

Liebniz Chain Rule Handout

Instructions.

In all exercises, use the liebniz form of the chain rule to compute the derivative.

1. $y = 4x^2 + 5x + 1$; $x = \sin(t)$; compute $\frac{dy}{dt}$

2. $y = \sin(t)$; $t = x^2 + x + 2$; compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$

3. $y = 4x^2 - 2x$; $x = \frac{3t^2}{t+1}$; compute $\frac{dy}{dt}$

4. $x = 4t^2 - 2t + 2$; $t = 7y + 4$; compute $\frac{dx}{dy}$

5. $y = \sin(t)$; $t = \sin(x)$; compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$

Answers

1. $\frac{dy}{dt} = (8 \sin(t) + 5) \cos(t)$

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

3. $\frac{dy}{dt} = \left(\frac{24t^2 - 2t - 2}{t+1} \right) \left(\frac{3t^2 + 6t}{(t+1)^2} \right)$

4. $\frac{dx}{dy} = 392y + 210 =$

5. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(\sin(x)) \cos(x)$