

1. Find the derivative of $f(x) = \frac{xe^{4x}}{x^3+4}$.

$$f' = \frac{(x^3+4)(4xe^{4x} + e^{4x}) - xe^{4x} \cdot 3x^2}{(x^3+4)^2}$$

2. Find the derivative indicated:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \frac{d^3}{dx^3}(4x^4 - 5x^3 - 3x + 7) \\ &= \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(16x^3 - 15x^2 - 3) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}(48x^2 - 30x) \\ &= \boxed{96x - 30} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad \frac{d^2}{dt^2}(4e^{3t} - 5\sin 7t + 2\cos 6t) \\ &= \frac{d}{dt}(12e^{3t} - 35\cos 7t - 12\sin 6t) \\ &= \boxed{36e^{3t} + 245\sin 7t - 72\cos 6t} \end{aligned}$$

3. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ and $\frac{dy}{dx}\bigg|_{(1,2)}$ where $x^3 + xy + y^3 = 11$.

$$\begin{aligned} 3x^2 + xy' + y + 3y^2y' &= 0 \\ (x + 3y^2)y' &= -3x^2 - y \\ y' &= \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3x^2 + y}{x + 3y^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}\bigg|_{(1,2)} = -\frac{3+2}{1+12} = \boxed{-\frac{5}{13}}$$

4. Let $f(x) = x^3 - 4x^2 + 1$. Apply Newton's method once with $x_0 = 2$.

$$f' = 3x^2 - 8x$$

$$f(2) = 8 - 16 + 1 = -7$$

$$f'(2) = 12 - 16 = -4$$

$$x = 2 - \frac{-7}{-4} = 2 + \frac{7}{4} = \boxed{\frac{15}{4}}$$