

THE MOST IMPORTANT
THING IN MATH: YOU CAN
REWRITE EQUATIONS
HOWEVER YOU WANT, BUT
YOU HAVE TO DO THE
SAME THING TO BOTH
SIDES OF THE EQUATION!

The Natural Exponential and Natural Log:

$$e \approx 2.718$$

Exponential Growth:

$$f(t) = Ce^{kt}$$

$$e^b = x$$

$$\log_e(e^b) = \log_e(x)$$

$$b = \log_e(x) = \ln(x)$$

Natural Log Properties:

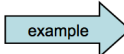
1. $\ln(e^x) = x$
2. $e^{\ln(x)} = x$
3. $\ln(xy) = \ln x + \ln y$
4. $\ln\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \ln(x) - \ln(y)$
5. $\ln(x^n) = n \ln x$

Derivatives: Find Instantaneous Rates of Change (Slope of the Tangent at any point on a function!)

"The long way:"

$$m = f'(x) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x}$$

The derivative gives you the slope at any point on a continuous function. When the x-axis is time, this is a rate.

The Power Rule: $\frac{d}{dx}[x^n] = nx^{n-1}$  $\frac{d}{dx}[x^3] = 3x^2$

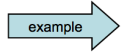
Addition/Subtraction Rules:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) + g(x)] = f'(x) + g'(x)$$

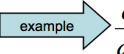
$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) - g(x)] = f'(x) - g'(x)$$

A critical point, i.e. maximum, minimum or 'saddle', occurs when the first derivative = 0. To find critical points, take the first derivative, set equal to zero, and solve for x (can be multiple solutions). To determine whether maximum, minimum, or neither, find whether slope to left and right of the point is increasing or decreasing!

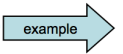
Product Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(x) \cdot g(x)] = f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$$
  $\frac{d}{dx}[x^2(3x-2)] = x^2(3) + (3x-2)(2x)$

Quotient Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right] = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$$
  $\frac{d}{dx}\left[\frac{3x}{x^2-1}\right] = \frac{(x^2-1)(3) - 3x(2x)}{[x^2-1]^2}$

Chain Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}[f(g(x))] = f'(g(x))g'(x)$$
  $\frac{d}{dx}[(3x^2-1)^3] = 3(3x^2-1)^2(6x)$

Derivatives of e^x and $\ln(x)$:

if u is a function of x ,

$$\frac{d}{dx}e^u = e^u \frac{du}{dx} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{d}{dx}\ln(u) = \frac{1}{u} \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{3x}) = 3e^{3x} \quad \frac{d}{dx}(\ln(3x^3-2x)) = \frac{1}{3x^3-2x}(9x-2) = \frac{9x-2}{3x^3-2x}$$

Partial derivatives: If $f(x,y)$ is a function of multiple variables (e.g. x and y), we find the derivative with respect to each variable (treating any others as constants) to find the *partial with respect to that variable*

Function $f(x,y)$

$$f(x,y) = 2xy + y^2 - 8$$

Partial with respect to x

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 2y$$

Partial with respect to y

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2x + 2y$$

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Integration (Solve Differential Equations, Find AREAS under curves!)

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[\int f(x) dx \right] = f(x) \quad \text{Differentiation is the inverse of integration.}$$

$$\int f'(x) dx = f(x) + C \quad \text{Integration is the inverse of differentiation.}$$

Rules of Integration

- if k is a constant, $\int k dx = kx + C$
- if k is a constant, $\int k f(x) dx = k \int f(x) dx$
- $\int [f(x) + g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx + \int g(x) dx$
- $\int [f(x) - g(x)] dx = \int f(x) dx - \int g(x) dx$
- $\int x^n dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + C, n \neq -1$ **example** $\int x^3 dx = \frac{x^4}{4} + C$

Methods of Integration:

The General Power Rule: $\int u^n \frac{du}{dx} dx = \int u^n du = \frac{u^{n+1}}{n+1} + C, n \neq -1$

example $\int 2x(x^2 + 4)^3 dx = \frac{(x^2 + 4)^4}{4} + C$

Exponential Functions:

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a} + C \quad \text{example} \quad \int e^{2x} dx = \frac{e^{2x}}{2} + C$$

$$\int e^u \frac{du}{dx} dx = \int e^u du = e^u + C \quad \text{example} \quad \int 3e^{3x} dx = e^{3x} + C$$

Natural Log as an Integral Solution:

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln|x| + C \quad \text{example} \quad \int \frac{1}{2x} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln|x| + C$$

$$\int \frac{du/dx}{u} dx = \int \frac{1}{u} du = \ln|u| + C \quad \text{example} \quad \int \frac{6x}{3x^2 - 2} dx = \ln|3x^2 - 2| + C$$

Definite Integral: Area under a curve!

$$\int_b^a f(x) dx = F(x) + C$$

example $\int_2^4 2x dx = x^2 \Big|_2^4 = 4^2 - 2^2 = 12$

In words: the total area under the curve $y=2x$ between $x=2$ and $x=4$ is 12.

Multiple Integrals: To find multiple integrals, complete the innermost integral (with respect to the appropriate variable), then take the integral of *that* solution with respect to the appropriate variable

$$\int_1^2 \int_0^3 (2x) dx dy$$

First (innermost) integral:

$$\int_0^3 2x dx = x^2 \Big|_0^3 = 3^2 - 0^2 = 9$$

Second (outermost) integral:

$$\int_1^2 9 dy = 9y \Big|_1^2 = 9 * 2 - 9 * 1 = 9$$

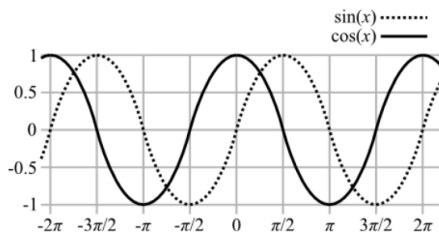
Trigonometry: SOHCAHTOA

2π radians = 360 degrees

$$f(x) = a \sin(bx) + c$$

$$f(x) = a \cos(bx) + c$$

a = amplitude, period = $2\pi/b$, c shifts entire function up or down



Derivatives of sine and cosine functions:

if u is a function of x , then:

$$d/dx (\sin u) = \cos u * du/dx$$

$$d/dx (\cos u) = -\sin u * du/dx$$

Examples:

$$d/dx (2 \cos(4x^2)) = 2 (-\sin(4x^2)) * (8x) = -16x \sin(4x^2)$$

$$d/dx (-5 \sin(3x)) = -5 \cos(3x) * 3 = -15 \cos(3x)$$

General Mass Balance

Accumulation = Input + Generation – Output - Consumption

Steady State

Input + Generation = Output + Consumption

Steady State No Consumption/Generation

Input = Output

Metric Prefixes

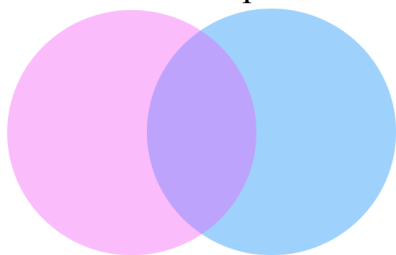
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E	exa	10^{18}	1,000,000,000,000,000,000
P	peta	10^{15}	1,000,000,000,000,000
T	tera	10^{12}	1,000,000,000,000
G	giga	10^9	1,000,000,000
M	mega	10^6	1,000,000
k	kilo	10^3	1,000
h	hecto	10^2	100
da	deka	10^1	10
d	deci	10^{-1}	0.1
c	centi	10^{-2}	0.01
m	milli	10^{-3}	0.001
μ	micro	10^{-6}	0.000,001
n	nano	10^{-9}	0.000,000,001
p	pico	10^{-12}	0.000,000,000,001
f	femto	10^{-15}	0.000,000,000,000,001
a	atto	10^{-18}	0.000,000,000,000,000,001

Significant Figures

- All non-zero numbers are significant
- Zeros before non-zero numbers are NOT significant
- All zeros between non-zero numbers are significant
- Zeros after non-zero numbers are only significant if a decimal point is included
- Addition/Subtraction: Round result to least number of decimal places*
- Multiplication/Division: Result significant figures Should match lowest number of significant figures in values multiplied or divided*
- MAKE REASONABLE DECISIONS ABOUT SIG. FIGS. + BE CONSISTENT**

Basic Probability Theory

1. Draw a picture!



Think of these as physical layers.
How many times is each layer accounted for?

2. Define events + probabilities

Event B: I eat a burrito on a Monday

$\{B\}$ = Burrito on Monday

$P\{B\} = 0.4$

$P\{B^c\} = 0.6$

3. Calculate

Intersection: A and B occur

INTERSECTION: $P\{A \cap B\} = P\{A\} \cdot P\{B\}$

Union: A or B occur (at least one)

UNION: $P\{A \cup B\} = P\{A\} + P\{B\} - P\{A \cap B\}$

*Conditional Probability
(non-independent events)*

$$P\{B|A\} = \frac{P\{A \cap B\}}{P\{A\}}$$

Resources

UCSB Counseling & Psychological Services

<http://caps.sa.ucsb.edu/>

(805) 893-4411 (available 24 hrs)

Graduate Student Resource Center

<http://www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/profdev/home>

(805) 893-2277

Non-Traditional Student Resource Center

<http://wgse.sa.ucsb.edu/nontrad/>

(805) 893-5869

Resource Center for Sexual & Gender Diversity

<http://wgse.sa.ucsb.edu/RCSGD/home>

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CARE Office for Sexual and Gender Based Violence

<http://wgse.sa.ucsb.edu/care/>

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UCSB Health & Wellness

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