

LEC 39. 2025.1.4.

Review of power series.

$$f(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots$$

One Caution: there is a number R , $0 \leq R \leq \infty$

$|x| < R$, $f(x)$ is converge

$|x| > R$, $f(x)$ is diverge. R called

radius of convergence

for $|x| < R$, $f(x)$ has all derivative

& $a_n = \frac{f^{(n)}(0)}{n!}$ [Taylor's formula]

$$f(x) = f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f'''(0)}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$

(只在收敛半径内可展开)

How to get the radius of

Example: $f(x) = e^x$

convergence:

USE Ratio Test

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| < 1$$

$$f'(x) = f''(x) = e^x \dots$$

$$f(x) = 1 + x + \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \frac{1}{4!}x^4 + \dots + \frac{1}{n!}x^n$$

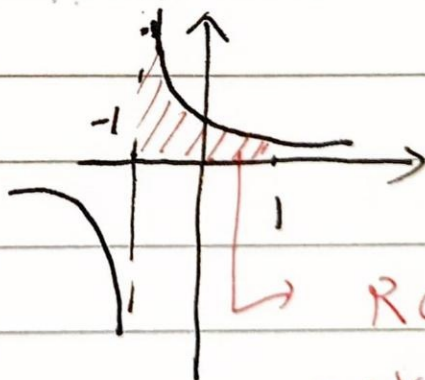
($R = \infty$)

Ex2:

geo series

$$\frac{1}{1+x} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \dots$$

$R=1$



$R \in (0, 1)$

$0 < x < 1$

Ex3:

radio test: ~~taylor~~ $\frac{1}{1+x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^n$

radius of convergence

$$L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+1} x^{n+1}}{(-1)^n x^n} \right| = x, \quad |L| < 1 \rightarrow \text{converge}$$

\therefore radius of convergence: $|x| < 1$

Ex 3. $\sin(x)$

$\sin(x)$ $f'(x) = \cos x$, $f''(x) = -\sin x$, $f'''(x) = -\cos x$

$f^{(4)}(x) = f^{(4)}(x) = \sin x$

$\therefore \sin(x) = x - \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \frac{1}{5!}x^5 - \frac{1}{7!}x^7 \dots$

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

$\rightarrow n \rightarrow \infty$

$R = \infty$

$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty}$

$\frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = \frac{x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5} \dots \frac{x}{(2n+1)}$

$n \rightarrow \infty$, but x is fixed

For any x , x is inside of radius of convergence

New Power Series from Old

① Multiply

$x \cdot \sin x$

$x: a_n = 1$

\hookrightarrow just like polynomials and multiply them

$= x^2 - \frac{x^4}{3!} + \frac{x^6}{5!} - \frac{x^8}{7!} + \dots$

R is smaller than two, $R = \infty$

② Differentiation

$\cos(x) = \sin'(x)$

$= 1 - \frac{3x^2}{3!} + \frac{5x^4}{5!} \dots$

$= 1 - \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{4!}x^4$

$R = \infty$

because the power series can just give us the information of function where the function is converge.

③ Integrate

$\ln(1+x) = \int_0^x \frac{dt}{1+t} = \int_0^x (1-t+t^2-t^3+\dots)dt$

$(x > -1)$

$= [t - \frac{1}{2}t^2 + \frac{1}{3}t^3 - \frac{1}{4}t^4 \dots]_0^x$

$= x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4 \dots$

$(R=1)$

④ Substitution

$$e^{-t^2}, \quad x = -t^2 \text{ in } e^x$$

$$e^{-t^2} = 1 + (-t^2) + \frac{(-t^2)^2}{2!} + \frac{(-t^2)^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 - t^2 + \frac{t^4}{2!} - \frac{t^6}{3!} + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-t^2)^i}{i!} \cdot (-1)^i$$

$$\text{erf}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x e^{-t^2} dt \rightarrow \left(\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}\right)$$

$$(\text{so that } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \text{erf}(x) = 1)$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left(x - \frac{1}{3} x^3 + \frac{x^5}{5 \cdot 2!} - \frac{x^7}{7 \cdot 3!} + \dots \right)$$