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## Function derivative example

Calculate the derivative of the third degree of following function:

$$f(x) = \cos 5 \cdot x + e^{-2 \cdot x}$$

Function f(x) is a sum of two functions

$$f(x) = a(x) + b(x)$$
$$a(x) = \cos 5 \cdot x$$
$$b(x) = e^{-2 \cdot x}$$

As you see component function a(x) and b(x) are complex.

$$f'(x) = a'(x) + b'(x)$$

 $f'(x) = -5 \cdot \sin 5 \cdot x - 2 \cdot e^{-2 \cdot x}$