

1. Use the function  $f$  and the given real number  $a$  to find  $(f^{-1})'(a)$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{x^5 + 2x^3}{27}, \quad a = -11$$

2. Find the derivative of the function.

(a)  $y = \frac{2}{e^x + e^{-x}}$

(b)  $y = \log_2 \sqrt[3]{2x+1}$

3. Find the integral.

$$\int \frac{e^{x^{-2}}}{x^3} dx$$

sol:

- 1.

$$f(x) = \frac{x^5 + 2x^3}{27}, \quad a = -11$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{5x^4 + 6x^2}{27}$$

$$f(-3) = \frac{-243 - 54}{27} = -11 \Rightarrow f^{-1}(-11) = -3$$

$$(f^{-1})'(-11) = \frac{1}{f'(f^{-1}(-11))} = \frac{1}{f'(-3)} = \frac{1}{\frac{5(-3)^4 + 6(-3)^2}{27}} = \frac{1}{17}$$

2. (a)

$$y = \frac{2}{e^x + e^{-x}} = 2(e^x + e^{-x})^{-1}$$

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

- (b)

$$y = \log_2 \sqrt[3]{2x+1} = \frac{1}{3} \log_2(2x+1)$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{(2x+1) \ln 2} (2) = \frac{2}{3(2x+1) \ln 2}$$

- 3.

$$\text{Let } u = \frac{1}{x^2}, du = \frac{-2}{x^3} dx$$

$$\int \frac{e^{x^{-2}}}{x^3} dx = -\frac{1}{2} \int e^{x^{-2}} \left( \frac{-2}{x^3} \right) dx = -\frac{1}{2} e^{x^{-2}} + C$$