

Q1

Monday, October 5, 2020 7:46 AM

Find the linearization $L(x)$ of the function at a .

$$f(x) = \sin(x), \quad a = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$L(x) = \frac{3\sqrt{3} - \pi}{6} + \frac{1}{2}x$$



Tangent linear approximation

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$$

$$f(x) = \sin(x), \quad a = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$f'(x) = \sin(x)$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx} [\sin(x)]$$

$$= \cos(x)$$

$$L\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + f'\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{3} - \pi}{6} + \frac{1}{2}x$$

Q2

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Find the linearization $L(x)$ of the function at a .

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x}, \quad a = 9$$

$$L(x) = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{6}x$$



Tangent linear approximation

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$$

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x}, \quad a = 9$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \sqrt{x} \\ &= \frac{d}{dx} (x^{1/2}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} \end{aligned}$$

$$L(9) = f(9) + f'(9)(x - 9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 3 + \frac{1}{2}(9)^{-1/2}(x - 9) \\ &= 3 + \frac{1}{6}(x - 9) \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{1}{2} 9^{-1/2}$
 $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{9}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$

$$= 3 + \frac{1}{6}x - \frac{3}{2}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{6}x$$

Q3

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Use a linear approximation (or differentials) to estimate the given number.

$$(1.999)^4$$



Tangent linear approximation

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$$

$$(1.999)^4$$

$$f(x) = x^4, \quad a = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= x^4 \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}(x^4) \\ &= 4x^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L(2) &= f(2) + f'(2)(x - 2) \\ &= 16 + 32(x - 2) \\ &= 16 + 32x - 64 \\ &= 32x - 48 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (1.999)^4 &= f(1.999) \\ &\approx 32(1.999) - 48 \\ &= 63.968 - 48 \\ &= 15.968 \end{aligned}$$

Q4

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Use a linear approximation (or differentials) to estimate the given number. (Round your answer to five decimal places.)

$\sqrt[3]{65}$

4.02083



Tangent linear approximation

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$$

$$\sqrt[3]{65}$$

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}, \quad a = 64$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= \sqrt[3]{x} \\
 &= \frac{d}{dx} (x^{1/3}) \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} x^{-2/3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$L(x) = f(64) + f'(64)(x - 64)$$

$$= 4 + \frac{1}{3}(64)^{-2/3}(x - 64)$$

$$= 4 + \frac{1}{48}(x - 64)$$

$$= 4 + \frac{1}{48}x - \frac{64}{48}$$

$$= \frac{x}{48} + 4 - \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= \frac{x}{48} + \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\frac{1}{3}(64)^{-2/3}$$

$$\frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{1}{64^{2/3}}\right) = \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{1}{(4^3)^{2/3}}\right) = \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{1}{4^2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{1}{16}\right) = \frac{1}{48}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{65} = f(65)$$

$$= \frac{65}{48} + \frac{8}{3}$$

$$= \frac{193}{48}$$

$$\approx 4.02083$$

Find the linear approximation of the function $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{1+x}$ at $a = 0$.

$$g(x) \approx \frac{1}{3}x + 1$$



Use it to approximate the numbers $\sqrt[3]{0.95}$ and $\sqrt[3]{1.1}$. (Round your answers to three decimal places.)

$$\sqrt[3]{0.95} \approx 0.983$$



$$\sqrt[3]{1.1} \approx 1.033$$



Illustrate by graphing g and the tangent line.

$$g(x) = \sqrt[3]{1+x}, \quad a = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} g'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \left[(1+x)^{1/3} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} (1+x)^{-2/3} \cdot \frac{d}{dx} (1+x) \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{(1+x)^{2/3}} \right] (0+1) \\ &= \frac{1}{3(1+x)^{2/3}} \end{aligned}$$

$$L(0) = g(0) + g'(0)(x-0)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{3}(x)$$

$$g(x) = \frac{1}{3}x + 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[3]{1+0} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{1} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{3(1+0)^{2/3}} \\ &= \frac{1}{3(\sqrt[3]{1+0})^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{3(1)} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

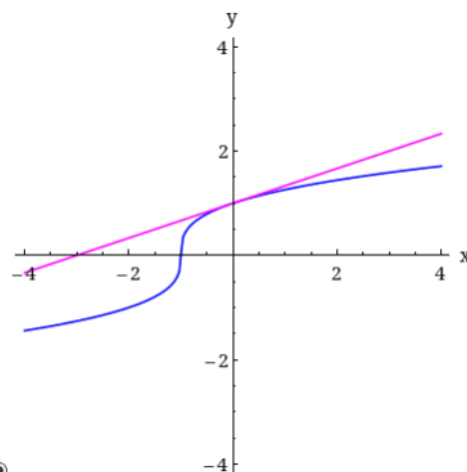
Tangent linear approximation

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[3]{0.95} &= L(0.95 - 1) \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(0.95 - 1) + 1 \\ &\approx 0.983 \end{aligned}$$

-1 to make up for the +1 in $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{1+x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[3]{1.1} &= L(1.1 - 1) \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(1.1 - 1) + 1 \\ &\approx 1.033 \end{aligned}$$



Q6

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Use a linear approximation (or differentials) to estimate the given number.

$$e^{-0.01}$$



Tangent linear approximation

$$L(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x - a)$$

$$e^{-0.01}$$

$$f(x) = e^x, \alpha = 0$$

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

$$= e^x$$

$$L(0) = f(0) + f'(0)(x - 0)$$

$$= 1 + 1(x - 0)$$

$$= 1 + x$$

$$e^{-0.01} = L(-0.01)$$

$$= 1 + (-0.01)$$

$$= 0.99$$