

*This homework is due at lab next week, on Tuesday, March 3.*

*There is a quiz in class on Wednesday, March 4.*

*The next test comes up the following Wednesday, March 11.*

1. Write each of the following functions,  $h(x)$ , in the form  $h(x) = f(g(x))$ . Identify the functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$ . Then apply the chain rule,  $h'(x) = f'(g(x))g'(x)$  to find the derivative of  $h(x)$ .

a)  $h(x) = (\sin(x) + 1)^7$

b)  $h(x) = \cos(5\sqrt{x})$

c)  $h(x) = \tan(\sin(x) + \cos(x))$

2. Compute the following derivatives. (You can use the chain rule without making up functions  $f(x)$ ,  $g(x)$ , or  $h(x)$ .)

a)  $\frac{d}{dt} \frac{t}{\sqrt{t^2 + 1}}$

b)  $\frac{d}{dx} (3 \sin(x^2) + 2 \cos(x^3))$

c)  $\frac{d}{dz} \cos(z \sin(z))$

3. Compute the following derivatives. Each of these problems require you to use the chain rule more than once.

a)  $\frac{d}{dx} \sqrt{\frac{4 + \sin(x^4)}{5 + \cos(x^5)}}$

b)  $\frac{d}{d\theta} \sin(\sin(\sin(\theta)))$