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**Very short answer questions**

- 1.
- 2 marks
- Each part is worth 1 marks. Please write your
- simplified**
- answers in the boxes.

**Marking scheme:** 1 for each correct, 0 otherwise

- (a) Differentiate
- $\log(\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)})$
- . Recall that
- $\log x = \log_e x = \ln x$
- .

Answer:  $\frac{-\sin(x)}{2(2 + \cos(x))}$

**Solution:** This requires us to apply the chain rule twice.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \log(\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)}) \right] &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)}} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \sqrt{2 + \cos(x)} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)}} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} [2 + \cos(x)] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2 + \cos(x)}} \cdot (-\sin(x)) \\ &= \frac{-\sin(x)}{2(2 + \cos(x))}. \end{aligned}$$

- (b) If
- $x^2 + y^3 = xy + 3$
- compute
- $\frac{dy}{dx}$
- .

Answer:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y - 2x}{3y^2 - x}$

**Solution:** Differentiate the equation

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} &= y + x \frac{dy}{dx} \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{y - 2x}{3y^2 - x} \end{aligned}$$

**Short answer questions — you must show your work**

- 2.
- 4 marks
- Each part is worth 2 marks.

- (a) Differentiate
- $f(x) = (3 \sin(x))^{1/x}$
- .

**Solution:** We use logarithmic differentiation; so

$$\log f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \log(3 \sin(x))$$

Then differentiate to obtain

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\log(3 \sin(x))}{x} = \frac{\frac{3 \cos(x)}{3 \sin(x)} \cdot x - \log(3 \sin(x))}{x^2}.$$

In conclusion:

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= f(x) \cdot \frac{\frac{x \cos(x)}{\sin(x)} - \log(3 \sin(x))}{x^2} \text{ or equivalently} \\ &= (3 \sin(x))^{1/x} \frac{\frac{x \cos(x)}{\sin(x)} - \log(3 \sin(x))}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

**Marking scheme:**

- 1 mark for using logarithmic differentiation, i.e. writing that  $\log(f(x)) = \frac{1}{x} \log(3 \sin(x))$  — provided they also write that the derivative of  $\log f(x)$  is  $f'(x)/f(x)$ . It is not enough just to write “Use log-diff (or similar)” they have to get to  $f'(x)/f(x) = \text{blah}$  or  $f'(x) = f(x) \times \text{blah}$ .
- 1 mark for correct derivative for  $f(x)$ ; accept as correct answer also  $f'(x) = f(x) \cdot \text{blah}$ .

- (b) For what values of  $x$  does the derivative of  $\frac{e^x + x}{\cos(x)}$  exist? Explain your answer.

**Solution:** The function is differentiable whenever  $\cos(x) \neq 0$  since the derivative equals

$$\frac{(e^x + 1) \cdot \cos(x) - (e^x + x) \cdot (-\sin(x))}{(\cos(x))^2},$$

which is well-defined unless  $\cos(x) = 0$ . So, the function is differentiable for all real values  $x$  except for  $x = \pm\frac{\pi}{2}, \pm\frac{3\pi}{2}, \pm\frac{5\pi}{2}, \dots$

**Marking scheme:**

- 1 mark for writing that the function is differentiable whenever the denominator is nonzero.
- 1 mark for solving correctly and finding **all** points where the function is not differentiable.

**Long answer question — you must show your work**

3. 4 marks If  $\sin(y)\sqrt{x+6} + x^2 + x \cos(y) = 6$ , then find  $y'$  at the points where  $y = \pi$ . You must justify your answer.

**Solution:**

- First we find the  $x$ -coordinates where  $y = \pi$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{x+6}\sin(\pi) + x^2 + x\cos(\pi) &= 6 \\ 0 + x^2 - x - 6 &= 0 \\ (x-3)(x+2) &= 0\end{aligned}$$

So  $x = -2, 3$ .

- Now we use implicit differentiation to get  $y'$  in terms of  $x, y$ :

$$\sqrt{x+6}\sin(y) + x^2 + x\cos(y) = 6$$

differentiate both sides:

$$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+6}}\sin(y) + \sqrt{x+6}\cos(y)y' + 2x + \cos(y) - x\sin(y)y' = 0$$

- Now set  $y = \pi$  to get

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x+6}}\sin(\pi) + \sqrt{x+6}\cos(\pi)y' + 2x + \cos(\pi) - x\sin(\pi)y' &= 0 \\ 0 - \sqrt{x+6}y' + 2x - 1 - 0 &= 0 \\ y' &= \frac{2x-1}{\sqrt{x+6}}\end{aligned}$$

- So at  $(x, y) = (-2, \pi)$  we have  $y' = \frac{-4-1}{\sqrt{4}} = -\frac{5}{2}$ ,
- and at  $(x, y) = (3, \pi)$  we have  $y' = \frac{6-1}{\sqrt{9}} = \frac{5}{3}$ .

### Marking scheme:

- 1 mark for finding BOTH  $x = -2, 3$  as the  $x$ -values when  $y = \pi$  on the given curve.
- 1 mark for implicit differentiation (they do not need to isolate  $y'$ ).
- Note that students can get one of the above without the other. ie if students implicit-diff but not work out  $x$ , then they get 1 mark. Similarly if students get both  $x$  but do not implicit-diff, they get 1 mark.
- 1 mark for computing  $y' = -5/2$  at  $x = -2$ .
- 1 mark for computing  $y' = 5/3$  at  $x = 3$ .