

Exercise 11b

Question 1.

Using differentials, find the approximate values of:

find the approximate values of $\sqrt{37}$.

Answer:

Let $y = \sqrt{x}$.

Let $x = 36$ and $\Delta x = 1$.

As $y = \sqrt{x}$.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{36}} \cdot 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = 0.08$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore 0.08 = \sqrt{36 + 1} - \sqrt{36}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.08 = \sqrt{37} - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{37} = 6.08$$

Question 2.

Using differentials, find the approximate values of:

Find the approximate values of $\sqrt[3]{29}$.

Answer:

Let $y = \sqrt[3]{x}$.

Let $x = 27$ and $\Delta x = 2$.

As $y = \sqrt[3]{x}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3} x^{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{3} x^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{3} 27^{-\frac{2}{3}} \cdot 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{2}{27}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = 0.074$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore 0.074 = \sqrt[3]{27 + 2} - \sqrt[3]{27}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.074 = \sqrt[3]{29} - 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt[3]{29} = 3.074$$

Question 3.

Using differentials, find the approximate values of:

Find the approximate values of $\sqrt{27}$

Answer:

Let $y = \sqrt{x}$.

Let $x = 25$ and $\Delta x = 2$.

As $y = \sqrt{x}$.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{25}} \cdot 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = 0.2$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore 0.2 = \sqrt{25 + 2} - \sqrt{25}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.2 = \sqrt{27} - 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{27} = 5.2$$

Question 4.

Using differentials, find the approximate values of:

Find the approximate values of $\sqrt{0.24}$

Answer:

Let $y = \sqrt{x}$.

Let $x = 0.25$ and $\Delta x = -0.01$.

As $y = \sqrt{x}$.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{0.25}} \cdot (-0.01)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = -0.01$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = -0.01$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore -0.01 = \sqrt{0.25 - 0.01} - \sqrt{0.25}$$

$$\Rightarrow -0.01 = \sqrt{0.24} - 0.5$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{0.24} = 0.49$$

Question 5.

Using differentials, find the approximate values of:

Find the approximate values of $\sqrt{49.5}$

Answer:

Let $y = \sqrt{x}$.

Let $x = 49$ and $\Delta x = 0.5$.

As $y = \sqrt{x}$.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{49}} \cdot 0.5$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{0.5}{14}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = 0.0357$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore 0.0357 = \sqrt{49 + 0.5} - \sqrt{49}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.0357 = \sqrt{49.5} - 7$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{49.5} = 7.0357.$$

Question 6.

Using differentials, find the approximate values of:

Find the approximate values of $\sqrt[4]{15}$

Answer:

$$\text{Let } y = \sqrt[4]{x}.$$

Let $x = 16$ and $\Delta x = 1$.

$$\text{As } y = \sqrt[4]{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4} x^{-\frac{3}{4}}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{4} x^{-\frac{3}{4}} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{4} 16^{-\frac{3}{4}} \cdot (-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{-1}{32}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = -0.03125$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore -0.03125 = \sqrt[4]{16 + 1} - \sqrt[4]{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow -0.03125 = \sqrt[4]{15} - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt[4]{15} = 1.96875$$

Question 7.

find the approximate values of $\frac{1}{(2.002)^2}$

Answer:

$$\text{Let } y = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

Let $x = 2$ and $\Delta x = 0.002$.

$$\text{As } y = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2}{x^3}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{-2}{x^3} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{-2}{8} \cdot (0.002)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{-0.5}{1000}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = -0.0005$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore -0.0005 = \frac{1}{(2.002)^2} - \frac{1}{2^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -0.0005 = \frac{1}{(2.002)^2} - 0.25$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(2.002)^2} = 0.2495$$

Question 8.

find the approximate values of $\log_e 10.02$, given that $\log_e 10 = 2.3026$

Answer:

Let $y = \log_e x$

Let $x = 10$ and $\Delta x = 0.02$.

As $y = \log_e x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{1}{x} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{1}{10} \cdot (0.02)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{0.02}{10}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = 0.002$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore 0.002 = \log_e(10+0.02) - \log_e(10)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.002 = \log_e(10.02) - 2.3026$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_e(10.02) = 2.3046.$$

Question 9.

find the approximate values of $\log_{10}(4.04)$, it being given that $\log_{10}4 = 0.6021$ and $\log_{10}e = 0.4343$

Answer:

Let $y = \log_{10} x$

$$\therefore y = \frac{\log_e x}{\log_e 10}$$

$$\therefore y = 0.4343 \log_e x$$

Let $x = 4$ and $\Delta x = 0.04$.

As $y = 0.4343 \log_e x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{0.4343}{x}$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = \frac{0.4343}{x} \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{0.4343}{4} \cdot (0.04)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{0.017372}{4}$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = 0.004343$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x + \Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore 0.004343 = \log_e(4 + 0.04) - \log_e(4)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.004343 = \log_e(4.04) - 0.6021$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_e(4.04) = 0.606443.$$

Question 10.

find the approximate values of $\cos 61^\circ$, it being given that $\sin 60^\circ = 0.86603$ and $1^\circ = 0.01745$ radian

Answer:

Let $y = \cos x$

Let $x = 60^\circ$ and $\Delta x = 1^\circ$.

As $y = \cos x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin x$$

We, know

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = \frac{dy}{dx} \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = -\sin x \cdot \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = -\sin(60)(0.01745)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta y = -(0.86603)(0.01745)$$

$$\therefore \Delta y = -0.01511$$

Also,

$$\Delta y = f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)$$

$$\therefore -0.01511 = \cos(60+1) - \cos(60)$$

$$\Rightarrow -0.01511 = \cos 61^\circ - 0.5$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos 61^\circ = 0.48489$$

Question 11.

If $y = \sin x$ and x changes from $\frac{\pi}{2}$ to $\frac{22}{14}$, what is the approximate change in y ?

Answer:

Given x is $\pi/2$

Value of π is $22/7$

$22/14$ is $\pi/2$

Hence there will be no change.

Question 12.

A circular metal plate expands under heating so that its radius increases by 2%. Find the approximate increase in the area of the plate, if the radius of the plate before heating is 10 cm.

Answer:

Let the radius of the plate 10cm.

Radius increases by 2% by heating

$$\therefore \text{After increment} = \frac{2}{100} \times 10 = 0.2$$

Change in radius $dr = 0.2$

$$\therefore \text{New radius} = 10 + 0.2 = 10.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Area of circular plate} = A = \pi r^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Change in Area} = \frac{dA}{dr}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dr} = 2\pi r dr$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dr} = 2 \times \pi \times 10 \times 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dr} = 4\pi \text{ cm}^2$$

Question 13.

If the length of a simple pendulum is decreased by 2%, find the percentage decrease in its period T , where $T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$.

Answer:

The formula for time period -

$$\therefore T = 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$$

Here $2, \pi, g$ have no dimensions. So we can eliminate them.

$$\text{Now } \frac{\Delta T}{T} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\Delta L}{L}$$

By representing in percentage error

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta T}{T} \times 100\% = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\Delta L}{L} \times 100\%$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta T}{T} \times 100\% = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\Delta L}{L} \times 100\%$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta T}{T} \% = \frac{1}{2} \times 2\%$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta T}{T} \% = 1\%$$

Hence the time period becomes 1 %.

Question 14.

The pressure p and the volume V of a gas are connected by the relation, $pV^{1/4} = k$, where k is a constant. Find the percentage increase in the pressure, corresponding to a diminution of 0.5% in the volume.

Answer:

Given: $pV^{1/4} = k$

%decrease in the volume = 1/2%

$$\therefore \frac{\Delta V}{V} \times 100 = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$pV^{1/4} = k$$

taking log on both sides

$$\log[pV^{1/4}] = \log a$$

$$\log P + 1.4\log V = \log a$$

Differentiating both the sides we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{P} dP + \frac{1.4}{V} dV = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{P} + 1.4 \frac{dV}{V} = 0$$

Multiplying both sides by 100.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{P} \times 100 + 1.4 \times \frac{dV}{V} \times 100 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{P} \times 100 + 1.4 \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{P} \times 100 = 0.7$$

%error in P = 0.7%.

Question 15.

The radius of a sphere shrinks from 10 cm to 9.8 cm. Find approximately the decrease in (i) volume, and (ii) surface area.

Answer:

Decrease in radius = dr = 10-9.8

$$\therefore dr = 0.2$$

Volume of the sphere is given by $V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$

$$\text{Change in volume} = dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$\therefore dV = 4\pi(10)^2 \times 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow dV = 80\pi \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Surface area of the sphere is given by} = A = 4\pi r^2$$

$$\text{Change in volume} = dA = 8\pi r dr$$

$$\therefore dA = 8\pi \times 10 \times 0.2$$

$$\therefore dA = 16\pi.$$

Question 16.

If there is an error of 0.1% in the measurement of the radius of a sphere, find approximately the percentage error in the calculation of the volume of the sphere.

Answer:

$$\text{Volume of the sphere is given by} = V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

$$\text{Change in volume} = dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$\text{Given: } \Delta r = 0.1$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta r \cdot \frac{dV}{dr} = 4\pi r^2 \Delta r$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta V = 4\pi r^2 \Delta r$$

Percentage error

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta V}{V} = \frac{4\pi r^2}{\frac{4\pi r^3}{3}} \times 0.1$$

$$= 0.3\%$$

Question 17.

Show that the relative error in the volume of a sphere, due to an error in measuring the diameter, is three times the relative error in the diameter.

Answer:

Let d be the diameter r be the radius and V be the volume of Sphere

Volume of the sphere is given by $V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$

$$\Rightarrow V = \frac{4}{3} \pi \left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{6} \pi D^3$$

Let Δd be the error in d and the corresponding error in V be ΔV .

$$\therefore \Delta V = \frac{dV}{dd} \Delta d = \frac{1}{2} \pi d^2 \Delta D$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Delta V}{V} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \pi d^2 \Delta D}{\frac{1}{6} \pi D^3} = 3 \frac{\Delta D}{D}$$

Hence Proved