

$$12. E'(x) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(x + \Delta x) - E(x)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(x)E(\Delta x) - E(x)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} E(x) \left(\frac{E(\Delta x) - 1}{\Delta x} \right) = E(x) \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(\Delta x) - 1}{\Delta x}$$

But, $E'(0) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(\Delta x) - E(0)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{E(\Delta x) - 1}{\Delta x} = 1$. So, $E'(x) = E(x)E'(0) = E(x)$ exists for all x .

For example: $E(x) = e^x$.