

Let's derive more formulas for the derivative:

Recall: Inverse Function Theorem

If $f \circ g(x) = x$ i.e. $f(g(x)) = x$

Then $(g(x))' = \frac{1}{f'(g(x))}$

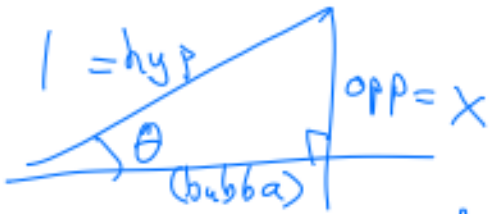
Example: Derive the formula for the derivative of $\arcsin(x)$.

Proof: $\sin(\arcsin(x)) = x$

By Inv Fun. Thm, $(\arcsin(x))' = \frac{1}{\cos(\arcsin(x))}$

$(\sin(x))' = \cos(x)$

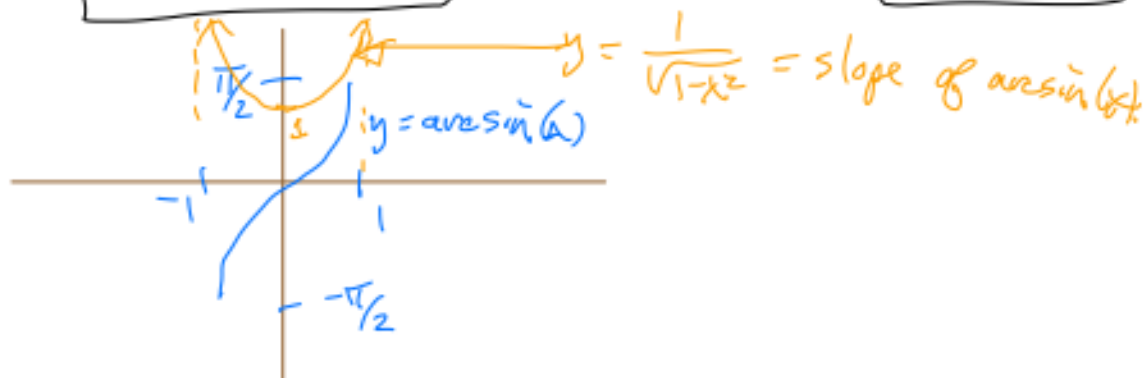
Side calculation: What is $\cos(\arcsin(x))$



$1 = \text{hyp}$
 $\text{opp} = x$
 $\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{x}{1}$
 $\arcsin(x) = \theta$
 $\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\text{bubba}}{1} = \sqrt{1-x^2}$
 $\text{bubba} = \sqrt{1-x^2}$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(\theta) = \boxed{\cos(\arcsin(x)) = \sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{(\arcsin(x))' = \frac{1}{\cos(\arcsin(x))} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}}$$



$$\begin{aligned} (\arccos(x))' &= \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \arcsin(x)\right)' \\ &= \boxed{\frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}} \end{aligned}$$

Example Derive the formula for $(\arctan(x))'$.

Solution: $\tan(\arctan(x)) = x$

Inv. Fun. Thm $\Rightarrow (\arctan(x))' =$

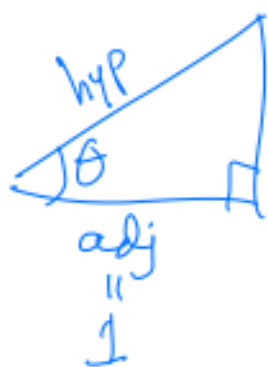
$$(\tan(x))' = \sec^2(x)$$

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{\sec^2(\arctan(x))}}$$

Side calculation: what is $\sec^2(\arctan(x))$

$$\theta = \arctan(x)$$

$$\tan \theta = x = \frac{x}{1} = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}}$$



$$\text{opp} = x \Rightarrow \text{hyp} = \sqrt{1+x^2}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\text{hyp}}{\text{adj}} = \frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}}{1}$$
$$= \sqrt{1+x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec^2(\arctan(x)) = \sec^2(\theta)$$

$$= (1+x^2)$$

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

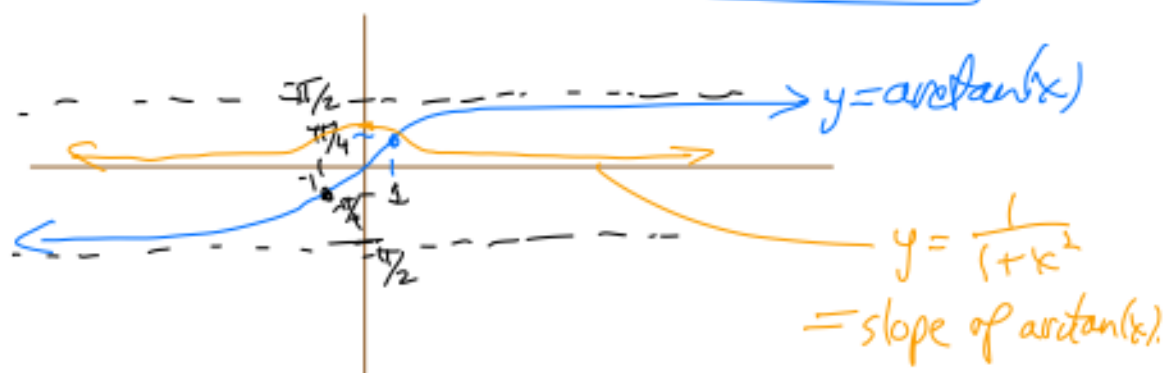


Table of Fast Derivatives

Linearity $(c f(x))' = c f'(x)$, $(f(x) \pm g(x))' = f'(x) \pm g'(x)$

$(f(x)g(x))' = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$ Product Rule

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

$(f(g(x)))' = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$ Chain Rule

If $f(g(x)) = x$, then $g'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(g(x))}$ Inverse Function Thm.

$(x^n)' = n x^{n-1}$ Power Rule

$(e^x)' = e^x \Rightarrow (\ln(x))' = \frac{1}{x}$

$(a^x)' = \ln(a) a^x$

$(\sin(x))' = \cos(x)$

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

$(\tan(x))' = \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)} = \sec^2(x)$

$(\sec(x))' = \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos^2(x)} = \sec(x) \tan(x)$

$(\csc(x))' = -\csc(x) \cot(x) = -\frac{\cos(x)}{\sin^2(x)}$

$(\cot(x))' = -\frac{1}{\sin^2(x)} = -\csc^2(x)$

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

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

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

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

$$(\operatorname{arcsec}(x))' = \frac{1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}} \quad (\operatorname{arccsc}(x))' = \frac{-1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2-1}}$$
