

## Answer on Question #61376 – Math – Calculus

### Question

7 Given

$$y = \frac{2t^5 - 5}{t^2},$$

find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  by using the first principle.

$$-t-2+8t-3$$

$$6t+7t-3$$

$$t^2+5t-3$$

$$6t^2+10t-3$$

### Solution

$$y = \frac{2t^5 - 5}{t^2} = y = 2t^3 - 5t^{-2}$$

$$y(t+h) = 2(t+h)^3 - 5(t+h)^{-2} = 2(t^3 + 3h^2t + 3t^2h + h^3) - 5 \frac{1}{(t^2 + 2ht + h^2)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dt} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{y(t+h) - y(t)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\left(2(t^3 + 3h^2t + 3t^2h + h^3) - 5 \frac{1}{(t^2 + 2ht + h^2)}\right) - (2t^3 - 5t^{-2})}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2h^3 + 6th^2 + 6ht^2}{h} - 5 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \left( \frac{1}{(t^2 + 2ht + h^2)} - \frac{1}{t^2} \right) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2h^2 + 6th + 6t^2) \\ &\quad - 5 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \cdot \frac{t^2 - t^2 - 2ht - h^2}{t^2(t^2 + 2ht + h^2)} = (2 \cdot 0^2 + 6t \cdot 0 + 6t^2) + 5 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2t + h}{t^2(t^2 + 2ht + h^2)} \\ &= 6t^2 + 5 \frac{2t + 0}{t^2(t^2 + 2 \cdot 0 \cdot t + 0^2)} = 6t^2 + \frac{5 \cdot 2t}{t^4} = 6t^2 + 10t^{-3}. \end{aligned}$$

**Answer:**  $6t^2 + 10t^{-3}$ .

### Question

8 Given  $y(x) = x^4 - 4x^3 + 3x^2 - 5x$ , evaluate  $\frac{d^4y}{dx^4}$

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## Solution

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(x^4 - 4x^3 + 3x^2 - 5x) = 4x^{4-1} - 4 \cdot 3x^{3-1} + 3 \cdot 2x^{2-1} - 5x^{1-1} = 4x^3 - 12x^2 + 6x - 5,$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = \frac{d}{dx}(4x^3 - 12x^2 + 6x - 5) = 4 \cdot 3x^{3-1} - 12 \cdot 2x^{2-1} + 6x^{1-1} - 0 = 12x^2 - 24x + 6,$$

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) = \frac{d}{dx}(12x^2 - 24x + 6) = 12 \cdot 2x^{2-1} - 24x^{1-1} + 0 = 24x - 24,$$

$$\frac{d^4y}{dx^4} = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}\right) = \frac{d}{dx}(24x - 24) = 24x^{1-1} - 0 = 24$$

**Answer:** 24.