. Find an equation of the

line tangent to the graph of

$y = x + \cos x$ at the point $(0, 1)$

$y' = 1 - \sin x$

$m = 1 - 0 = 1$

$y - 1 = 1(x - 0)$

$y = x + 1$

5. If $y = \frac{6x \sin(x)}{6 \cos x}$, find y' .

$y' = 6x \cos x + 6 \sin x$

6. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if $y = \frac{3 \sin x}{4 + \cos x}$

$y' = \frac{(4 + \cos x)(3 \cos x) - (3 \sin x)(-\sin x)}{(4 + \cos x)^2}$

$= \frac{12 \cos x + 3 \cos^2 x + 3 \sin^2 x}{(4 + \cos x)^2} = \frac{12 \cos x + 3}{4 + \cos x}$