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Application of Derivative :

$$y = f(x)$$

- ① Domain: $f(x)$ value of x for which $f(x)$ exists.
- ② Intercepts: It is where curve meets x -axis and y -axis

at $y=0$ find the x -intercept
put $y=0$, find the y -intercept

(3) Symmetry: \rightarrow Symmetric about y -axis, $f(x) = f(-x)$.
 \rightarrow Symmetric about origin, $f(-x) = -f(x)$.

(4) Asymptote: Rational function, logarithmic, exponential functions has a asymptote.

(5) Horizontal Asymptote: if either $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = h$ or $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = l$

then $y = d$ is horizontal asymptote of curve $y = f(x)$.

(6) Vertical Asymptote: A line $x = a$ is vertical asymptote of $y = f(x)$ if either $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = \pm \infty$ or $\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = \pm \infty$.

Interval of Increasing and Decreasing:

find the critical points by using $f'(x) = 0$ and $f'(x) = \infty$ and find the interval of increasing and decreasing.

Local Maxima and Minima Points:

→ local Maxima → A point is called at that point

where sign is changed from +ve to -ve .

→ local Minima → A point is obtained where sign from -ve to +ve ↑

Concavity and Point of Inflection:

point of Inflection \rightarrow Point where concavity changes
(Changes from +ve to -ve or -ve to +ve)

We can find the interval of concave up and concave down by computing $f''(x) = 0$ and $f''(x) = \infty$.

Curve Sketching

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x + 3$$

Given,

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x + 3$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 3x(x-1) \\ \Rightarrow & 3(x-1)(x+1) \end{aligned}$$

for critical points,

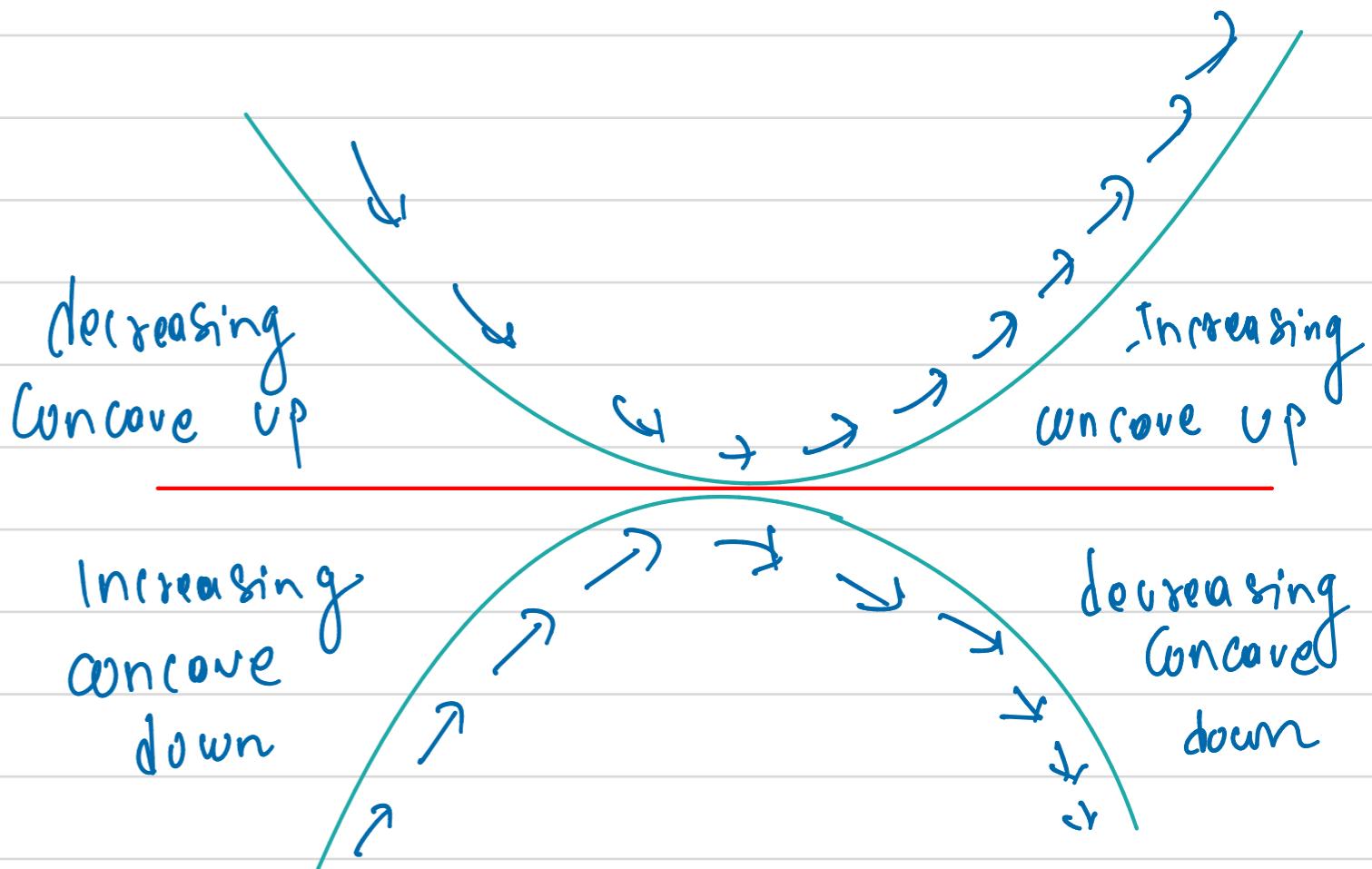
$$f'(x) = 0.$$

$$= 3(0)^2 - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow -3$$

But

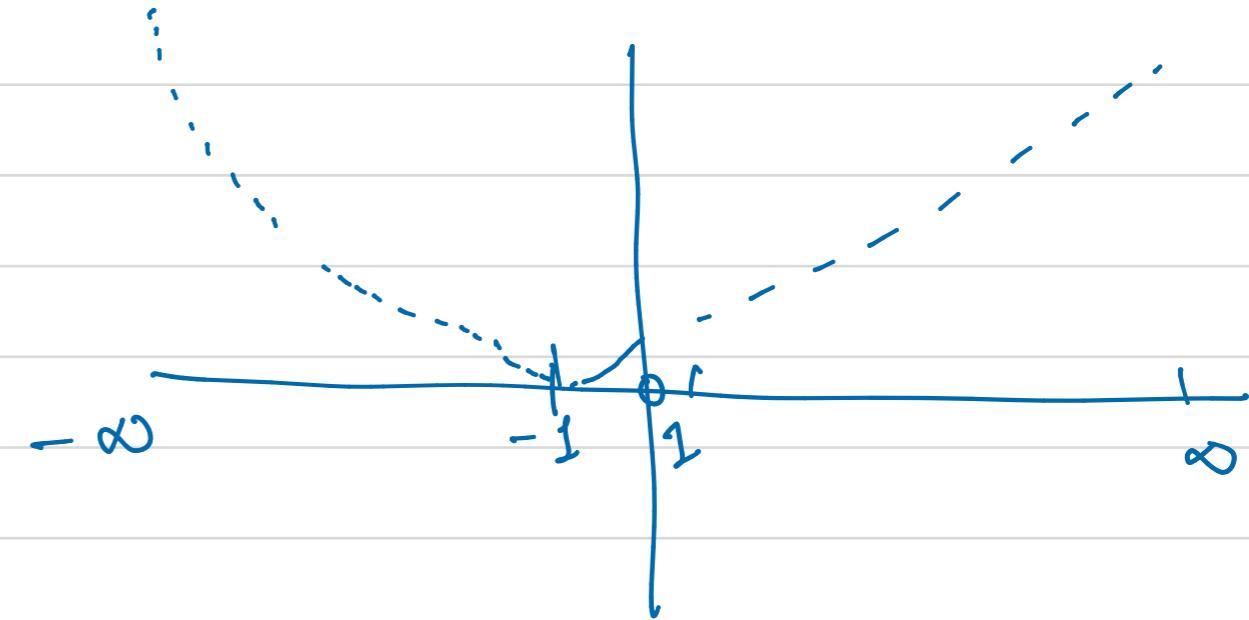
we



$$f'(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(x-1)(x+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = 1, -1}$$



Interval	(-\infty, -1)	(-1, 1)	(1, \infty)
Sign of f'	+ve	-ve	+ve
Nature of f	Increasing	Decreasing	Increasing

Thus, the maxima occur at $x = -1$ and $(-1, f(-1)) = (-1, 5)$ is maximum point. And minima occur at $x = 1$ i.e. $(1, f(1)) = (1, 1)$ is minimum point.

for point of Inflection,

$$f''(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x \Rightarrow 0$$

$$\boxed{x \Rightarrow 0}$$

Interval	$(-\infty, 0)$	$(0, \infty)$
Sign of f''	-ve	+ve
Nature of f	Concave down	Concave up

thus, point of inflection occur at $x=0$ so $(0, f(0)) = (0, 3)$ is the point of inflection.

Summarizing above two tables:

$(-\infty, -1)$	$(-1, 0)$	$(0, 1)$	$(1, \infty)$
Increasing Concave down	Decreasing Concave down	Decreasing) Concave up	Increasing Concave up

Optimization Problems: [problems from business, mathematics and economics]

To optimize something means to maximize or minimize some aspect of it; So in this unit we have learned to find the

Maximum and minimum values of a function of interest (for example maximum profit, minimum cost)

In this section, we solve the optimization problems from business / mathematics and economics

Before that we must review how find the local and absolute maxima and minima.

To find the local maxima and minima of the function:

Step 1: find the critical point: Evaluate $f'(x)$ and

Solve $f'(x) = 0$. Say $x = a, b, c, \dots$ are solutions. (There are critical points)

Step 2: Evaluate $f''(x)$ and $f''(a)$.

- If $f''(a) < 0$ then at $x = a$ maxima occurs and $f(a)$ is maximum value of $f(x)$.
- If $f''(a) > 0$ then at $x = a$ minima and $f(a)$ is minimum value $f(x)$.

Repeat this for all critical points $x = a, b, c, \dots$

Critical points: A point where f' is undefined or zero.

To find the Absolute Maxima and Minima of function
defined on $[a, b]$.

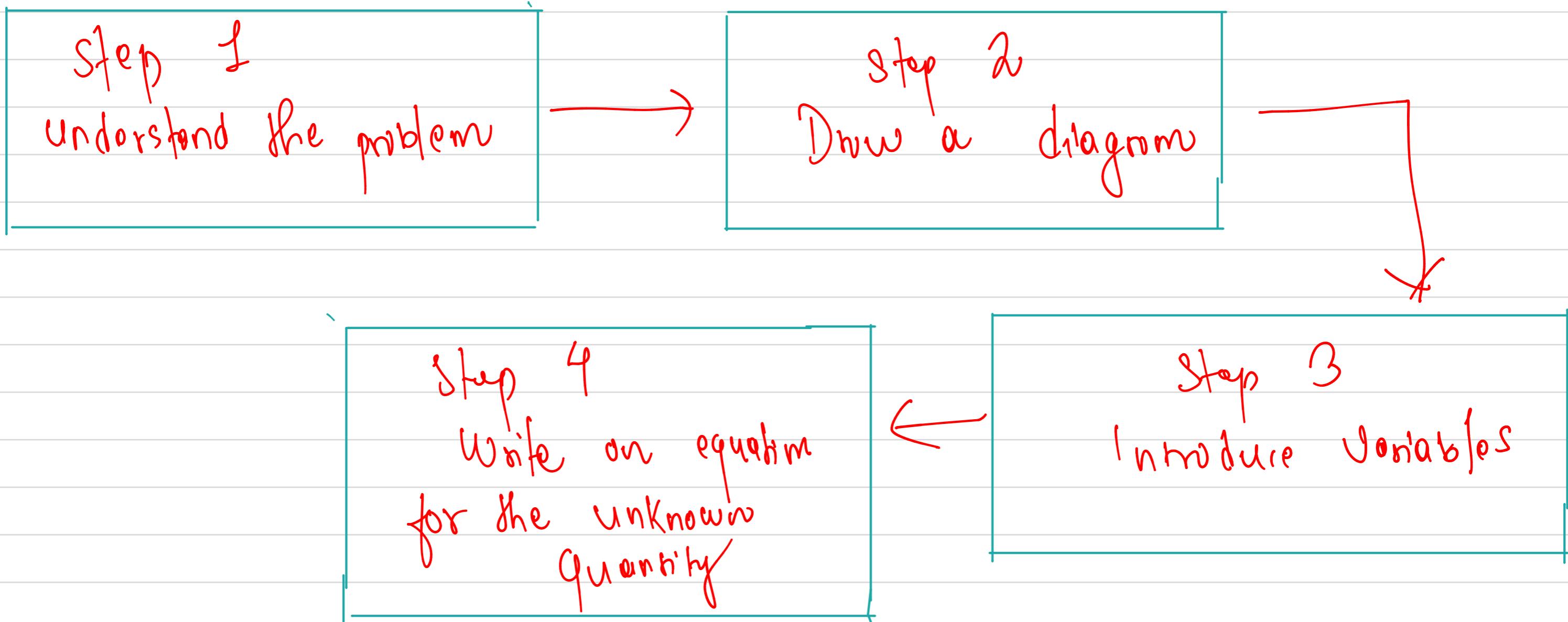
Step I: find the critical point. Evaluate $f'(x)$ and solve $f'(x) = 0$.

Take all those critical points which lies
on $[a, b]$.

Step II: find $f(a)$, $f(b)$ and $f(c)$, $\forall c \in [a, b]$, c is
critical points. The greatest value among them is called

absolute minimum value of $f(x)$.

Guideline for Solving Optimization Problems



Example: $f(x) = 3x^3 - 2x^2$

$$f'(x) = 9x^2 - 4x \quad \text{--- eqn } \textcircled{a}$$

Solving the eqn \textcircled{a} we get

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= 9x^2 - 4x \\ &\equiv x(9x - 4) \end{aligned}$$

$$\equiv x(9x - 4)$$

$$[x=0]$$

$$9x - 4 = 0$$

$$9x = 4$$

$$\left. x = \frac{4}{9} \right]$$

Critical points are at $x = 0$ and $x = \frac{4}{9}$.

$$f'(x) = 9x^2 - 4x$$

$$f''(x) = 18x - 4$$

Evaluate for each $f''(x)$ at each critical points,
at $x = 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= 18x_0 - 4 \\ &= -4 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since $f''(x)$ or $f''(0) = -4 < 0$ local maxima ($x = 0$).

$$\text{At } x = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f''\left(\frac{4}{9}\right) &= 18 \times \left(\frac{4}{9}\right) - 4 \\ &\Rightarrow 4 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion:

The critical points are $x = 0$ and $x = 4$.
for $f'(x) = 9x^2 - 4x$ or $f(x) = 3x^3 - 2x^2$

Newton's Method:

Method to find the solution of polynomial $f(x) = 0$
of degree 5 and more and type of $\sin x = x^2$ is called
Newton's method or Newton-Raphson Method.

Slope of tangent at $(x_1, f(x_1))$ is $f'(x_1)$ & it's
equation is

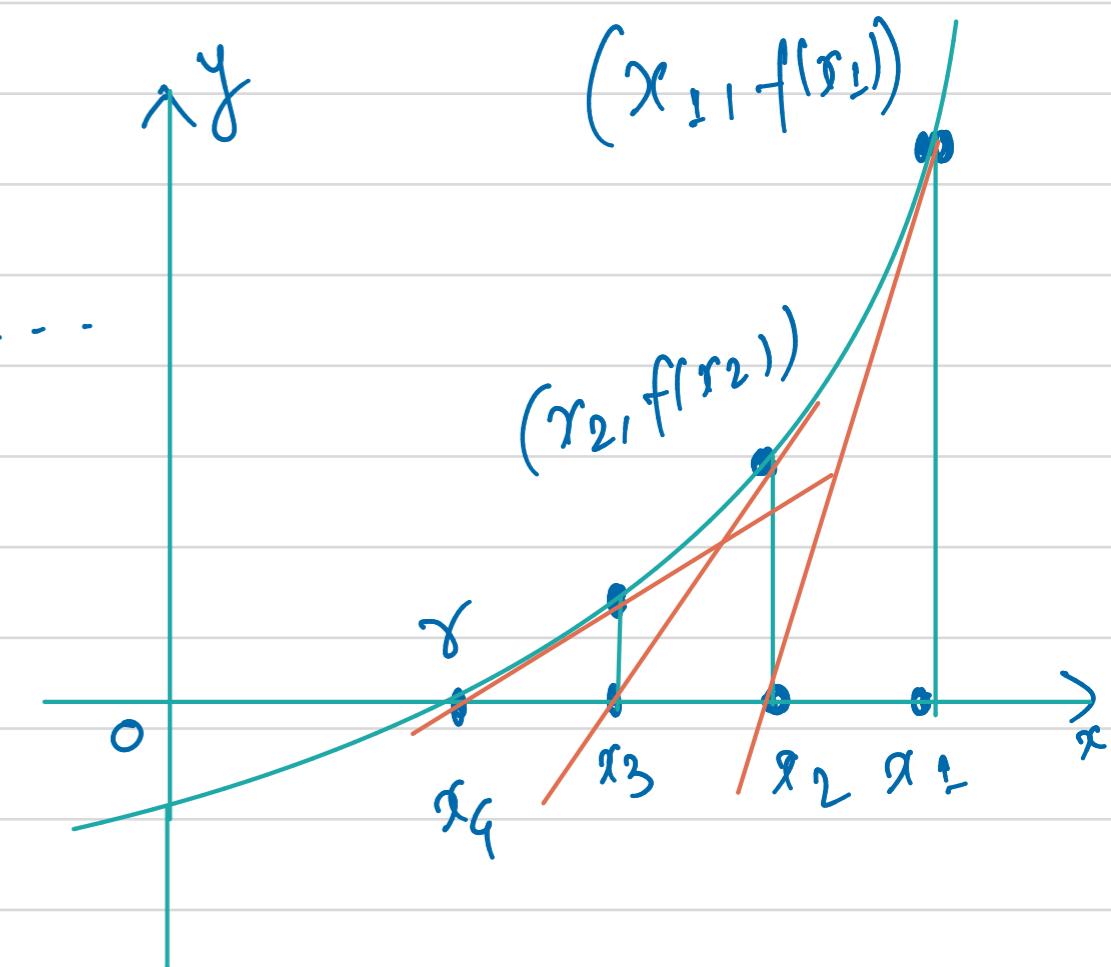
$$y - f(x_1) = f'(x_1)(x - x_1)$$

To find where it meet x -axis put $y=0$

$$0 - f(x_1) = f'(x_1)(x_2 - x_1)$$

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$
 for $f'(x_1) \neq 0$

If we repeat this process we obtain a sequence of approximation $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, x_{n+1}$ and n^{th} approximation is x_n and for $f'(x_n) \neq 0$ the $n+1^{\text{th}}$ approximation is x_{n+1}



$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} ; \quad f'(x_n) \neq 0$$

Example: Use Newton's Method with initial approximation

$x_1 = 1$ find the third approximation x_3 to the root of the equation.

$$f(x) = x^5 - x - 1 = 0$$

$$f'(x) = 5x^4 - 1$$

By N-R method,

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_n - \frac{x_n^5 - x_{n-1}}{5x_n^4 - 1}$$

When $x_n = 1$

then $x_2 = 1 - \frac{1^5 - 1}{5 \cdot 1^4 - 1}$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \frac{1 - 1 - 1}{5 - 1}$$

$$\left[x_2 = 1.25 \right]$$

then $x_3 = x_2 - \frac{x_2^5 - x_2 - 1}{5x_2^4 - 1}$

$$\Rightarrow 1.25 - \frac{(1.25)^5 - 1.25 - 1}{5(1.25)^4 - 1}$$

$$x_3 \Rightarrow 1.1785$$

\therefore if we repeat we get convergence at some x_n iteration.