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function [p,n] = secant(p0, p1, func, tol)
n=0;
%the other conditional is abs(p-p0)>tol
%usefull is function is slowly varying
while abs(feval(func,p1))>tol
   p = p1 - (feval(func, p1) * (p1-p0)) / (feval(func, p1) - feval(func, p0));
   n = n+1;
    %out catch for divergence
    if n >= 100
        disp('Method appears to be diverging')
        return
    else
        fprintf('p %2.0f = %4.30f \n', [n,p]);
    end
    p0 = p1;
    p1 = p;
end
end
```