

1106 DIS 208 Week 7 (#1)

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## Discussion Outline

- Prelim info
- Worksheets

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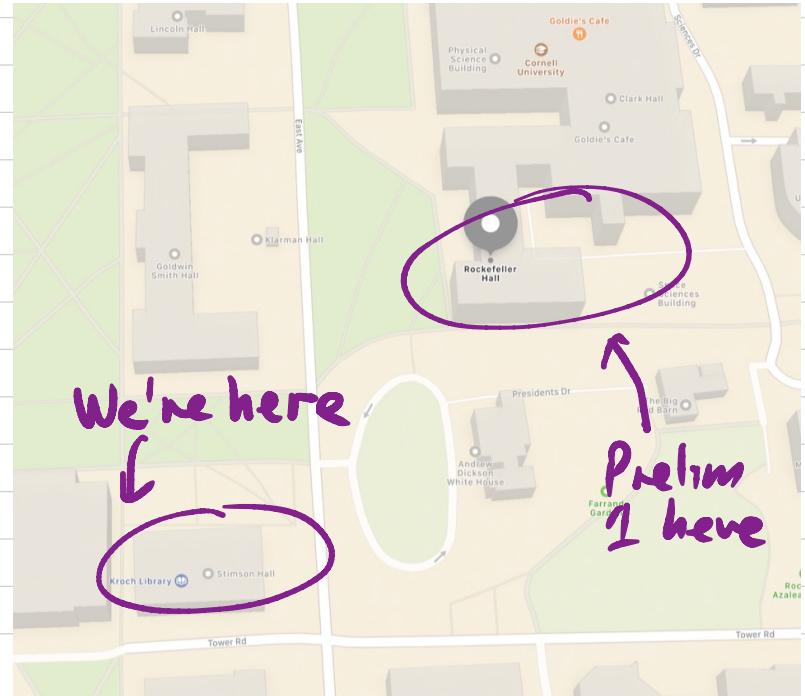
# Upcoming Assessment

- Prelim 1! (Tuesday March 10th,  
7:30pm, RCK 201)

- Weighting: 15%

- Course drop  
date:

March 17  
(at least according  
to Registrar –  
check with specific college.)



## Prelim 1 Study Resources include:

- 2019 exam (on Canvas)
- MATH1006 support course
- Office hours (now in combined schedule)
- Previous:
  - homework & solutions
  - recitations & solutions
  - quizzes & solutions
- Lectures & textbook

Last time: - Approximating derivative

This time: - Calculating the derivative  
for basic functions with  
rules

Recall:

$$\frac{d}{dx} (f(x) \cdot g(x)) \neq \frac{d}{dx} f(x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} g(x)$$

(Instead,  $\frac{d}{dx} (f \cdot g) = \frac{df}{dx} \cdot g + f \cdot \frac{dg}{dx}$ .)

Ex.

$$(3x)' = 3(x)'$$



$$\begin{aligned} &= 3 \cdot 1 \\ &= \underline{\underline{3}}. \end{aligned}$$

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$$(x^n)'$$

$$(3) \cdot x + 3 \cdot (x)'$$

$$= 0 \cdot x + 3 \cdot 1$$

$$= 0 + 3$$

$$= \underline{\underline{3}}.$$

$$= u \cdot x^{n-1}$$

$$e^x := 1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + \frac{x}{\downarrow} + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \dots$$

$$(e^x)' = 1 + \frac{\downarrow}{x} + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots$$

$$(e^x)' = e^x$$

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

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

1: Sometimes  
things factor  
& make calculations  
easier.

Simplifies

$$1 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{5} \cdots \frac{99}{100}$$
$$= \frac{1}{100}$$

$$\frac{x+y+z}{x}$$

incorrect!

example

$$\frac{2+3}{2} = \frac{5}{2} = 2.5$$

$$1 \frac{2+3}{2} = \frac{1+3}{1} = 4$$

$$\frac{x+y+z}{x} = \frac{1}{x} (x+y+z)$$

$$\frac{x(xy+yz+zx)}{x} = \frac{1}{x} \cdot x + \frac{1}{x} \cdot y + \frac{1}{x} \cdot z$$

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$$= 1 + \frac{y}{x} + \frac{z}{x}$$

$$\frac{xy+yz+zx}{x}$$

$$= \frac{xy+yz+zx+1}{1} = xy+yz+zx+1$$

Assume  $f(x)$ ,  $g(x)$ ,  $h(x)$  have derivatives.

What is  $(fgh)'$ ?

$$\begin{aligned}(fgh)' &= ((fg) \cdot h)' \\ &= (fg)' \cdot h + (fg) \cdot h' \\ &= (f'g + fg')h + fgh'\end{aligned}$$

this should  
generalize

$$\hookrightarrow f'gh + fg'h + fgh'.$$