

(5) 函数 $f(x) = (x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3}$ 在 $[-1, 1]$ 上不连续的点的个数为 ()
A. 0 B. 1 C. 2 D. 3

$g(x) = (x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3} (x^2 - x) = (x^2 - x)(x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3}$
若 $g(x) \neq 0$ 时, $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{(x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3}}{(x^2 - x)(x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3}} = \frac{1}{x^2 - x}$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{g(x) - g(-1)}{x - (-1)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{(x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3} (x^2 - x) - (-1)^{1/3} (-1 - 2)}{x + 1} = 0$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{g(x) - g(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3} (x^2 - x) - (-2)^{1/3} (0 - 0)}{x} \neq 0$

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{g(x) - g(1)}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x^2 - x - 2)^{1/3} (x^2 - x) - (-1)^{1/3} (1 - 1)}{x - 1} \neq 0$

三、例题讲解

例 1 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^2} = 0$

例 2 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} = \infty$

例 3 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x f(x)$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} = \infty$

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例 4 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x^2} - 0}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^3} = \infty$

例 5 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot x = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} = \infty$

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例 6 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^2$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^2 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot x^2 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} 1 = 1$

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例 7 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^3$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^3 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot x^3 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x = 0$

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例 8 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^4$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^4 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot x^4 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 = 0$

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例 9 设 $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, 求 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^5$

解: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0} \cdot x^5 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot x^5 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^3 = 0$

Corollary 2 (Criterion for a function to be constant) A function that is continuous on a closed interval $[a, b]$ is constant on it if and only if its derivative equals zero at every point of the interval $[a, b]$ (or only the open interval $]a, b[$).

Proof: " \Rightarrow " Obviously.

" \Leftarrow " $\forall x_1, x_2 \in [a, b]$, By Lagrange's Theorem, there exists ξ between x_1, x_2 such that
 $f(x_1) - f(x_2) = f'(\xi)(x_1 - x_2)$. Since $f'(\xi) = 0$ in (a, b) ,
 it follows that $f(x_1) - f(x_2) = 0 \cdot (x_1 - x_2) = 0$, i.e. $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$.
 Hence, $f(x) \equiv C, \forall x \in [a, b]$.

Proposition 2 (Cauchy's finite-increment theorem) Let $x = x(t)$ and $y = y(t)$ be functions that are continuous on a closed interval $[\alpha, \beta]$ and differentiable on the open interval $] \alpha, \beta [$.

Then there exists a point $\tau \in] \alpha, \beta [$ such that

$$\frac{y(\beta) - y(\alpha)}{x(\beta) - x(\alpha)} = y'(\tau) \frac{x(\beta) - x(\alpha)}{x'(\tau)}.$$

If in addition $x'(t) \neq 0$ for each $t \in] \alpha, \beta [$, then $x(\alpha) \neq x(\beta)$ and we have the equality

$$\frac{y(\beta) - y(\alpha)}{x(\beta) - x(\alpha)} = \frac{y'(\tau)}{x'(\tau)}. \quad (5.48)$$

Proof: $x'(\tau)(y(\beta) - y(\alpha)) = y'(\tau)(x(\beta) - x(\alpha))$

$$\Leftrightarrow x'(\tau)(y(\beta) - y(\alpha)) - y'(\tau)(x(\beta) - x(\alpha)) = 0.$$

Let $F(t) = x(t)[y(\beta) - y(\alpha)] - y(t)[x(\beta) - x(\alpha)]$

$$\begin{aligned} F(\alpha) &= x(\alpha)[y(\beta) - y(\alpha)] - y(\alpha)[x(\beta) - x(\alpha)] \\ &= x(\alpha)y(\beta) - x(\alpha)y(\alpha) - x(\beta)y(\alpha) + x(\alpha)y(\alpha) \\ &= x(\alpha)y(\beta) - x(\beta)y(\alpha). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(\beta) &= x(\beta)[y(\beta) - y(\alpha)] - y(\beta)[x(\beta) - x(\alpha)] \\ &= x(\beta)y(\beta) - x(\beta)y(\alpha) - x(\beta)y(\beta) + x(\alpha)y(\beta) \\ &= x(\alpha)y(\beta) - x(\beta)y(\alpha) \end{aligned}$$

$F(\alpha) = F(\beta)$. By Rolle's Theorem, there exists

$\tau \in (\alpha, \beta)$ such that $F'(\tau) = 0, \dots$

$$\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)} = \frac{f'(\xi)}{g'(\xi)} \Rightarrow f'(\xi) = 0$$

$$\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(a)} = \frac{f'(\xi)}{g'(\xi)} \quad \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = \frac{f'(\xi)}{1}$$

$g(x) = x$ $f(b) - f(a) = f'(\xi)(b - a)$

$$\frac{y(\beta) - y(\alpha)}{x(\beta) - x(\alpha)} = \frac{y'(\tau)}{x'(\tau)}.$$

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

