

# Differentiation

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# Derivatives at a Point

## Definition 1

Let  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $x_0 \in I$ . The **derivative** of a function  $f$  at  $x_0$  is the value of the limit.

$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x) - f(x_0)}{x - x_0} \quad (1)$$

or

$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + h) - f(x_0)}{h} \quad (2)$$

## Theorem 1

- $f$  is said to be **differentiable** at  $x_0$  if that limit exists.
- $f$  is called **differentiable** on the interval  $[a, b] \in I$  if it is differentiable at every point  $x \in [a, b]$

We denote by  $y'$  or  $f'(x)$  or  $\frac{df}{dx}(x)$

# Derivatives Defined

## Other notation

from (2): we can find the derivative with  $x$  instead of  $x_0$  and  $\Delta x$  instead of  $h$ , then

$$f'(x) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x} \quad (3)$$

If we write  $y = f(x)$ , the change of the function  $f(x)$  for small increasing amount  $\Delta x$ , then  $\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$ . So

$$f'(x) = \frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \quad (4)$$

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# Differentiability

## Definition 7

let  $x_0 \in I$  and  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . then

- ① We denote  $f$  has right-hand derivative by  $f'_r(x_0)$  at  $x_0$  iff  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(x_0 + h) - f(x_0)}{h}$
- ② We denote  $f$  has left hand derivative by  $f'_l(x_0)$  at  $x_0$  iff  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(x_0 + h) - f(x_0)}{h}$

## Theorem 3

Let  $x_0 \in I$  and  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Then,  $f$  is differentiable at  $x_0$  iff  $f'_l(x_0) = f'_r(x_0)$

## Theorem 4

If  $f$  is differentiable at  $x_0$ , then  $f$  is continuous at  $x_0$

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# Direct computation of derivatives

- ① The derivative of any constant function is zero. Let  $f(x) = c$ , where  $c$  is a constant in the set of real numbers. Then,

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

- ② Consider the derivative of  $f(x) = x$ . Using definition of derivatives we have

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



## Direct computation of derivatives

- ③ Derivative of  $f(x) = kx$  is  $f'(x) = k$ , where  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ . Consider

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

- ④ Derivative of  $f(x) = x^n$  is  $f'(x) = nx^{n-1}$ . Consider

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{df(x)}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^n - x^n}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h-x)[(x+h)^{n-1} + \dots + (x+h)x^{n-2} + x^{n-1}]}{h} = nx^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

### Proposition

If  $y = u^n$ , where  $u$  is the function of  $x$  then  $y'(x) = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{du^n}{dx} = nu'u^{n-1}$

# Derivative of Trigonometric Function

① Derivative of  $f(x) = \sin(x)$  is  $f'(x) = \cos(x)$ . Consider

$$\begin{aligned}f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x+h) - \sin(x)}{h} \\&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos[(x+h+x)/2] \sin[((x+h)-x)/2]}{h} \\&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 \cos(x+h/2) \sin(h/2)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2 \cos(x+h/2) \times \frac{\sin(h/2)}{2(h/2)} \\&= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \cos(x+h/2) = \cos(x)\end{aligned}$$

② Derivative of  $f(x) = \cos(x)$  is  $f'(x) = -\sin(x)$

③ Derivative of  $f(x) = \tan(x)$  is  $f'(x) = 1 + \tan^2(x) = \frac{1}{\cos^2(x)}$

④ Derivatives of  $f(x) = \cot(x)$  is  $f'(x) = -\frac{1}{\sin^2(x)} = -(1 + \cot^2(x))$

# Derivatives of Trigonometric Function

## Proposition

If  $u$  is the function of  $x$ , then

- $y = \sin(u)$  then  $y' = u' \cos(u)$
- $y = \cos(u)$  then  $y' = -u' \sin(u)$
- $y = \tan(u)$  then  $y' = \frac{u'}{\cos^2(u)} = u'(1 + \tan^2 u)$
- $y = \cot u$  then  $y' = -\frac{u'}{\sin^2 u} = -u'(1 + \cot^2 u)$

# Derivatives of Exponential and Logarithmic Function

- ① Derivative  $y = e^x$  is  $y' = e^x$ . Consider

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

- ② Derivatives of  $y = \ln(x)$  is  $y' = \frac{1}{x}$ . Consider

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

## Proposition

If  $u$  is the function of  $x$ . then

- $y = e^u$  then  $y' = u' e^u$

- $y = \ln(u)$  then  $y' = \frac{u'}{u}$

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# Differentiation Rules

Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $u, v : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Suppose  $u, v$  are differentiable. Then

- Constant Multiple Rule:  $(\lambda u(x))' = \lambda u'(x)$  or

$$\frac{d(\lambda u(x))}{dx} = \lambda \frac{du(x)}{dx}$$

- Sum Rule:  $(u \pm v)' = u' \pm v'$  or

$$\frac{d(u \pm v)}{dx} = \frac{du}{dx} \pm \frac{dv}{dx}$$

- Product rule  $(u.v)' = u'v + v'u$  or

$$\frac{d(uv)}{dx} = \frac{du}{dx}v + \frac{dv}{dx}u$$

- Quotient rule:  $(\frac{u}{v})' = \frac{u'v - u.v'}{v^2}$  or

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{u}{v}\right) = \frac{\frac{du}{dx}v - \frac{dv}{dx}u}{v^2}$$

## Example

Find the derivative of the following function

①  $y = 2x + 3$

②  $y = (x^2 + x + 1)^8$

③  $y = 4e^{2x}$

④  $y = 2e^{x^3+1}$

⑤  $y = \ln(2x^2 + 1)$

⑥  $y = \cos(2x)$

⑦  $y = \sin(3x^3 + 2x)$

⑧  $y = \tan(e^{x+1})$

⑨  $y = (x^3 + 1) \cos(2x)$

⑩  $y = \frac{\sin(x)}{x^2 + 1}$

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# Derivatives of Composition Function

## Theorem (chain rule)

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be the functions,  $f, g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .  $\forall x \in I$  and  $g$  is differentiable at  $x$  and  $f$  is differentiable at  $g(x)$ , the derivative of the composite function  $h(x) = (f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$  is given by

$$h'(x) = f'(g(x)).g'(x)$$

Alternatively, if  $y$  is a function of  $u$ , and  $u$  is a function of  $x$ , then

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

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# Higher Order Derivatives

## Definition 8

Let  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  we defined  $f^{(n)}(x_0)$  is the derivative of  $f^{(n-1)}$  at  $x_0$  if it exists, for  $n = 1, 2, \dots$

- $f^{(n)}$  is called the derivative of  $f^{(n-1)}$
- $f^{(n)}$  is called the  $n$ -th derivative, or derivative of order  $n$ , of  $f$ .
- We say that  $f$  is  $n$  **times differentiable** on  $I$  iff  $f^{(n)}$  is defined on  $I$ .
- We say that  $f$  is infinitely differentiable on  $I$  iff  $f$  is  $n$  times differentiable on  $I$ ,  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

## Notation

The  $n$ th derivative of  $f$  is denoted  $f^{(n)}$ . Thus

- Zero derivative of  $f$  is :  $f^{(0)} = f$
- First derivative of  $f$  is :  $f'(x)$
- Second derivative of  $f$  is:  $f''(x)$
- Third derivative is  $f^{(3)}(x)$
- Fourth derivative is  $f^{(4)}$
- ...

# Operation Notation

**Operation notation.** A common variation on Leibniz' notation for derivatives is called operator notation, as in

$$\frac{d(x^4 - 2x)}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(x^4 - 2x) = 4x^3 - 2$$

For higher derivatives one can write

$$\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = f^{(n)}(x)$$

As Example

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \left( \frac{d}{dx} \right)^2 y$$

**Note**

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \neq \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2$$

# Higher Order Derivatives

Example: Find the  $n$ th derivative of  $y = \sin(x)$

$$y' = \cos(x) = \sin(\pi/2 + x)$$

$$y'' = -\sin(x) = \sin(2\pi/2 + x)$$

$$y''' = -\cos(x) = \sin(3\pi/2 + x)$$

$$y^{(4)} = \sin(x) = \sin(4\pi/2 + x)$$

$$y^{(5)} = \cos(x) = \sin(5\pi/2 + x)$$

$$y^{(n)} = \sin(n\pi/2 + x)$$

# Higher Order derivatives

## Leibniz's rule for higher derivatives

Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f, g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are  $n$  times differentiable on  $I$ . Then

$$(fg)^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^n C_n^k f^{(k)} g^{(n-k)}$$

Example: Find  $n$ th derivatives of the following function.

①  $(2x^3 + x + 1) \sin(x)$

②  $\frac{2x^2 + x + 1}{1 - x}$

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# Extreme Value

## Definition 9

A constant  $c$  is called a **critical point** of  $f$  if one of following satisfy:

- ①  $f'(c) = 0$
- ②  $f'(x)$  does not exists

## The tangent of a curve

The line equation is defined by  $y = mx + b$  or  $(y - y_0 = f'(x_0)(x - x_0))$ , where  $f'(x_0)$  is the slope and  $y_0$  is the intercept.

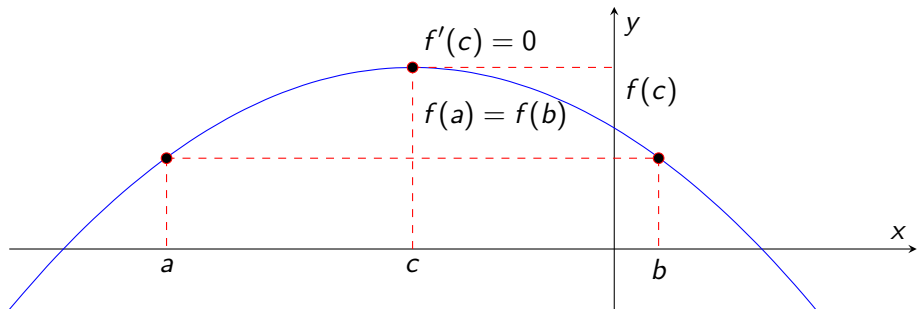
## L'Hôpital Rule

Suppose  $f, g : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $a \in I$  then for the following indeterminate form  $\left(\frac{0}{0}\right)$  or  $\left(\frac{\infty}{\infty}\right)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}, \text{ where } g'(x) \neq 0$$



# Rolle's Theorem



## Rolle' Theorem

Let  $f$  be continuous on the closed interval  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on the open interval  $(a, b)$ . If  $f(a) = f(b)$  then there is ta least one number  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $f'(c) = 0$

# Monotone Functions

- ①  $f$  is said to be **increasing** on  $I$  if:

$$\forall (x_1, x_2) \in I^2 : x_1 < x_2 \implies f(x_1) \leq f(x_2)$$

- ②  $f$  is said to be **strictly increasing** on  $I$  if :

$$\forall (x_1, x_2) \in I^2 : x_1 < x_2 \implies f(x_1) < f(x_2).$$

- ③  $f$  is said to be **decreasing** on  $I$  if:

$$\forall (x_1, x_2) \in I^2 : x_1 < x_2 \implies f(x_1) \geq f(x_2)$$

- ④  $f$  is said to be **strictly decreasing** on  $I$  if:

$$\forall (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x_1 < x_2 \implies f(x_1) > f(x_2)$$

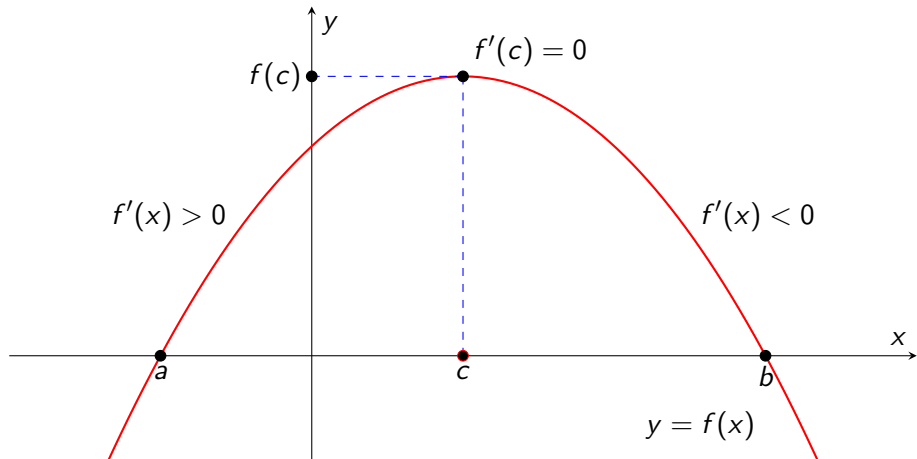
- ⑤  $f$  is said to be **monotone** ( strictly monotone) on  $I$  if  $f$  is either decreasing or increasing ( strictly decreasing or strictly increasing ) on  $I$ .

## Theorem 5

Let  $f$  be a function that is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ .

- ① If  $f'(x) \geq 0, \forall x \in (a, b) \implies f$  is increasing on  $[a, b]$
- ② If  $f'(x) \leq 0, \forall x \in (a, b) \implies f$  is decreasing on  $[a, b]$
- ③ If  $f'(x) = 0, \forall x \in (a, b) \implies f$  is constant on  $[a, b]$ .

# Graph

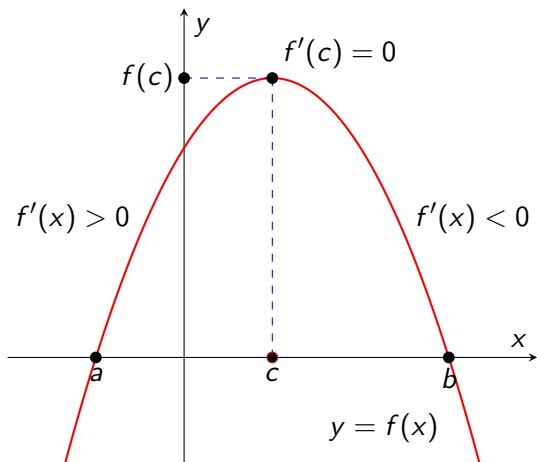


# Local Maximum and Local Minimum of the Function

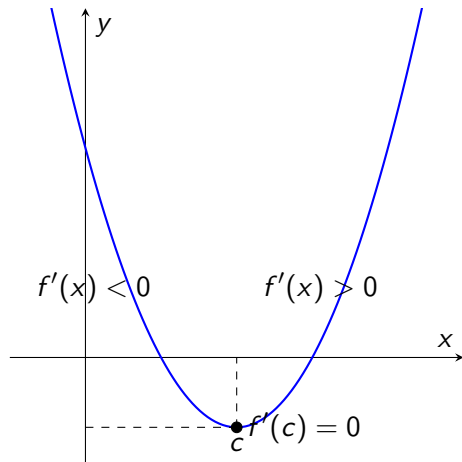
## Definition (Local Maximum, Local Minimum and First Derivatives)

- we say  $f$  has the local maximum at  $x_0$  if 
$$\begin{cases} f'(x) > 0 & \text{if } x < x_0 \\ f'(x) = 0 & \text{if } x = x_0 \\ f'(x) < 0 & \text{if } x > x_0 \end{cases}$$
- we say  $f$  has the local minimum at  $x_0$  if 
$$\begin{cases} f'(x) < 0 & \text{if } x < x_0 \\ f'(x) = 0 & \text{if } x = x_0 \\ f'(x) > 0 & \text{if } x > x_0 \end{cases}$$

# Local Maximum and Local Minimum



Local Maximum



Local Minimum

# Local Maximum and Local Minimum

## Technique to find the Relative Extreme

- After we do the  $f'(x)$  then we set  $f'(x) = 0$  after that we consider its sign
  - ① If its sign change from  $(+)$  to  $(-)$ , then  $f$  has the local maximum
  - ② If its sign change from  $(-)$  to  $(+)$ , then  $f$  has the local minimum

**Example 1** Find the Relative Extreme value of  $y = f(x) = -x^3 + 3x^2 + 1$

**Example 2:** What's the value  $m$  such that  $y = x^3 + 3mx^2 - mx + 2$  has both local maximum and local minimum.

# Local Maximum and Local Minimum and Second Derivative

## Definition

Relative Extreme and Second Derivatives The function  $y = f(x)$  has two times derivation at  $x_0$

- We say  $f$  has the local maximum at  $x_0$  if 
$$\begin{cases} f'(x_0) = 0 \\ f''(x_0) < 0 \end{cases}$$
- We say  $f$  has the local minimum at  $x_0$  if 
$$\begin{cases} f'(x_0) = 0 \\ f''(x_0) > 0 \end{cases}$$