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Neu 3rd ed, p. 159, sec. 4.3.2

Neu 2nd ed, p. 194, sec. 4.3.2



#58) $y = f(s) = u(s)/v(s)$, where:

$$u = 2s^3 - 4s^2 + 5s - 7; \quad u' = 6s^2 - 8s + 5$$

$$v = (s^2 - 3)^2; \quad v' = 2(s^2 - 3) \cdot (2s) \quad \text{C.R.}$$

• use Q.R. $y' = (v \cdot u' - u \cdot v') / v^2$

$$v \cdot u' = (s^2 - 3)^2 \cdot (6s^2 - 8s + 5)$$

$$u \cdot v' = (s^2 - 3) \cdot (4s) \cdot (2s^3 - 4s + 5s - 7)$$

$$v \cdot u' - u \cdot v' = (s^2 - 3) [(s^2 - 3)(6s^2 - 8s + 5) - (8s^4 - 16s^3 + 20s^2 - 28s)]$$

$$\frac{dy}{ds} = \frac{(s^2 - 3)[-2s^4 + 8s^3 - 33s^2 + 52s - 15]}{(s^2 - 3)^4}$$

$$\therefore f'(s) = (-2s^4 + 8s^3 - 33s^2 + 52s - 15) / (s^2 - 3)^3 \quad \text{ans.}$$

#68) $y = g(s) = u(s)/v(s)$, where:

$$u = s^{1/7} - s^{2/7}; \quad u' = \frac{1}{7}s^{-6/7} - \frac{2}{7}s^{-5/7}$$

$$v = s^{3/7} + s^{4/7}; \quad v' = \frac{3}{7}s^{-4/7} + \frac{4}{7}s^{-3/7}$$

• use Q.R.

$$v \cdot u' - u \cdot v' = \frac{1}{7} [(s^{3/7} + s^{4/7})(s^{-6/7} - 2s^{-5/7}) - (s^{1/7} - s^{2/7})(\frac{3}{7}s^{-4/7} + \frac{4}{7}s^{-3/7})]$$

$$\frac{dy}{ds} = \frac{1}{7} \left[\frac{(-2s^{-3/7} - 2s^{-2/7} + 2s^{-1/7})}{(s^{3/7} + s^{4/7})^2} \right]$$

$$\therefore g'(s) = -\frac{2}{7} s^{-9/7} \left(\frac{1 + s^{1/7} - s^{2/7}}{(1 + s^{1/7})^2} \right) \quad \text{ans}$$

note: Let $z = s^{1/7}$, then $y = (1 - z) / z^2 (1 + z)$

• use C.R. and Q.R. to get $\frac{dy}{ds} = -\frac{2}{7} z^{-9} [(1 + z - z^2) / (1 + z)^2]$

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#72) $y = f(x) = 3x^{-1} - 4x^{-1/2} + 2x^{-2}$

$\frac{dy}{dx} \equiv y' = f'(x) = -3x^{-2} + 4(\frac{1}{2})x^{-3/2} - 2(2)x^{-3}$

or $y' = -\frac{3}{x^2} + \frac{2}{x\sqrt{x}} - \frac{4}{x^3}$ ans

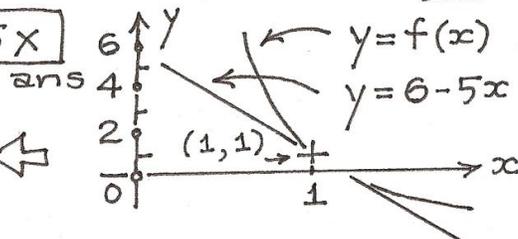
at $x = x_0 = 1, y_0 = f(1) = 3 - 4 + 2 = \underline{1}; f'(1) = -3 + 2 - 4 = \underline{-5}$

tangent line: $y = a + bx$ $\downarrow y_0$ $\downarrow b$ $\downarrow x_0$

since $b = f'(1) = \underline{-5}$, then $1 = a + (-5)(1) \therefore a = \underline{6}$

tang. line formula: $y = 6 - 5x$

Neu 3rd, p. 172, sec 4.4.1
 Neu 2nd, p. 208, sec 4.4.1



#5) $y = f(x) = \sqrt{x^2+3}$; C.R. Let $u = x^2+3; \frac{du}{dx} = 2x$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} = \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{u}}\right) \cdot (2x)$ $y = u^{1/2}; \frac{dy}{du} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{u}}$

$f'(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+3}}$ ans

#21) $y = h(x) = \sqrt[5]{3-x^4} = (3-x^4)^{1/5}$

C.R. Let $z = 3-x^4$ and then $y = z^{1/5}$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dz} \cdot \frac{dz}{dx} = \left(\frac{1}{5}z^{-4/5}\right) \cdot (-4x^3)$ or

$y' = -\frac{4}{5}(3-x^4)^{-4/5} \cdot x^3$

$h'(x) = -\frac{4}{5} \left[\frac{x^3}{(3-x^4)^{4/5}} \right]$ ans

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#27) $y = h(t) = \left(3t + \frac{3}{t}\right)^{2/5}$ or $y = 3^{2/5} (t + t^{-1})^{2/5}$

C.R. Let $p = t + t^{-1}$, then $y = 3^{2/5} \cdot p^{2/5}$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dp} \cdot \frac{dp}{dt} = 3^{2/5} \left(\frac{2}{5} p^{-3/5}\right) \cdot (1 - t^{-2})$$

or

$$h'(t) = \left(\frac{2 \cdot 3^{2/5}}{5}\right) \cdot \left[\frac{1 - \frac{1}{t^2}}{\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)^{3/5}}\right] \text{ ans}$$

#33) $y = g(T) = a(T_0 - T)^3 - b$ (a, b, T_0 are constants)

C.R. Let $u = T_0 - T$, then $y = au^3 + b$

$$\frac{dy}{dT} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dT} = (3au^2) \cdot (-1) \therefore g'(T) = -3a(T_0 - T)^2 \text{ ans}$$

Neu 3rd, p. 181, sec 4.6

Neu 2nd, p. 221, sec 4.6

#2) $y = f(x) = e^{-2x}$; C.R. $w = -2x$, $y = e^w$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dw} \cdot \frac{dw}{dx} = (e^w) \cdot (-2) \therefore f'(x) = -2e^{-2x} \text{ ans}$$

note: Neu 2nd $y = e^{-4x}$, hence $y' = -4e^{-4x}$

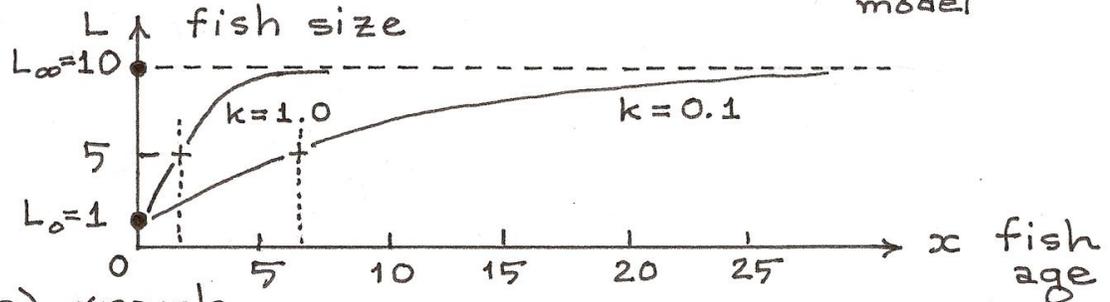
#47) $y = h(t) = 5^{\sqrt{t}}$; C.R.; $v = \sqrt{t}$, $y = 5^v$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dv} \cdot \frac{dv}{dt} = (\ln(5) \cdot 5^v) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{t}}\right) \therefore h'(t) = \left(\frac{\ln(5)}{2}\right) \frac{5^{\sqrt{t}}}{\sqrt{t}} \text{ ans}$$

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#65) $L(x) = L_{\infty} - (L_{\infty} - L_0)e^{-kx}$ von Bertalanffy model



a) graph

b) $L_0 = 1$, initial fish size $\hat{}$ $L_{\infty} = 10$, final fish size

c) $k = 1.0$ curve reaches $L = 5$ first

note: von Bertalanffy eq. can be expressed as:

$$x = \frac{1}{k} \ln \left(\frac{L_{\infty} - L_0}{L_{\infty} - L(x)} \right)$$

so if $L = 5$, $L_0 = 1$ and $L_{\infty} = 100$,

$x = 0.588$ when $k = 1.0$ $\hat{}$ $x = 5.88$ when $k = 0.1$

d.) $\frac{dL}{dx} = -(L_{\infty} - L_0) \frac{d}{dx} (e^{-kx}) = k(L_{\infty} - L_0) e^{-kx}$

but $L_{\infty} - L(x) = (L_{\infty} - L_0) e^{-kx}$, hence

$$\boxed{\frac{dL}{dx} = -k(L_{\infty} - L)}$$

von Bertalanffy differential equation model for fish growth

e) when the value of the parameter k becomes large, then growth is rapid (most of the growth occurs in a short period of time)