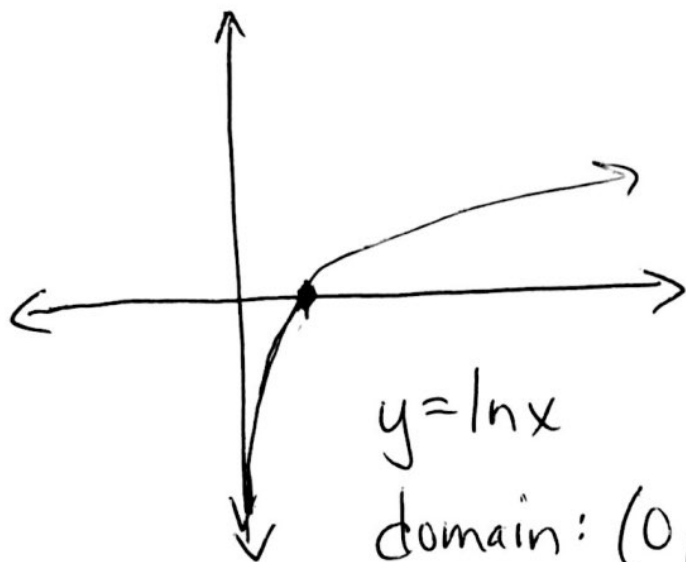


# 5.1 Natural Logs & Differentiation

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$$\ln x = \int_1^x \frac{1}{t} dt, \quad x > 0 \implies \text{Definition of } \ln(x)$$

$$\ln 1 = 0$$



$$y = \ln x$$

domain:  $(0, \infty)$   
range:  $(-\infty, \infty)$

Vertical asymptote

$$\textcircled{1} x = 0$$

Strictly increasing

monotonic

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (\ln x) = -\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} (\ln x - 2) = -2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\ln x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\ln(3x-1) - \ln(4x+7))$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{3x-1}{4x+7} \right) \right] = \boxed{\ln \left( \frac{3}{4} \right)}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (\ln(2x+1) - \ln(3x^2+6))$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left( \ln \left( \frac{2x+1}{3x^2+6} \right) \right) = -\infty$$

$$\ln x = \int_1^x \frac{1}{t} dt$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\ln x] = \frac{d}{dx} \int_1^x \frac{1}{t} dt = \boxed{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\ln |x|] = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$y = x^3 \ln x \quad y' = 3x^2 \ln x + x^3 \cdot \frac{1}{x} = 3x^2 \ln x + x^2 = 0$$

Where is incr., decr.,  
Classify local extrema.

$$x^2(3 \ln x + 1) = 0$$

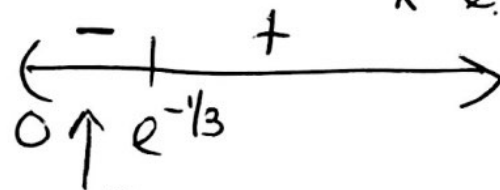
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 $x=0$                        $3 \ln x + 1 = 0$   
 $\ln x = -1/3$   
 $x = e^{-1/3}$

Domain  $(0, \infty)$

$\uparrow$ :  $(e^{-1/3}, \infty)$  b/c  $y' > 0$

$\downarrow$ :  $(0, e^{-1/3})$  b/c  $y' < 0$

1. min @  $x = e^{-1/3}$  b/c  $y'$  ch - to +  
 $(e^{-1/3}, \frac{1}{3}e^{-1})$



$$(e^{-1/3})^3 \ln(e^{-1/3})$$

$e^{-1}(-1/3)$

Remember

$$\ln(e^{-1/3}) = -\frac{1}{3} \ln e = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$y = \ln(3x^2 - \sin x + 3)$$

$$y' = (\overset{\text{deriv stuff}}{6x - \cos x}) \cdot \frac{1}{\underset{\text{stuff}}{3x^2 - \sin x + 3}} = \frac{6x - \cos x}{3x^2 - \sin x + 3}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}[\ln u] = \frac{u'}{u} = u' \cdot \frac{1}{u} = \text{"deriv stuff"} \cdot \frac{1}{\text{stuff}}$$

$$y = \ln x^2$$

\* OR use properties

$$y' = 2x \cdot \frac{1}{x^2} = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$y = 2 \ln x$$
$$y = 2 \ln x = 2 \ln x$$

$$y' = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{x} = \frac{2}{x}$$

Same answer either way!

$$y = \ln\left(\frac{x^3 \sqrt{x-3}}{\cos x}\right) = 3 \ln x + \frac{1}{2} \ln(x-3) - \ln \cos x$$

~~Rewrite using properties 1st!~~

$$y' = 3 \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x-3} + \sin x \cdot \frac{1}{\cos x}$$
$$= \frac{3}{x} + \frac{1}{2(x-3)} + \tan x$$

$$y = \ln \left( \frac{4x^4(3x-1)^3}{(x-2)^5 \sec x} \right)$$

Always rewrite using properties 1st!

$$= \ln 4 + 4 \ln x + 3 \ln(3x-1) - 5 \ln(x-2) - \ln \sec x$$

$$y' = 4 \cdot \frac{1}{x} + 3 \cdot 3 \cdot \frac{1}{3x-1} - 5 \cdot \frac{1}{x-2} - \sec x \tan x \cdot \frac{1}{\sec x}$$

$$y' = \frac{4}{x} + \frac{9}{3x-1} - \frac{5}{x-2} - \tan x$$

$$y = \frac{x^3 \sqrt{3x^2-7}}{\sin x (x-7)^5}$$

Oh no! No ln!  
Take ln of both sides!

Logarithmic Differentiation

\* Take ln of both sides

$$\ln y = \ln \left( \frac{x^3 \sqrt{3x^2-7}}{\sin x (x-7)^5} \right)$$

Rewrite w/ prop

\* Rewrite using properties

$$\ln y = 3 \ln x + \frac{1}{2} \ln(3x^2-7) - \ln \sin x - 5 \ln(x-7)$$

\* Take deriv of both sides

Take deriv

$$y' \cdot \frac{1}{y} = \left( 3 \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot (6x) \cdot \frac{1}{3x^2-7} - \cos x \cdot \frac{1}{\sin x} - 5 \cdot \frac{1}{x-7} \right) y$$

Mult by y

$$y' = \left( \frac{3}{x} + \frac{3x}{3x^2-7} - \cot x - \frac{5}{x-7} \right) \left( \frac{x^3 \sqrt{3x^2-7}}{\sin x (x-7)^5} \right)$$

\* This is when obnoxious function & don't have log but wish you did. Just take nat. log (ln) of both sides rewrite obnoxious side using properties, take deriv of both sides, solve for y' by mult by y.