

- [a] If $f(t) = e^{bt} \cos at$, find $f''(t)$.

$$f'(t) = (e^{bt})(b)(\cos at) + (e^{bt})(-\sin at)(a)$$

$$= \boxed{be^{bt} \cos at} - \boxed{ae^{bt} \sin at}$$

$$f''(t) = b(e^{bt})(b)(\cos at) + (be^{bt})(-\sin at)(a)$$

$$- a(e^{bt})(b)(\sin at) - (ae^{bt})(\cos at)(a)$$

$$= \boxed{(b^2 - a^2)e^{bt} \cos at} - \boxed{2abe^{bt} \sin at}$$

- [b] If $g(x) = \frac{\cot x + \tan x}{\csc x}$, find $g'(x)$.

$$g(x) = \frac{\frac{\cos x}{\sin x} + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}}{\frac{1}{\sin x}} = \frac{\sin x \cos x}{\sin x \cos x} = \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{\cos x}$$

$$= \boxed{\sec x}^2$$

$$g'(x) = \boxed{\sec x \tan x}$$

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SOLUTION

- [c] If $m(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3^x + \sec x}}$, find $m'(0)$.

$$m'(x) = \boxed{-\frac{1}{2}(3^x + \sec x)^{-\frac{3}{2}}} \left(\boxed{(\ln 3) 3^x} + \boxed{\sec x \tan x} \right)$$

$$m'(0) = -\frac{1}{2}(1 + 1)^{-\frac{3}{2}}(\ln 3 + 1 \cdot 0)$$

$$= -\frac{\ln 3}{2 \cdot 2^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{\ln 3}{4\sqrt{2}}} = \boxed{-\frac{\sqrt{2} \ln 3}{8}}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

EITHER ONE

- [d] If $f(x) = \tan x^4$, find $f''(x)$. **BE CAREFUL.**

$$f'(x) = (\sec^2 x^4)(4x^3) = \boxed{4x^3} \boxed{\sec^2 x^4}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 \sec^2 x^4 + (4x^3)(\boxed{2 \sec x^4}^{\frac{1}{2}})(\boxed{\sec x^4 \tan x^4}^{\frac{1}{2}})(\boxed{4x^3}^{\frac{1}{2}})$$

$$= \boxed{12x^2 \sec^2 x^4 + 32x^6 \sec^2 x^4 \tan x^4}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \boxed{4x^2 \sec^2 x^4 (3 + 8x^4 \tan x^4)}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$