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Find the derivative

b) $l(x) = x e^x (5 + 4x)$

$l'(x) = (x e^x (5 + 4x))'$ - use the product rule

if $l(x) = f(x)g(x)$, $l'(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$.

Let $f(x) = x e^x$ and $g(x) = (5 + 4x)$

so $f'(x) = (x)'(e^x) + (x)(e^x)'$ and $g'(x) = (5 + 4x)'$

$f'(x) = e^x + x e^x$ and $g'(x) = 4$

$l'(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$

$l'(x) = (e^x + x e^x)(5 + 4x) + (x e^x)(4)$

Substitute the values into $l'(x)$



c) $h(x) = x(c - \frac{4}{x+3})$, where c is a constant

$h'(x) = [x(c - \frac{4}{x+3})]'$ - use product rule for $f(x) = x$

and $g(x) = c - \frac{4}{x+3}$

$h'(x) = (x)'(c - \frac{4}{x+3}) + (x)(c - \frac{4}{x+3})'$ $c' = 0$, but we need to use

quotient rule for $\frac{4}{x+3} = \frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$, $(\frac{4}{x+3})' = \frac{p'(x)q(x) - p(x)q'(x)}{[q(x)]^2}$

$h'(x) = (c - \frac{4}{x+3}) + x(\frac{0(x+3) - 4(1)}{(x+3)^2})$

Quotient Rule

$h'(x) = c - \frac{4}{x+3} + \frac{4x}{(x+3)^2}$

if $h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$, then

$h'(x) = (\frac{f(x)}{g(x)})'$ where

$(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)})' = \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$

2. Find $f'(0)$ if $f(x) = \frac{\cos x}{e^x}$

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$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{\cos x}{e^x} \right)' \rightarrow \text{use the quotient rule}$$

$$= \frac{(\cos x)'(e^x) - (\cos x)(e^x)'}{(e^x)^2}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{(-\sin x)(e^x) - (\cos x)(e^x)'}{e^{2x}}$$

Recall

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 0 &= 0 \\ e^0 &= 1 \\ \cos 0 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} (\cos x)' &= -\sin x \\ (e^x)' &= e^x \end{aligned}$$

substitute for $x=0$

$$f'(0) = \frac{(-\sin 0)(e^0) - (\cos 0)(e^0)'}{e^{2 \cdot 0}} = \frac{(-0)(1) - (1)(1)'}{1}$$

$$f'(0) = \frac{-1}{1}, \quad \boxed{f'(0) = -1}$$

3. Find the equation of the tangent line(s) to the graph of $g(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$ that are parallel to the line $2y + x = 6$.

parallel implies $g(x)$ and y have the same slope.
 derive $g'(x)$ and y' .

$$g'(x) = \left(\frac{x+1}{x-1} \right)'$$

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

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

$$= \frac{x-1 - x-1}{(x-1)^2} \rightarrow \boxed{g'(x) = \frac{-2}{(x-1)^2}}$$

$$2y + x = 6$$

$$y = 3 - \frac{x}{2}$$

$$y' = \left(3 - \frac{x}{2} \right)' = \left(3 - \frac{1}{2}x \right)'$$

$$= (3)' - \frac{1}{2}(x)', \quad \boxed{y' = -\frac{1}{2}}$$

These must be equal

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We found $g'(x) = -\frac{2}{(x-1)^2}$ and $y' = -\frac{1}{2}$.

They should be the same since the lines are parallel.

So $\frac{2}{(x-1)^2} = \frac{1}{2}$. Cross multiply. The negatives cancel.

$$2(2) = 1(x-1)^2 \rightarrow \text{Solve for } x.$$

$$4 = (x-1)^2$$

$$\sqrt{4} = \sqrt{(x-1)^2}$$

$$\pm 2 = x-1. \text{ So } x = 1 \pm 2.$$

$$x = 1+2 = 3$$

$$\text{and } 1-2 = -1.$$

$$x = -1, 3$$

This is where the lines will meet

We have 2 x-values, so there are 2 tangent lines.

For $x=3$, $g(3) = \frac{3+1}{3-1} = 2$. The point is $(3, 2)$

$$\text{So } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \rightarrow y - 2 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 3)$$

$$y - 2 = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{7}{2}$$

For $x=-1$, $g(-1) = \frac{3+(-1)}{3-(-1)} = 0$, The point is $(-1, 0)$

$$\text{So } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \rightarrow y - 0 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - (-1))$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}$$

Here are the equations of the tangent lines.