

Quotient Rule Extra Practice

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$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= -\frac{5 \cdot 10x}{(5x^2 + 2)^2} \\ &= -\frac{50x}{25x^4 + 20x^2 + 4}\end{aligned}$$

2) $y = \frac{1}{4x^2 - 2}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= -\frac{8x}{(4x^2 - 2)^2} \\ &= -\frac{2x}{4x^4 - 4x^2 + 1}\end{aligned}$$

3) $y = \frac{x^2 + 2}{2x^4 - 3}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(2x^4 - 3) \cdot 2x - (x^2 + 2) \cdot 8x^3}{(2x^4 - 3)^2} \\ &= \frac{-4x^5 - 16x^3 - 6x}{4x^8 - 12x^4 + 9}\end{aligned}$$

4) $y = \frac{2x^5 + 2x^4}{5x^5 + 3}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(5x^5 + 3)(10x^4 + 8x^3) - (2x^5 + 2x^4) \cdot 25x^4}{(5x^5 + 3)^2} \\ &= \frac{-10x^8 + 30x^4 + 24x^3}{25x^{10} + 30x^5 + 9}\end{aligned}$$

5) $y = \frac{2x^5 + 5x^4 - 5x^3}{3x^5 + 3}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(3x^5 + 3)(10x^4 + 20x^3 - 15x^2) - (2x^5 + 5x^4 - 5x^3) \cdot 15x^4}{(3x^5 + 3)^2} \\ &= \frac{-5x^8 + 10x^7 + 10x^4 + 20x^3 - 15x^2}{3x^{10} + 6x^5 + 3}\end{aligned}$$

$$6) y = \frac{3x^4 - 2x^3 + 4x^2}{x^3 + 2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{(x^3 + 2)(12x^3 - 6x^2 + 8x) - (3x^4 - 2x^3 + 4x^2) \cdot 3x^2}{(x^3 + 2)^2} \\ &= \frac{3x^6 - 4x^4 + 24x^3 - 12x^2 + 16x}{x^6 + 4x^3 + 4} \end{aligned}$$