

To Solve 2nd degree equation:

1) Factorize.

a. common factor.

b. Remarkable Identities:

i) $a^2 - b^2 = (a-b)(a+b)$

ii) $a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a+b)^2$

iii) $a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a-b)^2$

2) $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ / $a \neq 0$
 $b, c \in \mathbb{R}$

Case 1: if $c = 0$
 \Downarrow
 $ax^2 + bx = 0 \rightsquigarrow$ take "x" common.

Case 2: if $b = 0$
 \Downarrow
 $ax^2 + c = 0 \rightsquigarrow x^2 = -\frac{c}{a}$

Case 3: if $b = c = 0$
 \Downarrow
 $ax^2 = 0 \rightsquigarrow x^2 = 0$

Solve of Quadratic Equation:

(E): $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$\Delta = b^2 - 4ac$

$\Delta > 0$

2 \neq roots

$x_1 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{\Delta}}{2a}$

$x_2 = \frac{-b - \sqrt{\Delta}}{2a}$

$\Delta = 0$

One double root.

$x_1 = x_2 = -\frac{b}{2a}$

$\Delta < 0$

No real solution.

Reduced Form of D:

$$(E): ax^2 + \boxed{b}x + c = 0$$

even $\leadsto b' = \frac{b}{2}$

$$\Delta' = b'^2 - ac$$

$\rightarrow \Delta' > 0 \leadsto 2 \neq$ roots

$$x_1 = \frac{-b' - \sqrt{\Delta'}}{a} \quad x_2 = \frac{-b' + \sqrt{\Delta'}}{a}$$

$\rightarrow \Delta = 0 \leadsto$ one double root

$$x_1 = x_2 = -\frac{b'}{a}$$

$\rightarrow \Delta < 0 \leadsto$ No Solution.

Sum and Product.

$$\begin{aligned} S &= x_1 + x_2 \\ &= -\frac{b}{a} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= x_1 x_2 \\ &= \frac{c}{a} \end{aligned}$$

Application 1:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 \rightarrow \text{given} \\ x_2 \rightarrow ?? \end{array} \right\} \leadsto \text{Using } S \text{ and } P$$

$$\begin{aligned} a + b + c &= 0 \\ x_1 &= 1 \quad x_2 = -\frac{c}{a} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a - b + c &= 0 \\ x_1 &= -1 \quad x_2 = -\frac{c}{a} \end{aligned}$$

Application 2.

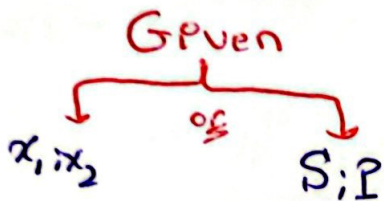
Evaluate of expression in terms of x_1 and x_2

$$A = x_1 ; x_2$$

$$\vdots \rightarrow S; P$$

Application 3.

Finding of Quadratic Equation.



$$\Downarrow (E): x^2 - Sx + P = 0$$

Leading to a 2nd degree equation:

$$(E): ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$* \text{ Let } t = x^2$$

$$\Downarrow (E'): at^2 + bt + c = 0$$

$$* \text{ Solve } (E') \rightarrow \begin{cases} t'_1 = - \\ t'_2 = - \end{cases}$$

$$* \text{ Replace } t = x^2$$

Irrational Equation.

$$* \sqrt{A} = B$$

- Domain of Definition (D.F.)

$$\begin{cases} A \geq 0 \\ B \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

- $(\sqrt{A})^2 = B^2$

- Solve

* $x \in D.F \leadsto$ accepted.

* $x \notin D.F \leadsto$ rejected.

Rational Equation:

$$\frac{A}{B} = \frac{C}{D}$$

* Domain of Definition:

$$\begin{cases} B \neq 0 \\ \text{and} \\ D \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

* $\frac{A}{B} = \frac{C}{D}$

$\Rightarrow A \times D = C \times B$

* Solve.

\rightarrow Quadratic Equation

$\rightarrow x \in D.F \leadsto$ accepted.

$\rightarrow x \notin D.F \leadsto$ rejected.

Table of Sign of 2nd degree Equation:

$$F(x) = a \left[\left(x + \frac{b}{2a} \right)^2 - \frac{\Delta}{4a^2} \right] \leadsto \text{Canonical Form}$$

* Study of Sign of $F(x)$

$\Delta < 0 \Rightarrow$ No roots

\leadsto if $a > 0 \leadsto F(x) > 0$
 \leadsto if $a < 0 \leadsto F(x) < 0$

$F(x)$ takes the sign of "a"

x	$-\infty$	$+\infty$
$F(x)$	same sign of "a"	

i) $D=0 \Rightarrow x_1=x_2=\frac{-b}{2a}$

$\Downarrow F(x) = a \left(x + \frac{b}{2a} \right)^2$

\rightarrow If $a > 0 \rightsquigarrow F(x) > 0$
 \rightarrow If $a < 0 \rightsquigarrow F(x) < 0$

$\}$ $F(x)$ takes the sign of "a"

Factorized Form

$a(x-x_1)^2$
or $a(x-x_2)^2$

x	$-\infty$	$-\frac{b}{2a}$	$+\infty$
$F(x)$	Same sign of "a"	\bigcirc	Same sign of "a"

ii) $D > 0 \Rightarrow 2 \neq$ roots

$\Downarrow F(x) = a(x-x_1)(x-x_2) \rightsquigarrow$ Factorized Form.

x	$-\infty$	x_1	x_2	$+\infty$
$F(x)$	Same sign of "a"	\bigcirc opp. sign of "a"	\bigcirc opp. sign of "a"	Same sign of "a"

Remarks !!

$F(x) > 0$ For all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$\Downarrow D < 0$ and $a > 0$

* Reciprocal $\rightarrow \begin{cases} a \neq 0 \\ D \geq 0 \\ P = 1 \end{cases}$

$F(x) < 0$ For all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$\Downarrow D < 0$ and $a < 0$

* Opp. roots $\begin{cases} a \neq 0 \\ D \geq 0 \\ S \neq 0 \end{cases}$

One single root

\Downarrow 1st degree $\rightarrow a = 0$

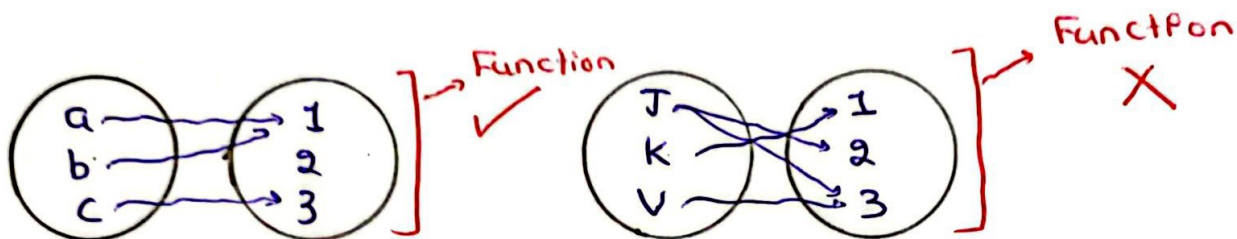
* Same sign $\begin{cases} a \neq 0 \\ D \geq 0 \\ P > 0 \end{cases}$

Functions:

1° Domain of Definition.

$$y = f(x)$$

antecedent $\leftarrow x \rightarrow$ Image $\leftarrow y \rightarrow$
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $D.f \subseteq \mathbb{R} \quad \text{Range} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$



→ Domain of Definition for Polynomial:

$$D_f = \{x \in \mathbb{R} / f(x) \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

\downarrow
defined.

$$f(x) : ax^n + bx^{n-1} + \dots + c$$

→ defined for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\rightarrow D_f = \mathbb{R} =]-\infty; +\infty[$$

→ Domain of Definition for rational Function:

$$f(x) = \frac{A}{B}$$

\downarrow
 $D_f = \mathbb{R} = \{x \in \mathbb{R} / B \neq 0\}$

→ Domain of Definition for Irrational Function:

$$f(x) = \sqrt{A}$$

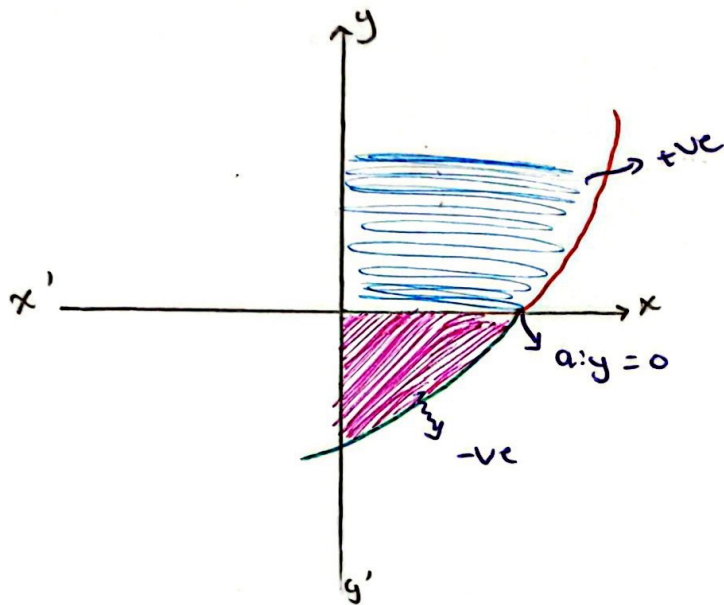
\downarrow
 $D_f = \mathbb{R} = \{x \in \mathbb{R} / A \geq 0\}$

Representative Curve of $C(c)$ of $y = f(x)$

Substitute "x" in $y = f(x)$

$$C(c) = \{f(x, y) / x \in D_f \text{ and } y = f(x)\}$$

Sign of Function Graphically.



$\rightarrow C(c)$: above x -axis

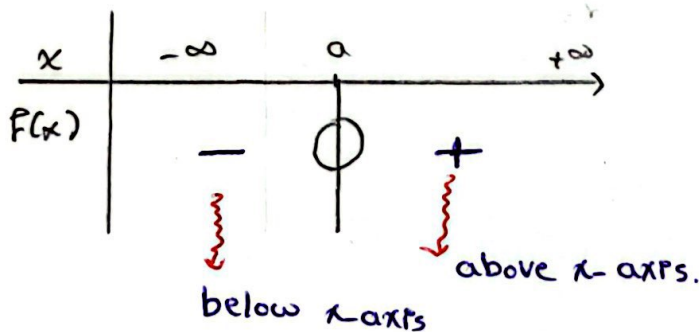
$$f(x) > 0$$

$\rightarrow C(c)$: below x -axis

$$f(x) < 0$$

$\rightarrow C(c) \cap x$ -axis

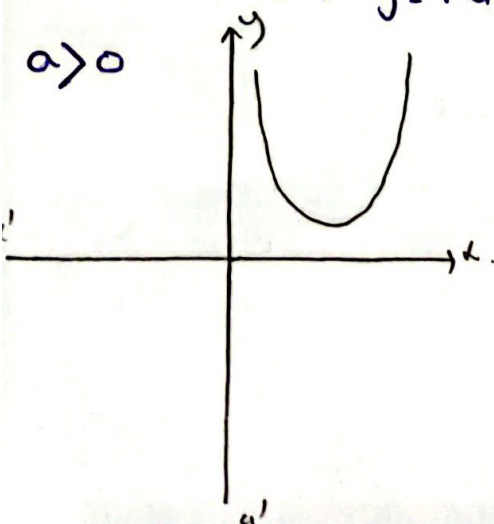
$$f(x) = 0$$



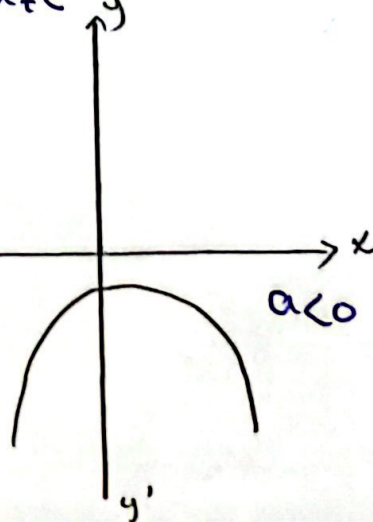
Sign of Quadratic Function Graphically.

$$C(c): y = f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$$

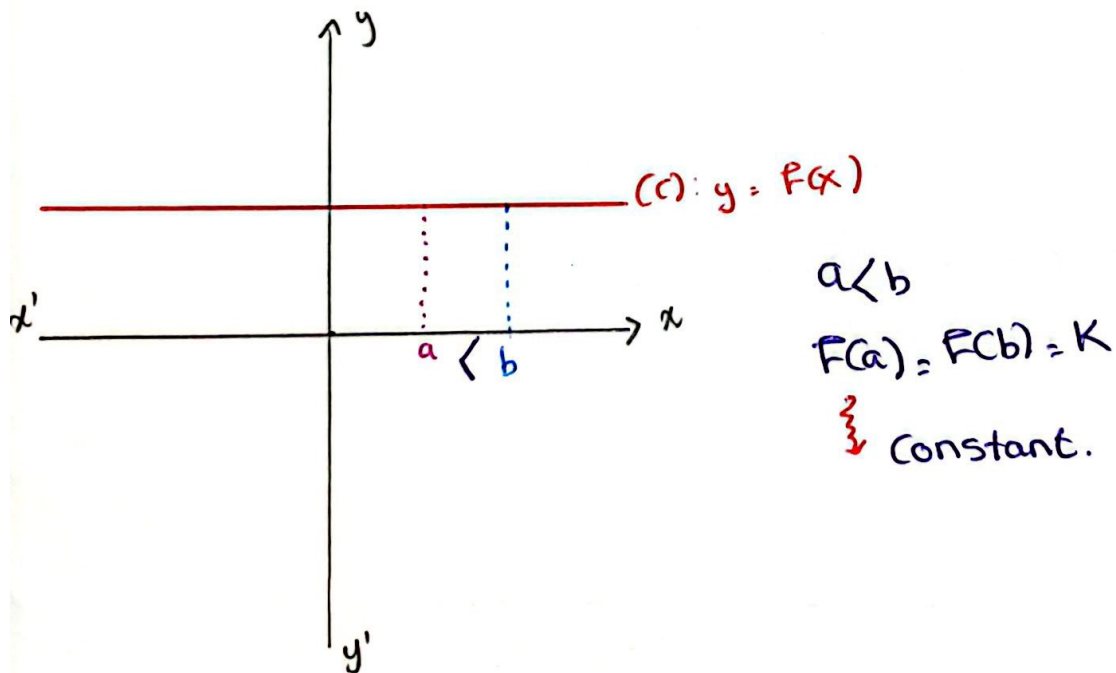
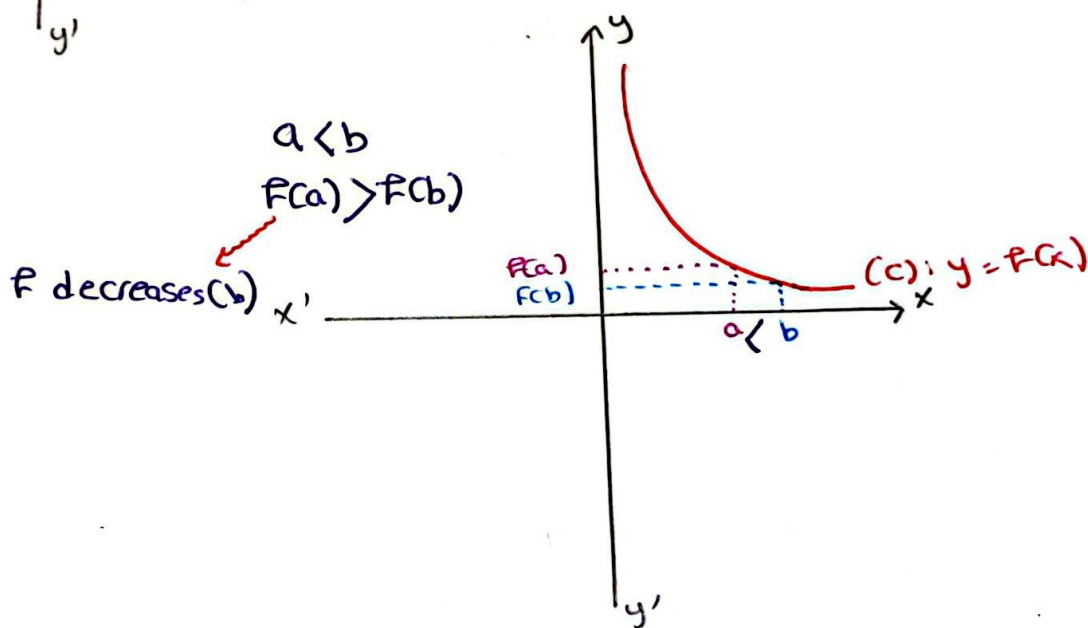
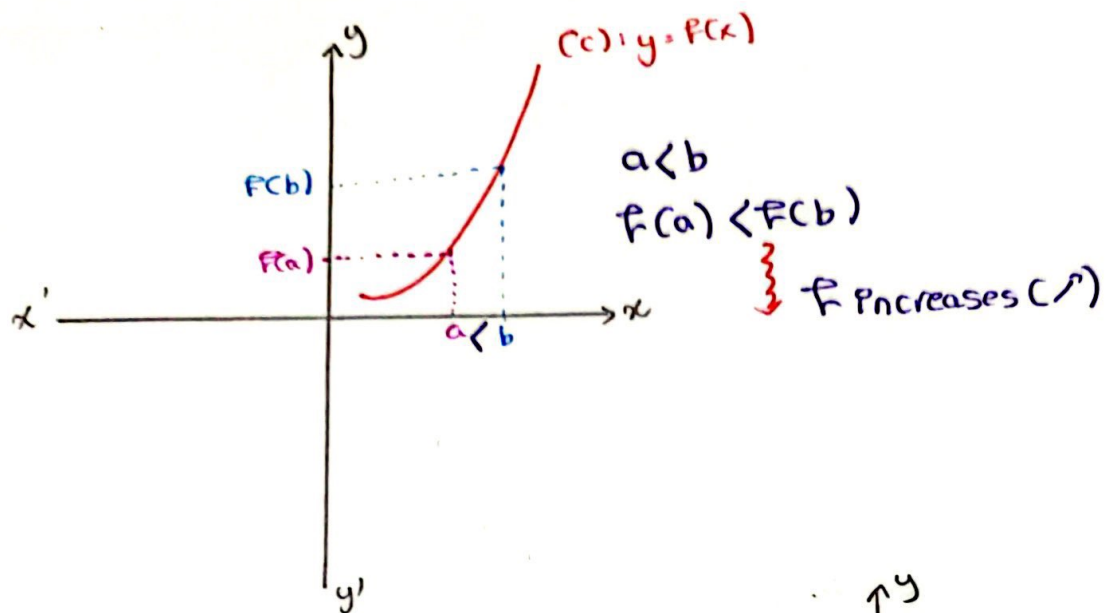
$a > 0$



$a < 0$

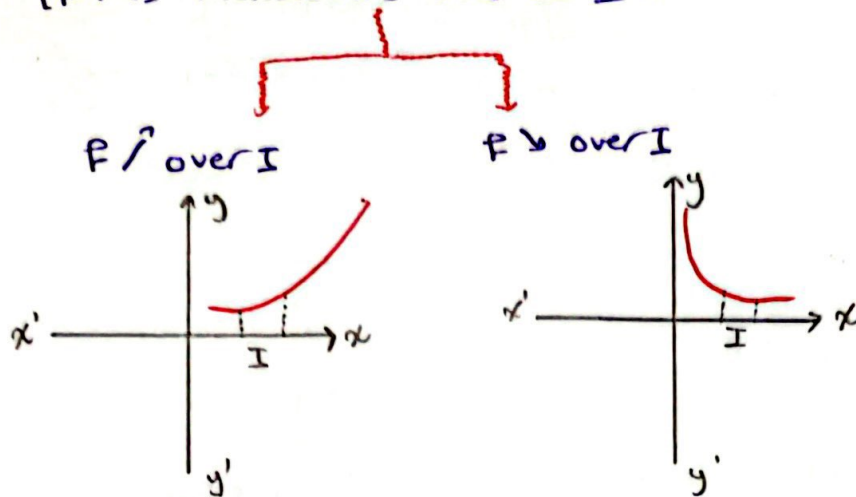


Sense of Variation of Functions.



Remarks!!

(f) is monotonic over $I \subseteq \mathbb{R}$



Limits:

Limits at infinity:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} x^{\text{even}} &= +\infty \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x^{\text{odd}} &= +\infty \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^{\text{odd}} &= -\infty \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^n = (-\infty)^n$$

$\begin{matrix} \text{even} & \text{odd} \\ +\infty & -\infty \end{matrix}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \sqrt{x} = \sqrt{+\infty} = +\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{\pm\infty}{k} = \pm\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{k}{x} = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{nb}{\pm\infty} = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0 \rightarrow y=0 \text{ H.A.}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} &= +\infty \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} &= -\infty \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow \frac{nb}{0^{\pm}} = \pm\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} ax^n = a(\pm\infty)^n = \pm\infty \cdot a^n$$

$\begin{matrix} \text{even} & \text{odd} \\ +\infty & -\infty \end{matrix}$

Rule 1:

$$P(x) = \underbrace{ax^n + bx^{n-1} + \dots + c}_{\text{highest degree}} \quad / n \in \mathbb{N}$$

IF and only if \mathbb{R} :

Polynomial

$$+ x \rightarrow \pm \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm \infty} ax^n = \begin{cases} +\infty & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ -\infty & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Rule 2:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm \infty} \frac{A(x)}{B(x)} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{highest degree} \\ \text{highest degree} \end{matrix}$$

Simplify

Substitute.

Remark:

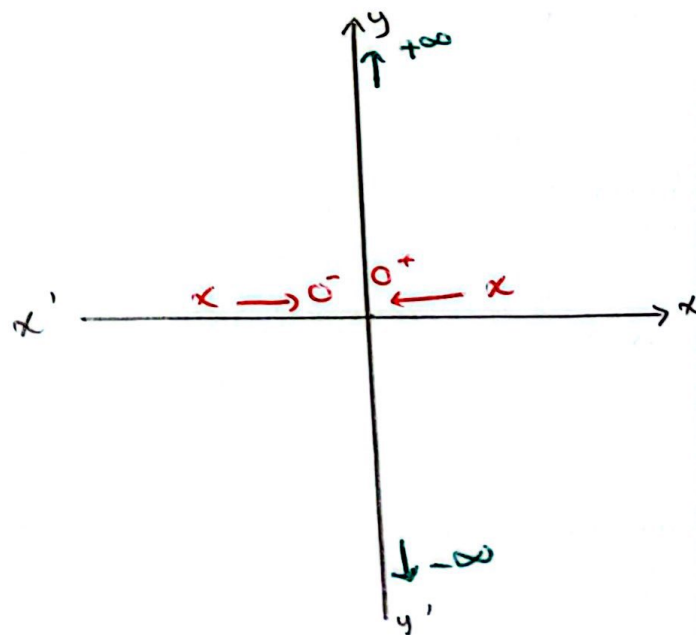
$$D_F =]-\infty; 0[\cup]0; +\infty[$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} F(x)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} F(x)$$

Graphically:

$$\begin{aligned} * \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{x} &= +\infty \\ * \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{1}{x} &= -\infty \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{matrix} \\ \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} x=0 \\ \text{V.A.} \end{matrix}$$



Remark:

$$* D.F. = [a, \dots$$

$$\downarrow F(a)$$

$$, D.F. =]a, \dots$$

$$\downarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} F(x)$$

Indeterminate Forms:

→ Polynomials:

$$+\infty - \infty$$

* Common Factor.

$$A \pm B = A \left(1 \pm \frac{B}{A}\right)$$

$$\text{or } A \pm B = B \left(\frac{A}{B} \pm 1\right)$$

→ Irrationals:

$$+\infty - \infty$$

* Common Factor } of both.
or
* rationalize

Indeterminate Form:

$$\infty \times 0$$

→ Irrationals:

* rationalize } of both.
or
 $\frac{\sqrt{x^2}}{x}$

Indeterminate Form:

$$1^\circ \frac{0}{0}$$

→ Polynomial
Polynomial
}

Substitute → Ind. Form.

i) Factorize.

ii) Simplify.

iii) Substitute.

$\rightarrow \frac{\text{Irrational}}{\text{Irrational}} \rightsquigarrow \text{Substitute} \rightsquigarrow \text{Ind. Form}$
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{i) Rationalize } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sqrt{A} \times \sqrt{A} \\ \text{or } (\sqrt{A} - \sqrt{B})(\sqrt{A} + \sqrt{B}) \end{array} \right. \\ \text{ii) Simplify.} \\ \text{iii) Substitute.} \end{array} \right.$

2^o $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$

$\rightarrow \frac{\text{Polynomial}}{\text{Polynomial}} \rightsquigarrow \text{Substitute} \rightsquigarrow \text{Ind. Form}$
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{i) } \frac{\text{highest degree}}{\text{highest degree}} \\ \text{ii) Simplify.} \\ \text{iii) Substitute.} \end{array} \right.$

$\rightarrow \text{Irrationals} \rightsquigarrow \text{Substitute} \rightsquigarrow \text{Ind. Form}$
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{rationalize} \\ \text{or } \frac{\cancel{x} \sqrt{x^2}}{\cancel{x}} \end{array} \right\} \rightsquigarrow \text{Substitute,}$

Remark:

$$* (a^3 + b^3) = (a + b)(a^2 + b^2 + ab)$$

$$* (a^3 - b^3) = (a - b)(a^2 + b^2 + ab)$$

Continuity:

1) Continuity at a point:

$$* (C): y = f(x); D_f \subseteq \mathbb{R}$$

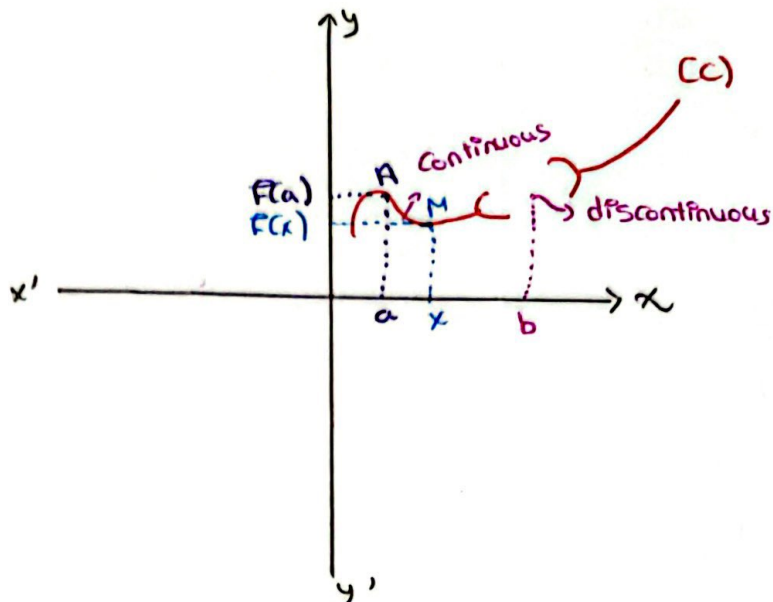
* "a": fixed value.

2) (f) continuous at "a"

$$* "a" \in D_f; f(a).$$

$$* \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$$

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



Derivatives:

Derivative at a point "a"

$$(C): y = f(x); D_f$$

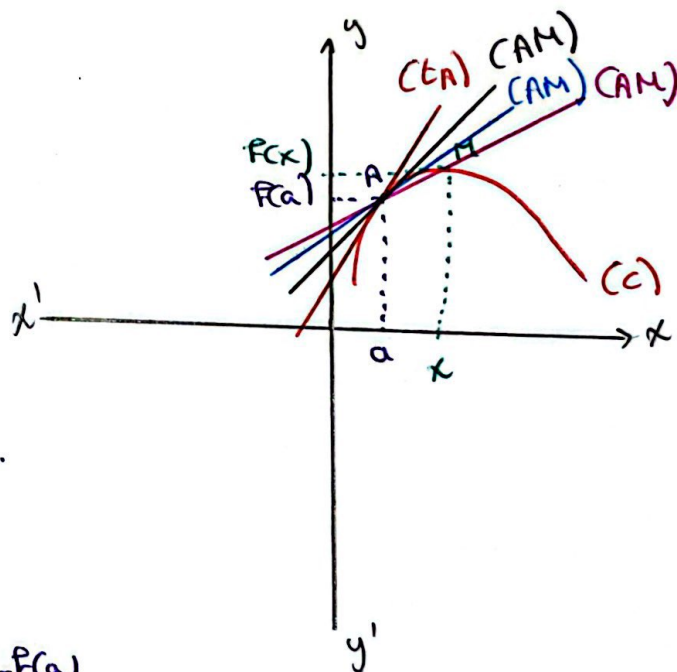
$$* a \in D_f; f(a) / A(a; f(a)) \in (C)$$

$$* x \in D_f; M(x; f(x))$$

(AM) intersects (C) at 2 points A & M.

$$\text{where, slope (AM)} = \frac{y_M - y_A}{x_M - x_A}$$

$$\downarrow \text{Slope (AM)} = \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

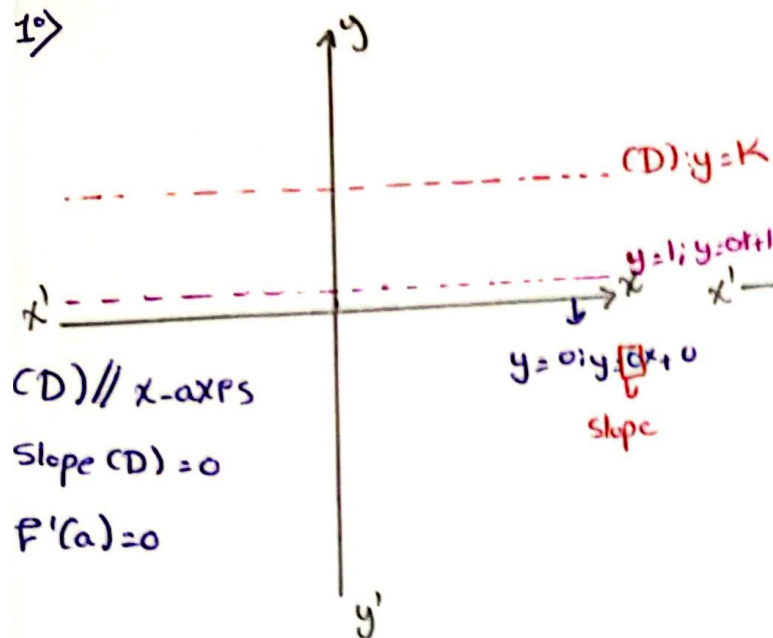


$$f'(a) = \text{Slope } (t_A) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a}$$

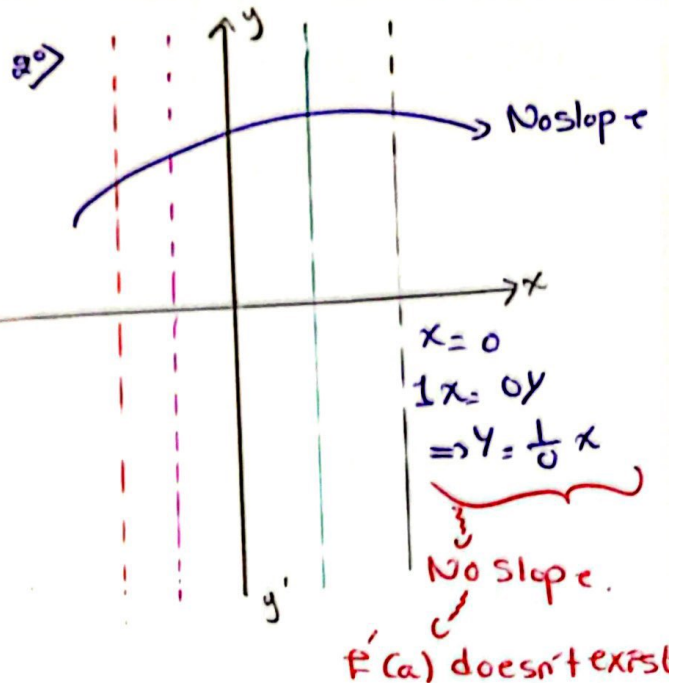
Derivative of "f" at "a"

Remarks:

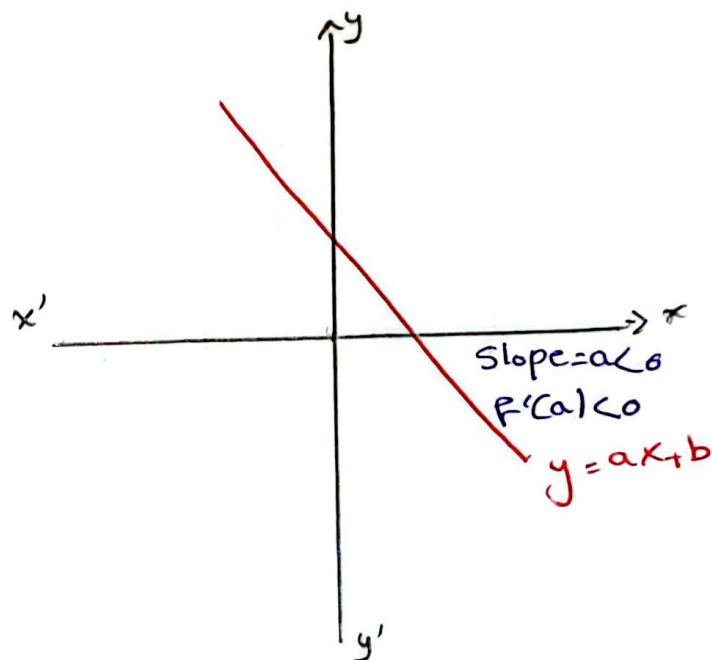
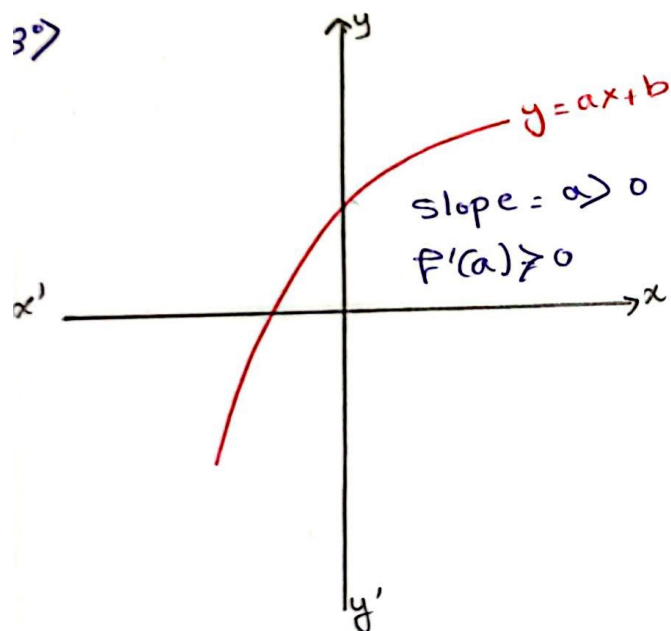
1°)



2°)



3°)



Overall Remarks:

* Form 2nd degree equation:

i) Calculate S and P

ii) $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$

* Verify the ± 1 is a root and find the other.

i) Substitute " ± 1 " in the equation.

ii) $x_2 = \frac{-c}{a}$ or $x_2 = \frac{c}{a}$

* Find evident root $\leadsto a-b+c=0$
or $a+b+c=0$

* Calculate the roots (given S and P)

i) $S = x_1 + x_2$ $P = x_1 x_2$

ii) (E): $x^2 - Sx + P = 0$

iii) Solve .

: Prove : $\exists \neq$ roots without calculation .

\downarrow
a and c : opp. signs $\leadsto D > 0$

. Domain of definition \leadsto value of "x" .

c. $f(x) = \frac{k}{\sqrt{A}} \leadsto A > 0$