

Exercise 41

Find the derivative of the function.

$$f(t) = \sin^2(e^{\sin^2 t})$$

Solution

Take the derivative using the chain rule.

$$\begin{aligned} f'(t) &= \frac{df}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right]^2 \\ &= 2 \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \\ &= 2 \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot \left[\cos(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot \frac{d}{dt} (e^{\sin^2 t}) \\ &= 2 \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot \left[\cos(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot (e^{\sin^2 t}) \cdot \frac{d}{dt} (\sin^2 t) \\ &= 2 \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot \left[\cos(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot (e^{\sin^2 t}) \cdot (2 \sin t) \cdot \frac{d}{dt} (\sin t) \\ &= 2 \left[\sin(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot \left[\cos(e^{\sin^2 t}) \right] \cdot (e^{\sin^2 t}) \cdot (2 \sin t) \cdot (\cos t) \\ &= e^{\sin^2 t} \sin(2e^{\sin^2 t}) \sin 2t \end{aligned}$$