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There are 25 points possible on this quiz. No aids (book, calculator, etc.) are permitted. **Show all work for full credit.**

1. (15 points) Find the derivative of each function. You do not need to simplify your answer.

(a)  $f(x) = \sqrt{1 + \cos(x)} = (1 + \cos(x))^{1/2}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos(x))^{-1/2} (-\sin(x)) = \frac{-\sin(x)}{2\sqrt{1 + \cos(x)}}$$

(b)  $g(\theta) = 5 \cot(\theta)$

$$g'(\theta) = -5 \csc^2 \theta$$

(c)  $x(t) = \frac{6}{t^2} + \frac{\csc(t)}{6} = 6t^{-2} + \frac{1}{6} \csc(t)$

$$x'(t) = -12t^{-3} - \frac{1}{6} \cot(t) \csc(t)$$

(d)  $f(x) = x^3 \sec(x)$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 \cdot \sec(x) + x^3 \sec(x) \tan(x)$$

(e)  $h(x) = \frac{\tan(2x)}{x^2 + 1}$

$$h'(x) = \frac{(x^2 + 1)(\sec^2(2x))(2) - (\tan(2x))(2x)}{(x^2 + 1)^2}$$

2. (6 points) Find  $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$  for  $y = x^{-1} + \sin(5x)$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -x^{-2} + 5 \cos(5x)$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2x^{-3} - 25 \sin(5x)$$

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = -6x^{-4} - 125 \cos(5x)$$

3. (4 points) Determine all  $x$ -values where the graph of  $H(x) = (3x^2 + x)^{-1}$  has a horizontal tangent.

$$H'(x) = -(3x^2 + x)^{-2} (6x + 1) = \frac{-(6x + 1)}{3x^2 + x}$$

$$H'(x) = 0 \text{ when } 6x + 1 = 0 \text{ or } x = -\frac{1}{6}.$$

(A quick check ensures  $x = -\frac{1}{6}$  is in the domain of  $H(x)$  b/c  $3(-\frac{1}{6})^2 - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{3}{36} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{6} \neq 0$ )