

Lecture 6 - 22/03

→ 6.1 Functions

- def: Function f from A to B is $f \subseteq A \times B$, each element x from A can be paired with at most one y from B :

$$((x, y_1) \in f \text{ and } (x, y_2) \in f \Rightarrow y_1 = y_2)$$

- We say A is the DOMAIN of f - $\text{dom}(f)$, and B is the CODOMAIN of f

ex. $f(x) = x^2$, $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ $\text{dom}(f) = \mathbb{R}$

- To define a function we need to define the domain

ex. $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$, where $x \geq 0$, $\text{dom}(f) = [0, +\infty)$

$f(x) = \sqrt{1-x^2}$, $\text{dom}(f) = [-1, 1]$

$f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2-4}$, $\text{dom}(f) = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-2, 2\}$

- Finally we define IMAGE of a function f as follows

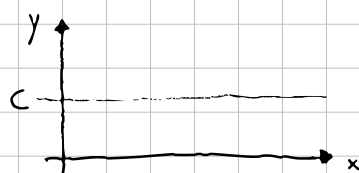
$$\text{IM}(f) = \{f(x) \mid x \in \text{dom}(f)\}$$

ex $f(x) = x^2$, $\text{IM}(f)$

→ 6.2 Graphs of Functions

- We can only plot smooth functions.

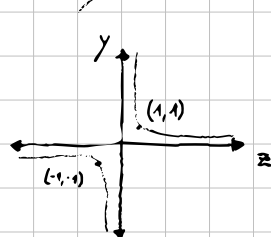
a) $f(x) = c$



b) $f(x) = x$



c) $f(x) = 1/x$



→ 6.3 Combining Functions

- Let f and g be functions, then we define

$$(f+g)(x) = f(x) + g(x), \text{ as a new function, we can also define}$$

$$\text{dom}(f+g) = \text{dom}(f) \cap \text{dom}(g)$$

$$(f \cdot g)(x) \Rightarrow \text{dom}(f \cdot g) = \text{dom}(f) \cap \text{dom}(g)$$

- Composition of functions

$$f: B \rightarrow C \text{ and } g: A \rightarrow B, \text{ we define } f \circ g: A \rightarrow C$$

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$$

$$\text{dom}(f \circ g) = \{x \in \text{dom}(g) \mid g(x) \in \text{dom}(f)\}$$

$$\text{Im}(g) \cap \text{dom}(f)$$

ex. $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$, $g(x) = x+1$

$$\text{dom}(f) = [0, +\infty) \quad \text{dom}(g) = \mathbb{R}$$

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = \sqrt{x+1}, \quad \text{dom}(f \circ g) = [-1, +\infty)$$

$$(g \circ f)(x) = g(f(x)) = \sqrt{x} + 1, \quad \text{dom}(g \circ f) = [0, +\infty)$$

ex. $G(x) = \frac{1-x}{1+x}$

$$(G \circ G)(x) = G\left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right) = \frac{1 - \frac{1-x}{1+x}}{1 + \frac{1-x}{1+x}} = \frac{\frac{1+x - 1+x}{1+x}}{\frac{1+x + 1-x}{1+x}} = \frac{2x}{2} = x$$

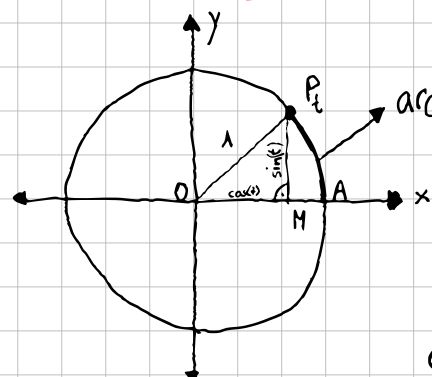
$$\text{dom}(G \circ G) = \{x \in \text{dom}(G) \mid G(x) \in \text{dom}(G)\}$$

$$= \{x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1\} \mid G(x) \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{-1\}\}$$

→ 6.4 Polynomial and Rational Functions

- Polynomial: $P: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ of form $P(x) = a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_0$
 n is the degree of the Polynomial
- Rational: $R: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a function of the form $R(x) = \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$, where P and Q are Polynomial functions with $\text{dom}(R) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid Q(x) \neq 0\}$
- Roots of a Polynomial P are numbers r , s.t. $P(r) = 0$.
 P of $\text{deg}(P) = n$ can have at most n roots

→ 6.5 The trigonometric Functions

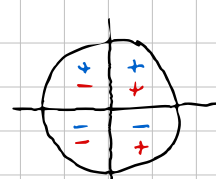


$$\text{arc length: } \widehat{AP_t} = t$$

$$\sin(t) = |P_t M| = y\text{-coordinate of } P_t$$

$$\cos(t) = |OM| = x\text{-coordinate of } P_t$$

$$\text{Observation: Circumference} = 2\pi r$$



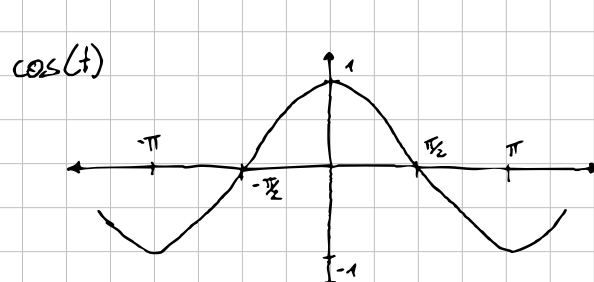
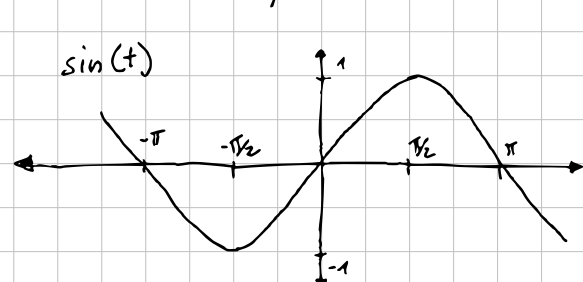
sin
cos

- We measure t anti-clockwise, \sin and \cos repeat/reset after 2π

$$\sin(t) = \sin(2\pi) = \sin(t + 2\pi) \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{N}, \text{ same for } \cos$$

$$\sin(0) = 0, \quad \sin(\pi) = 0, \quad \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) = 1, \quad \sin(-\frac{\pi}{2}) = -1$$

$$\cos(0) = 1, \quad \cos(\pi) = -1, \quad \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) = 0, \quad \cos(-\frac{\pi}{2}) = 0$$



- other trigonometric function:

$$\tan(t) = \frac{\sin(t)}{\cos(t)}$$

$$\cot(t) = \frac{\cos(t)}{\sin(t)} = \frac{1}{\tan(t)}$$

$$\sec(t) = \frac{1}{\cos(t)}$$

$$\csc(t) = \frac{1}{\sin(t)}$$