

MATHS180-102

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Survival Guide

- Come to class and be active: take notes, participate, ask questions !
- Nevertheless: Most of the work will be done outside the class
 - Study the textbook
 - Do WeBWorK assignements
 - Do the suggested homework problems
- Seek for help:
 - Discuss with your classmates
 - Go to the Maths Learning Centre (see common webpage for infos)
 - Look at AMS tutoring
 - See the Mathematics Department website (lots of ressources)
 - Come to Office hours



Calculus is the mathematical study of change



Gottfried Leibniz (1646-1716) and Isaac Newton (1643-1727)

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The Tangent Problem

Problem

Given the graph of a function, find the equation of the tangent at a point on the graph.

The Velocity Problem

Problem

Given the position at each time of an object moving on a straight line, find the *instantaneous* speed of the object at a given time.

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Definition

Suppose that f is a function defined close to a number a. Then we write

 $\lim_{x\to a} f(x) = L$

and say "the limit of f(x), as x approaches a, equals L" if we can make the values of f(x) arbitrarily close to L by taking x sufficiently close to a (but different from a) Limits on the left and on the right

Definition (limit on the left) We write

$$\lim_{x\to a^-} f(x) = L$$

and say "the limit of f(x), as x approaches a from the left, equals L" if we can make the values of f(x) arbitrarily close to L by taking x (different from a) sufficiently close to a and less than a.

Remark Another notation: $\lim_{\substack{x \to a \\ x < a}} f(x) = L$

Remark (limit on the right) *We define*

$$\lim_{x\to a^+} f(x) = L$$

in a similar manner

Infinite Limits

Definition (Infinite limit)

We write

$$\lim_{x\to a} f(x) = \infty$$

and if we can make the values of f(x) arbitrarily large by taking x (different from a) sufficiently close to a.

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Remark (negative infinite limit)
We say
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$$\lim_{x\to a}f(x)=-\infty$$

if we can make the values of f(x) arbitrarily small by taking x (different from a) sufficiently close to a.

Remarks

Remark (Uniqueness of the limit) A function can have only one limit at a point.

Remark We have

$$\lim_{x\to a} f(x) = L$$

if and only the limits on the left and on the right exist and

$$\lim_{x \to a^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \to a^-} f(x) = L$$

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Limit laws

Limit laws

Let c be a constant. Assume that $\lim_{x\to a} f(x)$, and $\lim_{x\to a} g(x)$ exist. Then

$$\lim_{x \to a} (f(x) + g(x)) = \lim_{x \to a} f(x) + \lim_{x \to a} g(x)$$

$$\lim_{x \to a} (f(x) \cdot g(x)) = \lim_{x \to a} f(x) \cdot \lim_{x \to a} g(x)$$

$$\lim_{x \to a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{\lim_{x \to a} f(x)}{\lim_{x \to a} g(x)} \quad \text{if } \lim_{x \to a} g(x) \neq 0$$

$$\lim_{x \to a} cf(x) = c \lim_{x \to a} f(x)$$

Direct substitution property

Direct substitution property

If f is a polynomial or a rational function and a is in the domain of f, then

$$\lim_{x\to a}f(x)=f(a).$$

Comparison of limits and the Squeeze Theorem

Theorem (Comparison Theorem) If $f(x) \le g(x)$ for x close to a (but different from a), then, provided the limits exist, we have

$$\lim_{x\to a} f(x) \leq \lim_{x\to a} g(x),$$

Theorem (The Squeeze Theorem or the Sandwich Theorem) If for x close to a (but different from a)

$$f(x) \le g(x) \le h(x)$$
, and $\lim_{x \to a} f(x) = \lim_{x \to a} h(x) = L$,

then

$$\lim_{x\to a}g(x)=L.$$

A useful Substitution Property

Theorem (Substitution Property)

If f(x) = g(x) for x close to a (but different from a), then, provided the limit exist, we have

$$\lim_{x\to a} f(x) = \lim_{x\to a} g(x),$$

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Continuity

Definition A function f is continuous at a number a if

$$\lim_{x\to a}f(x)=f(a).$$

Definition

A function f is continuous on an interval I if it is continuous at every point of I.

Operations and classical functions

Proposition

Take two functions f and g both continuous at a number a and c a constant. Then the following functions are also continuous at a:

$$f+g$$
, $f \cdot g$, $c \cdot f$, $\frac{f}{g}$ if $g(a) \neq 0$.

Theorem

The following classical types of functions are continuous at every number in their domain:

polynomials, rational functions, root functions, trigonometric functions, inverse trigonometric functions, exponential functions, logarithmic functions.

Intermediate Value Theorem (IVT)

Theorem

Assume that f is continuous on [a, b] and $f(a) \neq f(b)$. Let N be any number between f(a) and f(b). Then there exists c in [a, b]such that f(c) = N.

Composition

Theorem Assume that f is continuous at b and $\lim_{x\to a} g(x) = b$. Then

$$\lim_{x \to a} f(g(x)) = f\left(\lim_{x \to a} g(x)\right) = f(b)$$

Theorem

Assume that f is continuous at b, g is continuous at a and g(a) = b. Then the composite function $f \circ g$ given by $(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$ is continuous at a.

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Definition Let f be defined on $(a, +\infty)$. We say that

$$\lim_{x\to+\infty}f(x)=L$$

if the value of f(x) becomes arbitrarily close to L as x is taken sufficiently large.

Remark We define $\lim_{x\to -\infty} f(x) = L$ in a similar way.

Definition

The line y = L is called an horizontal asymptote for the graph of f if either

$$\lim_{x \to +\infty} f(x) = L, \quad \text{or} \quad \lim_{x \to -\infty} f(x) = L.$$

Important rule

Let r be a positive rational number, then

$$\lim_{x\to+\infty}\frac{1}{x^r}=0.$$

If x^r is defined for x negative, then

$$\lim_{x\to -\infty}\frac{1}{x^r}=0.$$

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Definition The derivative of a function f at a number a, denoted by f'(a) is

$$f'(a) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}.$$

We say that f is differentiable at a.

Remark

Equivalently, we have
$$f'(a) = \lim_{x \to a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$
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Definition

Assume that f is differentiable at each point of an interval (a, b). Then the derivative f' is a function:

$$f':(a,b)
ightarrow\mathbb{R}$$

 $x\mapsto f'(x)$

Remark (Other notations) If y = f(x), then f'(x) can also be denoted

$$y' = rac{dy}{dx} = rac{df}{dx} = rac{d}{dx}f(x) = Df(x) = D_x f(x).$$

Theorem If f is differentiable at a, then f is continuous at a.

Definition

We denote by f'' and call the second derivative of f the function obtained as the derivative of the derivative of f.

Remark

We can define define analogously the third derivative f''', etc.

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Derivative of a constant

$$\frac{d}{dx}(c) = 0$$

Derivative of a power For any r,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^r) = r \cdot x^{r-1}$$

Operations compatibles with derivations

Sum, Difference, product with a constant Let f and g be differentiable and c a constant. Then

$$\frac{d}{dx}(f+g) = \frac{d}{dx}f + \frac{d}{dx}g,$$
$$\frac{d}{dx}(f-g) = \frac{d}{dx}f - \frac{d}{dx}g,$$
$$\frac{d}{dx}(cf) = c \cdot \frac{d}{dx}f.$$

The exponential function

Derivative of the exponential

$$\frac{d}{dx}e^{x}=e^{x}$$

Remark The number e is such that $e = e^1 = 2.711828$.

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The Product rule If f and g are differentiable, then

$$\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) \cdot g(x)) = \left(\frac{d}{dx}f(x)\right) \cdot g(x) + f(x) \cdot \left(\frac{d}{dx}g(x)\right)$$

Remark

In short:

$$(f \cdot g)' = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g'.$$

The Quotient Rule If f and g are differentiable, then

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right) = \frac{\left(\frac{d}{dx}f(x)\right) \cdot g(x) - f(x) \cdot \left(\frac{d}{dx}g(x)\right)}{(g(x))^2}$$

Remark In short:

$$\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{f' \cdot g - f \cdot g'}{g^2}.$$

Remark

Note that we need
$$g(x) \neq 0$$
 for $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ to be differentiable.

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Proposition

$$\lim_{h\to 0}\frac{\sin(h)}{h}=1,\quad \lim_{h\to 0}\frac{\cos(h)-1}{h}=0.$$

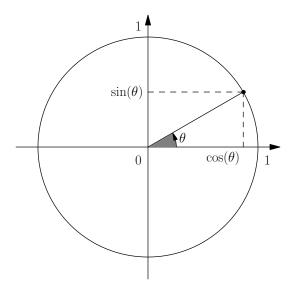
Theorem

$$\frac{d}{dx}\sin(x) = \cos(x), \quad \frac{d}{dx}\cos(x) = -\sin(x).$$

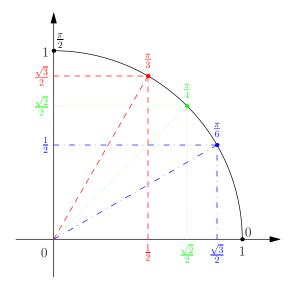
Rule of thumb

Differentiating cos and sin is like making a quarter turn on the trigonometric circle.

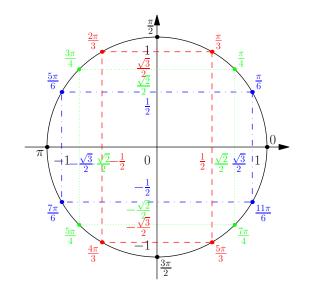
Trigonometric circle



Remarkable values



More remarkable values



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The Chain Rule

Assume g is differentiable at x and f is differentiable at g(x). Then the composite function $h = f \circ g$ is differentiable at x and h' is

$$h'(x) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

Other Notation
Set
$$y = f(u)$$
 and $u = g(x)$, then
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$

Applications of the Chain Rule

f(x)	f'(x)
$u^lpha(x)$, $lpha\in\mathbb{R}^*$	$\alpha u'(x)u^{\alpha-1}(x)$
$e^{u(x)}$	$u'(x)e^{u(x)}$
$\sin(u(x))$	$u'(x)\cos(u(x))$
$\cos(u(x))$	$-u'(x)\sin(u(x))$

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A note on the definition of a function

Definition

A function is a relation between a set of input numbers (the *domain*) and a set of permissible output numbers (the *codomain*) with the property that each input is related to exactly one output.

Remark

- The domain and codomain are often implicit
- Usually the function is given by a formula
- Do not confuse the codomain and the range (or image).

Definition

We say that a function is one to one if it never take the same value twice. That is:

If
$$x_1 \neq x_2$$
, then $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$.

Horizontal line test

A function is one-to-one if and only if no horizontal line x = c intersects the graph y = f(x) more than once.

Definition

Let f be a one-to-one function with domain A and range B. Then its inverse function f^{-1} has domain B and range A and is defined by

$$f^{-1}(y) = x \Leftrightarrow f(x) = y$$

for any $y \in B$.

Definition (Logarithmic functions)

Let a > 0. The function \log_a is the inverse of the function $y \mapsto a^y$ and is defined by

$$\log_a(x) = y \Leftrightarrow a^y = x.$$

Remark

 $ln(x) = log_e(x)$ (natural or Naperian logarithm) and log_{10} (common or decimal logarithm) are the most used.

Laws of Logarithms

$$\log_a(x \cdot y) = \log_a(x) + \log_a(y),$$

$$\log_a\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_a(x) - \log_a(y),$$

$$\log_a(x^r) = r \log_a(x),$$

$$\log_a(x) = \frac{\ln(x)}{\ln(a)}.$$

How did people compute logarithms not so long ago ?

			LOG	GAR	ITH	MS	OF	NUI	IBE	RS.	JL
N	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Differences.
100	000000	0434	0868	1301	1784	2166	2598	3029	3461	3891	435 430 425 430 1 44 43 43 43
101	4321	4751	5181	5609	6038	6466	6804	7321	7748	8174	
102	8600	9026	9451	9876	*300	*724	1147	1570	1993	2415	3 131 129 128 126 4 174 172 170 148
103	012837 7033	-3259 7451	3680 7868	4100 8284	4521 8700	4940 9116	5300 9532	5779 9947	6197 *361	6616 *775	5 218 215 213 210
105	021189	1603	2016	2428	2841	3252	3664	4075	4486	4806	6 261 258 255 255 7 305 301 298 294
106	5306	5715	6125	6533.	6942	7350	7757	8164	8571	8978	8 348 344 340 336
107	9384	9789	*195	*600	1004	1408	1812	2216	2619	3021	
108	033424	3826	4227	4628	5029	5430	5890	6230	6629	7028	1 42 41 41 40
100	7420	7825	8223	8620	9017	9414	9811	*207	*002	*998	2 83 82 81 80 3 123 125 122 120
110	041893	1787	2182	2576	2060	3362	3755	4148	4540	4932	4 106 164 162 160
111	5323	5714 9006	6105 9993	6495	6885 *766	7275	7664	8053	8442 2309	8830 2004	5 208 203 203 200 6 249 246 243 246
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115	060698	1075	1452	1829	2206	2582	2958	3333	3709	4083	395 390 385 386
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117	8186	8557	8028	9298	9668	**38	*407	*776	1145	1514	
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126	100371	0715	1059	1403	1747	2091	2434	2777	3119	3462	5 188 185 183 186
127	3804	4146	4487	4828	5169	5510	5851	6191	6531	6871	6 223 222 219 214
128	7210	7549	7888	8227	8565	8903	9241	9579	9916	*253	8 500 295 292 28
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132	120574	0903	1231	1560	1888	2216	2544	2871	3198	3525	2 71 70 60 64
133	3852	4178	4504	48:30	5156	5481	5806	6131	6456	6781	4 142 140 138 130
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144	8362	8004	8965	9266	9567	9868	*168	*469	•769	1068	
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147	7317	7613	7908	8203	8497	8792	0104	9380	9674	9968	2 63 62 61 6
148	170262	0555	0848	1141	1434	1726	2019	2311	2603	2895	4 126 124 122 12
149	3186	3478	3769	4000	4351	4641	4932	5222	5512	5802	5 158 155 153 156 6 180 186 183 180
150	176001	6381	0070	6959	7248	7538	7825	8118	8401	8080	7 221 217 214 234 8 252 248 244 244
151	8977	9264	9552 2415	9839 2700	*126 2085	*413 3270	*690 3555	*986 3839	1272	1558	9 284 279 275 27
152	181844 4091	$\frac{2129}{4975}$	2415 5259	5542	2085	6108	6391	3830	4123 6956	4407 7230	293 290 285 280
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156	3125	3403	3681	3959	4237	4514	4792	5009	5346	5623	
	5900	6176	6453	6720	7005	7281	7556	7832	8107	8382	5 148 145 143 14 6 177 174 171 16 7 207 298 200 736
158	8057 201397	8932 1670	9200	9481 9916	9755	**29 9761	*303	*577	*850	1124	8 125 232 228 22

Definition

The inverse sine function denoted by $\arcsin or \sin^{-1}$ is defined by

arcsin :
$$[-1, 1] \rightarrow \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

arcsin $(x) = y \Leftrightarrow \sin(y) = x$

Definition

The inverse cosine function denoted by $\arccos or \cos^{-1}$ is defined by

$$\operatorname{arccos} : [-1, 1] \rightarrow [0, \pi]$$

 $\operatorname{arccos}(x) = y \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{cos}(y) = x$

Definition

The inverse tangent is denoted by arctan or tan^{-1} is defined by

arctan :
$$(-\infty, +\infty) \rightarrow \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

arctan $(x) = y \Leftrightarrow \tan(y) = x$

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Definition

$$y = f(x)$$
 y is explicit
 $g(x, y) = 0$ y is implicit

Rule

If y is implicitly defined as one or more functions of x, it is possible to compute y' by differentiating the implicit relation.

Derivatives of Inverse Trigonometric Functions

$$\frac{d}{dx} \arcsin(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}},$$
$$\frac{d}{dx} \arccos(x) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}},$$
$$\frac{d}{dx} \arctan(x) = \frac{1}{1 + x^2}.$$

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Derivative of the natural logarithm

$$\frac{d}{dx}\log(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$

Remark

Derivative of others logarithms

$$\frac{d}{dx}\log_a(x) = \frac{1}{x\log(a)}.$$

Useful trick: logarithmic differentiation
Calculate
$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^2 \sqrt{1+x}}{(2+\sin(x))^7} \right)$$
.

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Definition

If a quantity y depends explicitely on a quantity x, meaning y = f(x), the

• average rate of change of y with respect to x over $[x_1, x_2]$ is

$$rac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$$
, where $\begin{cases} \Delta y = f(x_2) - f(x_1) \\ \Delta x = x_2 - x_1 \end{cases}$

• instantaneous rate of change of y with respect to x at x_1 is

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{\Delta x \to 0} \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$$

Some examples

In Physics

With f(t) the position at time t of a particle moving in a straight line (e.g. a photon in a laser beam).

In Chemistry

With V(P) the volume of balloon of gas with respect to the pressure.

In Biology

With f(t) the number at time t of individual of an animal or plant population.

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Theorem The only solutions to the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = ky$$

are the exponential functions

$$y = y(0)e^{kt}$$

Population growth

The rate of change in the population is proportional to the size of the population:

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = kP.$$

Newton's law of cooling

The rate of change in temperature of an object is proportional to the difference between its temperature and that of its surroundings:

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - T_{\rm surroundings}).$$

Coffee at home

- ▶ temperature when the coffee comes out of the machine: 93°C
- Neighbor comes at door to borrow suggar: 1 minute
- Temperature of the coffee after I get rid of neighbor: 88°C

Questions:

- ► When can I drink my coffee without burning myslelf (i.e. at 63°C) ?
- What happens if I have to leave my coffee for a long time ?

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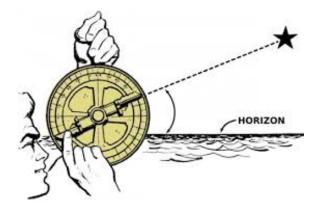
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Problem solving strategy

- 1. Read the problem carefully.
- 2. Draw a diagram if possible.
- 3. Introduce notation. Assign symbols to all quantities that are functions of time.
- 4. Express the given information and the required rate in terms of derivatives.
- 5. Write an equation that relates the various quantities of the problem. If necessary, use the geometry of the situation to eliminate one of the variables by substitution
- 6. Use the Chain Rule to differentiate both sides of the equation with respect to t.
- 7. Substitute the given information into the resulting equation and solve for the unknown rate.



Astrolabe/Protractor



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Definition Let f be a differentiable function. We say that

$$f(x) \simeq f(a) + f'(a)(x-a)$$

is the linear approximation of f at a. We call

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$$

the linearization of f at a.

Midterm teaching survey

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Goal Approximate functions by a polynomial.

Definition

Let f be n time differentiable at a point a. The Taylor Polynomial of degree n for f at a is

$$T_n(x) = f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!}(x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x-a)^2 + \dots + \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!}(x-a)^n.$$

Taylor Polynomials for Classical Functions at a = 0

$$e^{x}: \quad T_{n}(x) = 1 + x + \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \dots + \frac{x^{n}}{n!}$$

$$\sin(x): \quad T_{n}(x) = x - \frac{x^{3}}{3!} + \dots + (-1)^{k} \frac{x^{2k+1}}{(2k+1)!}$$

$$(2k+1 \text{ greatest odd integer } \leq n)$$

$$\cos(x): \quad T_{n}(x) = 1 - \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \dots + (-1)^{k} \frac{x^{2k}}{(2k)!}$$

$$(2k \text{ greatest even integer } \leq n)$$

$$\ln(1+x): \quad T_{n}(x) = x - \frac{x^{2}}{2} + \dots + (-1)^{n+1} \frac{x^{n}}{n}$$

$$\frac{1}{1-x}: \quad T_{n}(x) = 1 + x + x^{2} + \dots + x^{n}$$

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Goal

Evaluate the difference between a function and its Taylor polynomial at a point

The Taylor-Lagrange Formula

Let f be n + 1 time differentiable at a. Then for each x there exists c between a and x such that

$$f(x) = T_n(x) + \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!}(x-a)^{n+1}$$

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Definition

Let c be in the domain D of a function f. We say that f(c) is an

- absolute maximum value for f if $f(c) \ge f(x)$ for all $x \in D$.
- absolute minimum value for f if $f(c) \le f(x)$ for all $x \in D$.

Definition

We say that f(c) is a

- ▶ local maximum value for f if $f(c) \ge f(x)$ for x close to c.
- ▶ local minimum value for f if $f(c) \le f(x)$ for x close to c.

Remark

In general, we speak about an extremum for a maximum or a minimum.

Extreme value theorem

If f is continuous on the closed interval [a, b], then f has a global maximum value f(c) and a global minimum value f(d) for some c, d in [a, b].

Definition A critical number of f is c such that

f'(c) = 0 or f'(c) DNE.

Theorem (Fermat's theorem) If f has a local extremum at c, then c is a critical number for f.

Closed interval method

To find the global extrema of f on [a, b] closed interval:

- Find all critical numbers and the values of f at that points
- ▶ Find *f*(*a*), *f*(*b*).
- The largest and smallest values give the extrema.

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Theorem (Rolle's theorem)

Let f be such that

- ▶ f continuous on [a, b]
- ▶ f differentiable on (a, b)

•
$$f(a) = f(b)$$

Then there exists $c \in [a, b]$ such that f'(c) = 0.

The mean value Theorem Let f be such that

- ► f continuous on [a, b]
- f differentiable on (a, b)

Then there exists a number c in (a, b) such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$

Theorem If f'(x) = 0 for all $x \in (a, b)$, then f is constant on (a, b)Corollary If f'(x) = g'(x) for all $x \in (a, b)$, then there exists $K \in \mathbb{R}$ such that f(x) = g(x) + K.

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Increasing/Decreasing test

- If f'(x) > 0 on (a, b), then f is increasing on (a, b).
- If f'(x) < 0 on (a, b), then f is decreasing on (a, b)

First derivative test

Suppose that c is a critical number of a continuous function f.

- If f' changes from positive to negative at c, then f has a local maximum at c.
- If f' changes from negative to positive at c, then f has a local minimum at c.
- ► If f' does not change sign at c, then f has no local maximum or minimum at c.

Definition

If the graph of f lies above all of its tangents on an interval I, then it is called concave upward on I. If the graph of f lies below all of its tangents on I, it is called concave downward on I.

Concavity Test

- If f''(x) > 0 for all x in I, then the graph of f is concave upward on I.
- If f''(x) < 0 for all x in I, then the graph of f is concave downward on I.

Definition

A point P on a curve y = f(x) is called an inflection point if f is continuous there and the curve changes at P from concave upward to concave downward or vice-versa.

The Second Derivative Test

Suppose f is continuous near c.

- If f'(c) = 0 and f''(c) > 0, then f has a local minimum at c.
- If f'(c) = 0 and f''(c) < 0, then f has a local maximum at c.

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Informations to gather before sketching a graph

- Domain
- Intercepts
- Symmetries
- Asymptotes
- Increasing / decreasing
- Local max / min
- Concavity

Trick: Make a *table of changes*.

Slant Asymptotes

Definition A line y = mx + b is a slant asymptote if

$$\lim_{\substack{x \to +\infty \\ \text{or } x \to -\infty}} (f(x) - (mx + b)) = 0$$

Proposition

The graph of f admits a slant asymptote at $+\infty$ if and only if

$$\lim_{x \to +\infty} \frac{f(x)}{x} = m, \text{ with } m \text{ finite real number.}$$

In that case, the equation of the asymptote is

$$y = mx + b$$
,

where $b = \lim_{x \to +\infty} (f(x) - mx)$.

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- 3. Introduce notation. E.g. call Q the quantity to maximize.
- 4. Express Q in terms of the other symbols.
- 5. If Q has been expressed as a function of more than one variable, use the given information to find relationships among these variables. Eliminate all but one variable.
- 6. Find the maximum value.
- 7. Verify that the value is consistent with the problem.

Problem 1

You need to make a box. You are given a square of cardboard (12cm by 12cm) and you need to cut out squares from the the corners of your sheet so that you may fold it into a box. How large should these cut-out squares be so as to maximise the volume of the box?

Problem 2

You need to cross a small canal to get from point A to point B. The canal is 300m wide and point B is 800m from the closest point on the other side. You can row at 6km/h and run at 10km/h. To which point on the opposite side of the canal should you row to in order to minimise your travel time from A to B?

Student Evaluation of Teaching

- > The feedback is used to assess and improve my teaching.
- Heads and Deans look at evaluation results as an important component of decisions about reappointment, tenure, promotion and merit for faculty members.
- Evaluations are used to shape departmental curriculum.
- We take 15 minutes of class to complete the survey (use your mobile devices)

More precise definitions

Definition Let $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{R}$. A critical number of f is $c \in (a, b)$ (thus $c \neq a$ and $c \neq b$) such that

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L'Hospital's Rule

Suppose f and g are differentiable and $g'(x) \neq 0$ for x close to a, $x \neq a$. Assume that

$$\lim_{x \to a} f(x) = 0 \qquad \text{and} \qquad \lim_{x \to a} g(x) = 0$$

or
$$\lim_{x \to a} f(x) = \pm \infty \qquad \text{and} \qquad \lim_{x \to a} g(x) = \pm \infty$$

Then

$$\lim_{x\to a}\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}=\lim_{x\to a}\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}.$$

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Definition

A function F is called an antiderivative of f on an interval I if F'(x) = f(x) for all x in I.

Theorem

Let f be a function and F be an antiderivative of F. Then all antiderivatives of F are of the form

F(x) + C, $C \in \mathbb{R}$.

Rectilinear Motion, an example

A particle moves in a straight line and has acceleration given by a(t) = 6t + 4. Its initial velocity is v(0) = -6cm/s and its displacement is s(0) = 9cm. Find its position function s(t).