

5. CONTINUITY AND DIFFERENTIABILITY

1. Prove that the function  $f(x) = 5x - 3$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ , at  $x = -3$  and at  $x = 5$ .

2. Test the continuity of the function  $f(x)$  at

$$\text{the origin: } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|}, & x \neq 0 \\ 1, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

3. Find all points of discontinuity of  $f$ , where  $f$  is defined by

$$(a) f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$(b) f(x) = \begin{cases} x+1, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ x^2+1, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$(c) f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2-x-6, & \text{if } x \neq 3 \\ 5, & \text{if } x = 3 \end{cases}$$

4. Discuss the continuity of the function  $f$ , where  $f$  is defined by:

$$(a) f(x) = \begin{cases} 3, & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 4, & \text{if } 1 < x < 3 \\ 5, & \text{if } 3 \leq x \leq 10 \end{cases}$$

$$(b) f(x) = \begin{cases} |x|+3, & \text{if } x \leq -3 \\ -2x, & \text{if } -3 < x < 3 \\ 6x+2, & \text{if } x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$(c) f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x-a|}{x-a}, & \text{when } x \neq a \\ 1, & \text{when } x = a \end{cases}$$

5. If the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3ax+b, & \text{if } x > 1 \\ 11, & \text{if } x = 1 \\ 5ax-2b, & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$  is

continuous at  $x = 1$ , find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

6. Find the values of  $k$ , for which

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sqrt{1+kx} - \sqrt{1-kx}}{x}, & \text{if } -1 \leq x < 0 \\ \frac{2x+1}{2x-1}, & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \end{cases} \text{ is}$$

continuous at  $x = 0$ .

7. For what value of  $\lambda$ , is the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \lambda(x^2-2x), & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ 4x+1, & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases} \text{ Continuous at}$$

$x = 0$ ?

8. Find the value of  $k$ , such that the function  $f$

$$\text{defined by } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{k \cos x}{\pi - 2x}, & x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 3, & x = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases} \text{ is}$$

continuous at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

9. Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$  such that the following function  $f(x)$  is a continuous function:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 5, & x \leq 2 \\ ax+b, & 2 < x < 10 \\ 21, & x \geq 10 \end{cases}$$

10. Find the value of "a" for which the function

$$f \text{ defined as } f(x) = \begin{cases} a \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(x+1)\right), & x \leq 0 \\ \frac{\tan x - \sin x}{x^3}, & x > 0 \end{cases} \text{ is}$$

continuous at  $x = 0$ .

11. Determine the values of  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  for which the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(a+1)x + \sin x}{x}, & x < 0 \\ c, & x = 0 \\ \frac{\sqrt{x+bx^2} - \sqrt{x}}{b\sqrt{x^3}}, & x > 0 \end{cases} \text{ may be}$$

continuous at  $x = 0$ .

12. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1-\sin^3 x}{3\cos^2 x}, & \text{if } x < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ a, & \text{if } x = \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \frac{b(1-\sin x)}{(\pi-2x)^2}, & \text{if } x > \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$

If  $f(x)$  be a continuous function at  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ , find  $a$  and  $b$ .

13. Examine the continuity of  $f$ , where  $f$  is defined by:  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x - \cos x, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ -1, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$ .

14. Determine if  $f$  defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases} \text{ is a continuous}$$

function.

15. Show that the function defined by

$$f(x) = \cos(x^2) \text{ is a continuous function.}$$

16. Show that the function defined by

$$f(x) = |\cos x| \text{ is continuous function.}$$

17. Examine that  $\sin |x|$  is a continuous function.

18. Show that the function defined by

$$g(x) = x - [x] \text{ is discontinuous at all integral}$$

points. Here  $[x]$  denotes the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ .

19. If function  $f(x) = |x-3| + |x-4|$ , then

show that  $f(x)$  is not differentiable at

$$x = 3 \text{ and } x = 4. \quad [2015]$$

20. Find all the points of discontinuity of  $f$  defined by  $f(x) = |x| - |x+1|$ .

$$21. \text{ Show that } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin 3x}{\tan 2x}, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \frac{3}{2}, & \text{if } x = 0 \\ \frac{\log(1+3x)}{e^{2x} - 1}, & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$$22. \text{ If } f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2^{x+2} - 16}{4^x - 16}, & \text{if } x \neq 2 \\ k, & \text{if } x = 2 \end{cases} \text{ is continuous at}$$

$x = 2$ . Find  $k$ .

$$23. \text{ If } f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 3x + a, & \text{for } x \leq 1 \\ bx + 2, & \text{for } x > 1 \end{cases} \text{ is}$$

everywhere differentiable, find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

24. Discuss the continuity and differentiability

$$\text{of } f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x, & x < 1 \\ (1-x)(2-x), & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 3-x, & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

DIFFERENTIATION

**Chain Rule of Differentiation**

Differentiate the following functions with respect to  $x$  :

1.  $\tan^2 x$
2.  $\sin(x^2 + 5)$
3.  $\sec(\tan \sqrt{x})$
4.  $\sin^2(2x+1)$
5.  $e^{\sin \sqrt{x}}$
6.  $\tan(5x^\circ)$
7.  $\log_7(2x-3)$
8.  $\log_x 3$
9.  $\frac{\sin(ax+b)}{\cos(cx+d)}$
10.  $\cos x^3 \cdot \sin^2(x^5)$
11.  $\sqrt{\frac{1+\sin x}{1-\sin x}}$
12.  $\sqrt{\frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2}}$
13.  $\log\left(\frac{\sin x}{1+\cos x}\right)$
14.  $\frac{e^{2x} + e^{-2x}}{e^{2x} - e^{-2x}}$
15.  $\log \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos x}{1+\cos x}}$
16.  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+a^2}}\right)$
17.  $(\sin^{-1} x^4)^4$
18.  $\log(\tan^{-1} x)$
19.  $\tan^{-1}(e^x)$
20.  $\log\{x+2+\sqrt{x^2+4x+1}\}$

21. If  $y = \log\{\sqrt{x-1} - \sqrt{x+1}\}$ , show that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$

22. If  $y = \sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x-1}$ , prove that

$$\sqrt{x^2-1} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} y.$$

23. If  $y = \log\left(\sqrt{x} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}\right)$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x-1}{2x(x+1)}$$

24. If  $y = \log \sqrt{\frac{1+\tan x}{1-\tan x}}$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sec 2x. \quad [\text{CBSE 2011}]$$

25. If  $y = \{x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2}\}^n$ , then prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{ny}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}}$$

26. If  $y = \sqrt{\frac{1-x}{1+x}}$ , prove that

$$(1-x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0.$$

27. If  $y = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - y^2$ .

28. If  $y = \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ , prove that

$$(1-x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} = x + \frac{y}{x}.$$

29. If  $y = \frac{x \sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \log \sqrt{1-x^2}$ , then prove

$$\text{that } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin^{-1} x}{(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}.$$

30. If  $y = x \sin^{-1} x + \sqrt{1-x^2}$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sin^{-1} x.$$

31. If  $y = \sqrt{x^2 + a^2}$ , prove that  $y \frac{dy}{dx} - x = 0$ .

32. If  $y = e^x + e^{-x}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{y^2 - 4}$ .

33. If  $y = e^x \cos x$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{2}e^x \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right).$$

34. If  $xy = 4$ , prove that  $x\left(\frac{dy}{dx} + y^2\right) = 3y$ .

35. If  $y = \frac{x}{2}\sqrt{a^2 - x^2} + \frac{a^2}{2}\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$ . Prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$ .

36. If  $y = \sqrt{\frac{1+e^x}{1-e^x}}$ , show that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^x}{(1-e^x)\sqrt{1-e^{2x}}}.$$

**Differentiation of Implicit Functions**

Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in each of the following :

1.  $xy = c^2$

2.  $x - y = \pi$

3.  $y + \sin y = \cos x$

4.  $ax + by^2 = \cos y$

5.  $x^3 + x^2y + xy^2 + y^3 = 81$

6.  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$

7.  $\sin^2 y + \cos xy = \pi$

8.  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$

9.  $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = xy$  [CBSE 2009]

10.  $\sin(xy) + \cos(x+y) = 1$

11.  $e^{x-y} = \log\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)$

12.  $\tan^{-1}(x^2 + y^2) = a$

13. If  $xy = 1$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} + y^2 = 0$ .

14. If  $x\sqrt{1+y} + y\sqrt{1+x} = 0$ , prove that

$$(1+x)^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 1 = 0. \quad [\text{CBSE 2011}]$$

15. If  $\sec\left(\frac{x+y}{x-y}\right) = a$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}$ .

16. If  $\sqrt{1-x^2} + \sqrt{1-y^2} = a(x-y)$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{\frac{1-y^2}{1-x^2}}.$$

17. If  $x\sqrt{1+y} + y\sqrt{1+x} = 0$  and  $x \neq y$ , prove

$$\text{that } \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{(x+1)^2}.$$

[CBSE 2012]

18. If  $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}\right) = \tan^{-1} a$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}.$$

19. If  $\sin y = x \sin(a+y)$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin^2(a+y)}{\sin a}. \quad [\text{CBSE 2009, 11, 12}]$$

20. If  $x \sin(a+y) + \sin a \cos(a+y) = 0$ , prove

$$\text{that } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin^2(a+y)}{\sin a}.$$

21. If  $\cos y = x \cos(a+y)$ , with  $\cos a \neq \pm 1$ ,

$$\text{prove that } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\cos^2(a+y)}{\sin a}.$$

22. If  $y = x \sin y$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin y}{1 - x \cos y}$ .

23. If  $e^x + e^y = e^{x+y}$ , prove that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{e^x(e^y - 1)}{e^y(e^x - 1)}.$$

24. If  $\tan(x+y) + \tan(x-y) = 1$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

25. If  $\sqrt{1-x^6} + \sqrt{1-y^6} = a(x^3 - y^3)$ , prove

$$\text{that } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2}{y^2} \sqrt{\frac{1-y^6}{1-x^6}}.$$

26. If  $\log \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{y} \right)$ , then show

$$\text{that } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y-x}{y+x}. \quad [2010]$$

**Derivatives of Inverse Trigonometric Functions**

Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in the following:

1.  $y = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right)$

2.  $y = \cos^{-1} \left( 2x\sqrt{1-x^2} \right), \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} < x < 1$

3.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{3x-x^3}{1-3x^2} \right), -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} < x < \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

4.  $y = \sin^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{1-x}{2}} \right), 0 < x < 1$

5.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} \right), -a < x < a$

6.  $y = \sec^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{2x^2-1} \right), 0 < x < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

7.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{4x}{1-4x^2} \right), -\frac{1}{2} < x < \frac{1}{2}$

8.  $y = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{x+\sqrt{1-x^2}}{\sqrt{2}} \right), -1 < x < 1$

9.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2^{x+1}}{1-4^x} \right), -\infty < x < 0$

10.  $y = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2} \right), 0 < x < 1$

11.  $y = \left[ \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{x-x-1}{x+x-1} \right) \right]. \quad [2015]$

12.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sin x}{1+\cos x} \right), -\pi < x < \pi$

13.  $y = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2^{x+1}}{1+4^x} \right) \quad [CBSE 2013]$

14. If  $y = \sin^{-1} \left( x\sqrt{1-x} - \sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x^2} \right)$  and  $0 < x < 1$ , then find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . [CBSE 2010]

15.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2a^x}{1-a^{2x}} \right), a > 1, -\infty < x < 0$

16.  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{1+a^2x^2}-1}{ax} \right), x \neq 0$

17.  $y = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{1+x} + \sqrt{1-x}}{2} \right), 0 < x < 1$

18. If  $y = \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{1+\sin x} + \sqrt{1-\sin x}}{\sqrt{1+\sin x} - \sqrt{1-\sin x}} \right)$ ,

show that  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is independent of  $x$ .

19. If  $y = \sin \left[ 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \sqrt{\frac{1-x}{1+x}} \right) \right]$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

20. If  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{1+x} - \sqrt{1-x}}{\sqrt{1+x} + \sqrt{1-x}} \right)$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

[CBSE 2008]

21. If  $y = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{2x-3\sqrt{1-x^2}}{\sqrt{13}} \right)$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

[CBSE 2010]

22. Differentiate  $\sin^{-1} \left( \frac{2^{x+1} \cdot 3^x}{1+(36)^x} \right)$  with respect to  $x$ . [CBSE 2013]

23. If  $y = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2x}{1-x^2} \right) + \sec^{-1} \left( \frac{1+x^2}{1-x^2} \right)$ ,

$x > 0$ . Prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{1+x^2}$ .

**Logarithmic Differentiation**

Differentiate the following functions with respect to  $x$  :

1.  $x^{\frac{1}{x}}$
2.  $(\log x)^{\cos x}$
3.  $(\sin^{-1} x)^x$
4.  $(\log x)^x + (x)^{\log x}$  [CBSE 2013]
5.  $(\sin x)^x + \sin^{-1} \sqrt{x}$  [CBSE 2009, 13]
6.  $\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x + (x)^{\left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)}$
7.  $(\cos x)^x + (\sin x)^{\frac{1}{x}}$  [CBSE 2010]
8.  $e^{\sin x} + (\tan x)^x$
9.  $x^{\sin x} + (\sin x)^x$
10.  $x^{x^2-3} + (x-3)^{x^2}$
11.  $(\tan x)^{\log x} + \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$
12.  $x^x - 2^{\sin x}$
13.  $x^{\cos x} + \frac{x^2+1}{x^2-1}$
14.  $(x \cos x)^x + (x \sin x)^{\frac{1}{x}}$
15.  $x^{\cot x} + \frac{2x^2-3}{x^2+x+2}$  [CBSE 2012]
16.  $y = x^n + n^x + x^x + n^n$
17.  $y = e^x + 10^x + x^x$
18.  $y = e^{3x} \cdot \sin 4x \cdot 2^x$
19.  $y = \cos x \cdot \cos 2x \cdot \cos 3x$
20.  $y = (x+3)^2 \cdot (x+4)^3 \cdot (x+5)^4$
21.  $y = \sqrt{\frac{(x-1)(x-2)}{(x-3)(x-4)(x-5)}}$
22.  $y = \frac{(x^2-1)^3(2x-1)}{\sqrt{(x-3)(4x-1)}}$

23. Find the derivative of the function  $f(x) = (1+x)(1+x^2)(1+x^4)(1+x^8)$  and hence find  $f'(1)$ .
24. If  $x^x + x^y + y^x = a^b$ , then find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . [2015]
25. If  $x^{13}y^7 = (x+y)^{20}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}$
26. If  $x^m y^n = 1$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{my}{nx}$ .
27. If  $x^m y^n = (x+y)^{(m+n)}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}$ . [2014]
28. If  $y^x = e^{y-x}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(1+\log y)^2}{\log y}$ .
29. If  $(\sin x)^y = (\cos y)^x$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\log \cos y - y \cot x}{\log \sin x + x \tan y}$ .
30. If  $e^x + e^y = e^{x+y}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} + e^{y-x} = 0$ .
31. If  $e^{x+y} - x = 0$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1-x}{x}$ .
32. If  $y = (\sin x - \cos x)^{\sin x - \cos x}$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . [CBSE 2010]
33. If  $(\cos x)^y = (\cos y)^x$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .
34. If  $x^y = e^{x-y}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\log x}{(1+\log x)^2}$ . [CBSE 2010, 11, 13]
35. Find the derivative of  $f(x)$  with respect to  $x$  at  $x=1$ , where  $f(x) = \cos^{-1}\left[\sin\sqrt{\frac{1+x}{2}}\right] + x^x$  [2015]
36. If  $y = x^{e-x^2}$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  [2015]

Differentiation of Infinite Series

- If  $y = \sqrt{x + \sqrt{x + \sqrt{x + \dots \text{to } \infty}}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2y-1}$ .
- If  $y = \sqrt{\sin x + \sqrt{\sin x + \sqrt{\sin x + \dots \text{to } \infty}}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\cos x}{2y-1}$ .
- If  $y = (\sqrt{x})^{(\sqrt{x})^{(\sqrt{x})^{\dots \text{to } \infty}}}$  show that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2}{x(2-y \log x)}$ .
- If  $y = (\sin x)^{(\sin x)^{(\sin x)^{\dots \text{to } \infty}}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 \cot x}{1-y \log \sin x}$ .
- If  $y = (\tan x)^{(\tan x)^{(\tan x)^{\dots \text{to } \infty}}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2$  at  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
- If  $y = x + \frac{1}{x + \frac{1}{x + \frac{1}{x + \dots \text{to } \infty}}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{2y-x}$ .
- If  $y = \sqrt{\log x + \sqrt{\log x + \sqrt{\log x + \dots \text{to } \infty}}}$ , prove that  $(2y-1) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$ .
- If  $y = \frac{\sin x}{1 + \frac{\cos x}{1 + \frac{\sin x}{1 + \frac{\cos x}{1 + \dots \text{to } \infty}}}}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(1+y) \cos x + y \sin x}{1+2y + \cos x - \sin x}$ .

Differentiation of Parametric Functions

Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in the following :

- $x = at^2, y = 2at$
- $x = a \cos \theta, y = b \sin \theta$
- $x = a(\theta + \sin \theta), y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$
- $x = b \sin^2 \theta, y = a \cos^2 \theta$
- $x = a(\cos \theta + \theta \sin \theta), y = a(\sin \theta - \theta \cos \theta)$
- $x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}, y = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$
- $x = a \left( \cos t + \log \tan \frac{t}{2} \right), y = a \sin t$
- $x = a \left( \cos t + \frac{1}{2} \log \tan^2 \frac{t}{2} \right)$  and  $y = a \sin t$  [CBSE 2011]
- $x = \frac{e^t + e^{-t}}{2}$  and  $y = \frac{e^t - e^{-t}}{2}$
- $x = \frac{3at}{1+t^2}$  and  $y = \frac{3at^2}{1+t^2}$
- $x = \frac{\sin^3 t}{\sqrt{\cos 2t}}$  and  $y = \frac{\cos^3 t}{\sqrt{\cos 2t}}$
- If  $x = 2 \cos \theta - \cos 2\theta$  and  $y = 2 \sin \theta - \sin 2\theta$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \tan \left( \frac{3\theta}{2} \right)$ . [CBSE 2013]
- If  $x = a \sin 2t(1 + \cos 2t)$  and  $y = b \cos 2t(1 - \cos 2t)$  then find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . [2015]
- If  $x = e^{\cos 2t}$  and  $y = e^{\sin 2t}$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y \log x}{x \log y}$ .

15. If  $x = a\left(t + \frac{1}{t}\right)$  and  $y = a\left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right)$ ,

prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{y}$ .

16. If  $x = \sqrt{a^{\sin^{-1}t}}$  and  $y = \sqrt{a^{\cos^{-1}t}}$ , show

that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x}$ . **[CBSE 2012]**

17. If  $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$  and

$y = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ .

**[CBSE 2011]**

18. If  $x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2t}{1+t^2}\right)$  and

$y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2t}{1-t^2}\right)$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1$ .

19. If  $x = a\left(\frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2}\right)$  and  $y = \frac{2t}{1-t^2}$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

20. Differentiate  $(\log x)^x$  with respect to  $\log x$ .

21. Differentiate  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right)$  with

respect to  $\sqrt{1-x^2}$ , if  $-1 < x < 1$ .

22. Differentiate  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\cos x}{1+\sin x}\right)$  with

respect to  $\sec^{-1} x$ .

23. Differentiate  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1+ax}{1-ax}\right)$  with

respect to  $\sqrt{1+a^2x^2}$ .

24. Differentiate  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x}\right)$  with

respect to  $\tan^{-1} x$ ,  $x \neq 0$ .

25. Differentiate  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x}\right)$  with

respect to  $\cos^{-1}\left(2x\sqrt{1-x^2}\right)$ , when

$x \neq 0$ . **[2014]**

26. Differentiate  $\cos^{-1}(4x^3 - 3x)$  with

respect to  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x}\right)$ , if

$\frac{1}{2} < x < 1$

27. Differentiate  $(\cos x)^{\sin x}$  with respect to  $(\sin x)^{\cos x}$ .

### Higher Order Derivatives

1. Find the second order derivatives of the following :

(i)  $\log(\sin x)$

(ii)  $x \cos x$

(iii)  $e^{6x} \cos 3x$

(iv)  $x^3 \log x$

(v)  $\tan^{-1} x$

(vi)  $\log(\log x)$

(vii)  $\sin(\log x)$

(viii)  $\sin^{-1} x$

2. If  $y = x + \tan x$ , show that

$$\cos^2 x \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 2y + 2x = 0.$$

**[CBSE 2007]**

3. If  $y = 2 \sin x + 3 \cos x$ , show that

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y = 0.$$

4. If  $y = \frac{\log x}{x}$ , show that  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{2 \log x - 3}{x^3}$ .

5. If  $y = e^x \cos x$ , prove that

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = 2e^x \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right). \quad \text{[CBSE 2012]}$$

6. If  $y = e^{ax} \cdot \cos bx$ , then prove that

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 2a \frac{dy}{dx} + (a^2 + b^2)y = 0. \quad \text{[2015]}$$

7. If  $y = 3 \cos(\log x) + 4 \sin(\log x)$ , show

that  $x^2 y_2 + xy_1 + y = 0$ . **[CBSE 2012]**



8. If  $e^y(x+1)=1$ , show that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2$ .
9. If  $y = Ae^{mx} + Be^{nx}$ , show that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - (m+n)\frac{dy}{dx} + mny = 0$ .
10. If  $y = 500e^{7x} + 600e^{-7x}$ , show that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 49y$ .
11. If  $x = \sin\left(\frac{1}{a}\log y\right)$ , show that  $(1-x^2)y_2 - xy_1 - a^2y = 0$ . [CBSE 2010]
12. If  $y = x^x$ , prove that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{1}{y}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 - \frac{y}{x} = 0$ . [2014]
13. If  $\log y = \tan^{-1}x$ , show that  $(1+x^2)y_2 + (2x-1)y_1 = 0$ .
14. If  $y = e^x(\sin x + \cos x)$ , prove that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 0$ . [CBSE 2009]
15. If  $y = e^{a\cos^{-1}x}$ , prove that  $(1-x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x\frac{dy}{dx} - a^2y = 0$
16. If  $y = \sin(\log x)$ , prove that  $x^2\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x\frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$ . [CBSE 2007]
17. If  $y = 3e^{2x} + 2e^{3x}$ , prove that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 5\frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$ .
18. If  $y = \log(1 + \cos x)$ , prove that  $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ .
19. If  $y = \left\{\log\left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}\right)\right\}^2$ , show that  $(1+x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x\frac{dy}{dx} = 2$ . [CBSE 2008]
20. If  $y = \sin^{-1}x$ , show that  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ .
21. If  $y = A\cos(\log x) + B\sin(\log x)$ , prove that  $x^2\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x\frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$ .
22. If  $y = x\log\left(\frac{x}{a+bx}\right)$ , prove that  $x^3\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \left(x\frac{dy}{dx} - y\right)^2$ . [CBSE 2013]
23. If  $y = \log\left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2}\right)$ , prove that  $(x^2 + a^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ . [CBSE 2013]
24. If  $y = \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}\right)^m$ , show that  $(x^2 + 1)y_2 + xy_1 - m^2y = 0$ . [2013]
25. If  $y = \frac{\sin^{-1}x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ , show that  $(1-x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3x\frac{dy}{dx} - y = 0$ . [CBSE 2009]
26. If  $y = \sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x-1}$ , prove that  $(x^2 - 1)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{4}y = 0$ . [CBSE 2015]
27. If  $x = \tan\left(\frac{1}{a}\log y\right)$ , show that  $(1+x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (2x-a)\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ .
28. If  $y = \sin^{-1}x$ , then prove that  $(1-x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ . [CBSE 2012]

29. If  $y = (\sin^{-1} x)^2$ , prove that

$$(1-x^2)y_2 - xy_1 - 2 = 0.$$

30. If  $y = e^{\tan^{-1} x}$ , prove that

$$(1+x^2)y_2 + (2x-1)y_1 = 0.$$

31. If  $y = \tan^{-1} x$ , show that

$$(1+x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x\frac{dy}{dx} = 0.$$

32. If  $y = (\tan^{-1} x)^2$ , then prove that

$$(1+x^2)^2 y_2 + 2x(1+x^2)y_1 = 2.$$

[CBSE 2012]

33. If  $y = \operatorname{cosec}^{-1} x, x > 1$ , then show that

$$x(x^2-1)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (2x^2-1)\frac{dy}{dx} = 0.$$

[CBSE 2010]

34. If  $x = a \sin t$  and  $y = a \left( \cos t + \log \tan \frac{t}{2} \right)$ ,

$$\text{find } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}.$$

[CBSE

2013]

35. If  $x = \cos t + \log \tan \frac{t}{2}, y = \sin t$ , then find

$$\text{the value of } \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} \text{ and } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \text{ at } t = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

[CBSE

2012]

36. If  $x = 2 \cos t - \cos 2t$  and

$$y = 2 \sin t - \sin 2t, \text{ find } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \text{ at } t = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

37. If  $x = a(1 + \cos \theta)$  and  $y = a(\theta + \sin \theta)$ ,

$$\text{prove that } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{1}{a} \text{ at } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

38. If  $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta), y = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ , find

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}.$$

[CBSE 2011]

39. If  $x = a(1 - \cos^3 \theta), y = a \sin^3 \theta$ , prove

$$\text{that } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{32}{27a} \text{ at } \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

40. If  $x = a(\cos \theta + \theta \sin \theta)$ ,

$$y = a(\sin \theta - \theta \cos \theta), \text{ prove that}$$

$$\frac{d^2x}{d\theta^2} = a(\cos \theta - \theta \sin \theta),$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{d\theta^2} = a(\sin \theta + \theta \cos \theta) \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{\sec^3 \theta}{a\theta}.$$

[CBSE 2012]

41. If  $x = a \cos \theta + b \sin \theta$  and

$$y = a \sin \theta - b \cos \theta, \text{ prove that}$$

$$y^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0.$$

[CBSE 2013, 14]

42. If  $x = a \cos^3 \theta, y = a \sin^3 \theta$ , find  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ . Also,

$$\text{find its value at } \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}.$$

[CBSE 2013]

43. If  $(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 = c^2$ , prove that

$$\frac{\left\{ 1 + \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 \right\}^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}}$$

is a constant independent

of a and b.