

## Intro to Analysis Homework 9

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1. Prove that  $f(x) = x^3$  is NOT uniformly continuous for all real numbers.

Let  $(x_n) = n$  and  $(y_n) = n + \frac{1}{n}$ . Then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (x_n - y_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ n - \left( n + \frac{1}{n} \right) \right]$  and  $\varepsilon_0 = 1$ .

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ n - \left( n + \frac{1}{n} \right) \right] = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( -\frac{1}{n} \right) = 0$$

But  $f(x_n) = n^3$  and  $f(y_n) = \left( n + \frac{1}{n} \right)^3 = n^3 + 3n + \frac{3}{n} + \frac{1}{n^3}$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x_n) - f(y_n)| &= \left| n^3 - \left( n^3 + 3n + \frac{3}{n} + \frac{1}{n^3} \right) \right| \\ &= \left| -3n - \frac{3}{n} - \frac{1}{n^3} \right| \\ &= 3n + \frac{3}{n} + \frac{1}{n^3} \\ &\geq 3n \\ &\geq 3(1) \\ &= \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

2. Prove that  $f(x) = \frac{-3x}{x-4}$  is uniformly continuous on  $(5, \infty)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given. Consider  $\delta = \frac{\varepsilon}{12}$

Then  $\forall x, c \in (5, \infty)$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta$

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) - f(c)| &= \left| \frac{-3x}{x-4} - \frac{-3c}{c-4} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{-3x}{x-4} + \frac{3c}{c-4} \right| \\ &= \left| \frac{-3xc + 12x + 3xc - 12c}{(x-4)(c-4)} \right| \\ &= \frac{12|x-c|}{(x-4)(c-4)} \\ &< \frac{12\delta}{(x-4)(c-4)} \\ &< \frac{12\delta}{(5-4)(5-4)} \\ &< 12\delta \\ &\leq \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

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3. Suppose  $f$  and  $g$  are both uniformly continuous functions on the set  $(0, \infty)$ . Prove that  $2f + 3g$  is uniformly continuous on  $(0, \infty)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given.

Since  $f$  is uniformly continuous on  $(0, \infty) \exists \delta_f s.t. \forall x, c \in (0, \infty)$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta_f$ ,

$$|f(x) - f(c)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{4}$$

Since  $g$  is uniformly continuous on  $(0, \infty) \exists \delta_g s.t. \forall x, c \in (0, \infty)$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta_g$ ,

$$|g(x) - g(c)| < \frac{\varepsilon}{6}$$

Consider  $\delta = \min(\delta_f, \delta_g)$ , then  $\forall x, c \in (0, \infty)$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta$

$$\begin{aligned} \left| [2f(x) + 3g(x)] - [2f(c) + 3g(c)] \right| &= |2f(x) - 2f(c) + 3g(x) - 3g(c)| \\ &\leq 2|f(x) - f(c)| + 3|g(x) - g(c)| \\ &< \frac{2\varepsilon}{4} + \frac{3\varepsilon}{6} \\ &= \frac{\varepsilon}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \\ &\leq \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

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4. Prove that  $f(x) = \frac{2x}{6x+1}$  is differentiable on the interval  $(0, \infty)$

$$f'(x) = \frac{12x + 2 - 12x}{(6x + 1)^2} = \frac{2}{(6x + 1)^2}$$

*Proof.* Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given and  $c \in (0, \infty)$ .

Consider  $\delta = \min\left(\frac{\varepsilon}{2}, \frac{\varepsilon(3c+1)(6c+1)^2}{12}\right)$

Then  $\forall x \in (0, \infty)$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} - f'(c) \right| &= \left| \frac{\frac{2x}{6x+1} - \frac{2c}{6c+1}}{x - c} - \frac{2}{(6c+1)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{\frac{12xc+2x-2xc-2c}{(6x+1)(6c+1)}}{x - c} - \frac{2}{(6c+1)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{2(x-c)}{(x-c)(6x+1)(6c+1)} - \frac{2}{(6c+1)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{2}{(6x+1)(6c+1)} - \frac{2}{(6c+1)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{12c+2-12x-2}{(6x+1)(6c+1)^2} \right| \\
&= \frac{12|x-c|}{(6x+1)(6c+1)^2} \\
&< \frac{12\delta}{(6x+1)(6c+1)^2} \\
&< \frac{12\delta}{(3c+1)(6c+1)^2} \quad (\text{Note}) \\
&\leq \varepsilon
\end{aligned}$$

Note:

$$\begin{aligned}
|x - c| &< \frac{c-0}{2} \\
-\frac{c}{2} &< x - c < \frac{c}{2} \\
\frac{c}{2} &< x < \frac{3c}{2} \\
3c &< 6x < 9c \\
3c+1 &< 6x+1 < 9c+1 \\
|6x+1| &= 6x+1 > 3c+1
\end{aligned}$$

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5. Prove that  $f(x) = \frac{5}{2x-4}$  is differentiable on  $(2, \infty)$

$$f'(x) = -\frac{10}{(2x-4)^2}$$

*Proof.* Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be given, and  $c \in (2, \infty)$ .

Consider  $\delta = \min \left( \frac{c-2}{2}, \frac{\varepsilon(c-2)(2c-4)^2}{10} \right)$

Then  $\forall x \in (2, \infty)$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta$

$$\begin{aligned}
\left| \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} - f'(c) \right| &= \left| \frac{\frac{5}{2x-4} - \frac{5}{2c-4}}{x - c} + \frac{10}{(2c-4)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{\frac{10c-20-10x+20}{(2x-4)(2c-4)}}{x - c} + \frac{10}{(2c-4)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{-10(x-c)}{(2x-4)(2c-4)(x-c)} + \frac{10}{(2c-4)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| -\frac{10}{(2x-4)(2c-4)} + \frac{10}{(2c-4)^2} \right| \\
&= \left| \frac{10x-40-10c+40}{(2x-4)(2c-4)^2} \right| \\
&< \frac{10|x-c|}{|2x-4|(2c-4)^2} \\
&< \frac{10\delta}{|2x-4|(2c-4)^2} \\
&< \frac{10\delta}{(c-2)(2c-4)^2} \quad (\text{Note}) \\
&\leq \varepsilon
\end{aligned}$$

Note:

$$\begin{aligned}
|x-c| &< \frac{c-2}{2} \\
\frac{2-c}{2} &< x-c < \frac{c-2}{2} \\
\frac{c+2}{2} &< x < \frac{3c-2}{2} \\
c+2 &< 2x < 3c-2 \\
c-2 &< 2x-4 < 3c-6 \\
|2x-4| &= 2x-4 > c-2
\end{aligned}$$

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6. Let  $f(x) = 4x^2 + 3x + 10$ . Prove that  $f$  is differentiable for (a)  $x = 2$  and then for (b) any  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$f'(x) = 8x + 3$$

(a) *Proof.* Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ , consider  $\delta = \frac{\varepsilon}{4}$

Then  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  with  $0 < |x - 2| < \delta$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} - f'(c) \right| &= \left| \frac{4x^2 + 3x + 10 - 32}{x - 2} - 19 \right| \\
 &= \left| \frac{4x^2 + 3x - 22}{x - 2} - 19 \right| \\
 &= \left| \frac{(x - 2)(4x + 11)}{x - 2} - 19 \right| \\
 &= |4x + 11 - 19| \\
 &= |4x - 8| \\
 &= |4(x - 2)| \\
 &< 4\delta \\
 &= \varepsilon
 \end{aligned}$$

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(b) *Proof.* Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Consider  $\delta = \frac{\varepsilon}{4}$ .

Then  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  with  $0 < |x - c| < \delta$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left| \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} - f'(c) \right| &= \left| \frac{4x^2 + 3x + 10 - 4c^2 - 3c - 10}{x - c} - 8c - 3 \right| \\
 &= \left| \frac{4x^2 - 4c^2 + 3x - 3c}{x - c} - 8c - 3 \right| \\
 &= \left| \frac{4(x - c)(x + c) + 3(x - c)}{x - c} - 8c - 3 \right| \\
 &= |4x + 4c + 3 - 8c - 3| \\
 &= |4c - 4x| \\
 &= 4|x - c| \\
 &< 4\delta \\
 &= \varepsilon
 \end{aligned}$$

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