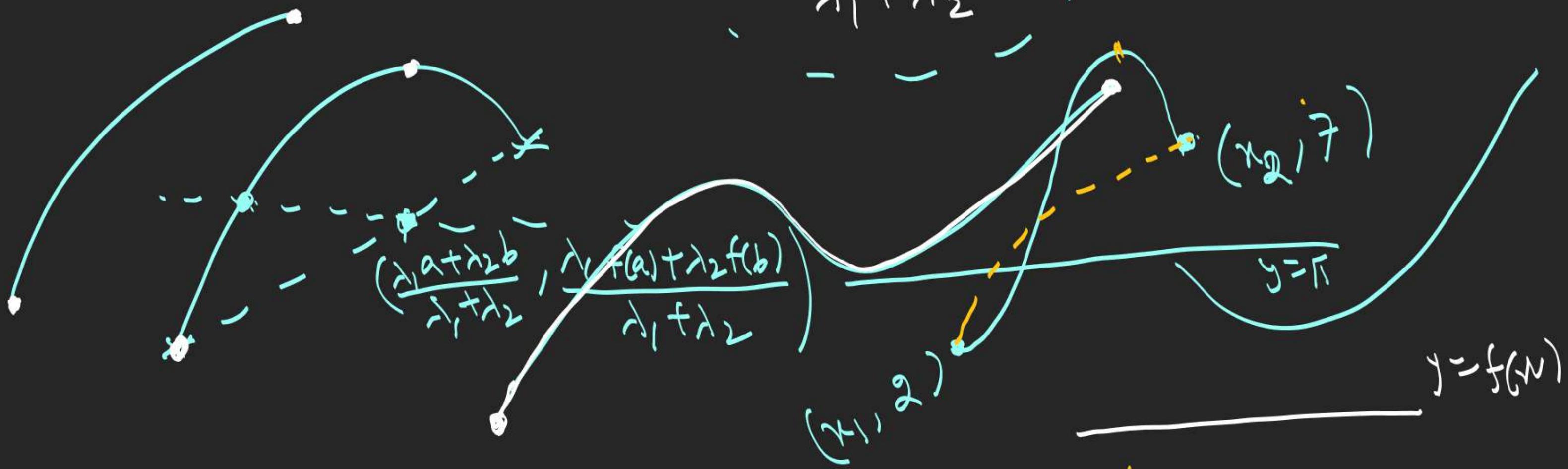


# Intermediate Value Theorem

Let  $f(x)$  is continuous in  $[a, b]$ , then  $\exists c \in [a, b]$

such that  $f(c) = \frac{\lambda_1 f(a) + \lambda_2 f(b)}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}$ , where  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$ .



Let  $f$  is cont. in  $\underline{[a,b]}$ , then in <sup>interval</sup>  $[a,b]$

- $f$  will attain a maximum & minimum value.

- Range of  $f(x)$  is closed interval or  $\{m\}$

$$\text{I) } \begin{cases} m = \min(f(x)) \\ M = \max(f(x)) \end{cases}$$

Then  $\exists c \in [a,b] , f(c) = \frac{\lambda_1 m + \lambda_2 M}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}, \lambda_1 > 0, \lambda_2 > 0$

$\vdash$  Show that function  $f(x) = \frac{(x-a)^2(x-b)^2}{(x-a)^2 + x}$   
 takes the value  $\frac{a+b}{2}$  for some  $x \in [a, b]$

$$\Rightarrow g(c) = 0 \text{ for some } c \in (0, 1)$$

$f(x)$  is continuous.

$$g(0) = -1 \quad f(a) = a$$

$$g(1) = \underline{0+2-1} = 1 \quad f(b) = b$$

$$\exists c \in [a, b], f(c) = \frac{f(a)+f(b)}{2}$$

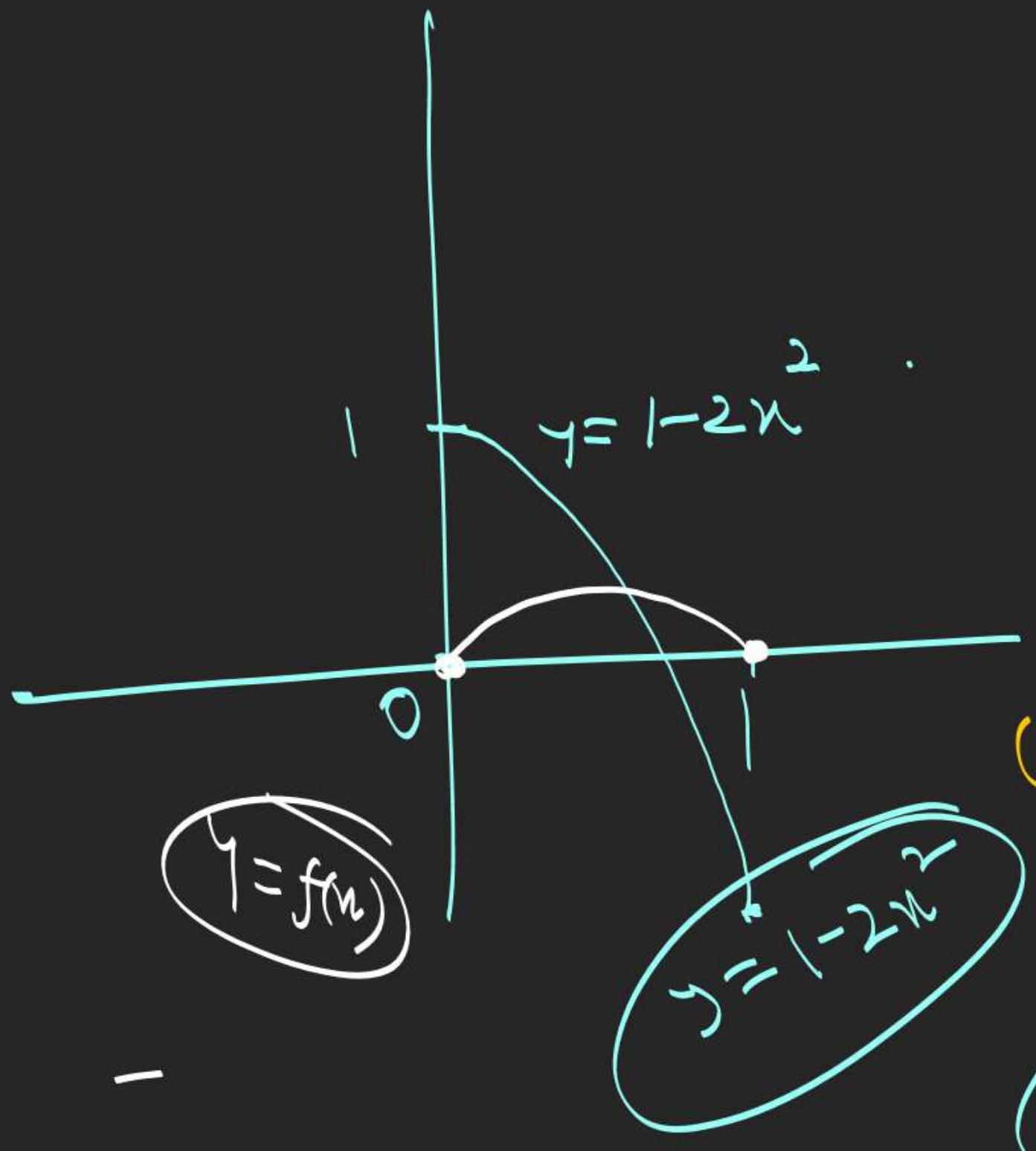
$$\boxed{\text{Using I V T}} = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

2. Let  $f(x)$  is continuous in  $[0, 1]$  and  $f(0) = 0$ ,

$f(1) = 0$ , then P.T.  $f(c) = 1 - 2c^2$  for some

$$\Rightarrow c \in (0, 1)$$

$$g(x) = \boxed{\frac{f(c)+2c^2-1}{f(x)+(2x^2-1)}} \quad g \text{ is conf. in } [0, 1]$$



$$f(x) =$$

$$g(x) =$$

$$\bullet (x_2, f)$$

$f$  is cont. in  $[x_1, x_2]$

$$(x_1, 2)$$

$$y = f(x)$$

$$y = 1 - 2x^2$$

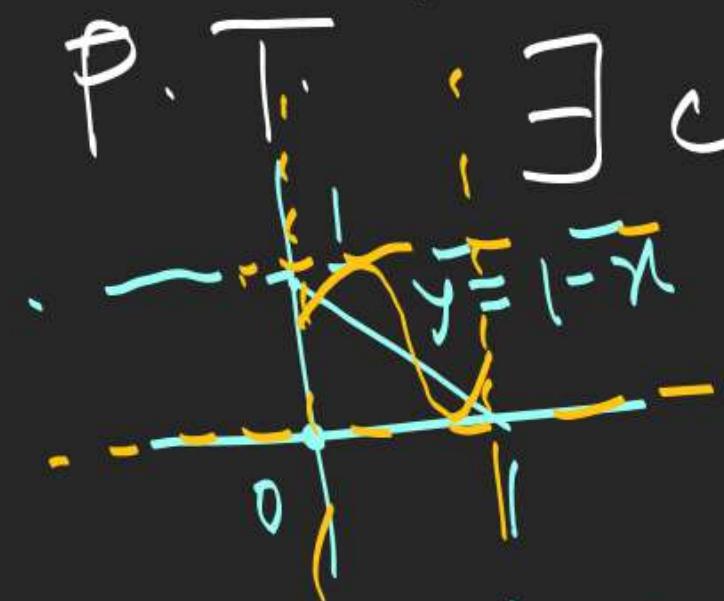
$$c \in (x_1, x_2), f(c) = \bar{f}$$

$$\underline{f(c) = 1 - 2c^2}$$

3:

Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  be continuous and onto function. P.T.  $\exists c \in [0, 1]$  such that

$$f(c) = 1 - c$$



$$g(x) = f(x) + x - 1 \quad g \text{ is cont. in } [0, 1]$$

$$g(0) = f(0) - 1 \leq 0$$

$$g(1) = f(1) \geq 0$$

$$g(c) = 0 \text{ for some } c \in [0, 1]$$



4. Show that  $x = a \sin x + b$  where  $0 < a < 1, b > 0$   
has at least one positive root which doesn't exceed  $b+a$ .

$$f(x) = x - a \sin x - b \quad f \text{ is cont. } \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$f(0) = -b < 0$$

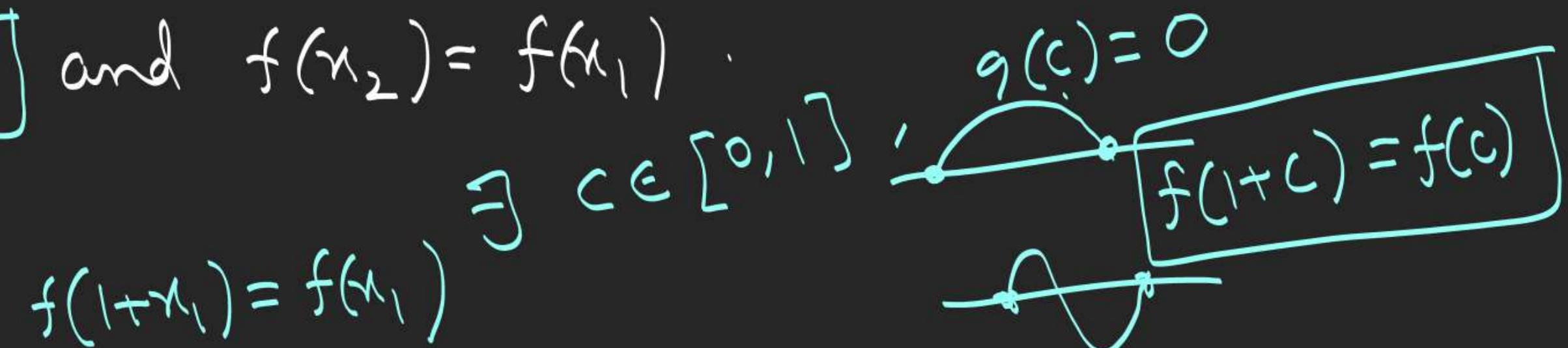
$$f(a+b) = (a+b) - a \sin(a+b) - b = a \underbrace{(1 - \sin(a+b))}_{\geq 0}$$

$$\exists c \in (0, a+b], f(c) = 0.$$

5. Let  $f: \overline{[0, 2]} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous and  $f(0) = f(2)$ .

P.T. there exists  $x_1, x_2$  in  $[0, 2]$  such that

$$\boxed{x_2 - x_1 = 1} \text{ and } f(x_2) = f(x_1)$$



$$f(1+x_1) = f(x_1)$$

$$g(x) = f(x+1) - f(x)$$

$g$  is continuous in  $[0, 1]$

$$g(0) = f(1) - f(0)$$

$$g(1) = f(2) - f(1) = f(0) - f(1)$$

# Continuity of Composite Function

Smt → Proficiency Test

Limits → Ex-5 (1-13)

• Let  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x=a$ .

& •  $y=g(x)$  is continuous at  $x=f(a)$

$\Rightarrow g(f(x))$  is continuous at  $x=a$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(\underbrace{f(x)}_{f(a)^- = f(a)}) \rightarrow f(a)^+ = g(f(a))$$