

Calculus 2 Workbook Solutions

Taylor series



TAYLOR SERIES

■ 1. Find the third-degree Taylor polynomial and use it to approximate f(5).

$$f(x) = 3\sqrt{x+1}$$

$$n = 3$$
 and $a = 3$

Solution:

The formula for the Taylor polynomial of f(x) at a is

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x - a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x - a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x - a)^n$$

Use the original function and the first three derivatives.

$$f(x) = 3(x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f(3) = 3(3+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f(3) = 6$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3}{2(x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{3}{2(x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \qquad f'(3) = \frac{3}{2(3+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$f'(3) = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{3}{4(x+1)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \qquad f''(3) = -\frac{3}{4(3+1)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \qquad f''(3) = -\frac{3}{32}$$

$$f''(3) = -\frac{3}{4(3+1)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$$

$$f''(3) = -\frac{3}{32}$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{9}{8(x+1)^{\frac{5}{2}}} \qquad f'''(3) = \frac{9}{8(3+1)^{\frac{5}{2}}} \qquad f'''(3) = \frac{9}{256}$$

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$$f'''(3) = \frac{9}{256}$$

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So the third-degree Taylor polynomial is

$$f^{(3)}(x) = 6 + \frac{3}{4}(x-3) - \frac{3}{32 \cdot 2!}(x-3)^2 + \frac{9}{256 \cdot 3!}(x-3)^3$$

$$f^{(3)}(x) = 6 + \frac{3}{4}(x - 3) - \frac{3}{64}(x - 3)^2 + \frac{3}{512}(x - 3)^3$$

Use the polynomial to estimate f(5).

$$f^{(3)}(5) \approx 6 + \frac{3}{4}(5-3) - \frac{3}{64}(5-3)^2 + \frac{3}{512}(5-3)^3$$

$$f^{(3)}(5) \approx 6 + \frac{3}{4}(2) - \frac{3}{64}(4) + \frac{3}{512}(8)$$

$$f^{(3)}(5) \approx 6 + \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{16} + \frac{3}{64}$$

$$f^{(3)}(5) \approx 7.359$$

 \blacksquare 2. Find the third-degree Taylor polynomial and use it to approximate f(4).

$$f(x) = e^{2x} + 9$$

$$n = 3 \text{ and } a = 2$$

Solution:

The formula for the Taylor polynomial of f(x) at a is

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x - a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x - a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x - a)^n$$

Use the original function and the first three derivatives.

$$f(x) = e^{2x} + 9$$

$$f(2) = e^{2(2)} + 9$$

$$f(2) = e^4 + 9$$

$$f'(x) = 2e^{2x}$$

$$f'(2) = 2e^{2(2)}$$

$$f'(2) = 2e^4$$

$$f''(x) = 4e^{2x}$$

$$f''(2) = 4e^{2(2)}$$

$$f''(2) = 4e^4$$

$$f'''(x) = 8e^{2x}$$

$$f'''(2) = 8e^{2(2)}$$

$$f'''(2) = 8e^4$$

So the third-degree Taylor polynomial is

$$f^{(3)}(x) = e^4 + 9 + 2e^4(x - 2) + \frac{4e^4}{2!}(x - 2)^2 + \frac{8e^4}{3!}(x - 2)^3$$

$$f^{(3)}(x) = e^4 + 9 + 2e^4(x - 2) + \frac{4e^4}{2}(x - 2)^2 + \frac{8e^4}{6}(x - 2)^3$$

$$f^{(3)}(x) = e^4 + 9 + 2e^4(x - 2) + 2e^4(x - 2)^2 + \frac{4e^4}{3}(x - 2)^3$$

Use the polynomial to estimate f(4).

$$f^{(3)}(4) = e^4 + 9 + 2e^4(4-2) + 2e^4(4-2)^2 + \frac{4e^4}{3}(4-2)^3$$

$$f^{(3)}(4) = e^4 + 9 + 2e^4(2) + 2e^4(2)^2 + \frac{4}{3}e^4(2)^3$$

$$f^{(3)}(4) = e^4 + 9 + 4e^4 + 8e^4 + \frac{32}{3}e^4$$

$$f^{(3)}(4) \approx 1,301.156$$

■ 3. Find the fourth-degree Taylor polynomial and use it to approximate $f(\pi/24)$.

$$f(x) = \sin(6x) + 5$$

$$n=4$$
 and $a=\frac{\pi}{12}$

Solution:

The formula for the Taylor polynomial of f(x) at a is

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x - a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x - a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x - a)^n$$

Use the original function and the first four derivatives.

$$f(x) = \sin 6x + 5$$
 $f\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = \sin\left(6 \cdot \frac{\pi}{12}\right) + 5$ $f\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 6$

$$f'(x) = 6\cos 6x \qquad \qquad f'\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 6\cos\left(6 \cdot \frac{\pi}{12}\right) \qquad \qquad f'\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 0$$

$$f''(x) = -36\sin 6x$$
 $f''\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = -36\sin\left(6 \cdot \frac{\pi}{12}\right)$ $f''\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = -36$

$$f'''(x) = -216\cos 6x$$
 $f'''\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = -216\cos\left(6\cdot\frac{\pi}{12}\right)$ $f'''\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 0$

$$f''''(x) = 1,296 \sin 6x$$
 $f''''\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 1,296 \sin\left(6 \cdot \frac{\pi}{12}\right)$ $f''''\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 1,296$

So the fourth-degree Taylor polynomial is

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 6 + 0\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right) - \frac{36}{2!}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^2 + \frac{0}{3!}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^3 + \frac{1,296}{4!}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^4$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 6 + 0 - \frac{36}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{12} \right)^2 + 0 + \frac{1,296}{24} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{12} \right)^4$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 6 + 0 - 18\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^2 + 0 + 54\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^4$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 6 - 18\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^2 + 54\left(x - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^4$$

Use the polynomial to estimate $f(\pi/24)$.

$$f^{(4)}\left(\frac{\pi}{24}\right) = 6 - 18\left(\frac{\pi}{24} - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^2 + 54\left(\frac{\pi}{24} - \frac{\pi}{12}\right)^4$$

$$f^{(4)}\left(\frac{\pi}{24}\right) = 6 - 18\left(-\frac{\pi}{24}\right)^2 + 54\left(-\frac{\pi}{24}\right)^4$$

$$f^{(4)}\left(\frac{\pi}{24}\right) = 6 - 18\left(\frac{\pi^2}{576}\right) + 54\left(\frac{\pi^4}{331,776}\right)$$

$$f^{(4)}\left(\frac{\pi}{24}\right) \approx 6 - 0.30843 + 0.01585$$

$$f^{(4)}\left(\frac{\pi}{24}\right) \approx 5.707$$



RADIUS AND INTERVAL OF CONVERGENCE OF A TAYLOR SERIES

■ 1. Find the radius of convergence of the Taylor polynomial.

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 1 + 2(x - 3) + 4(x - 3)^2 + 8(x - 3)^3$$

Solution:

Rewrite the Taylor polynomial

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x - a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x - a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x - a)^n$$

as a power series in the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{f^n(a)}{n!} (x - a)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{n-1}(a)}{(n-1)!} (x - a)^{n-1}$$

Rewrite the Taylor polynomial.

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 1 + 2(x - 3) + 4(x - 3)^2 + 8(x - 3)^3$$

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 1(x-3)^0 + 2(x-3)^1 + 4(x-3)^2 + 8(x-3)^3$$

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 2^{0}(x-3)^{0} + 2^{1}(x-3)^{1} + 2^{2}(x-3)^{2} + 2^{3}(x-3)^{3}$$

Then its power series representation is

$$P(x) = 2^{0}(x-3)^{0} + 2^{1}(x-3)^{1} + 2^{2}(x-3)^{2} + 2^{3}(x-3)^{3} + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^{n}(x-3)^{n}$$



Apply the ratio test.

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2^{n+1}(x-3)^{n+1}}{2^n(x-3)^n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| 2^{n+1-n} (x-3)^{n+1-n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| 2(x - 3) \right|$$

$$L = |2(x-3)|$$

Then set up an inequality.

$$\left| 2(x-3) \right| < 1$$

$$-1 < 2(x - 3) < 1$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} < x - 3 < \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{5}{2} < x < \frac{7}{2}$$

The interval of convergence spans from 5/2 to 7/2, which is a distance of 1 unit. The radius of convergence is will be half that distance, so the radius of convergence is 1/2.

2. Find the radius of convergence of the Taylor polynomial.

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 4 - 4(x - 5) + 16(x - 5)^2 - 64(x - 5)^3$$

Solution:

Rewrite the Taylor polynomial

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x - a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x - a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x - a)^n$$

as a power series in the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{f^n(a)}{n!} (x - a)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{n-1}(a)}{(n-1)!} (x - a)^{n-1}$$

Rewrite the Taylor polynomial.

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 4 - 4(x - 5) + 16(x - 5)^2 - 64(x - 5)^3$$

$$P_{(3)}(x) = 4^{1}(x-5)^{0} - 4^{1}(x-5)^{1} + 4(4)(x-5)^{2} - 4(4)^{2}(x-5)^{3}$$

Then its power series representation is

$$P(x) = 4 - 4^{1}(x - 5)^{1} + 4(4)(x - 5)^{2} - 4(4)^{2}(x - 5)^{3} + \dots = 4 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-4)^{n}(x - 5)^{n}$$

Apply the ratio test.

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$



$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{(-4)^{n+1} (x-5)^{n+1}}{(-4)^n (x-5)^n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| (-4)^{n+1-n} (x-5)^{n+1-n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| (4)(x - 5) \right|$$

$$L = |4(x-5)|$$

Then set up an inequality.

$$\left|4(x-5)\right| < 1$$

$$|4x - 20| < 1$$

$$-1 < 4x - 20 < 1$$

$$\frac{19}{4} < x < \frac{21}{4}$$

The interval of convergence spans from 19/4 to 21/4, which is a distance of 2/4 = 1/2 unit. The radius of convergence is will be half that distance, so the radius of convergence is 1/4.

■ 3. Find the radius of convergence of the Taylor polynomial.

$$P_{(3)}(x) = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}(x - 4) + \frac{1}{8}(x - 4)^2 - \frac{1}{24}(x - 4)^3$$



Solution:

Rewrite the Taylor polynomial

$$f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x - a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x - a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x - a)^n$$

as a power series in the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{f^n(a)}{n!} (x - a)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{n-1}(a)}{(n-1)!} (x - a)^{n-1}$$

Rewrite the Taylor polynomial.

$$P_{(3)}(x) = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}(x - 4) + \frac{1}{8}(x - 4)^2 - \frac{1}{24}(x - 4)^3$$

$$P_{(3)}(x) = \frac{1}{4 \cdot 1}(x - 4)^0 - \frac{1}{4 \cdot 1}(x - 4)^1 + \frac{1}{4 \cdot 2}(x - 4)^2 - \frac{1}{4 \cdot 6}(x - 4)^3$$

$$P_{(3)}(x) = \frac{(-1)^0}{4 \cdot 0!} (x - 4)^0 + \frac{(-1)^1}{4 \cdot 1!} (x - 4)^1 + \frac{(-1)^2}{4 \cdot 2!} (x - 4)^2 + \frac{(-1)^3}{4 \cdot 3!} (x - 4)^3$$

Then its power series representation is

$$P(x) = \frac{(-1)^0}{4 \cdot 0!} (x - 4)^0 + \frac{(-1)^1}{4 \cdot 1!} (x - 4)^1 + \frac{(-1)^2}{4 \cdot 2!} (x - 4)^2 + \frac{(-1)^3}{4 \cdot 3!} (x - 4)^3 + \cdots$$

$$P(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (x-4)^n}{4 \cdot n!}$$

Apply the ratio test.



$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{\frac{(-1)^{n+1}(x-4)^{n+1}}{4 \cdot (n+1)!}}{\frac{(-1)^n(x-4)^n}{4 \cdot n!}}$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{\frac{(x-4)^{n+1}}{4 \cdot (n+1)!}}{\frac{(x-4)^n}{4 \cdot n!}}$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{(x-4)^{n+1}}{4 \cdot (n+1)!} \cdot \frac{4 \cdot n!}{(x-4)^n} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{x - 4}{(n+1)n!} \cdot \frac{n!}{1} \right|$$

$$L = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{x - 4}{(n+1)} \cdot \frac{1}{1} \right|$$

$$L = \left| x - 4 \right| \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{1}{(n+1)} \right|$$

$$L = |x - 4| \cdot 0$$

$$L = 0$$

Then set up an inequality.



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This inequality is true everywhere, so the interval of convergence is infinite, which means the radius of convergence is, too. The radius of convergence is ∞ .



TAYLOR'S INEQUALITY

■ 1. Find Taylor's inequality for the function.

$$f(x) = 5\cos x$$

Solution:

Modify Taylor's inequality to state that

If
$$|f^{n+1}(x)| \le M$$
 for $|x| \le d$, then $|R_n(x)| \le \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x|^{n+1}$ for $|x| \le d$.

The function $y = \cos x$ is represented by

$$\cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

So $f(x) = 5 \cos x$ is represented by

$$5\cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 5x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

Take the first few derivatives of $f(x) = 5 \cos x$ in order to find a value for $f^{(n+1)}(x)$.

$$n = 0$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{0+1}(x) = f^{1}(x) = f'(x) = -5 \sin x$

$$n = 1$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{1+1}(x) = f^2(x) = f''(x) = -5\cos x$



$$n = 2$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{2+1}(x) = f^3(x) = f'''(x) = 5 \sin x$

$$n = 3$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{3+1}(x) = f^4(x) = f''''(x) = 5\cos x$

$$n = 4$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{4+1}(x) = f^5(x) = f''''(x) = -5 \sin x$

Then

$$|f^{(n+1)}(x)| \le 5\cos x \text{ or } |f^{(n+1)}(x)| \le 5\sin x$$

Since both $\cos x$ and $\sin x$ exist only between -1 and 1, both $5\cos x$ and $5\sin x$ exist only between -5 and 5. So

$$-5 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le 5$$

But the absolute value in the inequality requires only positive values, so

$$0 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le 5$$

■ 2. Find Taylor's inequality for the function.

$$f(x) = 3\sin x$$

Solution:

Modify Taylor's inequality to state that

If
$$|f^{n+1}(x)| \le M$$
 for $|x| \le d$, then $|R_n(x)| \le \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x|^{n+1}$ for $|x| \le d$.

The function $y = \sin x$ is represented by

$$\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

So $f(x) = 3 \sin x$ is represented by

$$3\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 3x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

Take the first few derivatives of $f(x) = 5 \cos x$ in order to find a value for $f^{(n+1)}(x)$.

$$n = 0 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{0+1}(x) = f^{1}(x) = f'(x) = 3\cos x$$

$$n = 1 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{1+1}(x) = f^{2}(x) = f''(x) = -3\sin x$$

$$n = 2 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{2+1}(x) = f^{3}(x) = f'''(x) = -3\cos x$$

$$n = 3 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{3+1}(x) = f^{4}(x) = f''''(x) = 3\sin x$$

$$n = 4 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{4+1}(x) = f^{5}(x) = f'''''(x) = 3\cos x$$

Then

$$|f^{(n+1)}(x)| \le 3\cos x \text{ or } |f^{(n+1)}(x)| \le 3\sin x$$

Since both $\cos x$ and $\sin x$ exist only between -1 and 1, both $3\cos x$ and $3\sin x$ exist only between -3 and 3.

$$-3 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le 3$$



But the absolute value in the inequality requires only positive values, so

$$0 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le 3$$

■ 3. Find Taylor's inequality for the function.

$$f(x) = 7\sin x + 5$$

Solution:

Modify Taylor's inequality to state that

If
$$|f^{n+1}(x)| \le M$$
 for $|x| \le d$, then $|R_n(x)| \le \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x|^{n+1}$ for $|x| \le d$.

The function $y = \sin x$ is represented by

$$\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

So $f(x) = 7 \sin x + 5$ is represented by

$$7\sin x + 5 = 5 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 7x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

Take the first few derivatives of $f(x) = 7 \sin x + 5$ in order to find a value for $f^{(n+1)}(x)$.

$$n = 0$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{0+1}(x) = f^{1}(x) = f'(x) = 7\cos x$



$$n = 1$$

$$f^{n+1}(x) = f^{1+1}(x) = f^{2}(x) = f''(x) = -7 \sin x$$

$$n = 2$$

$$f^{n+1}(x) = f^{2+1}(x) = f^{3}(x) = f'''(x) = -7 \cos x$$

$$n = 3$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{3+1}(x) = f^4(x) = f''''(x) = 7 \sin x$

$$n = 4$$
 $f^{n+1}(x) = f^{4+1}(x) = f^5(x) = f''''(x) = 7\cos x$

Then

$$|f^{(n+1)}(x)| \le 7\cos x \text{ or } |f^{(n+1)}(x)| \le 7\sin x$$

Since both $\cos x$ and $\sin x$ exist only between -1 and 1, both $7\cos x$ and $7\sin x$ exist only between -7 and 7.

$$-7 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le 7$$

But the absolute value in the inequality requires only positive values, so

$$0 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le 7$$

■ 4. Find Taylor's inequality for the function.

$$f(x) = \pi \cos x$$

Solution:

Modify Taylor's inequality to state that

If
$$|f^{n+1}(x)| \le M$$
 for $|x| \le d$, then $|R_n(x)| \le \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x|^{n+1}$ for $|x| \le d$.

The function $y = \cos x$ is represented by

$$\cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

So $f(x) = \pi \cos x$ is represented by

$$\pi \cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \pi x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

Take the first few derivatives of $f(x) = \pi \cos x$ in order to find a value for $f^{(n+1)}(x)$.

$$n = 0 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{0+1}(x) = f^{1}(x) = f'(x) = -\pi \sin x$$

$$n = 1 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{1+1}(x) = f^{2}(x) = f''(x) = -\pi \cos x$$

$$n = 2 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{2+1}(x) = f^{3}(x) = f'''(x) = \pi \sin x$$

$$n = 3 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{3+1}(x) = f^{4}(x) = f''''(x) = \pi \cos x$$

$$n = 4 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{4+1}(x) = f^{5}(x) = f''''(x) = -\pi \sin x$$

Then

$$\left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le \pi \cos x \text{ or } \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le \pi \sin x$$

Since both $\cos x$ and $\sin x$ exist only between -1 and 1, both $\pi \cos x$ and $\pi \sin x$ exist only between $-\pi$ and π .

$$-\pi \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le \pi$$

But the absolute value in the inequality requires only positive values, so

$$0 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le \pi$$

■ 5. Find Taylor's inequality for the function.

$$f(x) = e \sin x$$

Solution:

Modify Taylor's inequality to state that

If
$$|f^{n+1}(x)| \le M$$
 for $|x| \le d$, then $|R_n(x)| \le \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x|^{n+1}$ for $|x| \le d$.

The function $y = \sin x$ is represented by

$$\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

So $f(x) = e \sin x$ is represented by

$$e \sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n e^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

Take the first few derivatives of $f(x) = e \sin x$ in order to find a value for $f^{(n+1)}(x)$.



$$n = 0 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{0+1}(x) = f^{1}(x) = f'(x) = e \cos x$$

$$n = 1 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{1+1}(x) = f^{2}(x) = f''(x) = -e \sin x$$

$$n = 2 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{2+1}(x) = f^{3}(x) = f'''(x) = -e \cos x$$

$$n = 3 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{3+1}(x) = f^{4}(x) = f''''(x) = e \sin x$$

$$n = 4 f^{n+1}(x) = f^{4+1}(x) = f^{5}(x) = f''''(x) = e \cos x$$

Then

$$\left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le e \cos x \text{ or } \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le e \sin x$$

Since both $\cos x$ and $\sin x$ exist only between -1 and 1, both $e \cos x$ and $e \sin x$ exist only between -e and e.

$$-e \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le e$$

But the absolute value in the inequality requires only positive values, so

$$0 \le \left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \le e$$





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