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Presentation Outline

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A Counterexample

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Consider the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin(1/x), & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Let's see what f'(0) is.

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