

Multivariable Chain Rules: 2^{nd} -order Derivatives

Calculus III

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2^{nd} -order Derivatives using Multivariable Chain Rules (Toolkit)

RESULT

- (D2D) Definition of 2^{nd} -order Derivative
- (D2P) Definition of 2^{nd} -order Partial
- (EMP) Equality of Mixed 2^{nd} -order Partial
- (PR) Product Rule for Derivatives

SAMPLE STATEMENT

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2 w}{dt^2} &= \frac{d}{dt} \left[\frac{dw}{dt} \right] \\ \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \right], \quad \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial s \partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \right] \\ \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial u \partial v} &= \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial v \partial u} \\ \frac{d}{dt} [f(t)g(t)] &= f'(t)g(t) + f(t)g'(t) \end{aligned}$$

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EXERCISE: Starting from scratch, show that

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"2-2" means 2 **intermediate var's** (x, y) and 2 **independent var's** (s, t).

How to compute the 2^{nd} -**order partial**: $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial t^2}$??

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