

## Calculus Practice: Chain Rule 4b

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2)  $y = \cot x^4$

3)  $y = \csc (\tan 3x^4)$

4)  $f(x) = \sec (\sec 3x^3)$

$$5) f(x) = \cot 5x^4 \cdot (2x^5 + 5)$$

$$6) f(x) = (5x^5 + 2)\csc 2x^4$$

$$7) f(x) = \frac{-x^3 + 2}{\csc 3x^4}$$

$$8) y = \frac{5x^5 + 1}{\sec 4x^3}$$

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1)  $f(x) = \cot 3x^2$

$$\begin{aligned}f'(x) &= -\csc^2 3x^2 \cdot 6x \\ &= -6x \csc^2 3x^2\end{aligned}$$

2)  $y = \cot x^4$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= -\csc^2 x^4 \cdot 4x^3 \\ &= -4x^3 \csc^2 x^4\end{aligned}$$

3)  $y = \csc(\tan 3x^4)$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= -\csc(\tan 3x^4) \cot(\tan 3x^4) \cdot \sec^2 3x^4 \cdot 12x^3 \\ &= -12x^3 \csc(\tan 3x^4) \cot(\tan 3x^4) \sec^2 3x^4\end{aligned}$$

4)  $f(x) = \sec(\sec 3x^3)$

$$\begin{aligned}f'(x) &= \sec(\sec 3x^3) \tan(\sec 3x^3) \cdot \sec 3x^3 \tan 3x^3 \cdot 9x^2 \\ &= 9x^2 \sec(\sec 3x^3) \tan(\sec 3x^3) \sec 3x^3 \tan 3x^3\end{aligned}$$

$$5) f(x) = \cot 5x^4 \cdot (2x^5 + 5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \cot 5x^4 \cdot 10x^4 + (2x^5 + 5) \cdot -\csc^2 5x^4 \cdot 20x^3 \\ &= 10x^3(x \cot 5x^4 - 4x^5 \csc^2 5x^4 - 10 \csc^2 5x^4) \end{aligned}$$

$$6) f(x) = (5x^5 + 2)\csc 2x^4$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= (5x^5 + 2) \cdot -\csc 2x^4 \cot 2x^4 \cdot 8x^3 + \csc 2x^4 \cdot 25x^4 \\ &= x^3 \csc 2x^4 \cdot (-40x^5 \cot 2x^4 - 16 \cot 2x^4 + 25x) \end{aligned}$$

$$7) f(x) = \frac{-x^3 + 2}{\csc 3x^4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{\csc 3x^4 \cdot -3x^2 - (-x^3 + 2) \cdot -\csc 3x^4 \cot 3x^4 \cdot 12x^3}{\csc^2 3x^4} \\ &= \frac{3x^2(-1 - 4x^4 \cot 3x^4 + 8x \cot 3x^4)}{\csc 3x^4} \end{aligned}$$

$$8) y = \frac{5x^5 + 1}{\sec 4x^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{\sec 4x^3 \cdot 25x^4 - (5x^5 + 1) \cdot \sec 4x^3 \tan 4x^3 \cdot 12x^2}{\sec^2 4x^3} \\ &= \frac{x^2(25x^2 - 60x^5 \tan 4x^3 - 12 \tan 4x^3)}{\sec 4x^3} \end{aligned}$$