

Template for Lab #7 – Linking up with the Chain Rule

2a.

Function in the form $f(x) = (g(x))^n$ (Think: what is the Derivative Rule (DR) for this function?) $f'(x) \rightarrow n[g(x)]^{n-1}$	Value of $f'(-1)$ determined with the calculator math 8	Value of the Derivative Rule (DR) at $x = -1$... in this case ... $n \cdot (g(-1))^{n-1}$ Evaluate $f'(-1)$ using rule in column 1	Correction factor , or what is needed to be multiplied to the Derivative Rule (DR) at $x = -1$ to equal the value of $f'(-1)$ Compare column 2 to 3. Are they the same? Find a correction factor.
$(x^2 - 3x)^2 \rightarrow$			
$(x^2 - 3x)^3 \rightarrow$			
$\sqrt{x^2 - 3x} \rightarrow$			

3a.

Function in the form $f(x) = \sin(g(x))$ (Think: what is the Derivative Rule (DR) for this function?) $f'(x) \rightarrow \cos(g(x))$	Value of $f'(3)$ determined with the calculator Math 8 *radian mode	Value of the Derivative Rule (DR) at $x = 3$... in this case ... $\cos(g(3))$ Evaluate $f'(3)$ in column 1	Correction factor , or what is needed to be multiplied to the Derivative Rule (DR) at $x = 3$ to equal the value of $f'(3)$	Value of $g'(3)$ (Think: what do you notice?) $g'(x) = ?$ $g'(3) = ?$
$\sin(2x) \rightarrow$				
$\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x + 3\right) \rightarrow$				
$\sin(x^2) \rightarrow$				