

§6.7 Hyperbolic Functions

Definition of the Hyperbolic Functions

$$\sinh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$\operatorname{csch} x = \frac{1}{\sinh x}$$

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

$$\operatorname{sech} x = \frac{1}{\cosh x}$$

$$\tanh x = \frac{\sinh x}{\cosh x}$$

$$\operatorname{coth} x = \frac{\cosh x}{\sinh x}$$

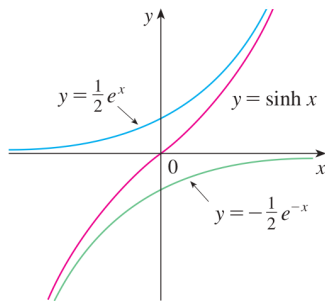


FIGURE 1
 $y = \sinh x = \frac{1}{2}e^x - \frac{1}{2}e^{-x}$

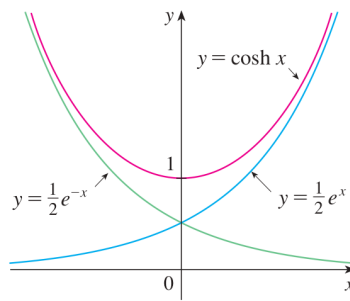


FIGURE 2
 $y = \cosh x = \frac{1}{2}e^x + \frac{1}{2}e^{-x}$

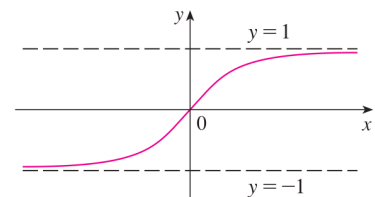


FIGURE 3
 $y = \tanh x$

23. Use the definitions of the hyperbolic functions to find each of the following limits.

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| (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \tanh x$ | (b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \tanh x$ |
| (c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sinh x$ | (d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \sinh x$ |
| (e) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \operatorname{sech} x$ | (f) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \operatorname{coth} x$ |
| (g) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \operatorname{coth} x$ | (h) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \operatorname{coth} x$ |
| (i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \operatorname{csch} x$ | (j) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sinh x}{e^x}$ |

Hyperbolic Identities

$$\sinh(-x) = -\sinh x$$

$$\cosh(-x) = \cosh x$$

$$\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$$

$$1 - \tanh^2 x = \operatorname{sech}^2 x$$

$$\sinh(x + y) = \sinh x \cosh y + \cosh x \sinh y$$

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20. If $\tanh x = \frac{12}{13}$, find the values of the other hyperbolic functions at x .

ALL OF THESE FOLLOW
DIRECTLY FROM THE
DEFINITIONS ABOVE

(MORE IDENTITIES
EXIST! YOU DON'T
NEED TO KNOW
THEM.)

GIVEN ANY $t \in \mathbb{R}$, THE POINT $(\cosh t, \sinh t)$

LIES ON THE HYPERBOLA $x^2 - y^2 = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{4} (e^x - e^{-x})(e^y + e^{-y}) + \frac{1}{4} (e^x + e^{-x})(e^y - e^{-y}) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left[e^{x+y} + \cancel{e^{x-y}} - \cancel{e^{-x+y}} - e^{-x-y} + e^{x+y} - \cancel{e^{x-y}} + \cancel{e^{-x+y}} - e^{-x-y} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left[2e^{x+y} - 2e^{-x-y} \right] = \frac{1}{2} (e^{x+y} - e^{-(x+y)}) = \sinh(x+y) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

1 Derivatives of Hyperbolic Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sinh x) = \cosh x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\operatorname{csch} x) = -\operatorname{csch} x \coth x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cosh x) = \sinh x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\operatorname{sech} x) = -\operatorname{sech} x \tanh x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tanh x) = \operatorname{sech}^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\coth x) = -\operatorname{csch}^2 x$$

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30–45 Find the derivative. Simplify where possible.

30. $f(x) = e^x \cosh x$

31. $f(x) = \tanh \sqrt{x}$

33. $h(x) = \sinh(x^2)$

35. $G(t) = \sinh(\ln t)$

36. $y = \operatorname{sech} x (1 + \ln \operatorname{sech} x)$

37. $y = e^{\cosh 3x}$

32. $g(x) = \sinh^2 x$

34. $F(t) = \ln(\sinh t)$

38. $f(t) = \frac{1 + \sinh t}{1 - \sinh t}$

61. $\int \frac{\sinh \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}} dx$

63. $\int \frac{\cosh x}{\cosh^2 x - 1} dx$

62. $\int \tanh x dx$

64. $\int \frac{\operatorname{sech}^2 x}{2 + \tanh x} dx$

INVERSE HYPERBOLIC FUNCTIONS

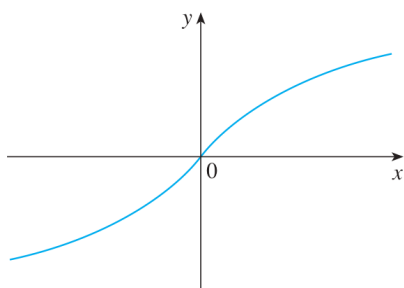


FIGURE 8 $y = \sinh^{-1} x$
domain = $\mathbb{R}$ range = $\mathbb{R}$

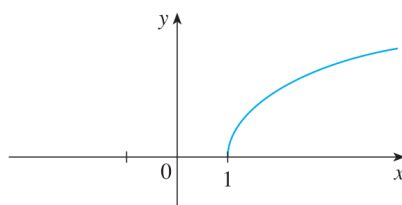


FIGURE 9 $y = \cosh^{-1} x$
domain = $[1, \infty)$ range = $[0, \infty)$

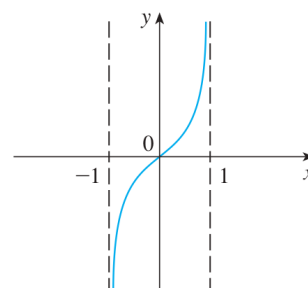


FIGURE 10 $y = \tanh^{-1} x$
domain = $(-1, 1)$ range = $\mathbb{R}$

DEFINITIONS:

$$y = \sinh^{-1} x \iff \sinh y = x$$

$$y = \cosh^{-1} x \iff \cosh y = x \text{ and } y \geq 0$$

$$y = \tanh^{-1} x \iff \tanh y = x$$

ALTERNATIVE DEFINITIONS:

3 $\star \sinh^{-1} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$

4 $\cosh^{-1} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}) \quad x \geq 1$

5 $\tanh^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right) \quad -1 < x < 1$

$\star$ Let $y = \sinh^{-1} x$.

$$\sinh y = x \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}(e^y - e^{-y}) \Rightarrow 2x = e^y - e^{-y}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = e^{-y}(e^{2y} - 2xe^y - 1) \quad (e^{-y} \neq 0)$$

Let $w = e^y$: $0 = w^2 - 2xw - 1$ (QUADRATIC IN w)
 $a = 1, b = -2x, c = -1$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{2x \pm \sqrt{4x^2 + 4}}{2} = x \pm \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$$

$$w > 0 \Rightarrow w = x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1} \Rightarrow e^y = x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sinh^{-1} x = y = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) \quad \checkmark$$

6 Derivatives of Inverse Hyperbolic Functions

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

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\operatorname{csch}^{-1}x) = -\frac{1}{|x|\sqrt{x^2+1}}$$

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

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

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tanh^{-1}x) = \frac{1}{1-x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\operatorname{coth}^{-1}x) = \frac{1}{1-x^2}$$

e.g. let $y = \sinh^{-1}x$. Find y' .

$$\sinh y = x \quad \xrightarrow{\text{IMP. DIFF.}} \quad \cosh y \cdot y' = 1$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{\cosh y} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\sinh^2 y}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \quad \checkmark$$

$y' > 0$ $\cosh y > 0$

65. $\int_4^6 \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2-9}} dt$

66. $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{16t^2+1}} dt$

67. $\int \frac{e^x}{1-e^{2x}} dx$