

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \int_2^3 \frac{1}{dx} dy$$

THE PRODUCT AND THE QUOTIENT RULE

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Problem 1:

For $f(x) = (x^3 - 2)(2x + 1)$, find $f'(x)$

Method 1 - Use the *Basic Differentiation Rules (Simple Power Rule with Constant Multiple Rule)*

Method 2 - Use the *Product Rule*

Problem 2:

For $f(x) = 4(x^3 - 2x + 1)$, find $f'(x)$

Method 1 - Use the *Basic Differentiation Rules (Simple Power Rule with Constant Multiple Rule)*

Method 2 - Use the *Basic Differentiation Rules (Constant Multiple Rule and Simple Power Rule with Constant Multiple Rule)*

Method 3 - Use the *Product Rule*

Problem 3:

$$f(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 7x + 2}{x}$$

Differentiate . Write the derivative as ONE SINGLE fraction.

Method 1 - Use the *Basic Differentiation Rules (Simple Power Rule with Constant Multiple Rule)*

Method 2 - Use the *Quotient Rule*

Method 3 - Use the *Product Rule*

Problem 4:

$$f(x) = \frac{4x^3 + 5x - 9}{2}$$

Find the derivative of written as ONE SINGLE fraction.

Method 1 - Use the *Basic Differentiation Rules - Simple Power Rule with Constant Multiple Rule*

Method 2 - Use the *Quotient Rule*

Problem 5:

$$g(x) = \frac{2x - x^2}{\sqrt{x}} = \frac{2x - x^2}{x^{1/2}}$$

Find the derivative of $g(x) = \frac{2x - x^2}{\sqrt{x}} = \frac{2x - x^2}{x^{1/2}}$ using the *Quotient Rule*. Write your answer without negative exponents.

SOLUTIONS

You can find detailed solutions below the link for this problem set!

1. $f'(x) = 8x^3 + 3x^2 - 4$

2. $f'(x) = 12x^2 - 8$

3. $f'(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 2}{x^2}$

4. $f'(x) = \frac{12x^2 + 5}{2}$

5. $g'(x) = \frac{2 - 3x}{2x^{1/2}}$