

## Lecture A1. Math Review

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# I. Differentiation and Integration

# Differentiation

## Definition 1 (differentiation) *정의*

Differentiation is the action of computing a derivative.

## Definition 2 (derivative) *도함수*

The derivative of a function  $y = f(x)$  of a variable  $x$  is a measure of the rate at which the value  $y$  of the function changes with respect to (wrt., hereafter) the change of the variable  $x$ . It is notated as  $f'(x)$  and called derivative of  $f$  wrt.  $x$ .

## Remark 1

If  $x$  and  $y$  are real numbers, and if the graph of  $f$  is plotted against  $x$ , the derivative is the slope of this graph at each point.

### Definition 3 (differentiable) 미분가능

If  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h/2) - f(x-h/2)}{h}$  exists for a function  $f$  at  $x$ , we say the function  $f$  is *differentiable at  $x$* . That is,  $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h/2) - f(x-h/2)}{h}$ . If  $f$  is differentiable for all  $x$ , then we say  $f$  is *differentiable (everywhere)*.

### Remark 2

The followings are popular derivatives.

- $f(x) = x^p \Rightarrow f'(x) = px^{p-1}$  (polynomial)  $x^2 \rightarrow 2x$
- $f(x) = e^x \Rightarrow f'(x) = e^x$  (exponential)  $e^x \rightarrow e^x$
- $f(x) = \log(x) \Rightarrow f'(x) = 1/x$  (log function; not differentiable at  $x = 0$ )

### Theorem 1

*Differentiation is linear. That is,  $h(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  implies  $h'(x) = f'(x) + g'(x)$ .*

## Theorem 2 (differentiation of product)

If  $h(x) = f(x)g(x)$ , then  $h'(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x)$ .

### Exercise 1

Suppose  $f(x) = \underbrace{x}w e^x$ , find  $f'(x)$ .

$$f'(x) = \underbrace{x'}e^x + x(e^x)'$$

$$f'(x) = 1 \cdot e^x + x e^x$$

$$f'(x) = (1+x)e^x$$

## Theorem 3 (differentiation of fraction)

If  $h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ , then  $h'(x) = \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2}$ .

## Theorem 4 (composite function)

If  $h(x) = f(g(x))$ , then  $h'(x) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$ .

### Exercise 2

Suppose  $f(x) = e^{2x}$  find  $f'(x)$ .

$$(e^{f(x)})' = e^{f(x)} \cdot f'(x)$$

$$(e^{2x})' = (e^{2x})' \cdot (2x)'$$

$$= 2e^{2x}$$

# Integration

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## Definition 4 (integration)

Integration is the computation of an integral, which is a reverse operation of differentiation up to an additive constant.

미분

## Definition 5 (antiderivative)

Let's say a function  $f$  is a derivative of  $g$ , or  $g'(x) = f(x)$ , then we say  $g$  is an *antiderivative* of  $f$ , written as  $g(x) = \int \underbrace{f(x)dx} + C$ , where  $C$  is a integration constant.



### Remark 3

The followings are popular antiderivatives.

- For  $p \neq -1$ ,  $f(x) = x^p \Rightarrow \int f(x)dx = \frac{1}{p+1}x^{p+1} + C$  (polynomial)
- $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow \int f(x)dx = \log(x) + C$  (fraction)
- $f(x) = e^x \Rightarrow \int f(x)dx = e^x + C$  (exponential)
- $f(x) = \frac{g'(x)}{g(x)} \Rightarrow \int f(x)dx = \log(g(x)) + C$  (See Theorem 4 above)

### Exercise 3

Derive  $\int f'(x)g(x) dx = f(x)g(x) - \int f(x)g'(x) dx$ . (Hint: Use Theorem 2 above.)

$$f(x)g(x) + \int f(x)g'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} f(x)g(x)$$

$$\int (f'(x)g(x))dx + \int (f(x)g'(x))dx = \int \left(\frac{d}{dx} f(x)g(x)\right)dx$$

$$\int (f'(x)g(x))dx + \int (f(x)g'(x))dx = f(x)g(x)$$

$$\int (f'(x)g(x))dx = f(x)g(x) - \int (f(x)g'(x))dx$$

## Exercise 4

Find  $\int x e^x dx$ , and evaluate  $\int_0^1 x e^x dx$ . (Hint: Use Exercise 3 above.)

Exercise 3  $\int f'(x)g(x) dx = f(x)g(x) - \int (f(x)g'(x)) dx$

$$\begin{aligned}\int x e^x dx &= e^x x - \int (e^x \cdot 1) dx \\ &= e^x x - e^x + C\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^1 x e^x dx &= [e^x x - e^x + C]_0^1 \\ &= (e^1 \cdot 1 - e^1 + C) - (e^0 \cdot 0 - e^0 + C) \\ &= (0 + C) - (0 - 1 + C) \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

## II. Numerical Methods

# Differentiation

- Oftentimes, finding analytic derivative is hard, but finding numerical derivative is often possible.

## Definition 6

For a function  $f$  and small constant  $h$ ,

- $f'(x) \approx \frac{f(x+h)-f(x)}{h}$  (*forward difference formula*)
- $f'(x) \approx \frac{f(x)-f(x-h)}{h}$  (*backward difference formula*)
- $f'(x) \approx \frac{f(x+h)-f(x-h)}{2h}$  (*centered difference formula*)

## Solving an equation

- For the rest of this section, we consider a nonlinear and differentiable (thus, continuous) function  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , we aim to find a point  $x^* \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $f(x^*) = 0$ . We call such  $x^*$  as a *solution* or a *root*.

## Bisection Method

- The *bisection* method aims to find a very short interval  $[a, b]$  in which  $f$  changes a sign.
- Why? Changing a sign from  $a$  to  $b$  means the function crosses the  $\{y = 0\}$ -axis, (a.k.a.  $x$ -axis), at least once. It means  $x^*$  such that  $f(x^*) = 0$  is in this interval. Since  $[a, b]$  is a very short interval, We may simply say  $x^* = \frac{a+b}{2}$ .

### Definition 7 (sign function)

$\text{sgn}(\cdot)$  is called a *sign function* that returns 1 if the input is positive, -1 if negative, and 0 if zero.

## Bisection algorithm

- Let  $tol$  be the maximum allowable length of the *short interval* and an initial interval  $[a, b]$  be such that  $sgn(f(a)) \neq sgn(f(b))$ .
- The *bisection algorithm* is the following.

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1: while  $((b - a) > tol)$  do
2:    $m = \frac{a+b}{2}$ 
3:   if  $sgn(f(a)) = sgn(f(m))$  then
4:      $a = m$ 
5:   else
6:      $b = m$ 
7:   end
8: end
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- At each *iteration*, the interval length is halved. As soon as the interval length becomes smaller than  $tol$ , then the algorithm stops.

# Newton Method

- The bisection technique makes no use of the function values other than their signs, resulting in slow but sure convergence.
- More rapid convergence can be achieved by using the function values to obtain a more accurate approximation to the solution *at each iteration*.
- Newton method is a method that uses both the function value and derivative value.



- Newton method approximates the function  $f$  near  $x_k$  by the tangent line at  $f(x_k)$ .

1:  $x_0 =$  initial guess

2: for  $k=0,1,2,\dots$

3:      $x_{k+1} = x_k - f(x_k)/f'(x_k)$

4:     break if  $|x_{k+1} - x_k| < tol$

5: end

- Root-finding numerical methods such as bisection method and newton method has a few common properties.
  - ① It is characterized as a *iterative process* (such as  $x_0 \rightarrow x_1 \rightarrow x_2 \rightarrow \dots$ ).
  - ② In each *iteration*, the current candidate *gets closer* to the true value.
  - ③ It converges. That is, it is theoretically reach the *exact value* up to tolerance.
- Many iterative numerical methods share the properties above.
- The famous back propagation in deep neural network is also motivated by Newton method.
- Major algorithms for dynamic programming are called *policy iteration* and *value iteration* that also share the properties above.



### III. Matrix Algebra

# Matrix multiplication

## Exercise 5

*Solve the followings.*

$$\begin{pmatrix} .6 & .4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} .7 & .3 \\ .5 & .5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} .64 & .38 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$42 + 20 \quad 18 + 20$$

## Exercise 6

What is  $P^2$ ?

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} .7 & .3 \\ .5 & .5 \end{pmatrix} \left( \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 5 \end{array} \right)$$

$$P^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 49+15 & 21+15 \\ 35+25 & 15+25 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} .64 & .36 \\ .60 & .40 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Solution to system of linear equations

## Exercise 7

Solve the followings.

$$(\pi_1 \quad \pi_2) \begin{pmatrix} .7 & .3 \\ .5 & .5 \end{pmatrix} = (\pi_1 \quad \pi_2)$$

$$\pi_1 + \pi_2 = 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} .7 & .5 \\ .3 & .5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \pi_1 \\ \pi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \pi_1 \\ \pi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow .7\pi_1 + .5\pi_2 = \pi_1$$

$$.3\pi_1 + .5\pi_2 = \pi_2$$

$$\Rightarrow .7\pi_1 + .5\pi_2 = 10\pi_1$$

$$3\pi_1 + 5\pi_2 = 10\pi_2$$

$$\Rightarrow -3\pi_1 + 5\pi_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\pi_1 - 5\pi_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_1 = \frac{5}{3}\pi_2 \Rightarrow \pi_2 = \frac{3}{8}, \pi_1 = \frac{5}{8}$$

## Exercise 8

Solve the following system of equations.

$$x = y$$

$$y = 0.5z \quad \text{← -2 478 or 해가 없음}$$

$$z = 0.6 \text{ + } 0.4x$$

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} x - y &= 0 \\ 10y - 5z &= 0 \\ 10z - 4x &= 0 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & -5 \\ -4 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & -5 \\ -4 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & -5 \\ 0 & -4 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} &\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{3}{4} \end{pmatrix} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{8} \\ \frac{3}{8} \\ \frac{3}{4} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{8}, y = \frac{3}{8}, z = \frac{3}{4}, \quad \begin{matrix} x+y+1=1 \text{의 해는} \\ \text{모는 존재한다} \end{matrix} \end{aligned}$$



## Exercise 9

Solve the following system of equations.

$$(\pi_0 \quad \pi_1 \quad \pi_2) \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 & 2 \\ 3 & -3 \end{pmatrix} = (0 \quad 0 \quad 0)$$

$$\pi_0 + \pi_1 + \pi_2 = 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \pi_0 \\ \pi_1 \\ \pi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -5 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_0 - \frac{3}{2}\pi_1 &= 0 & \Rightarrow \pi_0 &= \frac{3}{2}\pi_1 \\ \pi_1 - \frac{3}{2}\pi_2 &= 0 & \Rightarrow \pi_2 &= \frac{2}{3}\pi_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{3}{2}\pi_1 + \pi_1 + \frac{2}{3}\pi_1 = 1 \Rightarrow \pi_1 = \frac{6}{19}, \pi_0 = \frac{9}{19}, \pi_2 = \frac{4}{19}$$

## Exercise 10

Solve the following system of equations.

$$(\pi_1 \ \pi_2 \ \pi_3 \ \pi_4) \begin{pmatrix} .7 & .3 \\ .5 & .5 \\ .6 & .4 \\ .3 & .7 \end{pmatrix} = (\pi_1 \ \pi_2 \ \pi_3 \ \pi_4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{5}{8} - \frac{35}{32}\pi_4 + \frac{3}{8} - \frac{21}{32}\pi_4 + \frac{3}{4}\pi_4 + \pi_4 &= 1 \\ \frac{8}{8} - \frac{36}{32}\pi_4 + \frac{7}{4}\pi_4 &= 1 \\ -36\pi_4 + 56\pi_4 &= 0 \\ 20\pi_4 &= 0 \quad ? \quad \pi_4 = 0 \\ \therefore \pi_1 = \frac{5}{8}, \pi_2 = \frac{3}{8}, \pi_3 = 0, \pi_4 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} .7 & .5 & 0 & 0 \\ .3 & .5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .6 & .3 \\ 0 & 0 & .4 & .7 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \pi_1 \\ \pi_2 \\ \pi_3 \\ \pi_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \pi_1 \\ \pi_2 \\ \pi_3 \\ \pi_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\pi_1 + \pi_2 + \pi_3 + \pi_4 = 1$$

$$0.7\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 = \pi_1$$

$$0.3\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 = \pi_2$$

$$0.6\pi_3 + 0.3\pi_4 = \pi_3$$

$$0.4\pi_3 + 0.7\pi_4 = \pi_4$$

$$3\pi_1 - 5\pi_2 = 0$$

$$-3\pi_1 + 5\pi_2 = 0$$

$$4\pi_3 - 3\pi_4 = 0$$

$$3\pi_4 - 4\pi_3 = 0$$

$$\pi_1 = \frac{5}{3}\pi_2$$

$$\pi_3 = \frac{3}{4}\pi_4$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{5}{3}\pi_2 + \pi_2 + \frac{3}{4}\pi_4 + \pi_4 = 1$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{8}{3}\pi_2 + \frac{7}{4}\pi_4 = 1$$

$$\rightarrow 32\pi_2 + 21\pi_4 = 12$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \pi_2 = \frac{3}{8} - \frac{21}{32}\pi_4 \\ \pi_1 = \frac{5}{8} - \frac{35}{32}\pi_4 \end{array} \right) \quad \checkmark$$

## Exercise 11

Solve following and express  $\pi_i$  for  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \pi_0 + \pi_1 + \pi_2 + \dots &= 1 \\
 0.02\pi_0 + 0.02\pi_1 + 0.02\pi_2 + \dots &= \pi_0 \\
 0.98\pi_0 &= \pi_1 \\
 0.98\pi_1 &= \pi_2 \\
 0.98\pi_2 &= \pi_3 \\
 \dots &= \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

$p_{ss} \dots$



## IV. Series and Others

## Exercise 12 (Infinite geometric series)

Simplify the following. When  $|r| < 1$ ,  $S = \textcircled{a} + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_n &= a + \cancel{ar} + \cancel{ar^2} + \dots + \cancel{ar^{n-1}} & S &= a \cdot r^{n-1} \\
 - \quad r S_n &= \cancel{ar} + \cancel{ar^2} + \dots + \cancel{ar^{n-1}} + ar^n \\
 \hline
 (1-r)S_n &= a - ar^n \\
 S_n &= \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}
 \end{aligned}$$

만약  $n$ 이 무한(infinite)이면

$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

## Exercise 13 (Finite geometric series)

Simplify the following. When  $r \neq 1$ ,  $S = a + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots + ar^{n-1}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_n &= a + \cancel{ar} + \cancel{ar^2} + \dots + \cancel{ar^{n-1}} \\
 - \quad rS_n &= \cancel{ar} + \cancel{ar^2} + \dots + \cancel{ar^{n-1}} + ar^n \\
 \hline
 (1-r)S &= a - ar^n \\
 \therefore S_n &= \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}, r \neq 1
 \end{aligned}$$

## Exercise 14 (Power series)

Simplify the following. When  $|r| < 1$ ,  $S = r + 2r^2 + 3r^3 + 4r^4 + \dots$

$$r + r^2 + r^3 + r^4 + \dots = \frac{r}{1-r}$$

$$r^2 + r^3 + r^4 + \dots = \frac{r^2}{1-r}$$

$$r^3 + r^4 + \dots = \frac{r^3}{1-r}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\vdots$$

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$$r + 2r^2 + 3r^3 + 4r^4 + \dots = \frac{1}{1-r} (r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots)$$

$$S = \frac{1}{1-r} \times \frac{r}{1-r} = \frac{r}{(1-r)^2}$$

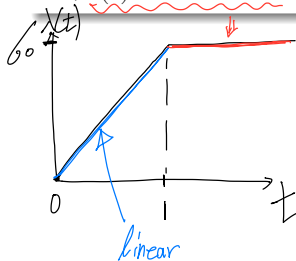
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# Formulation of time varying function

## Exercise 15

During the first hour ( $0 \leq t \leq 1$ ),  $\lambda(t)$  increases linearly from 0 to 60. After the first hour,  $\lambda(t)$  is constant at 60. Draw plot for  $\lambda(t)$  and express the function in math form.



$$\lambda(t) = \begin{cases} 60t & (0 \leq t \leq 1) \\ 60 & (t \geq 1) \end{cases}$$





"Man can learn nothing unless he proceeds from the known to the unknown. - Claude Bernard"