

Section 2.3 The Chain Rule (Minimum problems: 17 – 38 odds)

#1-10: Find  $f[g(x)]$ , and do not simplify your answer!!!

1)  $f(x) = x^3$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 + 1$     2)  $f(x) = x^4$ ;  $g(x) = 4x^2 + 5$

3)  $f(x) = 5x^2$ ;  $g(x) = 3x - 4$     4)  $f(x) = 4x^2$ ;  $g(x) = 2x - 5$

5)  $f(x) = 7x^{2/3}$ ;  $g(x) = 5x + 4$     6)  $f(x) = 8x^{3/4}$ ;  $g(x) = 6x + 4$

7)  $f(x) = e^x$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1$     8)  $f(x) = e^x$ ;  $g(x) = 4x^2 + x - 5$

9)  $f(x) = \ln(x)$ ;  $g(x) = 3x + 5$     10)  $f(x) = \ln(x)$ ;  $g(x) = 2x - 7$

#11-16: Create two functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  whose composition is the given function  $f[g(x)]$

11)  $f[g(x)] = (7z - 3)^2$

12)  $f[g(x)] = (8z - 5)^2$

13)  $f[g(x)] = 2(4x + 7)^5$

14)  $f[g(x)] = 3(5x + 4)^4$

15)  $f[g(x)] = \sqrt{x + 5}$

16)  $f[g(x)] = \sqrt[3]{7x + 1}$

#17-24: Use the Chain rule to find the derivative of each function.

$$\frac{d}{dx} f[g(x)] = g'(x) * f'[g(x)]$$

17)  $h(x) = (7x - 3)^2$

18)  $h(x) = (8x - 5)^2$

19)  $h(x) = 2(4x + 7)^5$

20)  $h(x) = 3(5x + 4)^4$

21)  $h(x) = 4(2x - 1)^3$

22)  $h(x) = 2(5x - 6)^3$

23)  $h(x) = (x^2 + 6x + 1)^3$

24)  $h(x) = (3x^2 - 5x + 2)^3$

#25-46: Find the derivative of each function.

25)  $y = 5x(2x - 4)^3$

26)  $y = 5x(7x + 1)^3$

27)  $g(t) = 6t^2(2t + 5)^2$

28)  $g(t) = 5t^2(4t - 1)^2$

29)  $h(y) = (6y - 3)(5y + 4)^2$

30)  $f(y) = (2y - 3)(3y - 4)^2$

31)  $y = \frac{2}{(3x-4)^2}$

32)  $y = \frac{5}{(2x-9)^3}$

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34)  $y = \frac{5x}{(2x-9)^3}$

#35-38:

a) Find all values of  $x$  where the tangent line is horizontal

b) Find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of the function for the values of  $x$  found in part a.

35)  $f(x) = (2x - 3)^2$

36)  $f(x) = (3x - 4)^2$

37)  $y = 5(x + 3)^4$

38)  $y = 7(5x - 6)^2$