

Taylor series

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L' hospital rule

If $f(0) = g(0) = 0$ then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

if it exists.

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k && \text{(since } f(0)=0) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k x^k \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} a_{l+1} x^{l+1} && (l=k-1) \\ &= x \cdot \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} a_{l+1} x^l \end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_{i+1} x^i}{x \cdot \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} b_{j+1} x^j} = \frac{a_1}{b_1} = \frac{f'(0)}{g'(0)}.$$

~~The order of vanishing of $f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ is the first k such that $a_k \neq 0$.~~

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pretend I didn't cross
that out.
It's not important
for this class
though.

Multiplying/dividing by
a power of x .

$$f(x) = \frac{e^x - 1 - x}{x^2}$$

$$e^x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!} = 1 + x + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^x - 1 - x = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{e^x - 1 - x}{x^2} = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k-2}}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^l}{(l+2)!} \quad (l=k-2)$$

Making it look like $\frac{1}{1-x}$.
Diff/Integration

based
on $b=0$

$$\frac{1}{5 - 3x^2} = \frac{1}{5(1 - \frac{3}{5}x^2)} = \frac{1}{5} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{3}{5}x^2\right)^k$$

pull out the
constant factor
to make it
a 1.

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-3)^k}{5^{k+1}} x^{2k}$$



$$\left| -\frac{3}{5}x^2 \right| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |x| < \sqrt{\frac{5}{3}}$$

Diff/Integration

base $a=0$

$$\ln(2+x) = \int \frac{1}{2+x} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{2(1-(-\frac{x}{2}))} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^k x^k dx$$

$$= \int \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{2^{k+1}} x^k dx$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{2^{k+1} \cdot (k+1)} \cdot x^{k+1} + C$$

plug in $x=0$ to determine C .

$$\ln(2) = C$$

$$\ln(2) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{2^{k+1} \cdot (k+1)} x^{k+1}$$

radius $\left|-\frac{x}{2}\right| < 1 \Rightarrow |x| < 2$

$$f(x) = 2xe^{x^2}$$

2 ways.

$$f(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(e^{x^2})$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2k}}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2k \cdot x^{2k-1}}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2x^{2k-1}}{(k-1)!}$$

$$(l = k-1)$$

$$= \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{2x^{2l+1}}{l!}$$

$$f(x) = 2x \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2k}}{k!}$$

$$= \dots$$