

Proof (differentiability \Rightarrow continuity)

Let $x \neq a$ and x is in the domain of f .

We may write:

$$f(x) = f(a) + \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} \cdot (x - a)$$

$$f(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a) + \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} \cdot (x - a) = f(a)$$

$\overset{\text{diff.}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow a}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} = f'(a)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (x - a) = 0$$

$$= 0$$

\Rightarrow by def. f is continuous in a \square