

AP Calculus Study Guide: section 3.9

Calculate $g(b)$ and $g'(b)$, where $g(x) = f^{-1}(x)$.

$f(x) = 2^x + 3^x$ $b = 13$

$$g'(13) = \frac{1}{f'(2)} = \frac{1}{4\ln 2 + 9\ln 3}$$

$$2^x + 3^x = 13$$

$$x = 2$$

$$f(2) = 13$$

$$g(13) = 2$$

$$f'(x) = 2^x(\ln 2) + 3^x(\ln 3)$$

$g(b) = \underline{\quad 2 \quad}$

$g'(b) = \underline{\quad \frac{1}{4\ln 2 + 9\ln 3} \quad}$

Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $x = 2$ if $y = \tan^{-1}x$

$$y' = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{1+2^2} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \underline{\quad \frac{1}{5} \quad}$

Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $x = 2$ if $y = \sec^{-1} 5x$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{|5x| \sqrt{25x^2 - 1}}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{2\sqrt{25(4) - 1}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{99}}$$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = \underline{\quad \frac{1}{2\sqrt{99}} \quad}$