



## Derivative Rules - Sum Rule Negative Powers to Derivative

1 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = -2x^{-1} + 5x$$

A  $f'(x) = 2x^{-1} + 5x$

B  $f'(x) = -2x^{-2} + 5$

C  $f'(x) = 2x^{-2} + 5$

2 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = -3x^{-3} - 3x^2$$

A  $f'(x) = 9x^{-4} - 6x$

B  $f'(x) = -3x^{-4} - 3x$

C  $f'(x) = 9x^{-3} - 6x^2$

3 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = 3x^{-1} + 5x - 2x^2$$

A  $f'(x) = -3x^{-1} + 5x - 4x^2$

B  $f'(x) = 3x^{-2} + 5 - 2x$

C  $f'(x) = -3x^{-2} + 5 - 4x$

4 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = 5x^{-2} - 4$$

A  $f'(x) = -10x^{-3}$

B  $f'(x) = -10x^{-3} - 4$

C  $f'(x) = -10x^{-2}$

D  $f'(x) = 5x^{-3}$

5 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = -3x^{-1} + 2x$$

A  $f'(x) = 3x^{-2} + 2$

B  $f'(x) = 3x^{-1} + 2x$

C  $f'(x) = -3x^{-2} + 2$

6 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = -2x^{-3} + 4x^2 - 3$$

A  $f'(x) = 6x^{-3} + 8x^2$

B  $f'(x) = 6x^{-4} + 8x - 3$

C  $f'(x) = 6x^{-4} + 8x$

D  $f'(x) = -2x^{-4} + 4x$

7 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = -3x^{-3} + 3x + 2x^3$$

A  $f'(x) = 9x^{-4} + 3 + 6x^2$

B  $f'(x) = 9x^{-3} + 3x + 6x^3$

C  $f'(x) = -3x^{-4} + 3 + 2x^2$

8 Find the derivative  $f'(x)$  using the sum rule.

$$f(x) = -4x^{-2} + 4$$

A  $f'(x) = -4x^{-3}$

B  $f'(x) = 8x^{-3}$

C  $f'(x) = 8x^{-2}$

D  $f'(x) = 8x^{-3} + 4$