

Answer on Question #48642 – Math – Calculus

1. Find second order derivative of $y = \sin^{-1} x$.

Solution.

$$y' = (\sin^{-1} x)' = -\sin^{-1-1} x (\sin x)' = -\sin^{-2} x \cos x = -\frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} y'' &= \left(-\frac{\cos x}{\sin^2 x} \right)' = -\frac{(\cos x)' \sin^2 x - \cos x (\sin^2 x)'}{\sin^4 x} = -\frac{-\sin x \sin^2 x - \cos x 2 \sin x (\sin x)'}{\sin^4 x} \\ &= -\frac{-\sin^3 x - 2 \cos x \sin x \cos x}{\sin^4 x} = \frac{\sin^3 x + 2 \cos^2 x \sin x}{\sin^4 x} = \frac{\sin^2 x + 2 \cos^2 x}{\sin^3 x} \\ &= \frac{1 + \cos^2 x}{\sin^3 x}. \end{aligned}$$

Answer: $\frac{1 + \cos^2 x}{\sin^3 x}$.

2. Find second order derivative of $y = x \cos x$.

Solution.

$$y' = (x \cos x)' = x' \cos x + x (\cos x)' = \cos x - x \sin x.$$

$$y'' = (\cos x - x \sin x)' = -\sin x - \sin x - x \cos x = -2 \sin x - x \cos x$$

Other method uses Leibnitz rule:

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

Answer: $-2 \sin x - x \cos x$

3. Find second order derivative of $y = e^{6x} \cos 3x$.

Solution.

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= (e^{6x} \cos 3x)' = (e^{6x})' \cos 3x + e^{6x} (\cos 3x)' = e^{6x} (6x)' \cos 3x + e^{6x} (-\sin 3x)(3x)' = \\ &= 6e^{6x} \cos 3x - 3e^{6x} \sin 3x. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
y'' &= (6e^{6x} \cos 3x - 3e^{6x} \sin 3x)' = 6(6e^{6x} \cos 3x - 3e^{6x} \sin 3x) - 3(e^{6x} \sin 3x)' = \\
&= 6(6e^{6x} \cos 3x - 3e^{6x} \sin 3x) - 3\left((e^{6x})' \sin 3x + e^{6x} (\sin 3x)'\right) = \\
&= 6(6e^{6x} \cos 3x - 3e^{6x} \sin 3x) - 3\left(e^{6x} (6x)' \sin 3x + e^{6x} \cos 3x (3x)'\right) = \\
&= 36e^{6x} \cos 3x - 18e^{6x} \sin 3x - 3(6e^{6x} \sin 3x + 3e^{6x} \cos 3x) = 27e^{6x} \cos 3x - 36e^{6x} \sin 3x.
\end{aligned}$$

Other method uses Leibnitz rule:

$$\begin{aligned}
y'' &= (e^{6x} \cos 3x)'' = (e^{6x})'' \cos(3x) + 2(e^{6x})' (\cos 3x)' + e^{6x} (\cos(3x))'' \\
&= 36e^{6x} \cos(3x) - 2 \cdot 6 \cdot e^{6x} \cdot 3 \sin(3x) - 9e^{6x} \cos(3x) = \\
&= 27e^{6x} \cos(3x) - 36e^{6x} \sin(3x)
\end{aligned}$$

Answer: $27e^{6x} \cos 3x - 36e^{6x} \sin 3x$.