

Assignment #01

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(A) function $f(x) = \frac{\ln(1+x)}{x}$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \cdot \ln(1+x)$$

let

$$p(x) = \ln(1+x)$$

now at, $x=0$

$$p(0) = \ln(1) = 0$$

Now, first derivative

$$p'(x) = \frac{1}{(1+x)} = (1+x)^{-1}$$

$$p'(0) = (1+0)^{-1} = \boxed{1}$$

and

$$p''(x) = -(1+x)^{-2}$$

and at $x=0$

$$p''(0) = -(1)^{-2} = \boxed{-1}$$

Now,

$$p'''(x) = 2(1+x)^{-3}$$

at $x=0$

$$p'''(0) = 2(1+0)^{-3} = 2(1)^{-3} = \boxed{2}$$

and do
MacLaurin's
Series
expansion
of
 $p(x)$

$$\text{and } p^{IV}(x) = -6(1+x)^{-4}$$

$$\text{at } x=0$$

$$p^{IV}(0) = -6(1)^{-4} = \boxed{-6}$$

and

$$p^V(x) = 24(1+x)$$

$$\text{and } p^V(x) = \boxed{24} \text{ at } x=0$$

So, Taylor's expansion $p(x)$

$$p(x) = p(0) + xp'(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} p''(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} p'''(0) + \frac{x^4}{4!} p^{IV}(0) + \frac{x^5}{5!} p^V(0) + \dots$$

$$p(x) = x(0) + x(1) + \frac{x^2}{2!} (-1) + \frac{x^3}{3!} (2) + \frac{x^4}{4!} (-6) +$$

$$\frac{x^5}{5!} (24) + \dots$$

$$p(x) = 0 + x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3}$$

$$- \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{x^5}{5} + \dots$$

$$\text{Now, } f(x) = \frac{1}{x} p(x)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \left(x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{x^5}{5} + \dots \right)$$

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

or,

Taylor expansion of $f(x)$

So, derivatives of $f(x)$

$$f'(x) = 0 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{3}{4}x^2 + x^4 + \dots$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{6}{4}x + 4x^3 + \dots$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{3}{2}x + 4x^3 + \dots$$

$$f'''(x) = -\frac{3}{2} + 12x^2 + \dots$$

Now at $x = 0$

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f'(0) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$f''(0) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$f'''(0) = -\frac{3}{2}$$

For at $x=0$ Taylor series expansion of $f(x)$

$$f(x) = f(0) + f'(0)(x-0) + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}(x-0)^2 +$$

$$\frac{f'''(0)}{3!}(x-0)^3 + \dots$$

$$f(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{2}{3 \times 2!}x^2$$

$$- \frac{3}{2 \times 3!}x^3 + \dots$$

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

↳ Taylor Series of $f(x)$ upto ∞ .

Let's come up with its general term.

$$f(x) = \frac{(-1)^0}{0+1} x^0 + \frac{(-1)^1}{1+1} x^1 +$$

$$\frac{(-1)^2}{2+1} x^2 + \frac{(-1)^3}{3+1} x^3 +$$

...

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^n}{n+1}$$

$$\text{let, } a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n+1}$$

So,

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$$

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