

Qn: Suppose a differentiable $f^n f(x)$ satisfies the identity
 $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) + xy^2 + x^2y$ for all real x & y

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 1$, then $f'(3)$ is equal to _____

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Sol: - $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) + xy^2 + x^2y$ _____ (i)

$f'(x+y) = f'(x) + 0 + y^2 + y(2x)$ _____ (ii)

Putting $x=0$ and $y=x$

$f'(x) = f'(0) + x^2$ _____ (iii)

Putting $x=y=0$ in eqn (ii)

$f'(0) = 2f'(0) \Rightarrow f'(0) = 0$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{x} = 1$

This is in $\frac{0}{0}$ form, so we can apply L'hospital rule

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x)}{1} = 1$

$\Rightarrow \boxed{f'(0) = 1}$

Putting value of $f'(0)$ at eqn (iii)

we get $f'(x) = 1 + x^2 \Rightarrow \boxed{f'(3) = 1 + 3^2 = 10}$ Ans

Qn: Which of the following f^n have a finite no. of points of discontinuity in \mathbb{R} ?

- [A] $\tan x$
- [B] $x[x]$
- [C] $|x|/x$
- [D] $\sin[\pi x]$

Sol: $f(x) = \tan x$ is discontinuous when $x = \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2}$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

$f(x) = x[x]$ is discontinuous when $x = k$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

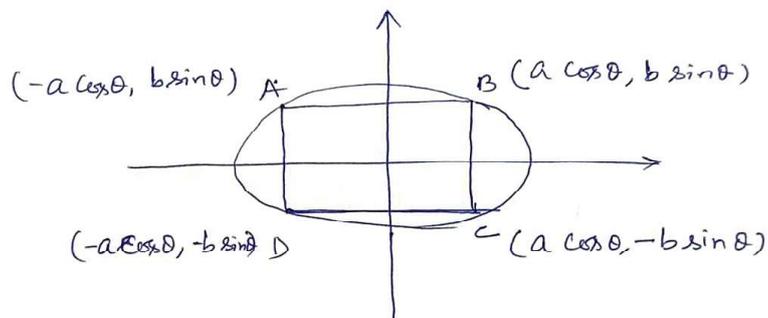
$f(x) = \sin[\pi x]$ is discontinuous when $\pi x = k$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

Thus all the above f^n s have an ∞ no. of points of discontinuity.

But $f(x) = \frac{|x|}{x}$ is discontinuous only when $\underline{x=0}$. Ans [C] $\frac{|x|}{x}$

Q. Area of the greatest rectangle that can be inscribed in the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ is:

Sol =



$$\text{Area of rectangle ABCD} = 2a \cos \theta (2b \sin \theta) = 2ab \sin 2\theta$$

$$\text{Let } f(\theta) = 2ab \sin 2\theta$$

$$f'(\theta) = 4ab \cos 2\theta$$

$$\text{for } f(\theta) \Rightarrow \text{Maxima value } f'(\theta) = 0$$

$$2\theta = \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2} \quad \text{where } n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\text{again } f''(\theta) = -8ab \sin 2\theta$$

$$\text{taking } (n=0) \quad f''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -8ab \Rightarrow \text{-ve.}$$

$$\text{Thus for } \frac{\pi}{4} \quad f(\theta) = \text{is Max}^m.$$

$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \underline{\underline{2ab}} \quad \underline{\underline{\text{Ans}}}$$