Alan Tupaj Vista Murrieta High School	Derivative Rules – Implicit, Ln, e AP Readiness Session 2
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Derivative Rules	Examples : For each function, find $f'(x)$ or $\frac{dy}{dx}$
Implicit Differentiation:	$x^2 y^2 - 2x = 4 - 4y \text{Find } \frac{dy}{dx}$
Differentiate each variable independently with respect to x.	<i>ux</i>
Every derivative of y gets multiplied by $\frac{dy}{dx}$	
Group all terms with $\frac{dy}{dx}$ on one side with	
all other terms on the other side.	
Factor out $\frac{dy}{dx}$ and divide by the result	
Derivative of natural log:	$f(x) = \ln(3x^2 - 5x + 8)$ Find $f'(x)$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\ln(u)) = \frac{1}{u}\frac{du}{dx}$ (remember the chain rule)	
Derivative of e^x :	$f(x) = (e^{3x})(\cos(2x))$ Find $f'(x)$
$\frac{d}{dx}(e^u) = e^u \frac{du}{dx}$	
Remember to use product or quotient rules if needed	
Derivative of log with other bases and exponential function with other bases	$f(x) = \log_3(\tan x)$ Find $f'(x)$
$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_b(u)) = \frac{1}{u} \left(\frac{1}{\ln b}\right) \frac{du}{dx}$	$f(x) = \frac{5^x}{x^2} \qquad \text{Find} f'(x)$
$\frac{d}{dx}(b^u) = b^u(\ln b)\frac{du}{dx}$	

