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Notes

$$(x^n)' = n \cdot x^{n-1}$$

$$(mx+b)' = m$$

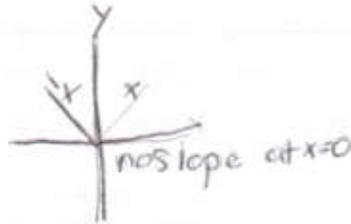
m, b constant

$$(b)' = 0$$

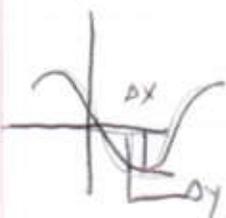
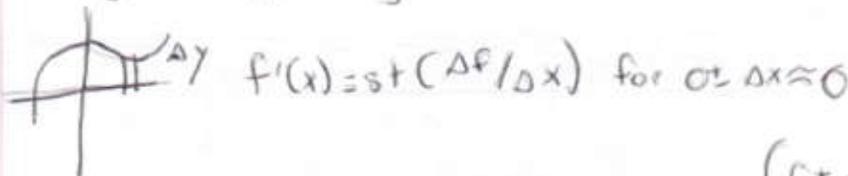
$$|x|' = \begin{cases} -1 & x < 0 \\ 1 & x > 0 \end{cases}$$

undefined $x=0$

$$\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)' = -\frac{1}{x^2}$$



$$(f+g)' = f' + g' \quad \text{Eg } (x^3+x^2)' = 3x^2+2x$$



$$g'(x) = st\left(\frac{\Delta g}{\Delta x}\right)$$

for $0 \neq \Delta x \approx 0$

$$(f+g)' = st\left(\frac{\Delta(f+g)}{\Delta x}\right)$$

$$st\left(\frac{\Delta f + \Delta g}{\Delta x}\right)$$

$$= st\left(\frac{\Delta f}{\Delta x}\right) + st\left(\frac{\Delta g}{\Delta x}\right)$$

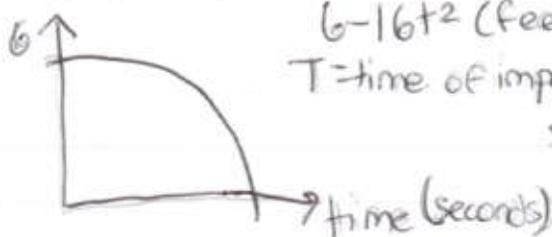
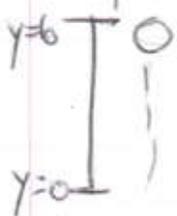
$$f'(x) + g'(x)$$

$$\gg (cf)' = c \cdot f' \quad \text{Eg } (5x^2)' = 5 \cdot (x^2)'$$

c constant

$$(cf)' = st\left(\frac{\Delta(cf)}{\Delta x}\right) = st\left(\frac{c\Delta f}{\Delta x}\right) = c \cdot st\left(\frac{\Delta f}{\Delta x}\right) = c f'(x)$$

Drop rock from 6 ft + height



$$6 - 16t^2 \text{ (feet)}$$

T = time of impact

speed = $\frac{d}{dt}$
 Δt = negative infinite / has no
 speed of impact = $(6 - 16t^2)$
 $= -32t$

$$-32T \text{ at } T=t$$

$$0 = y = 6 - 6T^2$$

$$16T^2 = 6$$

$$T^2 = \frac{6}{16} = \frac{3}{8} = T = \sqrt{\frac{3}{8}}$$

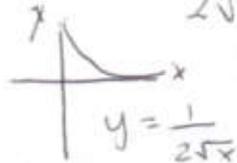
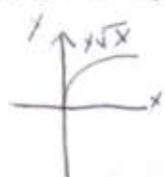
$$32\sqrt{3/8} \text{ feet/second} \approx 19.6 \text{ ft/sec}$$

instantaneous
rate of
change

Rates of changes are slopes are derivatives
e.g. velocity is rate of change of position

At impact our rock had speed $32\sqrt{3/8} \approx 19.6 \text{ (ft/sec)}$ Over its entire descent, the average speed was $\frac{6 \text{ ft}}{\sqrt{3/8} \text{ seconds}} \approx 9.8 \text{ ft/sec}$

Another rule: $(\sqrt{x})' = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$



$$\begin{aligned} (\sqrt{x})' &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sqrt{x+\Delta x} - \sqrt{x}}{\Delta x} \right) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\sqrt{x+\Delta x} + \sqrt{x}}{\Delta x(\sqrt{x+\Delta x} + \sqrt{x})} \right) \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{x+\Delta x - x}{\Delta x(\sqrt{x+\Delta x} + \sqrt{x})} \right) \end{aligned}$$

where $0 \neq \Delta x \neq 0$

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{x+\Delta x - x}{\Delta x(\sqrt{x+\Delta x} + \sqrt{x})} \right) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\Delta x}{\Delta x(\sqrt{x+\Delta x} + \sqrt{x})} \right) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+0} + \sqrt{x}}$$

It costs a factory $10000 + 3\sqrt{x}$ dollars/month to make x pencils per month

Estimate the cost of making 1 more pencil per month (called marginal cost)

Exact $(10000 + 3\sqrt{x+1}) - (10000 + 3\sqrt{x}) = .001499999\dots$

Estimate $(10000 + 3\sqrt{x})' = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{x}} = .0015$

If $x = 10^6 = 1000000$