

## Lecture A1. Math Review

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# I. Differentiation and Integration

# Differentiation

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## Definition 1 (differentiation)

Differentiation is the action of computing a derivative. 한

## Definition 2 (derivative)

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.  $x$ .

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## 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.

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### Definition 3 (differentiable)

If  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h/2) - f(x-h/2)}{h}$  exists <sup>미분가능하다</sup> 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.

- $f(x) = x^p \Rightarrow f'(x) = px^{p-1}$  (polyomial)
- $f(x) = e^x \Rightarrow f'(x) = e^x$  (exponential) <sup>지수</sup>
- $f(x) = \log(x) \Rightarrow f'(x) = 1/x$  (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  $h'(x) = \overset{\text{앞에}}{f'(x)}g(x) + f(x)\overset{\text{뒤에}}{g'(x)}$ .

## Exercise 1

Suppose  $f(x) = xe^x$ , find  $f'(x)$ .

$$f'(x) = \underset{\text{앞}}{1}e^x + x\underset{\text{뒤}}{e^x} = \underline{(1+x)e^x}$$

## Theorem 3 (differentiation of fraction)

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

## 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  $f'(x)$ .

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

# Integration

## Definition 4 (integration)

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

## 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  $g(x) = \int f(x)dx + C$ , 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.)

$$h(x) = f'(x)g(x) \rightarrow h'(x) = f''(x)g(x) + f'(x)g'(x) \quad \text{from theorem 1}$$

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

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

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

## Exercise 4

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

$$f'(x) = e^x \quad g'(x) = 1$$

$$\downarrow \quad \uparrow$$

$$f(x) = e^x \rightarrow g(x) = x$$

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

$$= e^x \cdot x - \int e^x \cdot 1 dx$$

$$= \underline{x e^x - e^x + C}$$

## 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*.

거울기  $\hookrightarrow 0$  이고 만드는  $x$  값  $\rightarrow$  꼭짓점

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# Bisection Method

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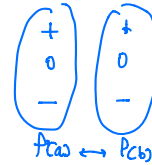
- The *bisection* method aims to find a very short interval  $[a, b]$  in which  $f$  changes a sign.
- Why? Changing a sign from  $a$  to  $b$  means the function crosses the  $\{y = 0\}$ -axis, (a.k.a.  $x$ -axis), at least once. It means  $x^*$  such that  $f(x^*) = 0$  is in this interval. Since  $[a, b]$  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  $\frac{1}{2}$  (half). 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 use 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

$$\begin{array}{l} x_0 = \sim \\ k=0 \quad x_1 = x_0 - f(x_0)/f'(x_0) \\ k=1 \quad x_2 = x_1 - f(x_1)/f'(x_1) \\ \vdots \end{array}$$

$x^*$  such that  $f(x^*) = 0$

- 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 <sup>smaller interval</sup> 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 <sup>DP</sup> are called policy iteration and value iteration that also share the properties above.



## III. Matrix Algebra

# Matrix multiplication

## Exercise 5

Solve the followings.

$$(1, 2) \times (2, 2) = (1, 2)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} .6 & .4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} .7 & .3 \\ .5 & .5 \end{pmatrix} = (0.42 + 0.2 \quad 0.18 + 0.2) \\ = \underline{(0.62 \quad 0.38)}$$

## Exercise 6

What is  $P^2$ ?

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

$$\begin{aligned} P^2 &= P \cdot P = \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.5 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.5 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0.49 + 0.15 & 0.21 + 0.15 \\ 0.35 + 0.25 & 0.15 + 0.25 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0.64 & 0.36 \\ 0.6 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

# Solution to system of linear equations

## Exercise 7

Solve the followings.

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

$$\pi_1 + \pi_2 = 1$$

$$[\pi_1 \quad \pi_2] \begin{bmatrix} 0.7 & 0.3 \\ 0.5 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} = [\overset{\textcircled{1}}{0.7\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2} \quad \overset{\textcircled{2}}{0.3\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2}] = [\pi_1 \quad \pi_2]$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} \quad 0.7\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 = \pi_1 \\ \quad 2\pi_1 = 5\pi_2 \quad \pi_2 = \frac{2}{5}\pi_1 \\ \textcircled{2} \quad 0.3\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 = \pi_2 \\ \quad 3\pi_1 = 5\pi_2 \quad \pi_2 = \frac{3}{5}\pi_1 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \pi_1 + \frac{3}{5}\pi_1 = \frac{8}{5}\pi_1 = 1 \\ \therefore \pi_1 = \left(\frac{5}{8}\right), \quad \pi_2 = \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{5}{8} = \left(\frac{3}{8}\right) \end{array}$$

## Exercise 8

*Solve the following system of equations.*

$$x = y$$

$$y = 0.5z$$

$$z = 0.6 + 0.4x$$

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$x - y = 0$$

$$y - 0.5z = 0$$

$$0.4x - z = -0.6$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} x = \frac{1}{6} \\ y = \frac{1}{6} \\ z = \frac{0.4}{6} + 0.6 = \frac{0.4 + 3.6}{6} = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3} \end{cases}$$

$$y = x \quad z = 0.4x + 0.6$$

$$x + y + z = x + x + 0.4x + 0.6$$

$$= 2.4x + 0.6 = 1$$

$$2.4x = 0.4 \quad x = \frac{0.4}{2.4} = \frac{1}{6}$$



## Exercise 9

Solve the following system of equations.

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

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

$$-2\pi_0 + 3\pi_1 = 0 \rightarrow \pi_0 = \frac{3}{2}\pi_1$$

$$2\pi_0 - 5\pi_1 + 3\pi_2 = 0 \longrightarrow 2 \cdot \frac{9}{19} - 5 \cdot \frac{6}{19} + 3 \cdot \frac{4}{19}$$

$$2\pi_1 - 3\pi_2 = 0 \rightarrow \pi_2 = \frac{2}{3}\pi_1$$

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$$= \frac{18 - 30 + 12}{19} = 0. \quad \text{d.h.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_0 + \pi_1 + \pi_2 &= \frac{3}{2}\pi_1 + \pi_1 + \frac{2}{3}\pi_1 \\ &= \frac{9+6+4}{6}\pi_1 = \frac{19}{6}\pi_1 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} \pi_1 = \frac{6}{19}, & \pi_2 = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{6}{19} = \frac{4}{19} \\ \pi_0 = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{6}{19} = \frac{9}{19} \end{cases}$$

## Exercise 10

Solve the following system of equations.

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

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

$$\begin{aligned} 0.7\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 &= \pi_1 \rightarrow 5\pi_1 = 3\pi_2 \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} 0.7\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 \\ 0.3\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 \end{aligned}} \right\} \pi_2 = \frac{3}{5}\pi_1 \\ 0.3\pi_1 + 0.5\pi_2 &= \pi_2 \rightarrow 3\pi_1 = 5\pi_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0.6\pi_3 + 0.3\pi_4 &= \pi_3 \rightarrow 3\pi_4 = 4\pi_3 \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} 0.6\pi_3 + 0.3\pi_4 \\ 0.4\pi_3 + 0.7\pi_4 \end{aligned}} \right\} \pi_4 = \frac{4}{3}\pi_3 \\ 0.4\pi_3 + 0.7\pi_4 &= \pi_4 \rightarrow 4\pi_3 = 3\pi_4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi_1 + \pi_2 + \pi_3 + \pi_4 &= \pi_1 + \frac{3}{5}\pi_1 + \pi_3 + \frac{4}{3}\pi_3 \\ &= \frac{8}{5}\pi_1 + \frac{7}{3}\pi_3 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{7}{3}\pi_3 = 1 - \frac{8}{5}\pi_1$$

$$\pi_3 = \frac{3}{7} - \frac{24}{35}\pi_1 \rightarrow \pi_4 = \frac{4}{3} \left( \frac{3}{7} - \frac{24}{35}\pi_1 \right) = \frac{4}{7} - \frac{32}{35}\pi_1$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} \pi_1 = \text{free} \\ \pi_2 = \frac{3}{5}\pi_1 \\ \pi_3 = \frac{3}{7} - \frac{24}{35}\pi_1 \\ \pi_4 = \frac{4}{7} - \frac{32}{35}\pi_1 \end{cases}$$

## Exercise 11

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

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

$$0.02(\underbrace{\pi_0 + \pi_1 + \dots}_{\pi_0 = 0.02}) = \pi_0 \leftarrow 0.02\pi_0 + 0.02\pi_1 + 0.02\pi_2 + \dots = \pi_0$$

$$0.98\pi_0 = \pi_1 \quad \pi_i = (0.98)^i \pi_0$$

$$0.98\pi_1 = \pi_2$$

$$0.98\pi_2 = \pi_3$$

$$\dots = \dots$$

$$\pi_0 = 0.02$$

$$\pi_i = (0.98)^i \pi_0 \quad (i \geq 1)$$

$$= (0.98)^i \times (0.02)$$

$$\therefore \underline{\pi_i = (0.98)^i \times (0.02)}$$



## IV. Series and Others

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## Exercise 12 (Infinite geometric series)

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

$$|r| < 1, \quad S = a + ar + ar^2 + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a \cdot r^{n-1} = \underline{\underline{\frac{a}{1-r}}}$$

등비수열의 합

## Exercise 13 (Finite geometric series)

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

$$S = a + ar + \dots + ar^{n-1}$$

$$r \cdot S = ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots + ar^n$$

$$S - r \cdot S = a - ar^n$$

$$S = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{(1-r)}$$

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## Exercise 14 (Power series)

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

$$S = r + 2r^2 + 3r^3 + 4r^4 + \dots$$

$$rS = r^2 + 2r^3 + 3r^4 + \dots$$

$$S - rS = r + r^2 + r^3 + r^4 + \dots$$

$$(1-r)S = (1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots) - 1$$

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

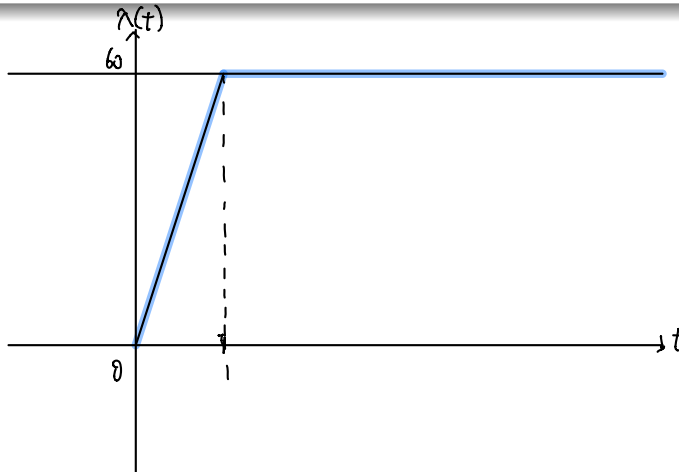
$$S = \frac{r}{(1-r)^2}$$



# 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.



$$\lambda(t) = \begin{cases} 60t & \text{if } t \leq 60 \\ 60 & \text{if } t > 60 \end{cases}$$

$(t \geq 0)$   
time always positive  
(hour)





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