Section 1.5 Definition of Derivatives (Minimum Homework: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 19, 21, 25, 29)







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#5-14: For each problem complete the following.

a) Use the definition of the derivative to find f'(x)b) Find f'(4)

5)  $f(x) = x^2 + 3x - 4$ 7)  $f(x) = 6x^2 + 12$ 9)  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 4x + 2$ 10)  $f(x) = 5x^2 - 6x + 1$ 11)  $f(x) = \frac{2}{x}$ 12)  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x}$ 13)  $f(x) = \frac{5}{x}$ 14)  $f(x) = \frac{7}{x}$ 

#15-24: For each problem complete the following:

a) Find a formula to find the slope of a tangent line.

b) Find the equation of the tangent line through the given value of x.

15) $f(x) = x^2 + x - 4$ , $x = 3$	16) $f(x) = x^2 - 2x + 3$ , $x = 4$
17) $f(x) = 3x^2 + 7$ , $x = 3$	18) $f(x) = 2x^2 - 1$ , $x = -2$
19) $f(x) = 3x^2 - 2x + 3, x = 1$	20) $f(x) = 5x^2 - 2x + 8$ , $x = 0$
21) $f(x) = \frac{-8}{x}, x = -3$	22) $f(x) = -\frac{6}{x}$ , $x = -5$
23) $f(x) = \frac{-3}{x}, x = 2$	24) $f(x) = \frac{-4}{x}$ , $x = 2$

25) A toy rocket is launched straight up so that its height *s*, in meters, at time *t*, in seconds, is given by  $s(t)=-2t^2+30t+5$ .

a) Find s'(t)

b) Find s'(2) and interpret your answer

26) If a baseball is projected upward from ground level with an initial velocity of 64 feet per second, then its height is a function of time, given by  $s(t) = -16t^2 + 64t$ 

a) Find s'(t)

b) Find s'(2) and interpret your answer

27) A pebble is dropped from a cliff, 50 m high. After *t* sec, the pebble is *s* meters above the ground, where  $s(t)=50-2t^2$ .

a) Find s'(t)

b) Find s'(1) and interpret your answer

28) A cannon ball is dropped from a building. Suppose that the height of the cannon ball (in meters) after t seconds is given by the quadratic function:  $f(t) = -4.4t^2 + 50$ .

- a) Find f'(t)
- b) Find f'(1) and interpret your answer
- 29) The profit from sale of x car seats for is given by the formula:  $P(x) = 45x 0.0025x^2 5000$
- a) Find the marginal profit function P'(x)
- b) Find P'(800) and interpret your answer
- 30) The profit from sale of x cell phones is given by the formula:  $P(x) = 450x 0.055x^2 300000$
- a) Find the marginal profit function P'(x)
- b) Find P'(1000) and interpret your answer
- 31) The cost of manufacturing x chairs is given by the function:  $C(x) = x^2 + 40x + 800$
- a) Find the marginal cost function C'(x)
- b) Find C'(30) and interpret your answer
- 32) The cost of manufacturing x books is given by the function:  $C(x) = x^2 + 30x + 50$
- a) Find the marginal cost function C'(x)
- b) Find C'(20) and interpret your answer