

Learning Goal: I will be able to calculate derivatives of sinusoidal functions.

Minds On: Use your knowledge from curve sketching...

Action: Class note + practice

Consolidation: Exit Question

Minds On

Use your knowledge from curve sketching:

Given $f(x) = \sin x$, sketch a graph of the derivative

OR

Given $f(x) = \cos x$, sketch a graph of the derivative

Action

5.4 Derivatives of sinx and cosx

Derivatives of Sinusoidal Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) = \cos x \quad \frac{d}{dx}(\cos x) = -\sin x$$

Example 1: Determine the derivative for each function.

a) $y = \cos 3x$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= -\sin 3x \cdot 3 \\ &= -3 \sin 3x \end{aligned}$$

b) $y = x \sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= 1 \cdot \sin x + x \cos x \\ &= \sin x + x \cos x \end{aligned}$$

c) $y = \sin x^2$

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \cos x^2 \cdot 2x \\ &= 2x \cos x^2 \end{aligned}$$

d) $y = \sin^2 x = (\sin x)^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= 2(\sin x) \cdot \cos x \\ &= 2 \sin x \cos x \\ &= \sin 2x \quad \text{😊} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &(3x+1)^2 \\ &2(3x+1)' \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$$

Action*Derivatives of Composite Sinusoidal Functions*

$$\text{If } y = \sin f(x), \text{ then } \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos f(x) \times f'(x)$$

$$\text{If } y = \cos f(x) \text{ then } \frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin f(x) \times f'(x)$$

Action

Example 2: Determine the derivative for $y = \cos(1 + x^3)$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= -\sin(1+x^3) \cdot 3x^2 \\ &= -3x^2 \sin(1+x^3)\end{aligned}$$

Action

Example 3: Determine y' for $y = e^{\sin x + \cos x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{\sin x + \cos x} \cdot \frac{1}{e} \cdot \cos x - \sin x$$

$$= e^{\sin x + \cos x} (\cos x - \sin x) \quad \text{😊}$$

or

$$= (\cos x - \sin x) e^{\sin x + \cos x} \quad \text{☺}$$

Action

Example 4: Determine the equation of the tangent to the graph of $y = x \cos 2x$ at $x = \pi/2$. slope = y'

$$y = x \cos 2x$$

*radian time

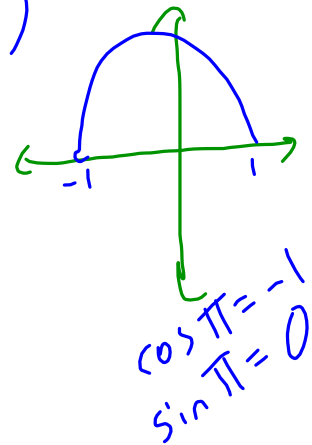
$$y' = (1) \cos 2x + x(-\sin 2x)(2)$$

$$= \cos 2x - 2x \sin 2x$$

when $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ slope of tangent

$$= \cos 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) - 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \sin 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$= \cos \pi - \pi \sin \pi$$



$m = -1$

$$y = mx + b$$

$$b = y - mx$$

$$b = -\frac{\pi}{2} - (-1)\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$b = -\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$b = 0$$

$$\therefore y = -1x + 0$$

$$y = -x$$

$$m = -1$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y = \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \cos 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} \cos \pi$$

$$= \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

Action

Example 5: Determine the max and min values of the function $f(x) = \cos^2 x$ on the interval $[0, 2\pi]$

$f(x) = (\cos x)^2$

$f'(x) = 2 \cos x \cdot -\sin x$

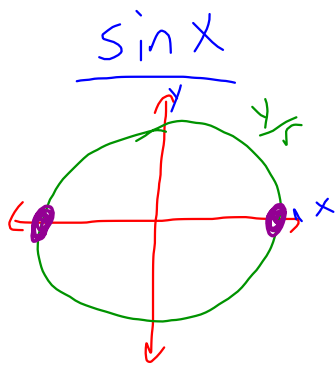
$= -2 \cos x \sin x$
 set $f'(x) = 0$

$0 = \frac{-2 \cos x \sin x}{-2}$

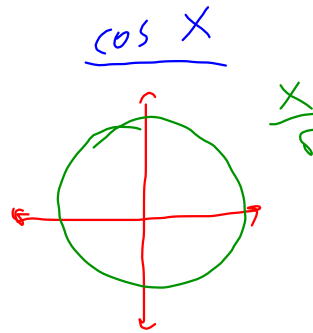
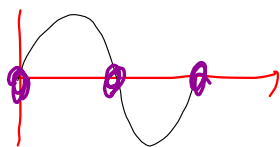
*We could rewrite as $-2 \sin 2x$

$\sin x \cos x = 0$

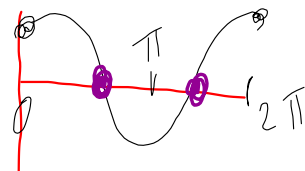
$\sin x \cos x = 0$ when $\sin x = 0$ and when $\cos x = 0$



$\sin x = 0$ when $x = 0, \pi, 2\pi$



$\cos x = 0$ when $x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$



Maxes and mins happen when $x = 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi$

Find values:

$\cos^2 0 = 1$

$\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$

$\cos^2 \pi = 1$

$\cos^2 \frac{3\pi}{2} = 0$

$\cos^2 2\pi = 1$

* $\cos^2 x = (\cos x)^2$



CONSOLIDATION EXIT CARD

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6. Determine the absolute extreme values of each function on the given interval.
(Verify your results with graphing technology.)

a. $y = \cos x + \sin x, 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$

$$y' = -\sin x + \cos x$$

when $y' = 0$

$$-\sin x + \cos x = 0$$

$$\cos x = \sin x$$

$\cos x = \sin x$ when $x = 45^\circ \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

and $225^\circ \left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right)$

when $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$y = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{2} = \sqrt{2}$$

$x = \frac{5\pi}{4}$

$$y = \cos \frac{5\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{5\pi}{4} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} = -\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{2} = -\sqrt{2}$$

$y' = 0$

When does $\cos x = \sin x$?

