## Mathematics in Life Sciences

List of Exercises 5

1. Calculate the following derivatives using the definition.

$$f(x) = 3x^2$$
 on  $x = 3$   $g(x) = 4x^3$  on  $x = 1$   
 $h(x) = 2x^2 + 5x$  on  $x = -1$   $k(x) = \sqrt{4x}$  on  $x = 2$ 

2. Get a formula for the derivative of the following functions.

$f(x) = 2x^3 - 5x^2 + 3x + 1$	$g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + 1}$	$h(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+5}}$
$k(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3x - 2}{x + 1}$	$m(x) = \frac{\tan(x)}{x^2 + 1}$	$n(x) = \frac{3x}{\cos(x)}$
$p(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 4\sin\left(x\right)}$	$q(x) = x^4 - 2(\tan(3x))^2 + 1$	$r(x) = \frac{2x^3 - x}{x^2 + 2}$
$s(x) = \sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x)$	$t(x) = \frac{ x }{x}$	$u(x) = \frac{x^3 - 4x^2 + 5x}{x^2 - 3x + 2}$
$v(x) = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}$	$w(x) = \frac{\cos^2(x)}{\sin(x)}$	$y(x) = (2x^2 - 5x + 1)^3$

3. Calculate the second and the third derivatives of the following functions.

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} f(x) &= 4x^3 + 6x^2 - 2x + 1 & g(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + 1} & h(x) = \cos(2x) \\ \hline k(x) &= \sin(2x) + x^3 & m(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x + 1}{x - 1} & n(x) = \sqrt[3]{x^2 + 4x} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

4. Are the following functions derivable at the given point? If so, calculate the derivative.

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$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2, & \text{if } x \le 0\\ 2x, & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$
 in  $x = 0$ .  
•  $g(x) = \begin{cases} \sin(x), & \text{if } x < 0\\ x^2, & \text{if } x \ge 0 \end{cases}$  in  $x = 0$ .  
•  $h(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x < 0\\ x^2, & \text{if } x \ge 0 \end{cases}$  in  $x = 0$ .  
•  $k(x) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{x}, & \text{if } x \le 1\\ x^2, & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$  in  $x = 1$ .  
•  $m(x) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{x}, & \text{if } x \le 4\\ 2x, & \text{if } x > 4 \end{cases}$  in  $x = 4$ .