

1) Let $f(x) = x^{50}$. Then $f'(x) = 50x^{49}$.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^{50} - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1} \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{definition of } f'(1)}}}{=} f'(1) = 50(1)^{49} = 50$$

2) $\frac{d}{dx} \Big|_{x=1} \frac{x^{7/3}}{x^{1/3} + x^{4/3}}$

Quotient rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right) = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2} =$$

$$= \frac{(x^{1/3} + x^{4/3}) \left(\frac{7}{3} x^{4/3} \right) - x^{7/3} \left(\frac{1}{3} x^{-2/3} + \frac{4}{3} x^{1/3} \right)}{(x^{1/3} + x^{4/3})^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right) \Big|_{x=1} = \frac{(1+1) \left(\frac{7}{3} \right) - 1 \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{4}{3} \right)}{(1+1)^2} = \frac{\frac{14}{3} - \frac{5}{3}}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

Alternatively: $\frac{x^{7/3}}{x^{1/3} + x^{4/3}} = \frac{x^{7/3}}{(x^{1/3} + x^{4/3}) \cdot x^{-1/3}} = \frac{x^2}{1+x}$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^2}{1+x} \right) = \frac{(1+x)(2x) - x^2(1)}{(1+x)^2} = \frac{x^2 + 2x}{(1+x)^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \Big|_{x=1} \left(\frac{x^2}{1+x} \right) = \frac{1^2 + 2}{(1+1)^2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$3) i) \quad f(x) = \text{even} \quad \text{ie} \quad f(-x) = f(x)$$

$$g(x) = \text{odd} \quad \text{ie} \quad g(-x) = -g(x)$$

$f \circ g$ is even

proof: $(f \circ g)(-x) = f(g(-x)) \stackrel{g \text{ is odd}}{\downarrow} = f(-g(x)) \stackrel{f \text{ is even}}{\downarrow} = f(g(x)) = (f \circ g)(x)$

ii) $g \circ f$ is even

proof: $(g \circ f)(-x) = g(f(-x)) \stackrel{f \text{ is even}}{\downarrow} = g(f(x)) = (g \circ f)(x)$

iii) $f g$ is odd

proof: $(fg)(-x) = f(-x)g(-x) = (f(x))(-g(x)) = -f(x)g(x)$
 $= -(fg)(x)$

iv) $f+g$ is neither

eg: $f(x) = x^2 \quad g(x) = x \quad (f+g)(x) = x^2 + x$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} (f+g)(-1) = f(-1) + g(-1) = (-1)^2 + (-1) = 1 - 1 = 0 \\ (f+g)(1) = f(1) + g(1) = 1^2 + 1 = 2 \\ 0 \neq 2 \text{ or } -2 \end{array} \right)$$

4) Let $f(x) = x \cos x$

Show there is a point c in $(0, \pi/2)$ st the tangent line at $(c, f(c))$ is horizontal.

I.e. show there is a point c in $(0, \pi/2)$ st $f'(c) = 0$

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

$$f'(0) = 0 + 1 = 1 \quad f'(\pi/2) = \pi/2(-1) + 0 = -\pi/2$$

$f'(x)$ is continuous, so because $f'(0) > 0$ and $f'(\pi/2) < 0$, by the Intermediate value theorem, there must be a c between 0 and $\pi/2$ such that $f'(c) = 0$

5) Suppose $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (f(x) - 2x) = 3$

Then $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{f(x)}{x} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{f(x)}{x} - 2 + 2 \right)$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{f(x) - 2x}{x} + 2 \right)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{x} (f(x) - 2x) + 2 \right) = 0 \cdot 3 + 2 = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 6) \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{t^2}{1 - \cos 5t} &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{t^2(1 + \cos 5t)}{1 - \cos^2 5t} \\
 &= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{t^2(1 + \cos 5t)}{\sin^2 5t} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{25} \left(\frac{5t}{\sin 5t} \right)^2 (1 + \cos 5t) \\
 &= \frac{1}{25} (1)^2 (1 + 1) = \frac{2}{25}
 \end{aligned}$$

7) To show: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \sqrt{x} = 1$

Let $\epsilon > 0$

Choose $\delta = \epsilon$

Then, if $|x - 1| < \delta$

$$\text{then } |\sqrt{x} - 1| = |\sqrt{x} - 1| \cdot \left| \frac{\sqrt{x} + 1}{\sqrt{x} + 1} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{x - 1}{\sqrt{x} + 1} \right| < \frac{\delta}{\sqrt{x} + 1} \leq \delta = \epsilon$$

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(note: $\sqrt{x} + 1 \geq 1$ for all x in the domain of f
 so $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x} + 1} \leq 1$ for all x in the domain of f)