

# Continuity and Differentiability

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## SOLUTIONS

1. (d) : Given  $f(x)$  is continuous at every point of its domain.

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = f(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 \times 1 - 4 = 4 \times 1 + 3a$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 + 3a = 1 \Rightarrow 3a = -3 \Rightarrow a = -1$$

2. (a) : Here  $y = a \sin mx + b \cos mx$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = ma \cos mx - mb \sin mx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -m^2 [a \sin mx + b \cos mx] = -m^2 y \quad [\text{From (i)}]$$

3. (c) : We have given,

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

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

Since,  $f(x)$  is not defined at  $x = 0, -2$  and  $2$ .

$\therefore f(x)$  is discontinuous at exactly three points  $x = 0, x = -2$  and  $x = 2$ .

4. (b) : We have given,  $y = \log \left( \frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2} \right)$

Taking derivative w.r.t. 'x' on both sides, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\left( \frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2} \right)} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1-x^2}{1+x^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{(1+x^2) \cdot (1+x^2) \cdot (-2x) - (1-x^2) \cdot 2x}{(1-x^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-2x[1+x^2+1-x^2]}{(1-x^2) \cdot (1+x^2)} = \frac{-4x}{1-x^4} \quad [\because a^2 - b^2 = (a+b)(a-b)]$$

5. (a) : Given,  $f$  is continuous on  $[-2, 2]$ .

$$\text{L.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+cx} - \sqrt{1-cx}}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2cx}{x[\sqrt{1+cx} + \sqrt{1-cx}]} = c$$

$$\text{R.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x+3}{x+1} = 3$$

$$\therefore c = 3$$

6. (b) :  $y = f(x^2 + 2) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(x^2 + 2) \times 2x$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{\text{at } x=1} = f'(3) \times 2 = 5 \times 2 = 10$$

7. (b) :  $y = e^x \cdot e^{x^2} \cdot e^{x^3} \cdot e^{x^4} \dots e^{x^n} \dots$

$$y = e^{x+x^2+x^3+x^4+\dots+x^n+\dots}$$

$$y = e^{1-x}$$

$$[\because 0 < x < 1]$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = e^{1-x} \times \frac{(1-x)(1) - x(-1)}{(1-x)^2} = e^{1-x} \times \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$$

$$\therefore \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)_{x=\frac{1}{2}} = e^{1-1/2} \left( \frac{1}{\left(1-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} \right) = 4e$$

8. (a) : Let  $y = \sin(x^3)$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(x^3) \cdot 3x^2 = 3x^2 \cos(x^3) \quad \dots(i)$$

Let  $z = \cos(x^3)$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{dz}{dx} = -\sin(x^3) \cdot 3x^2 = -3x^2 \sin(x^3) \quad \dots(ii)$$

Dividing (i) by (ii), we get  $\frac{dy}{dz} = \frac{3x^2 \cos(x^3)}{-3x^2 \sin(x^3)} = -\cot x^3$ .

9. (a) : From the given graph, the function is continuous.

The given graph is that of  $y = |x - 1|$

$$\text{Now, } f(x) = y = \begin{cases} x-1, & x \geq 1 \\ 1-x, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

$$Rf'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1+h-1) - 0}{h} = 1$$

$$Lf'(1) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1-h) - f(1)}{-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(1-1+h) - 0}{-h} = -1$$

Since,  $Rf'(1) \neq Lf'(1)$

So, the given function is not differentiable.

10. Given,  $f(x) = |\cos x|$

We have to find out  $f' \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$

Since,  $\cos x > 0$  when  $x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(x) &= \cos x \\ \Rightarrow f'(x) &= -\sin x \\ \Rightarrow f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= -\sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

11. The greatest integer function defined by  $f(x) = [x]$ ,  $0 < x < 2$  is not differentiable at  $x = 1$ .

12.  $\frac{d}{dx}(a^x - x^x) = a^x \log a - x^x(1 + \log x)$

$$\left[ \because \frac{d}{dx}(a^x) = a^x \log a \text{ and } \frac{d}{dx}(x^x) = x^x(1 + \log x) \right]$$

13. Here,  $y = \cos x$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} &= 1 \\ \left[ \because \frac{dy}{dx} &= -\sin x; \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\cos x; \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} = \sin x \right] \end{aligned}$$

14. A constant function is a continuous function.

15.  $\frac{d}{dx}(ax^2 + bx + c) = 2ax + b$

16. Given  $f(x) = \frac{\sin 10x}{x}$ ,  $x \neq 0$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = f(0) \Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 10x}{x} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 \lim_{10x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 10x}{10x} = f(0) \Rightarrow f(0) = 10$$

17. Here,  $y = f(\log_e x)$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \{f(\log_e x)\} = f'(\log_e x) \times \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=e} = \frac{f'(\log_e e)}{e} = \frac{f'(1)}{e} = \frac{2}{e} \quad [\because f'(1) = 2 \text{ (Given)}]$$

18. We have,  $f(x) = \begin{cases} kx, & x < 0 \\ 3, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$

$$\text{L.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{kx}{-x} = -k$$

$$\text{R.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} 3 = 3$$

Since,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

$$\therefore \text{L.H.L.} = \text{R.H.L.} = f(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow -k = 3 \Rightarrow k = -3$$

19. Given,  $f(x) = \sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x + 2$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2 \quad \left[ \because \sin^{-1} x + \cos^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow f'(1) = 0$$

20. (i) (c)                      (ii) (b)                      (iii) (b)  
(iv) (b)                      (v) (a)

21. (i) We have  $f(x) = (\cos x + i \sin x)(\cos 2x + i \sin 2x)$   
 $(\cos 3x + i \sin 3x) \dots \cos(nx + i \sin nx)$

$$y = f(x) = e^{ix} \cdot e^{2ix} \cdot e^{3ix} \dots e^{nix}$$

$$y = e^{(1+2+3+\dots+n)ix} = e^{\left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\} ix}$$

$$\text{Now, } y' = e^{\left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\} ix} \cdot \frac{in(n+1)}{2}$$

$$y'' = -\left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\}^2 \cdot e^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2} ix}$$

$$y'' = -\left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\}^2 \cdot y$$

$$y''(1) = -\left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\}^2 \cdot y(1)$$

$$y''(1) = f''(1) = -\left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\}^2 \quad [\because y(1) = 1]$$

(ii) We have  $y = f(x) = e^x \sin x + 2 \log \sin x$   
Differentiate w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$y' = e^x \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(\sin x) + \sin x \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(e^x) + 2 \frac{d}{dx}(\log \sin x)$$

$$= e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x + 2 \times \frac{1}{\sin x} \times \cos x$$

$$= e^x \cos x + e^x \sin x + 2 \cot x$$

Again, differentiate w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$y'' = e^x \cdot (-\sin x) + \cos x \cdot e^x + e^x \cos x + \sin x \cdot e^x$$

$$+ 2(-\operatorname{cosec}^2 x)$$

$$y'' = -\sin x \cdot e^x + \cos x \cdot e^x + \cos x \cdot e^x + \sin x \cdot e^x - 2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x$$

$$= 2 \cos x \cdot e^x - 2 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x$$

22. Here,  $x = f(t)$ ,  $y = g(t)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = f'(t), \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = g'(t)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{g'(t)}{f'(t)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{f'(t) g''(t) - g'(t) f''(t)}{[f'(t)]^2} \times \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$= \frac{f'(t) g''(t) - g'(t) f''(t)}{[f'(t)]^3}$$

23. Let  $y = (\sin x^2)^{\log x^2}$ . Then,  $y = e^{\log x^2 \cdot \log \sin x^2}$

$$[\because a^b = e^{b \log a}]$$

On differentiating both sides with respect to  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{\log x^2 \cdot \log \sin x} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \{ \log x^2 \cdot \log \sin x^2 \}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = (\sin x^2)^{\log x^2} \left\{ \log \sin x^2 \frac{d}{dx}(\log x^2) + \log x^2 \frac{d}{dx}(\log \sin x^2) \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = (\sin x^2)^{\log x^2} \left\{ \frac{2x \log \sin x^2}{x^2} + \log x^2 \times \frac{2x}{\sin x^2} \times \cos x^2 \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x(\sin x^2)^{\log x^2} \left\{ \frac{\log \sin x^2}{x^2} + \cot x^2 \cdot \log x^2 \right\}$$

**24.** Given,  $y = \cos^{-1}(2x) + 2 \cos^{-1} \sqrt{1-4x^2}$

Put  $2x = \sin \theta$

Thus,  $y = \cos^{-1}(\sin \theta) + 2 \cos^{-1} \sqrt{1-\sin^2 \theta}$

$$= \cos^{-1} \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta \right) \right) + 2 \cos^{-1}(\cos \theta)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta + 2\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} + \theta = \frac{\pi}{2} + \sin^{-1}(2x)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}} \frac{d}{dx}(2x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$$

**OR**

Here,  $y = f(e^x) e^{f(x)}$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \{ f(e^x) e^{f(x)} \} = f'(e^x) \frac{d}{dx}(e^x) e^{f(x)} +$$

$$f(e^x) e^{f(x)} \frac{d}{dx}(f(x))$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(e^x) e^x \cdot e^{f(x)} + f(e^x) e^{f(x)} f'(x)$$

Now  $\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=0} = f'(1) \cdot 1 \cdot e^{f(0)} + f(1) e^{f(0)} f'(0)$

$$= 2 \cdot 1 + 0 = 2$$

**25.** Let  $y = \sin(e^{x^2})$ . Putting  $x^2 = v$  and  $u = e^v = e^{x^2}$ ,

we get

$$y = \sin u, \text{ where } u = e^v \text{ and } \frac{dv}{dx} = 2x.$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{du} = \cos u, \frac{du}{dv} = e^v \text{ and } \frac{dv}{dx} = 2x.$$

Now,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dv} \times \frac{dv}{dx}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos u \times e^v \times 2x = \cos(e^v) \times e^v \times 2x \quad [:\cdot u = e^v]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos(e^{x^2}) \times e^{x^2} \times 2x \quad [:\cdot v = x^2]$$

**26.** We know that a polynomial function is differentiable everywhere. Therefore,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 3$ .

$$\therefore f'(3) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(3+h) - f(3)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(3) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\{(3+h)^2 + 2(3+h) + 7\} - \{9 + 6 + 7\}}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(3) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{8h + h^2}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (8 + h) = 8.$$

**27.** We have given,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x + 5, & \text{if } x \geq 2 \\ x^2, & \text{if } x < 2 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 2$ ,

$$\text{L.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} (x)^2$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2-h)^2 = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (4 + h^2 - 4h) = 4$$

$$\text{and R.H.L.} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} (3x + 5)$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [3(2+h) + 5] = 6 + 5 = 11$$

Since, L.H.L.  $\neq$  R.H.L. at  $x = 2$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is discontinuous at  $x = 2$ .

**28.** Let  $y = 2^{\cos^2 x}$

Taking log on both sides, we get

$$\log y = \log 2^{\cos^2 x} = \cos^2 x \cdot \log 2$$

On differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \log 2 \frac{d}{dx}(\cos^2 x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \log 2 \cdot [2 \cos x] \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(\cos x)$$

$$= \log 2 \cdot 2 \cos x \cdot (-\sin x) = \log 2 \cdot [-(\sin 2x)]$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -y \cdot (\sin 2x) \log 2 = -2^{\cos^2 x} \cdot (\sin 2x) \log 2$$

**29.** Here,  $x = \sin \left( \frac{1}{a} \log y \right)$

$$\Rightarrow \sin^{-1} x = \frac{1}{a} \log y \Rightarrow \log y = a \sin^{-1} x$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{a \sin^{-1} x}$$

Differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$y_1 = e^{a \sin^{-1} x} \times \frac{a}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \Rightarrow y_1 = \frac{ay}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

Differentiating again w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$y_2 = \frac{\sqrt{1-x^2} \times ay_1 - ay \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \times (-2x)}{(1-x^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = \frac{(1-x^2)ay_1 + axy}{(1-x^2)\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = \frac{ay_1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \frac{xay}{(1-x^2)\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = \frac{a^2 y}{1-x^2} + \frac{xy_1}{(1-x^2)} \Rightarrow (1-x^2)y_2 - xy_1 - a^2 y = 0$$

30. Let  $u = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right)$  and  $v = \tan^{-1}x$ .

Putting  $x = \tan \theta$ , we get

$$u = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta}\right) = \sin^{-1}(\sin 2\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow u = 2\theta = 2 \tan^{-1}x$$

$$\left[ \because -1 < x < 1 \Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{4} \Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2} < 2\theta < \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$$

Thus, we have

$$u = 2 \tan^{-1}x \text{ and } v = \tan^{-1}x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{2}{1+x^2} \text{ and } \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{du}{dv} = \frac{du/dx}{dv/dx} = \frac{2/1+x^2}{1/1+x^2} = 2$$

31. The given series may be written as

$$y = a^{(x^y)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log y = x^y \log a \quad [\text{Taking log on both sides}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(\log y) = y \log x + \log(\log a)$$

[Taking log on both sides]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\log y} \frac{d}{dx}(\log y) = \frac{dy}{dx} \log x + y \frac{d}{dx}(\log x) + 0$$

[Differentiating both sides w.r.t.  $x$ ]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\log y} \frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dx} \log x + y \times \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} \left\{ \frac{1}{y \log y} - \log x \right\} = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} \left\{ \frac{1 - y \log y \log x}{y \log y} \right\} = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 \log y}{x(1 - y \log y \log x)}$$

32. Let  $z = \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1}$ .

Then,  $y = f(z)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \{f(z)\} = \frac{d}{dz} \{f(z)\} \cdot \frac{dz}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(z) \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = f'(z) \left\{ \frac{2(x^2+1) - (2x-1)2x}{(x^2+1)^2} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = (\sin z^2) \frac{2(x^2+1) - (4x^2-2x)}{(x^2+1)^2}$$

$$[\because f'(x) = \sin x^2 \therefore f'(z) = \sin z^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \sin \left( \frac{2x-1}{x^2+1} \right)^2 \left\{ \frac{1+x-x^2}{(x^2+1)^2} \right\}$$

OR

We have,  $y = \sin^{-1}(x\sqrt{1-x} - \sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x^2})$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sin^{-1}(x\sqrt{1-(\sqrt{x})^2} - \sqrt{x}\sqrt{1-x^2})$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sin^{-1}x - \sin^{-1}\sqrt{x}$$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-(\sqrt{x})^2}} \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(\sqrt{x})$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x}} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-x^2}}$$

33. Let  $y = \frac{e^{2x} + e^{-2x}}{e^{2x} - e^{-2x}}$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{e^{2x} + e^{-2x}}{e^{2x} - e^{-2x}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{(e^{2x} - e^{-2x})(2e^{2x} - 2e^{-2x}) - (e^{2x} + e^{-2x})(2e^{2x} + 2e^{-2x})}{(e^{2x} - e^{-2x})^2}$$

$$= \frac{(2e^{4x} - 2 - 2 + 2e^{-4x}) - (2e^{4x} + 2 + 2 + 2e^{-4x})}{(e^{2x} - e^{-2x})^2}$$

$$= \frac{2e^{4x} - 4 + 2e^{-4x} - 2e^{4x} - 4 - 2e^{-4x}}{(e^{2x} - e^{-2x})^2}$$

$$= \frac{-8}{(e^{2x} - e^{-2x})^2}$$

34. Let  $t = \tan \theta$ .

$$\text{Then, } t > 1 \Rightarrow \tan \theta > 1 \Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} < 2\theta < \pi$$

$$\therefore x = \sin^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2t}{1+t^2} \right\} = \sin^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sin^{-1}(\sin 2\theta) = \sin^{-1} \{ \sin(\pi - 2\theta) \} = \pi - 2\theta$$

$$= \pi - 2 \tan^{-1}t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = 0 - \frac{2}{1+t^2} = \frac{-2}{1+t^2}$$

$$\text{and, } y = \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2t}{1-t^2} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} \right\} = \tan^{-1}(\tan 2\theta)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \{ -\tan(\pi - 2\theta) \}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\tan^{-1} \{ \tan(\pi - 2\theta) \} = -(\pi - 2\theta) = -\pi + 2 \tan^{-1}t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = 0 + \frac{2}{1+t^2} = \frac{2}{1+t^2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\frac{2}{1+t^2}}{\frac{-2}{1+t^2}} = -1.$$

35. We have given,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x^2 - 3x - 2}{x - 2}, & \text{if } x \neq 2 \\ 5, & \text{if } x = 2 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 2$ , L.H.L. =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{2x^2 - 3x - 2}{x - 2}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(2-h)^2 - 3(2-h) - 2}{(2-h) - 2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{8 + 2h^2 - 8h - 6 + 3h - 2}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -(2h - 5) = 5$$

and R.H.L. =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{2x^2 - 3x - 2}{x - 2}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2(2+h)^2 - 3(2+h) - 2}{(2+h) - 2}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{8 + 2h^2 + 8h - 6 - 3h - 2}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2h + 5) = 5$$

also,  $f(2) = 5$  (given)

Hence, L.H.L. = R.H.L. =  $f(2)$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 2$ .

**OR**

We have given,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} |x| \cos \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

At  $x = 0$ , L.H.L. =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} |x| \cos \frac{1}{x}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} |0 - h| \cos \frac{1}{0 - h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \cos \left( \frac{-1}{h} \right)$$

$$= 0 \times [\text{an oscillating number between } -1 \text{ and } 1] = 0$$

and R.H.L. =  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} |x| \cos \frac{1}{x}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} |0 + h| \cos \frac{1}{(0 + h)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \cos \frac{1}{h}$$

$$= 0 \times [\text{an oscillating number between } -1 \text{ and } 1] = 0$$

Also,  $f(0) = 0$  [Given]

Hence, L.H.L. = R.H.L. =  $f(0)$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .

36. We have given,

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

For differentiability at  $x = 0$ ,

$$Lf'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x} - 0}{x - 0}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0-h)^2 \sin \left( \frac{1}{0-h} \right)}{0-h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 \sin \left( \frac{-1}{h} \right)}{-h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \sin \left( \frac{1}{h} \right) \quad [ \because \sin(-x) = -\sin x ]$$

$$= 0 \times [\text{an oscillating number between } -1 \text{ and } 1] = 0$$

$$Rf'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x} - 0}{x - 0}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(0+h)^2 \sin \left( \frac{1}{0+h} \right)}{0+h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2 \sin(1/h)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h \sin(1/h)$$

$$= 0 \times [\text{an oscillating number between } -1 \text{ and } 1] = 0$$

$$[ \because -1 \leq \sin x \leq 1 \forall x \in \mathbb{R} ]$$

$$\therefore Lf'(0) = Rf'(0)$$

Therefore,  $f(x)$  is differentiable at  $x = 0$ .

37. We have given,  $y^x = e^{y^x - x}$

$$\Rightarrow \log y^x = \log e^{y^x - x}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \log y = (y - x) \cdot \log e = (y - x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \log y = \frac{(y - x)}{x}$$

...(i)

On differentiating (i) w.r.t.  $x$ , we get

$$\frac{d}{dy}(\log y) \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{y - x}{x} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(y - x) - (y - x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} x}{x^2}$$

[By quotient rule]

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x \left( \frac{dy}{dx} - 1 \right) - (y - x)}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = x \frac{dy}{dx} - x - y + x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} \left( \frac{x^2}{y} - x \right) = -y$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-y^2}{x^2 - xy} = \frac{y^2}{x(y - x)} = \frac{y^2}{x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\left( \frac{y - x}{x} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \log y)^2}{\log y} \left[ \because \log y = \frac{y - x}{x}, \text{ from (i)} \Rightarrow \log y = \frac{y}{x} - 1 \right] \Rightarrow 1 + \log y = \frac{y}{x}$$

