

Notes on MAT137 Video Playlist 3

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1 Video Playlist 3

1.1 Define Derivate As Slope

Definition Let $a \in \mathbb{R}$, and $f(x)$ is defined on $(a - \delta, a + \delta)$, then the **derivative** of $f(x)$ at a is,

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

Definition If function is **differentiable** at point $x = a$, if and only if, there exists,

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

Interpretation $f'(a)$ is the slope of tangent line at $x = a$.

1.2 Calculate $f'(x)$ by definition

Example $f(x) = 4x - x^2$, find $f'(1)$:

$$\begin{aligned} f'(1) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(1+h) - f(1)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4(h+1) - (h+1)^2 - 3}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{4h + 4 - 3 - h^2 - 2h - 1}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-h^2 + 2h}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -h + 2 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

1.3 Rate of Change

Definition Define derivative as rate of change. Let $x = f(t)$, then $f'(x)$ can be represented as,

$$\lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} = f'(t) = \frac{dx}{dt}$$

1.4 The Product Rule (Formal Version)

Let $a \in \mathbb{R}$, f and g are functions defined at $(a - \delta, a + \delta)$, let $h(x) = f(x)g(x)$. Then, if $f(x), g(x)$ are differentiable at a , we have,

$$h'(a) = f'(a)g(a) + f(a)g'(a)$$

1.5 Differentiable \implies Continuous

Recall $f(x)$ is **differentiable** at a :

$$\exists \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} \tag{1}$$

Recall $f(x)$ is **continuous** at a :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a) \tag{2}$$

Proof.

Since $f(x)$ is differentiable at a

$$(1) \iff \exists \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

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

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

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

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

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$$

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1.6 Proof of product rule for derivative.

$(fg)' = f'g + fg'$, see above for a formal definition.

Let $h = fg$

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

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

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

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

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

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

$$= g(a)f'(a) + f(a)g'(a)$$

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1.7 Partial proof of differentiation rule

WTS $\frac{d}{dx} x^c = cx^{c-1}, \forall c \in \mathbb{R}$

Here we only prove statements is true $\forall c \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

Proof.

Base: $c = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= x \\ f'(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} 1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Induction step

$$\text{Assume } \frac{d}{dx}[x^k] = kx^{k-1}|_{x=a}$$

$$\text{For } f(x) = x^{k+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx}[x * x^k] \\ &= x^k + xkx^{k-1} \\ &= (k+1)x^k \end{aligned}$$

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1.8 Higher Order Derivatives: Notations

Original function: $f(x)$

- **Lagrange** notation: $f^{(n)}$
- **Leibnitz** notation: $\frac{d^n f}{dx^n}$

1.9 Continuous But Not differentiable

Definition Function $f(x)$ is **non-differentiable** at a .

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} \text{ DNE}$$

Example 1 Corner/Kink $f(x) = |x|$ at 0.

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{|x|}{x} = -1 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{|x|}{x} = 1 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} &\neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \\ \implies \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x} &\text{ DNE} \end{aligned}$$

Example 2 Vertical Tangent Line $g(x) = x^{\frac{1}{3}}$ at 0,

$$g'(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^{\frac{1}{3}}}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x^{\frac{2}{3}}} = \infty (\text{DNE})$$

Caution Difference between **vertical asymptote** and **vertical tangent line**

- Vertical asymptote: $f(a) = \infty$ ($f(a)$ is not defined)
- Vertical tangent line: $f(a)$ is defined, $f'(a)$ is undefined.

1.10 Chain Rule

Derivation

$$\begin{aligned} (g \circ f)'(a) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g(f(x)) - g(f(a))}{x - a} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{g(f(x)) - g(f(a))}{f(x) - f(a)} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} \end{aligned}$$

Attention: we could only apply the operation above if $f(x) \neq f(a)$ during the process of $x \rightarrow a$.

This holds for majority of functions we operate in calculus.

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{f(x) \rightarrow f(a)} \frac{g(f(x)) - g(f(a))}{x - a} f'(a) \\ &= g'(f(a)) \cdot f'(a) \end{aligned}$$

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Formal Theorem of Chain Rule Let $a \in \mathbb{R}$, let f and g be functions. If f is differentiable at a and g is differentiable at $f(a)$, then, $(g \circ f)$ is differentiable at a ,

$$(g \circ f)'(a) = g'(f(a)) \cdot f'(a)$$

1.11 Derivatives of Trig Functions

Basic 6 results

1. $\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \cos(x)$
2. $\frac{d}{dx} \cos(x) = -\sin(x)$
3. $\frac{d}{dx} \tan(x) = \sec^2(x)$
4. $\frac{d}{dx} \cot(x) = -\csc^2(x)$
5. $\frac{d}{dx} \sec(x) = \sec(x)\tan(x)$
6. $\frac{d}{dx} \csc(x) = -\csc(x)\cot(x)$

Proof. Prove (i) and (ii) and use (i), (ii) and quotient rule to derive (iii), (iv), (v) and (vi).

Proof. (i) WTS $f(x) = \sin(x)$, then $f'(x) = \cos(x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x+h) - \sin(x)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)\cos(h) + \cos(x)\sin(h) - \sin(x)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)(\cos(h) - 1) + \cos(x)\sin(h)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \cos(x) \frac{\sin(h)}{h} \\
 &= \cos(x)
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \blacksquare \quad (3)$$

Proof. (ii) WTS $f(x) = \cos(x)$, then $f'(x) = -\sin(x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x+h) - \cos(x)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x)\cos(h) - \sin(h)\sin(x) - \cos(x)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(\cos(h) - 1)\cos(x) - \sin(h)\sin(x)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} -\frac{\sin(h)}{h} \sin(x) \\
 &= -\sin(x)
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \blacksquare \quad (4)$$

Recall Compound angle formula:

1. $\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin(\alpha)\cos(\beta) + \sin(\beta)\cos(\alpha)$
2. $\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin(\alpha)\cos(\beta) - \sin(\beta)\cos(\alpha)$
3. $\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos(\alpha)\cos(\beta) - \sin(\alpha)\sin(\beta)$
4. $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos(\alpha)\cos(\beta) + \sin(\alpha)\sin(\beta)$

1.12 Implicit Differentiation

Key Use chain rule.

1.13 Derivative of Exponential Functions

Let $f(x) = a^x$ ($a > 0$), find $f'(x)$, by definition,

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^{x+h} - a^x}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^x a^h - a^x}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(a^h - 1)a^x}{h} \end{aligned}$$

By property of limit, a^x is the only variable, so that a^x is a constant

$$= a^x \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{a^h - 1}{h}$$

(5)

Equivalently, $\frac{d}{dx}a^x = L_a a^x$

Definition e is the only positive number, such that,

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1}{h} = 1$$

So that, $\frac{d}{dx}e^x = e^x$

1.14 Properties of logarithms

Definition Let $a > 0, a \neq 1, x > 0, y \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\log_a x = y \iff a^y = x$$

Properties

1. $\log_a 1 = 0$
2. $\log_a a = 1$
3. $\log_a x = \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b a}$
4. $\log_a xy = \log_a x + \log_a y$
5. $\log_a \frac{x}{y} = \log_a x - \log_a y$
6. $\log_a x^r = r \log_a x$

Proof. (i) let $a > 0, a \neq 1, \text{let } x, y > 0$, **WTS** $\log_a xy = \log_a x + \log_a y$

$$\text{Let } p = \log_a x \iff a^p = x$$

$$\text{Let } q = \log_a y \iff a^q = y$$

$$\text{We have } a^p a^q = xy$$

$$\iff a^{p+q} = xy$$

$$\iff \log_a xy = p + q = \log_a x + \log_a y$$

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1.15 The derivatives of logarithm functions

For $\ln x \quad \frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$

$$e^{\ln x} = x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^{\ln x} = \frac{d}{dx} x$$

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

$$x \frac{d \ln x}{dx} = 1$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$$

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1.16 Derivative of other exponentials

WTS $\frac{d}{dx} a^x = \ln a \cdot a^x$,

$$a^x = (e^{\ln a})^x = e^{x \ln a}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} a^x = \frac{d}{dx} e^{x \ln a}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} e^{x \ln a} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \ln a$$

$$= e^{x \ln a} \ln a$$

$$= \ln a \cdot a^x$$

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1.17 The power rule, complete proof

WTS $x^c = cx^{c-1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x^c &= (e^{\ln x})^c = e^{c \ln x} \\
 \text{So that } \frac{d}{dx} x^c &= \frac{d}{dx} e^{c \ln x} \\
 &= \frac{de^{c \ln x}}{d \ln xc} \cdot \frac{\ln xc}{d \ln x} \cdot \frac{d \ln x}{dx} \\
 &= e^{c \ln x} \cdot c \cdot \frac{1}{x} \\
 &= c \cdot x^c \cdot \frac{1}{x} \\
 &= cx^{c-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

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1.18 Logarithmic Differentiation

Example $f(x) = \cos(x)^{\sin(x)}(\star)$, find $f'(x)$

Step1. Take \ln on both sides of (\star)

$$\ln f(x) = \ln \cos(x)^{\sin(x)} = \sin(x) \ln \cos(x)$$

Step2. Take derivative.

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = \cos(x) \ln \cos(x) - \sin^2(x) \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$$

Step3. Solve for $f'(x)$

$$f'(x) = \cos(x)^{\sin(x)} (\cos(x) \ln \cos(x) - \sin^2(x) \frac{1}{\cos(x)})$$

2 Video Playlist 4

2.1 Functions

In calculus We assume the domain is the largest subset of \mathbb{R} that makes sense. And assume the codomain is always \mathbb{R} .

Notations	Math	Computer Science
	Domain	Domain
	Codomain	Range
	Range	Image

2.2 Inverse Functions

Definition Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a function. Function $f^{-1} : B \rightarrow A$ is the **inverse function** if and only if

$$\forall x \in A, \forall y \in B, x = f^{-1}(y) \iff y = f(x)$$

Properties

- $\forall x \in A, f^{-1}(f(x)) = x$
- $\forall y \in B, f(f^{-1}(y)) = y$

Pre-condition Function f has inverse function f^{-1} if and only if f is **injective/one-to-one** function.

2.3 Surjective Functions

Why function don't have an inverse: Part 1.

Definition Function $f(x)$ is **surjective/onto** if $\text{codomain}(f(x)) = \text{range}(f(x))$.

Problem If $f(x)$ is not surjective, then some points in codomain has no corresponding point in domain, then f^{-1} is not a function.

Solution Shrink the codomain to range.

Example Let $f(x) = e^x$, $g(x) = \ln x$, then we have,

- $\text{Domain}(f(x)) = \mathbb{R}$
 $\text{Codomain}(f(x)) = \mathbb{R}$
 $\text{Range}(f(x)) = (0, \infty)$
- $\text{Domain}(g(x)) = (0, \infty)$
 $\text{Codomain}(g(x)) = \mathbb{R}$
 $\text{Range}(g(x)) = \mathbb{R}$

Definition Definition of inverse in calculus (*simplified, we don't consider codomain here.*)

Let $f(x)$ be a function, and $f^{-1}(x)$ be the **inverse** of it. Then,

- $\text{Domain}(f^{-1}(x)) = \text{Range}(f(x))$
- $\text{Range}(f^{-1}(x)) = \text{Domain}(f(x))$

also,

$$\forall x \in \text{Domain}(f(x)), \forall y \in \text{Range}(f(x)), x = f^{-1}(y) \iff y = f(x)$$

and,

$$\forall x \in \text{Domain}(f(x)), f^{-1}(f(x)) = x$$

$$\forall y \in \text{Range}(f(x)), f(f^{-1}(y)) = y$$

2.4 Injective function

Definition Let $f(x)$ be a function, with $\text{Domain}(f(x)) = A$, we say $f(x)$ is **injective/one-to-one** when,

$$\forall x_1, x_2 \in A, x_1 \neq x_2 \implies f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$$

equivalently (contrapositive)

$$f(x_1) = f(x_2) \implies x_1 = x_2$$

Theorem Function f has an inverse if and only if f is **injective**.

Example $f(x) = x^2$ has no inverse, but we could take it's inverse by shrinking the domain.

- Take domain = $[0, \infty)$, $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x}$
- Take domain = $(-\infty, 0]$, $f^{-1}(x) = -\sqrt{x}$

2.5 Some theorems

Let $f(x)$ be a function with domain I .

Theorem 1 Function f has an inverse function f^{-1} if and only if f is injective.

Theorem 2 For function f , if

1. f is **continuous** (*This means, f is continuous on its domain.*).
2. I is an **interval**.

then, $f^{-1}(x)$ is continuous.

Theorem 3 If

1. f is **differentiable**.
2. $\forall x \in I, f'(x) \neq 0$ (*This ensures the inverse function does not have a vertical tangent line, which causes non-differentiability*).

then, $f^{-1}(x)$ is differentiable.

Theorem 4 $\forall x \in I$ with $y = f(x)$, we have

$$(f^{-1})'(y) = \frac{1}{f'(x)}$$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} f(f^{-1}(y)) &= y \\ \frac{d}{dy} f(f^{-1}(y)) &= \frac{d}{dy} y \\ \frac{d}{dy} f(f^{-1}(y)) &= 1 \\ f'(f^{-1}(y)) \cdot (f^{-1})'(y) &= 1 \\ f'(x) \cdot (f^{-1})'(y) &= 1 \\ (f^{-1})'(y) &= \frac{1}{f'(x)} \end{aligned}$$

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2.6 ArcSin

Note ArcSin is **NOT** the inverse of Sin . $y = \sin(x)$ has *domain* $= \mathbb{R}$ and *range* $= [-1, 1]$, so that, it is **not injective**.

Definition ArcSin is the inverse function to the **restriction** of \sin to $[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$. So that, $\text{Domain}(\text{ArcSin}) = \text{Range}(\text{Sin}) = [-1, 1]$, and, $\text{Range}(\text{ArcSin}) = \text{Domain}(\text{Sin}) = [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$.

Meaning $\text{ArcSin}(\frac{1}{2}) = t$ means:

$$\begin{cases} \sin(t) = \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$

Composite

$$\begin{aligned} \forall x \in [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}], \text{ArcSin}(\text{Sin}(x)) &= x \\ \forall y \in [-1, 1], \text{Sin}(\text{ArcSin}(y)) &= y \end{aligned}$$

2.7 Derivative of ArcSin

Result

$$\frac{d\text{ArcSin}(x)}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

Derive.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \forall x \in [-1, 1] \\
 & \sin(\arcsin(x)) = x \\
 & \frac{d}{dx} \sin(\arcsin(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} x \\
 & \cos(\arcsin(x)) \cdot \frac{d}{dx} \arcsin(x) = 1 \\
 & \frac{d}{dx} \arcsin(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(\arcsin(x))} \\
 & \text{Let } \theta = \arcsin(x) \\
 & \cos^2(\theta) = 1 - \sin^2(\theta) \\
 & \cos(\theta) = \pm \sqrt{1 - x^2} \\
 & \text{Since } \forall \theta \in [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}], \sin(\theta) \geq 0 \\
 & \implies \cos(\theta) = +\sqrt{1 - x^2} \\
 & \implies \frac{d}{dx} \arcsin(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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2.8 Other inverse trig functions

2.8.1 $y = \cos(x)$

Definition \arccos is the inverse function to the restriction of $\cos(x)$ to $[0, \pi]$, and,

$$\forall x \in [-1, 1], \forall y \in [0, \pi], x = \arccos(y) \iff \cos(y) = x$$

Result

$$\frac{d}{dx} \arccos(x) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}$$

2.8.2 $y = \tan(x)$

Definition $\arctan(x)$ is the inverse function to the restriction of $\tan(x)$ to $[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$, and,

$$\forall y \in \mathbb{R}, \forall x \in [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}], x = \arctan(y) \iff \tan(x) = y$$

3 Video Playlist 5

3.1 Usage of MVT

Theorem Let I be an open interval. Let f be a function defined on I . If $\forall x \in I, f'(x) = 0$ then f is a constant function.

If we want to prove this theorem, we need mean value theorem

3.2 Local Extreme Theorem

Definition Let f be a function with domain I , let $c \in I$.

- f takes **maximum** at c if $\forall x \in I, f(x) \leq f(c)$.
- f takes **local maximum** at c if $\exists \delta > 0, \text{ s.t. } |x - c| < \delta \implies f(x) \leq f(c)$.

Definition Let f be a function with domain I , let $c \in I$.

- f takes **minimum** at c if $\forall x \in I, f(x) \geq f(c)$.
- f takes **local minimum** at c if $\exists \delta > 0, \text{ s.t. } |x - c| < \delta \implies f(x) \geq f(c)$.

End-point cannot be a local extremum since the definition of local extremum requires a open interval at both left and right sides around point c .

Theorem (Local EVT) Let f be a function with domain I as an interval. Let $c \in I$, then if,

1. $f(c)$ is an extremum.
2. c is an interior point.

then, $f'(c) = 0$ or DNE.

Definition Point $c \in I$ for function f is a **critical point** if $f'(c) = 0$ or it does not exist.

Proof. (Local EVT) Proof is in two parts: (1) f has maximum at c , (2) f has minimum at c .

Part1: $f(c)$ is a maximum

Take left and right side limits

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow c^+, x - c > 0$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow c^-, x - c < 0$$

$$\text{By definition of maximum } f(x) - f(c) \leq 0$$

Left limit

$$x - c < 0 \wedge f(x) - f(c) \leq 0$$

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \geq 0$$

Right limit

$$x - c > 0 \wedge f(x) - f(c) \leq 0$$

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \leq 0$$

For limit to exist

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \leq 0 \wedge \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \geq 0$$

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} = 0$$

$$\iff f'(c) = 0$$

Part2: $f(c)$ is a minimum

Take left and right side limits

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow c^+, x - c > 0$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow c^-, x - c < 0$$

$$\text{By definition of minimum } f(x) - f(c) \geq 0$$

Left limit

$$x - c < 0 \wedge f(x) - f(c) \geq 0$$

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \leq 0$$

Right limit

$$x - c > 0 \wedge f(x) - f(c) \geq 0$$

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \geq 0$$

For limit to exist

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \geq 0 \wedge \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \leq 0$$

$$\implies \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} = 0$$

$$\iff f'(c) = 0$$

3.3 Find Extremum

Example find extremum of function $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 3$ for $I = [-4, 4]$
Steps

1. Ensure existence of extremum. f is polynomial and therefore continuous, and $[-4, 4]$ is a compact set. By EVT, extremum exist.
2. Find all *critical points* and *end-points*.
3. Compare values at candidate points.

3.4 Rolle's Theorem

Theorem let $a < b$, let f be a function defined on a closed interval $[a, b]$ (Compact set). Then, if,

1. $f(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$.
2. $(\wedge) f(x)$ is differentiable on (a, b) .
3. $(\wedge) f(a) = f(b)$.

then,

$$\exists c \in (a, b) \text{ s.t. } f'(c) = 0$$

Proof.

By EVT, $f(x)$ has extremum in $[a, b]$.

Case1 Interior Extremum Point. ($c \in (a, b)$)

By Local EVT, $f'(c) = 0 \vee f'(c) DNE$

By (ii) $f'(c) = 0$

Case2 End-point Extremum

Since (iii) $f(a) = f(b)$

$\forall x \in (a, b)$

$f(x) \leq \max(f(a), f(b))$

$f(x) \geq \min(f(a), f(b))$

$\implies f(x)$ is constant.

$\implies \forall c \in (a, b), f'(c) = 0$

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3.5 Application of Rolle's Theorem

Application How many zeros does a function have.

Step 1 Use IVT to prove it has *at least* n zeros.

Step 2 Use Rolle's theorem to prove it has *at most* n zeros.

Example

$$g(x) = x^6 + x^2 + x - 2$$

IVT Applied

$$g(-2) = 64$$

$$g(0) = -2$$

$$g(1) = 1$$

So that, $g(x)$ has at least 2 zeros.

Rolle's theorem applied Assume $f(x_1) = f(x_2) = 0$, by Rolle's theorem, there must exist a $a \in (x_1, x_2)$ such that $f'(a) = 0$

Conclusion 1 Between any two zeros of f there must be *at least* one zero of f' .

Conclusion 2 $\#$ of zeros of $f' \geq \#$ of zeros of $f - 1$

Conclusion 2' $\#$ of zeros of $f \leq \#$ of zeros of $f' + 1$

$$g'(x) = 6x^5 + 2x + 1$$

$$g''(x) = 30x^4 + 2$$

$$g''(x) \text{ has no zeros}$$

3.6 (Lagrange)Mean Value Theorem

Theorem Let $a < b$, let f be a function defined on $[a, b]$, if,

1. f is continuous on $[a, b]$.
2. f is differentiable on (a, b) .

then,

$$\exists c \in (a, b) \text{ s.t. } f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$

3.7 Proof. of MVT

$$\text{Let } m = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$

$$\text{Let } g(x) = f(x) - f(a) - m(x - a)$$

$$\text{Satisfies } g(a) = f(a) - f(a) - m(a - a) = 0$$

$$\wedge g(b) = f(b) - f(a) - m(b - a) = 0$$

By Rolle's Theorem

$$g(a) = g(b) = 0$$

$$\exists c \in (a, b) \text{ s.t. } g'(c) = 0$$

$$\implies \frac{d}{dx}[f(x) - f(a) - m(x - a)] = 0$$

$$\implies f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$

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3.8 Zero-derivative implies constant

Theorem Let $a < b$. Let f be a function defined on $[a, b]$, then,

$$\forall x \in (a, b), f'(x) = 0 \wedge f \text{ is continuous on } [a, b] \implies f \text{ is constant on } [a, b].$$

proof.

$$\text{Let } x_1, x_2 \in [a, b] \wedge x_1 < x_2$$

$$\text{By MVT, } \exists c \in (x_1, x_2), \text{ s.t.}$$

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(x_2) - f(x_1)}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$\therefore f'(c) = 0$$

$$\therefore f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

3.9 Monotonicity of functions

Definition Let f be a function defined on an interval I .

- f is **increasing on I** when

$$\forall x_1, x_2 \in I, x_1 < x_2 \implies f(x_1) < f(x_2)$$

- f is **non-decreasing on I** when

$$\forall x_1, x_2 \in I, x_1 < x_2 \implies f(x_1) \leq f(x_2)$$

Theorem Let $a < b$. Let f be a function defined on (a, b) . Then,

$$\forall x \in (a, b), f'(x) > 0 \implies f \text{ is increasing on } (a, b)$$

Theorem Let $a < b$. Let f be a function defined on $[a, b]$. Then,

$$\forall x \in (a, b), f'(x) > 0 \wedge f \text{ is continuous on } [a, b] \implies f \text{ is increasing on } [a, b]$$

Short summary On an open interval

- $f' = 0 \implies f$ constant.
- $f' > 0 \implies f$ increasing.
- $f' < 0 \implies f$ decreasing.

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4.1 Integral

Integral Let $a < b$, let f be a positive function, then *integral of f from a to b* is denoted as:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx$$

this is represented as the area of region under function f from $x = a$ to $x = b$.

4.2 Sigma Notation

Sigma Notation The sigma notation, with **index** i , could be represented in the following form:

$$\sum_{i=1}^N a_i = a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_N$$

4.3 Supremum and Infimum

Definitions Let $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, let $a \in \mathbb{R}$:

- **Upper bound:** a is a upper bound of A means $\forall x \in A, x \leq a$.
- **Least upper bound(l.u.b) / Supremum:** a is the least upper bound or supremum(sup) of A iff a is an upper bound of A and $\forall b \in \{\text{upper bound of } A\}, a \leq b$.
- **Maximum:** if supremum of $A \in A$, it's maximum of A .
- **Bounded above:** A is bounded above if A has (at least) one upper bound.

Definitions (counter-part) Let $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, let $a \in \mathbb{R}$:

- **Lower bound:** a is a lower bound of A means $\forall x \in A, x \geq a$.
- **Greatest lower bound(g.l.b) / Infimum:** a is the greatest lower bound (g.l.b) or infimum(inf) of A iff a is a lower bound of A and $\forall b \in \{\text{Lower bound of } A\}, a \geq b$.
- **Minimum:** if infimum of $A \in A$, it's the minimum of A .
- **Bounded below:** A is bounded below if A has (at least) one lower bound.

Theorem: The l.u.b. principle Let $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, if A is bounded above and $A \neq \emptyset$, then, A has a least upper bound(supremum).

Theorem: The g.l.b principle Let $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, if A is bounded below and $A \neq \emptyset$, then, A has a greatest lower bound(infimum).

4.4 Supremum and Infimum of a function

Definition Supremum of a function f on a domain I is defined as:

$$\sup_{x \in I} f(x) = \sup\{f(x) \mid x \in I\}$$

Theorem Let f be a function defined on domain $I \neq \emptyset$, if f is bounded above, then $\exists \sup_{x \in I} f(x)$. Similarly, if f is bounded below, then $\exists \inf_{x \in I} f(x)$.

Theorem(EVT) Let $a < b$, let f defined on $[a, b]$, if f is continuous on $[a, b]$, then f has a maximum and a minimum on $[a, b]$.

4.5 Definition of Integral (i)

Definition A **partition** of the interval $[a, b]$ is a finite set P , s.t. $\{a, b\} \subseteq P$.

Notation $P = \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_N\}$ on $[a, b]$. Implicitly, x_i are ordered, such that, $a = x_0 < x_1 < \dots < x_N = b$.

Let f be bounded on $[a, b]$, let $P = \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_N\}$, let $m_i = \inf_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x)$, and $M_i = \sup_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x)$, and $\Delta x_i = x_i - x_{i-1}$.

Definition P-Lower sum of f is defined as:

$$L_P(f) = \sum_{i=1}^N (m_i \Delta x_i)$$

Definition P-Upper sum of f is defined as:

$$U_P(f) = \sum_{i=1}^N (M_i \Delta x_i)$$

Property For all partition P on interval $[a, b]$, the lower sum and upper sum satisfy the following inequality,

$$L_P(f) \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq U_P(f)$$

4.6 Definition of Integral (ii): Properties of $U_P(f)$ and $L_P(f)$

Let f be a bounded function on $[a, b]$, let P and Q be partitions of $[a, b]$, the lower sums and upper sums have the following properties.

1. (Always) $L_P(f) \leq U_P(f)$.
2. If $P \subseteq Q$ (Q is a finer partition), then $L_P(f) \leq L_Q(f) \wedge U_P(f) \geq U_Q(f)$.
3. (Always) $L_P(f) \leq U_Q(f)$

Proof

Let $R = P \cup Q$,

so that, $P \subseteq R \wedge Q \subseteq R$. (R is finer than both P and Q)

$$L_P(f) \leq L_R(f) \leq U_R(f) \leq U_Q(f)$$

$$\implies L_P(f) \leq U_Q(f)$$

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4.7 Definition of Integral (iii): Upper Integral and Lower Integral

Definition Let f be a bounded function on $[a, b]$, then, lower integral of f from a to b is defined as,

$$\underline{I}_a^b(f) = \sup\{\text{lower sums of } f\}$$

and the upper integral of f from a to b is defined as,

$$\overline{I}_a^b(f) = \inf\{\text{upper sums of } f\}$$

Then if $\underline{I}_a^b(f) < \overline{I}_a^b(f)$, then f is **non-integrable** on $[a, b]$.

4.8 An example of integrable function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x \neq 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{on } [-1, 1]$$

4.9 An example of non-integrable function

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases} \quad \text{on } [-1, 1]$$

4.10 Integrals as limits

Definition Let $P = \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_N\}$ be a partition of $[a, b]$, the **norm** of P is defined as:

$$\|P\| = \max\{\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, \dots, \Delta x_N\}$$

Theorem - Lower Integrals For lower integrals, we have,

$$\underline{I_a^b(f)} = \lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} L_P(f) = \sup\{\text{lower sums of } f\}$$

alternatively, using $\delta - \epsilon$ expression,

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0 \text{ s.t. } \forall P \text{ over } [a, b], \|P\| < \delta \implies |L_P(f) - \underline{I_a^b(f)}| < \epsilon$$

theorem - Upper Integrals For upper integrals, we have,

$$\overline{I_a^b(f)} = \lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} U_P(f)$$

4.11 Riemann Sums

Definition Fix a partition P on $[a, b]$, $m_i = \inf_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x)$, $M_i = \sup_{x \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]} f(x)$, pick $x_i^* \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]$, so that,

$$\begin{aligned} m_i &\leq f(x_i^*) \leq M_i \\ \implies m_i \Delta x_i &\leq f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i \leq M_i \Delta x_i \\ \implies L_P(f) &= \sum_{i=1}^N (m_i \Delta x_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^N (f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^N (M_i \Delta x_i) = U_P(f) \end{aligned}$$

where the term $\sum_{i=1}^N (f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i)$ is called a **Riemann sum**.

Definition Let f be a bounded function on $[a, b]$, let $P = \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_N\}$ be a partition on $[a, b]$, for each i , pick **any** point $x_i^* \in [x_{i-1}, x_i]$. then,

$$S_P^*(f) = \sum_{i=1}^N (f(x_i^*) \Delta x_i)$$

is a **Riemann sum** for f and P . (There are infinitely many Riemann sum).

In general, we have,

$$L_P(f) \leq S_P^*(f) \leq U_P(f)$$

and also,

$$\lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} L_P(f) = \underline{I_a^b(f)}$$

$$\lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} U_P(f) = \overline{I_a^b(f)}$$

and if f is **integrable**, then

$$\lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} L_P(f) = \lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} U_P(f) = \int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

By Squeeze Theorem,

$$\lim_{\|P\| \rightarrow 0} S_P^*(f) = \int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

4.12 Properties of the integral

Property 1

$$\int_a^b [f(x) + g(x)] \, dx = \int_a^b f(x) \, dx + \int_a^b g(x) \, dx$$

Property 2

$$\int_a^b [cf(x)] \, dx = c \int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

Property 3 If f is bounded on $[a, c]$, and f is integrable on $[a, b]$ and integrable on $[b, c]$, then,

$$\int_a^c f(x) \, dx = \int_a^b f(x) \, dx + \int_b^c f(x) \, dx$$

Property 4: Backward Integrals

$$\int_b^a f(x) \, dx = - \int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

Negative function f Integral for negative function is the negative area.

$$\int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

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5.1 Anti-derivatives

Notations

- **Definite integral** $\int_a^b f(x) dx$
- **Indefinite integral** $\int f(x) dx$

Definition Let f be a function defined on an interval, an **anti-derivative** of f is any function F that

$$F' = f$$

Note As a consequence of MVT, if two functions have same derivative on an interval, then they differ by a constant.

5.2 Functions Defined as Integrals

Consider integrable function f , define function F as the definite integral from a , a fixed point in domain of f , to another point x in domain of f , that's,

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

Methodology Let I be an interval, let $a \in I$ and let f be a function integrable on I , then for each $x \in I$, compute $F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$ as a number.

5.3 The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus: Part 1

This provides connections between definite integrals and anti-derivatives

Theorem: FTC(part 1)

- Let I be an interval,
- Let $a \in I$,
- Let f be a function on I .

Define $F(x)$ as

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

If f is continuous, then F is differentiable and $F' = f$, that's,

$$F'(x) = f(x) \quad \forall x \in I$$

5.4 A Proof of Part 1 of the FTC

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Let (fix) } x \in I \\
 & \text{WTS. } F'(x) = f(x) \\
 F'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{F(x+h) - F(x)}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{h} (F(x+h) - F(x)) \right] \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{h} \left(\int_a^{x+h} f(t) dt - \int_a^x f(t) dt \right) \right] \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{h} \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

Consider $h > 0$ (for negative h , the proof would be similar)

$$\text{Let } M_h = \sup_{[x, x+h]} (f)$$

$$\text{Let } m_h = \inf_{[x, x+h]} (f)$$

Then we have, by definition of infimum and supremum,

$$m_h \leq \frac{1}{h} \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt \leq M_h$$

Since f is continuous on $[x, x+h]$, by EVT, it has maximum and minimum on this interval.

$$\exists c_h \in [x, x+h] \text{ s.t. } M_h = f(c_h)$$

$$\exists d_h \in [x, x+h] \text{ s.t. } m_h = f(d_h)$$

$$\because \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} c_h = x \wedge \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} d_h = x$$

$$\therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} M_h = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0, c_h \rightarrow x} f(c_h) = f(x) \text{ (since } f \text{ is continuous.)}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} m_h = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0, d_h \rightarrow x} f(d_h) = f(x)$$

$$\text{By Squeeze Theorem, } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{h} \int_x^{x+h} f(t) dt \right] = f(x)$$

$$\therefore F'(x) = f(x) \forall x \in I$$

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5.5 The Fundamental Theorem of Calculus: Part 2

This provides a quick way to compute definite integrals.

Theorem: FTC(part 2)

- Let $a < b \in \mathbb{R}$,
- let f be continuous on $[a, b]$,

then,

$$\int_a^b f(x) \, dx = G(b) - G(a)$$

where G is any anti-derivative of f .

Notation

$$G(b) - G(a) = G(x)|_{x=a}^{x=b} = G(x)|_a^b$$

5.6 A Proof of Part 2 of the FTC

Proof.

We know that, from the first part of FTC, $G' = f$,

$$\text{WTS. } \int_a^b f(x) \, dx = G(b) - G(a)$$

$$\text{Define } F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) \, dt$$

$$\text{WTS. } F(b) = G(b) - G(a)$$

$$\text{Since } f \text{ is continuous, } F' = f$$

By the consequence of MVT,

$$F' = G' \implies \exists C \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } F - G = C \forall x \in [a, b]$$

$$\text{at } x = a, F(a) = 0 \implies C = -G(a)$$

$$\implies \forall x \in [a, b] F(x) = G(x) - G(a)$$

$$\text{at } x = b, F(b) = G(b) - G(a)$$

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5.7 Summary: Definite and indefinite integrals, notation, definitions and theorems.

5.7.1 Definite Integral.

$$\int_a^b f(x) \, dx$$

Theorem (Formal definite) if $\overline{I}_a^b(f) = \underline{I}_a^b(f)$ then $\int_a^b f(x) \, dx = \overline{I}_a^b(f) = \underline{I}_a^b(f)$.

Theorem (FTC: part 2) Choose one anti-derivative $G(x)$ of $f(x)$, then compute the definite integral as $\int_a^b f(x) dx = G(b) - G(a)$.

5.7.2 Indefinite Integral

$$\int f(x) dx \text{ A collection of functions.}$$

Find indefinite integral Find $G(x)$ as one anti-derivative, by the consequence of MVT, then the indefinite integral of f could be constructed as,

$$F(x) = \{G(x) + C \mid C \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

5.7.3 Function Defined by an Integral.

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt \text{ This is one function with fixed value of } a.$$

Theorem (FTC: part 1) if f is continuous, then $F'(x) = f(x)$

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6.1 Integration By Substitution: derivation of the formula

Backwards usage of chain rule.

If $\int f(x) dx = F(x)$ is the anti-derivative of $f(x)$, then

$$F(g(x)) = \int f(g(x))g'(x) dx = F(g(x))$$

6.2 Example 2

6.3 Example 3

6.4 Example 4

Theorem Let $a < b$, let f be a continuous function, let g be a function with continuous derivative in $[a, b]$, assume the range of g on $[a, b]$ is contained in the domain of f . Then,

$$\int_a^b f(g(x))g'(x) dx = \int_{g(a)}^{g(b)} f(u) du$$

6.5 Integration by parts

Backwards product rule

Let f and g be two differentiable function, by product rule of differentiation, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} f(x)g(x) \\ \implies \int f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x) \, dx &= f(x)g(x) + C \\ \implies \int f'(x)g(x) \, dx + \int f(x)g'(x) \, dx &= f(x)g(x) + C \\ \implies \int f'(x)g(x) \, dx &= f(x)g(x) - \int f(x)g'(x) \, dx \end{aligned}$$

The integral constant is implicitly contained in the integral term.

6.6 Examples

Example 1

$$\int x^2 e^x \, dx$$

Example 2

$$\int e^x \sin x \, dx$$

Use integration by parts twice.

Example 3

$$\int \arctan x \, dx$$

Consider the form $1 \times f(x)$ as partition method.

6.7 Integration of products of trigonometric functions

Types

$$\int \sin^n x \cos^m x \, dx$$

$$\int \sec^n x \tan^m x \, dx$$

Keys

$$\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) = 1$$

$$\sec^2(x) = 1 + \tan^2(x)$$

Summary I Consider the integral in the following form

$$\int \sin^n x \cos^m x \, dx$$

- If **m is odd** then try $u = \sin(x)$, then $du = \cos(x)dx$
- If **n is odd** then try $u = \cos(x)$, then $du = -\sin(x)dx$

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7.1 What Is a Sequence

Definition A **sequence** is a function with domain \mathbb{N} .

7.1.1 Conventions

Functions function with domain interval.

- x as variable.
- $f(x)$ as value at x .

Sequence function with domain \mathbb{N} .

- n as variable.
- a_n as value at n .

A sequence is not a set.

7.1.2 Describe sequences

Equation $a_n = \frac{2^n n!}{n+1}$

First few values $\{1, 2, 4, 8, 16, \dots\}$

Words $p_n = n$ -th prime.

Recurrence relation e.g. Fibonacci Sequence.

$$\{F_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty} : F_0 = F_1 = 1, F_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n-2} \, \forall n \geq 2$$

A general definition A sequence is a function with domain $\{n \in \mathbb{Z} \mid n \geq n_0\}$ for some fixed $n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}$.

7.2 The Limit of a Sequence

Example

$$\left\{\frac{n}{n+1}\right\}_{n=0}^{\infty} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+1} = 1$$

Definition(Limit) We say that the sequence $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ converges to the number $L \in \mathbb{R}$ when

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \implies |L - a_n| < \epsilon$$

denoted as

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = L \text{ or } a_n \rightarrow L$$

*Tail: all terms of the sequence after the first few terms.
Every interval centred at L contains a tail of the sequence.*

Definition A sequence is **convergent** if it has a limit. This sequence is **divergent** if it does not have a limit.

7.3 Properties of Limits of Sequences

Properties from the limit of functions

- Limit laws: Yes
- Squeeze theorem: Yes
- *L'Hôpital's Rule*: No

7.3.1 Sequence from a function

Let $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ and function f defined on $[c, \infty)$, and define the sequence $\{a_n\}_{n=c}^{\infty}$ as

$$a_n = f(n)$$

We have if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n) = L$ then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = L$. If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n)$ DNE, then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$ may or may not exist.

7.3.2 Composite of sequence and function

Theorem If $a_n \rightarrow L$ and f is continuous at L then

$$f(a_n) \rightarrow f(L)$$

7.4 Monotonic and Bounded Sequences

7.4.1 Monotonic Sequences

Definition We say $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is **increasing** if

$$\forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}, n < m \implies a_n < a_m$$

Also, we say this sequence is **non-decreasing** if the inequality is in the weak form as

$$\forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}, n < m \implies a_n \leq a_m$$

Definition We say $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is **decreasing** if

$$\forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}, n < m \implies a_n > a_m$$

Also, if the inequality is in the weak form as

$$\forall n, m \in \mathbb{N}, n < m \implies a_n \geq a_m$$

we say this sequence is **non-increasing**.

Definition We say a sequence $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is **monotonic** if it has any of the four properties above.

Definition $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is **eventually decreasing** if

$$\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ s.t. } \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq n_0 \implies a_n > a_{n+1}$$

7.4.2 Bounded Sequences

Definition We say a sequence $\{a_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is **bounded below** if

$$\exists A \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, A \leq a_n$$

Similarly, the sequence is **bounded above** if

$$\exists B \in \mathbb{R} \text{ s.t. } \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, B \geq a_n$$

Definition We say a sequence is **bounded** if and only if it is both bounded above and below.

Theorem If a sequence is convergent then it is bounded.

Theorem 2A(The monotone convergence theorem for sequence) If a sequence is eventually increasing and bounded above, then it is convergent

Theorem If a sequence is eventually increasing and not bounded above then it divergent to ∞ .

Remark for a sequence:

$$\text{Sequence} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Convergent} \\ \text{Divergent} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{to } \infty \\ \text{to } -\infty \\ \textit{Oscillating} \end{array} \right. \end{array} \right.$$