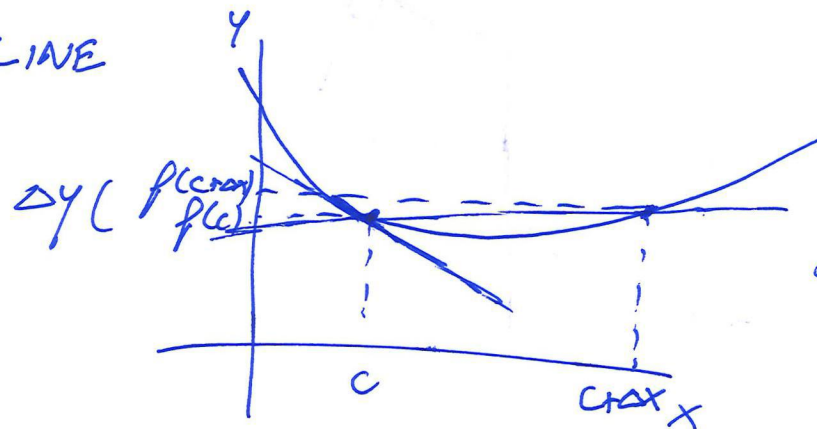


LECTURE 3: DIFFERENTIATION

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TANGENT LINE



CHORD SECANT LINE. $ax + b$.

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

"TOUCHES" GRAPH OF f AT $x=c$.

SLOPE: $a = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c+\Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x} \rightsquigarrow \frac{0}{0}$

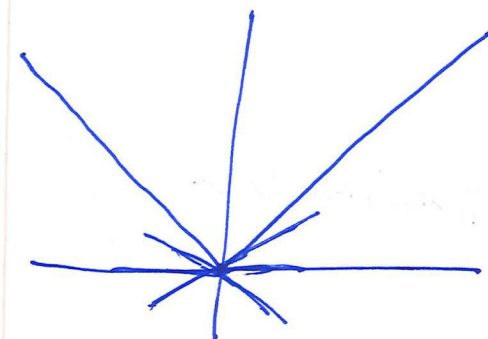
WE NEED: $\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} f(c+\Delta x) = f(c)$ f MUST BE CONTINUOUS

EXAMPLE: NO TANGENT LINE: $f(x) = |x|$ IN $x=0$.

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|0+\Delta x| - |0|}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-\Delta x}{\Delta x} = -1$$

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|0+\Delta x| - |0|}{\Delta x} = 1$$

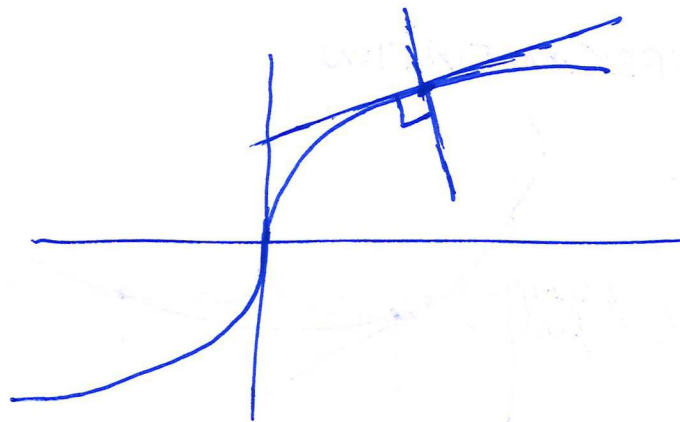
f MUST BE "SMOOTH" IN C .



$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} \text{ at } x=0.$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt[3]{x+h} - \sqrt[3]{x}}{h} \text{ for } x=0$$

$$= \infty.$$



FIND TANG. LINE OF $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ AT $x=1$. $f(1)=1$.

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{1+h} - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h}{h(\sqrt{1+h} + 1)}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+h} + 1} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x + b.$$

$$\boxed{y = 1 + \frac{1}{2}(x-1)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}$$

TANG. LINE UNIQUE $y = ax + b$ SUCH THAT ~~1~~ $y(c) = f(c)$

\leq SLOPE AT C EQUAL FOR y AND f .

NORMAL : $y(c) = f(c)$

SLOPE: PERPENDICULAR:

$$y = ax + b$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$-\frac{1}{a}, \dots$$

DERIVATIVE: AT EACH POINT c , THE SLOPE OF f HAS A VALUE.
THAT VALUE IS THE DERIVATIVE OF f IN c .

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NOTATION: $f'(c) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c}$

DO THIS FOR EVERY $c \in D$ FOR WHICH THIS LIMIT EXISTS

EX: $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ $D = [0, \infty)$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \dots = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\boxed{f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}, x > 0} \quad D(f') \subseteq D(f)$$

TANGENT LINE: $y = f(c) + f'(c) \cdot (x - c)$.

- $f'(c)$ EXIST : f IS DIFFERENTIABLE AT c
- $f'(c)$ DOES NOT EXIST FOR SOME $c \in D$: c IS A SINGULAR POINT OF f .
- $f'_-(c) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c}$ (LEFT DERIVATIVE)
- $f'_+(c)$ RIGHT DERIVATIVE.

$$\mathcal{D} = [a, b].$$

f is DIFFERENTIABLE IN a IF $f'_+(a)$ EXISTS
 $f'_-(a)$ EXISTS

$$f'(x); y'; \frac{d}{dx} f(x); \frac{dy}{dx}; D_x(f)$$

$$f'(c) = \left. \frac{d}{dx} f(x) \right|_{x=c}$$

EXAMPLES: $f(x) = ax + b \Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a(x+h) + b - (ax + b)}{h}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^h}{h} = a.$$

$$\cdot f(x) = c \Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{c - c}{h} = 0.$$

$$\cdot f(x) = |x| \Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x > 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ \text{D.N.E.} & \text{for } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

• 'GENERAL POWER RULE' : $\frac{d}{dx} x^n = n \cdot x^{n-1} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{R}$ (3)

Proof for $n \in \mathbb{N}$: Use: $a^n - b^n = (a - b)(a^{n-1} + a^{n-2}b + a^{n-3}b^2 + \dots + ab^{n-2} + b^{n-1})$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} x^n &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^n - x^n}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h \cdot ((x+h)^{n-1} + (x+h)^{n-2}x + \dots + (x+h)x^{n-2} + x^{n-1})}{h} \\ &= n \cdot x^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

• $(f+g)'(x) = f'(x) + g'(x)$

• $(k \cdot f)'(x) = k \cdot f'(x)$

Ex: $f = x^5 + 5x^3 - 3\sqrt{x}$

$f'(x) = 5x^4 + 5 \cdot 3x^2 - 3 \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$

PRODUCT RULE: f, g DIFFERENTIABLE $\Rightarrow (f \cdot g)'(x) = f(x) \cdot g'(x) + f'(x) \cdot g(x)$

Proof: $(f \cdot g)'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) \cdot g(x+h) - f(x) \cdot g(x)}{h}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h)g(x+h) - f(x+h)g(x) + f(x+h)g(x) - f(x)g(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(x+h) \cdot \left[\frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} \right] + g(x) \cdot \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

RECIPROCAL RULE: $\left(\frac{1}{f}\right)'(x) = \frac{-f'(x)}{(f(x))^2}$

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PROOF: $\left(\frac{1}{f}\right)'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{f(x+h)} - \frac{1}{f(x)}}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(x+h)}{h \cdot f(x+h) \cdot f(x)}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{f(x) \cdot f(x+h)} \cdot \frac{f(x) - f(x+h)}{h} = \frac{-f'(x)}{(f(x))^2}$$

QUOTIENT RULE: $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{d}{dx} f(x) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{g}\right)'(x)$

$$= f'(x) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{g}\right)'(x) + f(x) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{g}\right)''(x)$$
$$= \dots = \frac{f'(x) \cdot g(x) - f(x) \cdot g'(x)}{(g(x))^2}$$

CHAIN RULE $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 5} \Rightarrow f'(x) = ?$

If $f(x) = g(h(x))$ THEN $f'(x) = g'(h(x)) \cdot h'(x)$

$\rightarrow g(x) = \sqrt{x} ; h(x) = x^2 + 5.$

$$g'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \Rightarrow g'(h(x)) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x^2 + 5}}$$

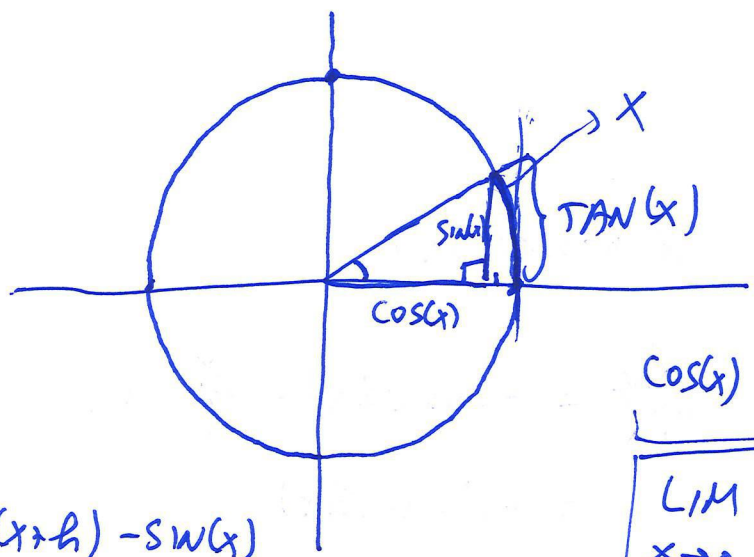
$$h'(x) = 2x$$

$$\text{So } f'(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 5}}$$

OTHER NOTATION: $u = h(x) = x^2 + 5$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \frac{d}{dx} g(u(x)) = \left. \frac{dg}{du} \right|_{u=h(x)} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} = \left. \frac{1}{2\sqrt{u}} \right|_{u=x^2+5} \cdot 2x = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 5}}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x) - 1}{x} = 0$$



$$0 < x < \frac{1}{2}\pi$$

$$\frac{\sin(x)}{x} < \frac{x}{x} < \frac{\tan(x)}{x} = \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)}$$

$$\cos(x) < \frac{\sin(x)}{x} < 1$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)}{x} = 1$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0}$$

$$\frac{\sin(x+h) - \sin(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x) \cdot \cos(h) + \sin(h) \cdot \cos(x) - \sin(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \cos(x) \cdot \frac{\sin(h)}{h} + \sin(x) \cdot \frac{\cos(h) - 1}{h} = \cos(x)$$

$$\sin(a+b) = \sin(a) \cdot \cos(b) + \sin(b) \cdot \cos(a)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cos(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\sin(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan(x) = \frac{d}{dx} \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)} = \frac{\cos(x) \cdot \cos(x) - \sin(x) \cdot (-\sin(x))}{\cos^2(x)} = \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)}$$

~~Theorem:~~

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^x = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x+h} - e^x}{h} = e^x \cdot \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h}$$

e IS "CHOSEN" SUCH THAT $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h} = 1$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln(x) = \frac{1}{x}. \quad \text{Proof: Let } y = \ln(x).$$

$$\text{Then } e^y = e^{\ln(x)} = x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^y = \frac{d}{dx} x = 1$$

$$\parallel$$
$$e^y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} \quad \text{so } \boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}}$$

HIGHER ORDER DERIVATIVES:

$$f''(x) = y'' = \frac{d^2 f}{dx^2} = D_x^2 f$$

EXAMPLE:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \underbrace{e^{-\sin(3x)}}_f$$

$$\frac{df}{du} = e^u$$

$$u = -\sin(3x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{du}{dx} &= -\cos(3x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} 3x \\ &= -3\cos(3x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} e^{-\sin(3x)} &= e^u \Big|_{u=-\sin(3x)} \cdot -3\cos(3x) = e^{-\sin(3x)} \cdot -3\cos(3x) \end{aligned}$$