

Differentiation: A function f is differentiable at point x_0 , iff

$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + \Delta x) - f(x_0)}{\Delta x}$$

exists.

Formulas:

$$(1) (f \pm g)' = f' \pm g'$$

$$(2) (c \cdot f)' = c \cdot f'$$

$$(3) (f \cdot g)' = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g'$$

$$(4) \left(\frac{f}{g}\right)' = \frac{1}{g^2} (f' \cdot g - f \cdot g') \quad g \neq 0$$

$$(5) (g \circ f)'(x) = g'(f) \cdot f'(x)$$

$$(6) g'(y) = \frac{1}{f'(x)}$$

Leibniz formula

$$(f \pm g)' = f' \pm g' \Rightarrow (f \pm g)^{(n)} = f^{(n)} \pm g^{(n)}$$

$$(f \cdot g)' = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g' \Rightarrow (f \cdot g)^{(n)} ?$$

Let $y = f \cdot g$

$$y' = f' \cdot g + f \cdot g'$$

$$y'' = (f' \cdot g + f \cdot g')' = (f'' \cdot g + f' \cdot g') + (f' \cdot g' + f \cdot g'')$$

$$= f^{(2)} \cdot g^{(0)} + 2 f^{(1)} \cdot g^{(1)} + f^{(0)} \cdot g^{(2)}$$

$$y''' = (f'' \cdot g + f' \cdot g')' + 2(f' \cdot g' + f \cdot g'')' + (f' \cdot g'' + f \cdot g''')$$

$$= f^{(3)} \cdot g^{(0)} + 3 f^{(2)} \cdot g^{(1)} + 3 f^{(1)} \cdot g^{(2)} + f^{(0)} \cdot g^{(3)}$$

$$(x+y)^n$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & & & 1 & & & & \\ & & & & & 1 & & & \\ & & & 1 & & 2 & & 1 & \\ & & 1 & & 3 & & 3 & & 1 \\ & 1 & & 4 & & 6 & & 4 & & 1 \\ & & & & & \vdots & & & & \end{array}$$

The Leibniz's formula

$$(f \cdot g)^{(n)} = f^{(n)} \cdot g^{(0)} + C_n^1 f^{(n-1)} \cdot g^{(1)} + C_n^2 f^{(n-2)} \cdot g^{(2)} + \dots$$

$$+ C_n^k f^{(n-k)} \cdot g^{(k)} + \dots + f^{(0)} \cdot g^{(n)}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^n C_n^k f^{(n-k)} \cdot g^{(k)}$$

$$(f \cdot g)^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^n C_n^k f^{(n-k)} \cdot g^{(k)}$$

E.x $y = x^2 \cdot e^x$ find $y^{(n)}$

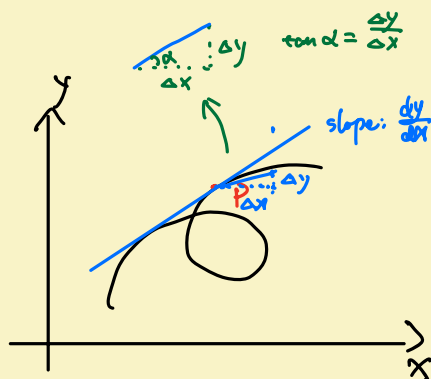
Let $f = x^2$ $g = e^x$

$$y^{(n)} = \sum_{k=0}^n C_n^k f^{(n-k)} \cdot g^{(k)} = \sum_{k=0}^n C_n^k f^{(k)} \cdot g^{(n-k)}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^n C_n^k f^{(k)} \cdot e^x$$

$$= x^2 \cdot e^x + n \cdot 2x \cdot e^x + n(n-1) e^x f^{(0)} \cdot g^{(n)} + C_n^1 f^{(1)} \cdot g^{(n-1)} + C_n^2 f^{(2)} \cdot g^{(n-2)}$$

$$= e^x [x^2 + 2nx + n(n-1)]$$



Parametric derivative

$$\begin{cases} x = \varphi(t) \\ y = \Psi(t) \end{cases} \quad t: \text{the parameter}$$

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{\Psi(t_0 + \Delta t) - \Psi(t_0)}{\varphi(t_0 + \Delta t) - \varphi(t_0)}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Psi(t_0 + \Delta t) - \Psi(t_0)}{\varphi(t_0 + \Delta t) - \varphi(t_0)}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta t \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{\Psi(t_0 + \Delta t) - \Psi(t_0)}{\Delta t}}{\frac{\varphi(t_0 + \Delta t) - \varphi(t_0)}{\Delta t}} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\Psi'(t)}{\varphi'(t)}$$

(chain rule: $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dx}$)

Inverse function: $\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{dy}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dx}$$

E.x: $\begin{cases} x = a \cos t \\ y = b \sin t \end{cases}$ find $y'(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(b \sin t)'}{(a \cos t)'} = -\frac{b \cos t}{a \sin t} = -\frac{b}{a} \cot t$$

E.x. $\begin{cases} x = a(t - \sin t) \\ y = a(1 - \cos t) \end{cases}$ find $y'(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{[a(1 - \cos t)]'}{[a(t - \sin t)]'} = \frac{\sin t}{1 - \cos t} = \cot \frac{t}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = \frac{d}{dt} \cdot \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\left(\cot \frac{t}{2}\right)'}{[a(t - \sin t)]'}}$$

$$= \frac{-\frac{1}{2} \csc^2 \frac{t}{2}}{a(1 - \cos t)} = -\frac{1}{4a} \csc^4 \frac{t}{2}$$



Implicit differentiation 隱含數求導

E.g.: $y = \sin^2 x$ $y = \sqrt[3]{x^3 + 1}$

E.g.: $x^2 + y^2 = 25 \Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{25 - x^2}$
 $x^2 + 2xy + y^2 = 10$

E.g.: $x^3 + y^3 = 6xy$ find $y'(3)$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 + [y(x)]^3 = 6x \cdot [y(x)]$$

$$\text{Let } g(x) = x^3 + [y(x)]^3$$

$$h(x) = 6x \cdot y(x)$$

$$\boxed{\text{If } g(x) = h(x) \Rightarrow g'(x) = h'(x)}$$

$$g'(x) = 3x^2 + 3y^2 \cdot y'$$

$$h'(x) = 6 \cdot y + 6x \cdot y'$$

$$g'(x) = h'(x) \Rightarrow 3x^2 + 3y^2 \cdot y' = 6 \cdot y + 6x \cdot y'$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{6y - 3x^2}{3y^2 - 6x} = \frac{2y - x^2}{y^2 - 2x}$$

$$x^3 + y^3 = 6xy \quad x=3 \Rightarrow y=3 \quad \therefore y'(3) = -1$$

E.x. $x^2 + 2xy + y^2 = 10$ find $y'(x)$

$$g(x) = x^2 + 2xy + y^2$$

$$g'(x) = 2x + 2y + 2xy' + 2y \cdot y' = 0$$

$$y' = -\frac{2x+2y}{2x+2y} = -1$$

$$(x+y)^2 = 10$$

$$x+y = \pm\sqrt{10}$$

$$y = \pm\sqrt{10} - x$$

$$y' = -1$$

E.x. $\sin(x+y) = y^2 \cos x$ find $y'(x)$

$$g(x) = \sin(x+y)$$

$$g'(x) = (1+y') \cdot \cos(x+y)$$

$$h(x) = y^2 \cos x$$

$$h'(x) = 2y \cdot y' \cos x - y^2 \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(x+y) + y' \cdot \cos(x+y) = y' \cdot 2y \cos x - y^2 \sin x$$

$$y'(\cos(x+y) - 2y \cos x) = -\cos(x+y) - y^2 \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{\cos(x+y) + y^2 \sin x}{2y \cos x - \cos(x+y)}$$

Logarithmic differentiation

E.g.: $y = \frac{x^{\frac{3}{4}} \sqrt{x^2+1}}{(3x+2)^5}$ find $y'(x)$

$$\ln y = \frac{3}{4} \ln x + \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) - 5 \ln(3x+2)$$

$$(\ln y)' = \left(\frac{3}{4} \ln x + \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) - 5 \ln(3x+2) \right)'$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} = \frac{3}{4x} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{2x}{x^2+1} - \frac{5 \cdot 3}{3x+2}$$

$$= y' = \frac{x^{\frac{3}{4}} \sqrt{x^2+1}}{(3x+2)^5} \left(\frac{3}{4x} + \frac{x}{x^2+1} - \frac{15}{3x+2} \right)$$

E.g. $y = x^{\sqrt{x}}$ find $y'(x)$

$$\ln y = \sqrt{x} \cdot \ln x \quad \frac{y'}{y} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \cdot \ln x + \frac{\sqrt{x}}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = x^{\sqrt{x}} \left(\frac{2 + (\ln x)}{2\sqrt{x}} \right)$$



Mean value theorem

To find the properties of a function based on the properties of its derivative

Rolle's theorem

Thm: (Rolle's theorem) Suppose that a function f satisfies:

① f is continuous on the closed interval $[a, b]$

② f is differentiable on the open interval (a, b)

③ $f(a) = f(b)$ at least

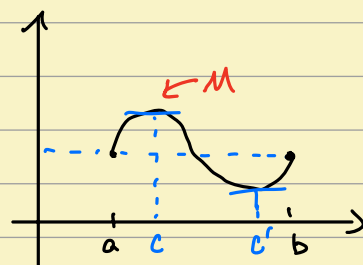
Then, there is a number $c \in (a, b)$, such that $f'(c) = 0$.

Proof: By the minimum-maximum theorem
if f is continuous on $[a, b]$, then there exist $M = \max f(x)$ and $m = \min f(x)$

Case 1: $f(a) = f(b) < M$,

Case 2: $m < f(a) = f(b)$, or

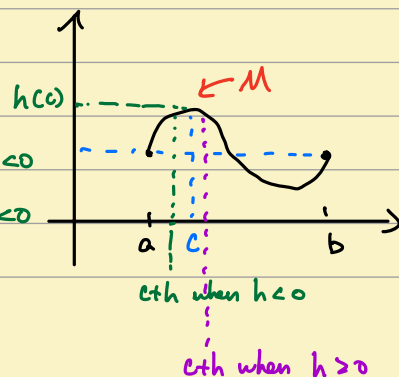
Case 3: $m = f(a) = f(b) = M$



There is $h \in \mathbb{R}$,

when $h < 0$ and $h \rightarrow 0$, then $f(c+h) - f(c) < 0$

when $h > 0$ and $h \rightarrow 0$, then $f(c+h) - f(c) < 0$



$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} \geq 0$$

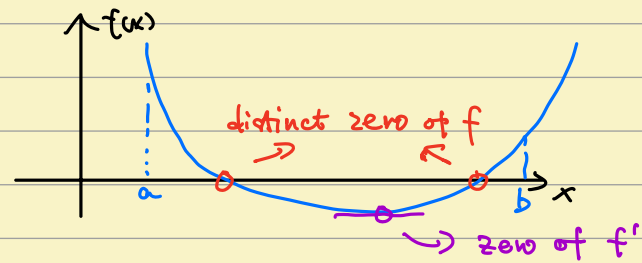
$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} \leq 0$$

since f is differentiable at $c \in (a, b)$

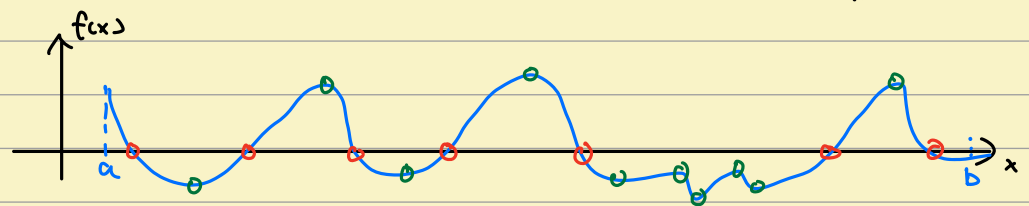
$$f'(c) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} = 0$$

Hence $f'(c) = 0$

Corollary: Suppose that a function f is differentiable on (a, b) , then between any 2 distinct zeros of f , there is at least a zero of f' .



Corollary: Suppose that a function f is differentiable on (a, b) , and it has n distinct zeros, then f' has at least $n-1$ different zeros.



Equivalently, if f' has m distinct zeros, then f has at most $m+1$ distinct zeros,

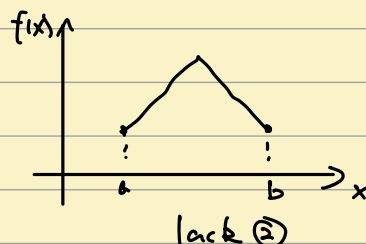
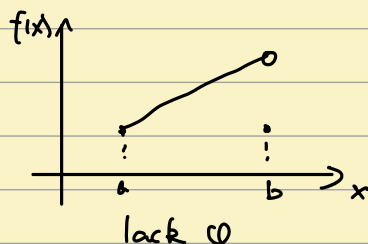
$$0 \in df(c) \neq 0 = f'(c)$$

g is subderivative if

$$f(c) + g(x-c) \leq f(x)$$

Assumptions of Rolle's theorem:

- ① f is continuous on the closed interval $[a, b]$
- ② f is differentiable on the open interval (a, b)
- ③ $f(a) = f(b)$



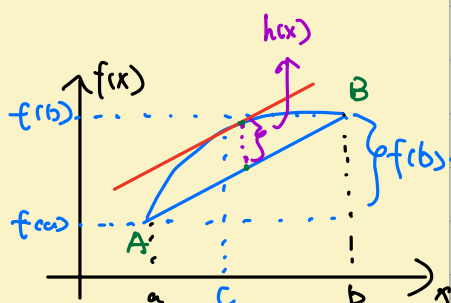
Lagrangian Mean value theorem

Thm (Lagrangian MVT) Suppose that a function f satisfies:

- ① f is continuous on the closed interval $[a, b]$
- ② f is differentiable on the open interval (a, b) .

Then, there is at least a $c \in (a, b)$, such that

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$



Proof: The equation of the secant line AB can be written as

$$y(x) = f(a) + \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} (x - a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Define } h(x) &= f(x) - y(x) \\ &= f(x) - f(a) - \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} (x - a) \end{aligned}$$

Then we have $h(x)$ is ① continuous on $[a, b]$

② differentiable on (a, b) , and

$$\text{③ } h(a) = f(a) - f(a) - \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} (a - a) = 0$$

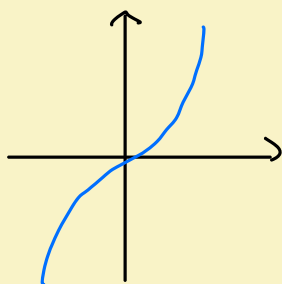
$$h(b) = f(b) - f(a) - \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} (b - a) = 0$$

By Rolle's theorem, there is $c \in (a, b)$ such that $h'(c) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow f'(c) - \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = 0$$

\equiv : 恒等于

constant: 常数



Corollary: Suppose that a function f is

① continuous on $[a, b]$, and ② differentiable on (a, b) , then

(i) If $f'(x) \equiv 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$, then f is a constant on $[a, b]$

(ii) If $f'(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$, then f is strictly increasing on $[a, b]$

(iii) If $f'(x) < 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$, then f is strictly decreasing on $[a, b]$

Proof: By MVT applied to $f(x)$ on $[a, x]$

Ex: Show that if $-\frac{\pi}{4} < a < b < \frac{\pi}{4}$, then

$$|\tan b - \tan a| < 2|b - a|$$

Let $f(x) = \tan x$ then $f'(x) = \sec^2 x = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$

By Mean value theorem, there is $c \in (a, b)$, such that

$$\sec^2 c = \frac{\tan b - \tan a}{b - a}$$

Since $\cos^2 x > \frac{1}{2} \quad \forall x \in (-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4})$ we have $\sec^2 c < 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan b - \tan a}{b - a} < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow |\tan b - \tan a| < 2|b - a|$$