

Higher Order Derivatives

$$f(x)$$

y

$$f'(x)$$

$\frac{dy}{dx} \rightarrow$ f in w/decr vel

$$f''(x)$$

$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \rightarrow$ cu/co accel

$$f'''(x)$$

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$$

jerk

$$f^4(x)$$

pounce

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 5x - 1$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6x + 5$$

$$f''(x) = 6x - 6$$

$$f'''(x) = 6$$

$$f^4(x) = 0$$

n th degree poly

$(n+1)$ th deriv = 0

$$15x - 3 - 15x - 6$$

$$f(x) = \frac{3x+2}{5x-1}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3(5x-1) - 5(3x+2)}{(5x-1)^2}$$

$$= -\frac{9}{(5x-1)^2}$$

$$= -9(5x-1)^{-2}$$

$$f''(x) = 18(5x-1)^{-3}(5) = \frac{90}{(5x-1)^3}$$

$$f(x) = \sec x$$

$$f'(x) = \sec x \tan x$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} f'''(x) &= (\sec x) (2 \sec x \sec x \tan x + 2 \tan x \sec^2 x) \\ &\quad + \sec x \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = \sin x$$

$$f'(x) = \cos x$$

$$f''(x) = -\sin x$$

$$f'''(x) = -\cos x$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = \sin x$$

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$$f'''(x) = \sin x$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = \cos x$$

Given $f(x) = \sin x$, find $f^{555}(x)$.

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$$f^{555}(x) = f'''(x)$$

$$f'(x) = \cos x$$

$$f''(x) = -\sin x$$

$$f'''(x) = -\cos x$$

$$\therefore f^{555}(x) = -\cos x$$