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Why is the chain rule correct? Recall $(f(g(x)))' = f'(g(x))g'(x)$

Check:

$$\begin{aligned} (f(g(x)))' &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(g(x+h)) - f(g(x))}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f\left(g(x) + \frac{g(x+h) - g(x)}{h} h\right) - f(g(x))}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f\left(g(x) + \underbrace{g'(x) \cdot h}_H\right) - f(g(x))}{H} \cdot g'(x) \\ &= \lim_{H \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(g(x) + H) - f(g(x))}{H} \cdot g'(x) \\ &= f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) \end{aligned}$$

Implicit differentiation.

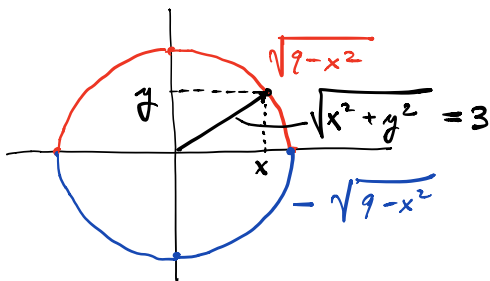
Sometimes, "solving y for x " is difficult.

Ex $x^2 + y^2 = 9$

circle of radius 3.

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = 9 - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{9 - x^2}$$

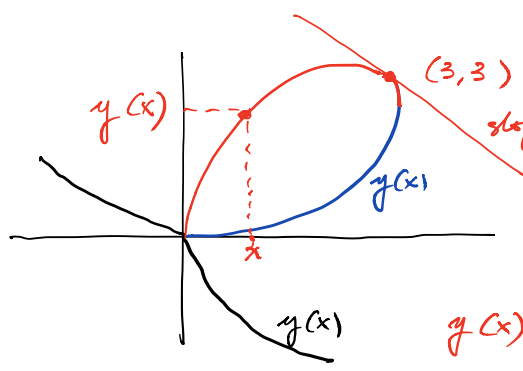


The circle is the combination of the graphs of 2 functions.

"piecewise representable as a graph".

Ex $x^3 + y^3 = 6xy$.
solutions describe a curve.

For instance, $(3, 3)$ lies on this curve:



$$\begin{array}{ccc} 3^3 + 3^3 & \stackrel{?}{=} & 6 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \\ \underbrace{\quad} & & \underbrace{\quad} \\ 2 \cdot 3^2 & & 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \end{array}$$

What is the slope of the tangent line at $(3, 3)$? $\Rightarrow y'(3) = ?$

$y(x)$ satisfies

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

$(y(x), y(x), y(x))$ all satisfy the same equation

Differentiate in x on both sides of equality sign.

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

Solve for $y'(x)$:

$$3y^2(x) \cdot y'(x) - 6x \cdot y'(x) = 6y(x) - 3x^2$$

$$(3y^2(x) - 6x) \cdot y'(x) = 6y(x) - 3x^2$$

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

at $(3, 3) \Rightarrow \underline{y'(3)} = \frac{2 \cdot 3 - 3^2}{3^2 - 2 \cdot 3} = \underline{-1}$ slope = -1.
 $x=3, y(3)=3$

Ex: Find $y'(x)$ if

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

Differentiate in x : (here, y is the same as $y(x)$)

$f(g(x))$ where $f(x) = \sin x$
 $g(x) = x^2 + y^2$

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

$$\underbrace{\cos(x^2+y^2)}_{f(g(x))} \cdot \underbrace{(2x + 2y y')}_{g'(x)} = y' \cos x - y \sin x$$

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

Solve for y' :

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

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

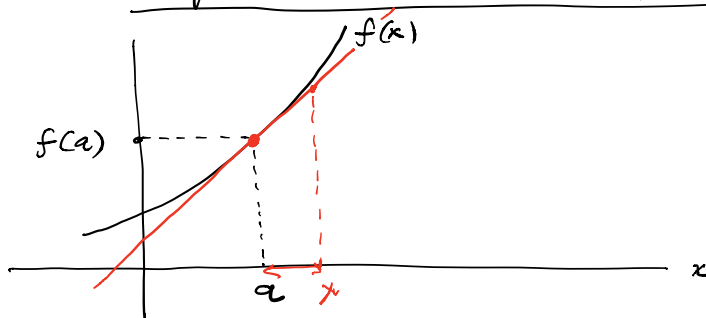
$$y' = \frac{-\cos(x^2+y^2) \cdot 2x - y \cdot \sin x}{\cos(x^2+y^2) \cdot 2y - \cos x}$$

Observe: $(0,0)$ lies on the curve:

$$\underbrace{\sin(\underbrace{0^2+0^2}_0)}_0 = \underbrace{0}_{y} \cdot \underbrace{\cos 0}_1$$

$$\text{at } (0,0): y'(0) = \frac{-\cos(0+0) \cdot 2 \cdot 0 - 0 \cdot \sin 0}{\underbrace{\cos(0+0) \cdot 2 \cdot 0}_0 - \underbrace{\cos 0}_1} = \frac{0}{-1} = 0$$

Tangent line & linear approximation.



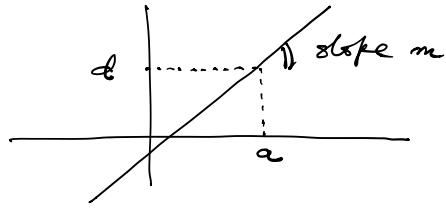
Formula for the tangent line: $y = f(a) + f'(a) \cdot (x-a)$

Check: linear fct in x

$$y(a) = f(a) + f'(a) \cdot (a-a) = f(a)$$

$y'(x) = f'(a)$ is constant \Rightarrow graph is indeed a line.

Recall

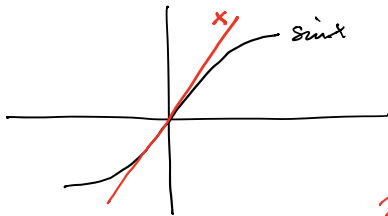


$$y = d + m(x - a)$$

Def: The function $y(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a)$ is called the linear approximation (= linearization) of f at a .

For x close to a , the linearization is a good approximation of $f(x)$.

Ex Find linearization of $\sin x$ at 0 : $f(x) = \sin x$
 $a = 0$.



$$\sin 0 = 0$$

$$\sin' 0 = \cos 0 = 1.$$

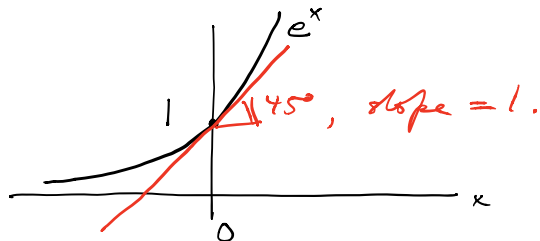
$$y = \underbrace{\sin 0}_{= 0} + \underbrace{\sin' 0}_{= 1} \cdot (x - 0) = 0 + 1 \cdot x = x$$

Ex Find linearization of e^x at 0 : $e^0 = 1$

$$(e^x)'(x=0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$y = \underbrace{1}_{e^0} + \underbrace{1}_{(e^x)'(x=0)} \cdot (x - 0) = 1 + x$$

$$e^0 \quad (e^x)'(x=0) = e^0$$



Ex Calculate $\sqrt{4.02}$ without a calculator.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x} \quad (= x^{1/2})$$

$$x = 4.02$$

$$a = 4$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

pick a $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{close to } x \\ f(a) \text{ easy to calculate} \\ f'(a) \text{ " " "} \end{array} \right.$

$$\Rightarrow f(4) = \sqrt{4} = 2$$

$$f'(4) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{Linearization } y &= \underset{f(a)}{2} + \underset{f'(a)}{\frac{1}{4}} \left(\underbrace{4.02}_x - \underbrace{4}_a \right) \\ &= 2 + \underbrace{\frac{1}{4} \cdot 0.02}_{0.005} = 2.005 \end{aligned}$$

Ex Calculate $\ln 3$ without a calculator.

$$(e \approx 2.72)$$

$$f(x) = \ln x$$

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

$$a = e \approx 2.72$$

$$f(a) = \ln e = 1$$

$$f'(a) = \frac{1}{e} \approx \frac{1}{2.72}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Linearization: } y &= \underset{f(a)}{1} + \underset{\frac{1}{e} = f'(a)}{\frac{1}{2.72}} \left(\underbrace{3}_x - \underbrace{2.72}_e = a \right) \\ &= 1 + \frac{1}{2.72} \cdot 0.28 = 1 + \underbrace{\frac{28}{272}} \approx 1.1 \end{aligned}$$

≈ 0.1

Ex Find $3^{3.01}$ in linear approximation.

$$f(x) = 3^x$$

$$f'(x) = 3^x \cdot \ln 3$$

$$x = 3.01$$

$$a = 3$$

Linear approximation:

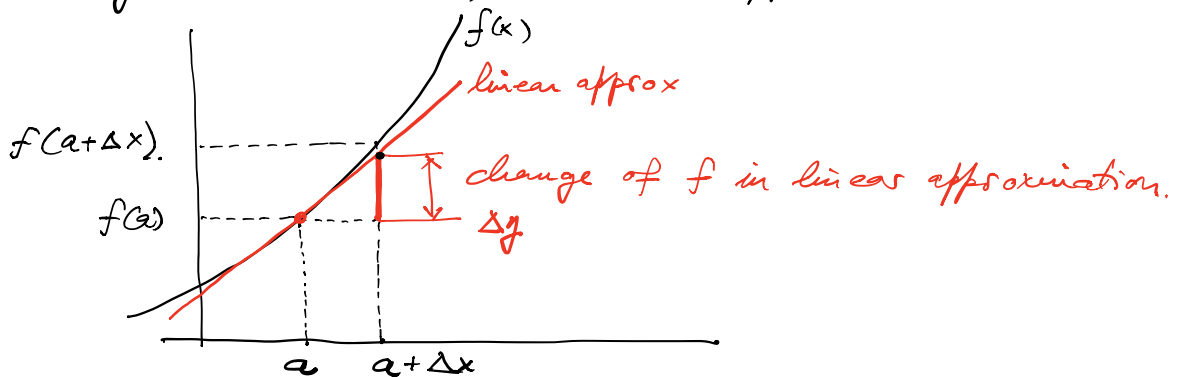
$$y = \underbrace{3^3}_{f(a)} + \underbrace{3^3 \cdot \ln 3}_{f'(a)} \cdot \left(\underbrace{3.01}_x - \underbrace{3}_a \right)$$

$$\approx 27 + \underbrace{27 \cdot 1.1}_{29.7} \cdot 0.01 = 27.297$$

0.297

Differentials

= Change of value of f , in linear approximation.



$$\boxed{\Delta y = \underbrace{f(a) + f'(a) \left(\frac{a + \Delta x}{x} - a \right)}_{f(a + \Delta x) \text{ in linear approx.}} - f(a)} = \boxed{f'(a) \cdot \Delta x}$$

Ex Find $\ln(1.02)$ in linear approx, and determine the differential for $a=1$, $x=1.02$

$$f(x) = \ln x$$

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

Linearization

$$y = \underbrace{\ln 1}_{f(a)} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{1}}_{f'(a)} \cdot \underbrace{(1.02 - 1)}_{x - a}$$

$$= 0 + 1 \cdot 0.02 = 0.02$$

Differential

coincidentally equal because $f(a) = \ln 1 = 0$

$$\Delta y = f'(a) \cdot \Delta x = \frac{1}{1} \cdot 0.02 = 0.02$$

Note: Notations for derivatives: $f'(x)$, $\frac{df}{dx}$

Ex $\ln 8$ in linear approx, and differential.

$$f(x) = \ln x$$

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

$$x = 8, \quad a = e^2 \approx 2.72^2$$

$$f(a) = \ln e^2 = 2$$

$$f'(a) = \frac{1}{e^2} \approx \frac{1}{(2.72)^2}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} e^2 (2.72)^2 &\approx \underbrace{3^2}_{g(a)} + 2 \cdot \underbrace{3}_{g'(a)} \cdot (2.72 - 3) = 9 + 6 \cdot (-0.28) \\ &= 9 - 1.68 \\ &= 7.32 \end{aligned}}$$

$$g(x) = x^2 \quad x = 2.72$$

$$g'(x) = 2x \quad a = 3$$

Linearization

$$y = \underset{\substack{\text{"} \\ f(a)}}{2} + \frac{\underset{\substack{\text{"} \\ k'(a)}}{1}}{\underset{\substack{\text{"} \\ e^2}}{7.32}} \cdot \left(\underset{\substack{\text{"} \\ x}}{8} - \underset{\substack{\text{"} \\ a=e^2}}{7.32} \right)$$

$$= 2 + \frac{1}{7.32} \cdot 0.68 = 2 + \frac{68}{732} \approx 2.095$$

$$\frac{1}{10.5} \approx \frac{1}{10} - \frac{1}{10^2} (10.5 - 10)$$

$$k(x) = \frac{1}{x} \quad a = 10 \quad 0.1 - \frac{0.01 \cdot 0.5}{0.005}$$

$$k'(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2} \quad x = 10.5 \quad = 0.095$$

Related rates

Q: How does one quantity change when another quantity that it depends on changes?

Ex: Ball-shaped balloon of volume $V = \frac{4\pi}{3} r^3$, $r = \text{radius}$ when air is pumped so that

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = V'(t) = 100 \frac{\text{cm}^3}{\text{sec}}$$

then, what is the rate of change per sec of the radius, once $r = 25 \text{ cm}$?

want to know $\frac{dr}{dt} = ?$

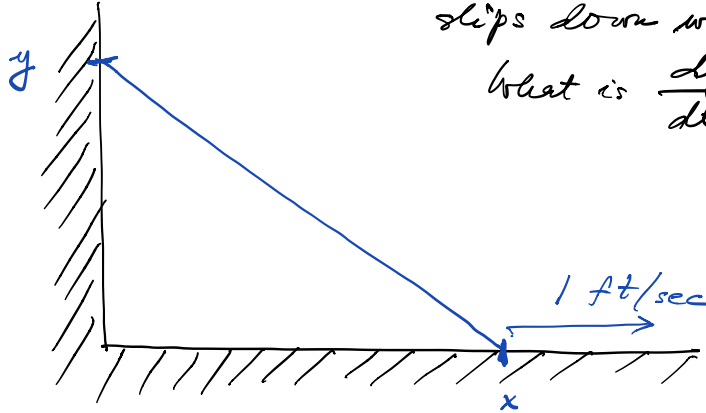
\Rightarrow differentiate volume formula $\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{4\pi}{3} 3r^2 \frac{dr}{dt}$ chain rule

$$\Rightarrow 100 = \frac{4\pi}{3} \cdot 3 \cdot 25^2 \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{100}{25^2} \cdot \frac{1}{4\pi} = \frac{1}{25\pi} \text{ cm/sec.}$$

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Ex A ladder of length 10 ft standing against a wall slips down with $\frac{dx}{dt} = 1 \text{ ft/sec}$.
What is $\frac{dy}{dt}$ when $x = 6 \text{ ft}$?



Pythagoras:

$$x^2 + y^2 = 10^2 = 100.$$

Take derivative on both sides in t :

$$2x \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = - \frac{x}{y} \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= - \frac{6}{8} \cdot 1 \text{ ft/sec}$$

$$= - \frac{3}{4} \text{ ft/sec.}$$

when $x = 6 \text{ ft}$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sqrt{\frac{100 - 36}{64}} = 8 \text{ ft.}$$

Hyperbolic functions.

Def:

$$\sinh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$\cosh x = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$\tanh x = \frac{\sinh x}{\cosh x}$$

Similarity to trig. fcts:

Euler's formula, $i^2 = -1$

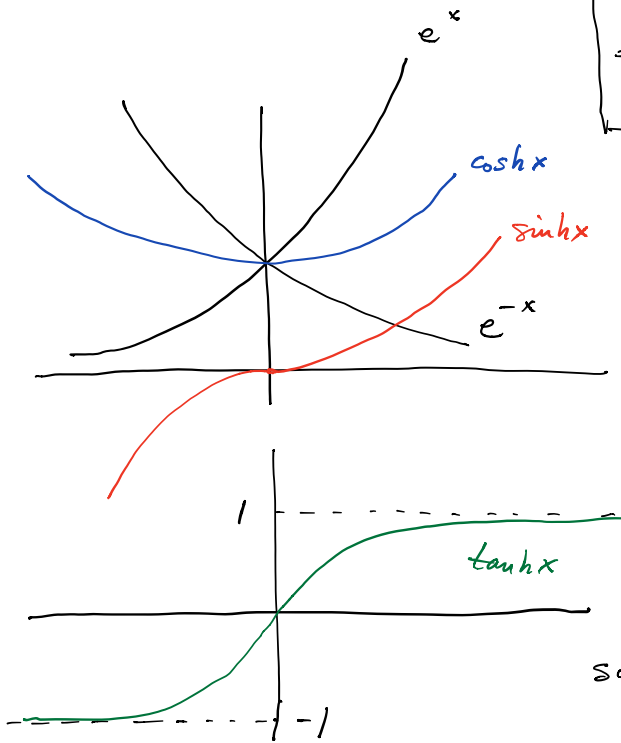
$$e^{ix} = \cos x + i \sin x$$

$$e^{-ix} = \cos(-x) + i \sin(-x)$$

$$\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$$

$$\cosh(-x) = \cosh x$$

$$\sinh(-x) = -\sinh x$$



$$= \cos x - i \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{ix} + e^{-ix} = 2 \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos x = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2} = \cosh(ix)$$

$$e^{ix} - e^{-ix} = 2i \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2i} = \frac{\sinh(ix)}{i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sinh' x &= \left(\frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2} \right)' \\ &= \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2} = \cosh x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cosh' x &= \left(\frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2} \right)' \\ &= \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2} = \sinh x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sinh(-x) &= \frac{e^{-x} - e^{-(-x)}}{2} = \frac{e^{-x} - e^x}{2} \\ &= -\frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2} = -\sinh x \end{aligned}$$

Then $\sinh^{-1} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$

$$\cosh^{-1} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1})$$

$$\tanh^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$$

$$\sinh^{-1}(\sinh x) = x$$

$$\sinh(\sinh^{-1} x) = x$$

Check: $\sinh y = \frac{e^y - e^{-y}}{2} = x$ solve for x to get

$$\Rightarrow e^y - e^{-y} = 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow e^y - 2x - e^{-y} = 0$$

multiply
by e^y

$$\Rightarrow (e^y)^2 - 2x \cdot e^y - 1 = 0$$

$$y = \sinh^{-1} x$$

Quadratic equation for $Y := e^y$.

$$Y^2 - 2x \cdot Y - 1 = 0.$$

$$0 < e^y = Y = -\frac{-2x}{2} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{(2x)^2 - 4(-1)}$$

$$= x \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{4x^2 + 4}$$

$$= x \pm \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$$

$$\rightarrow e^y = x + \underbrace{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}}_{> |x|} > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$$

$$\parallel$$
$$\sinh^{-1} x$$

$$X^2 + bX + c = 0.$$

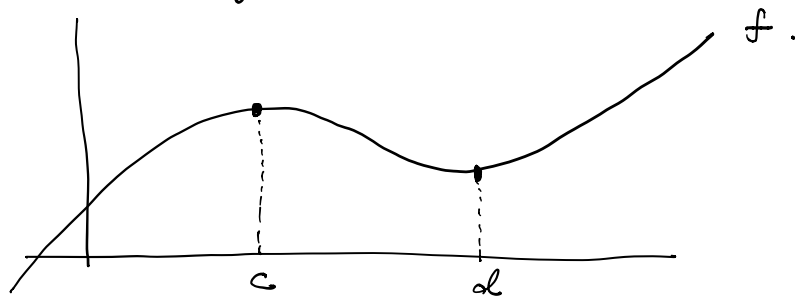
$$\Rightarrow X = \frac{-b}{2} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{b^2 - 4c}$$

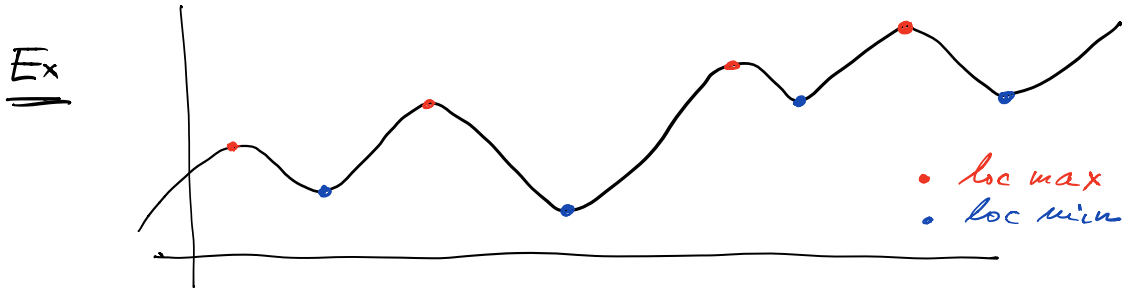
Applications of differentiation.

Maximum and minimum values.

Def f has a local max at c if $f(c) \geq f(x)$ for all x sufficiently close to c .

f has a local min at d if $f(d) \leq f(x)$ for all x sufficiently close to d .



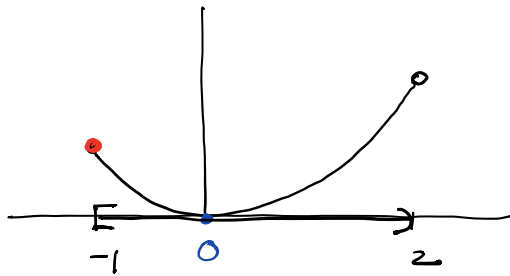


Def A point c in the domain D of f is a global max if $f(c) \geq f(x)$ for all x in D .

A point d in D is a global min if $f(d) \leq f(x)$ for all x in D .

(global min/max = absolute min/max).

Ex $f(x) = x^2$, for $-1 \leq x < 2$

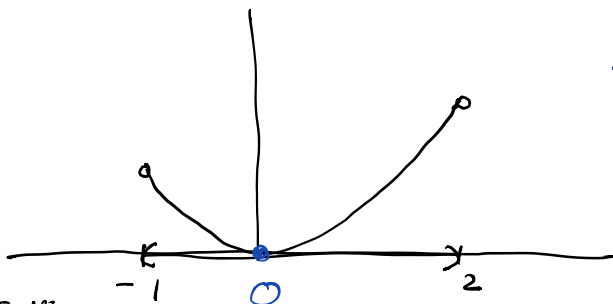


local, global min at 0

local max at -1.

no global max.

Ex $f(x) = x^2$, for $-1 < x < 2$



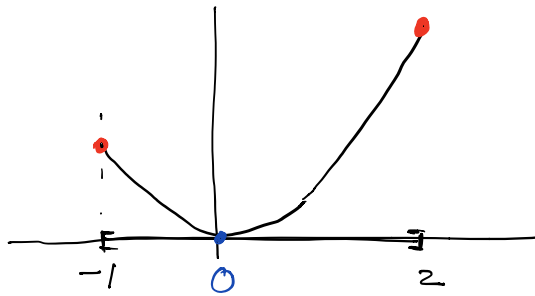
local, global min at 0

no local max

no global max.

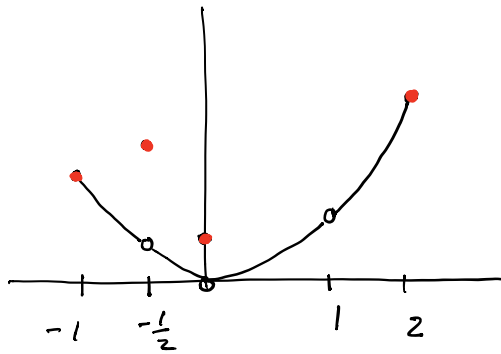
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Ex $f(x) = x^2$, for $-1 \leq x \leq 2$



local, global min at 0.
 local max at -1
 local, global max at 2.

Ex



$$-1 \leq x \leq 2.$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & \text{if } x \neq -\frac{1}{2}, x \neq 0, x \neq 1 \\ \frac{3}{2} & \text{if } x = -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } x = 1 \end{cases}$$

local, global min at 1.

local max at -1

local, global max at 2.

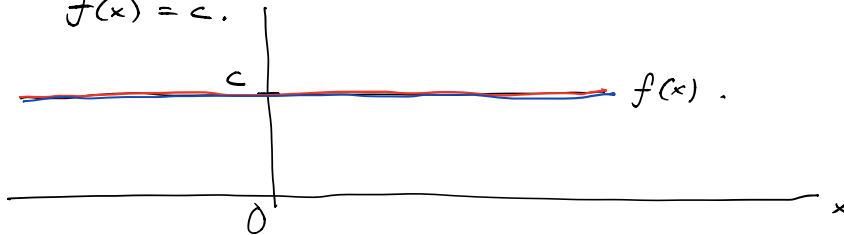
local max at $-\frac{1}{2}$

local max at 0

Every global min/max is also a local min/max.

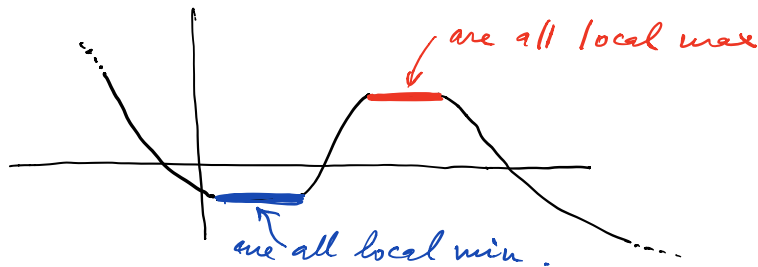
Ex

$$f(x) = c.$$

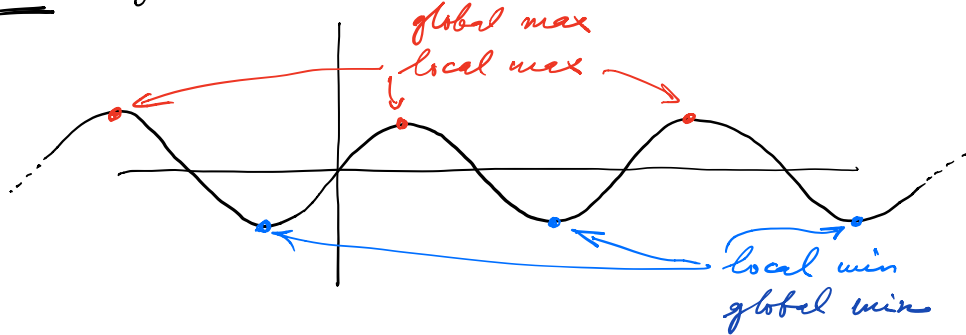


every point x is a local/global min/max.

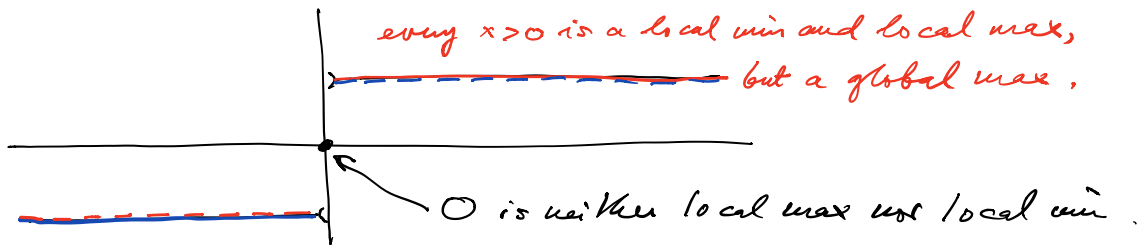
Ex



Ex $f(x) = \sin x$.



Ex $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{|x|}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0. \end{cases}$

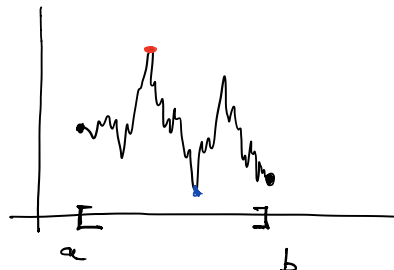


every $x < 0$ is a local min and local max, but a global min.

Thm (Extreme value theorem).

Assume f is continuous on closed interval $[a, b]$.

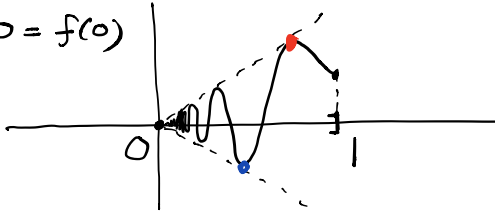
Then, f has a global max and a global min in $[a, b]$.



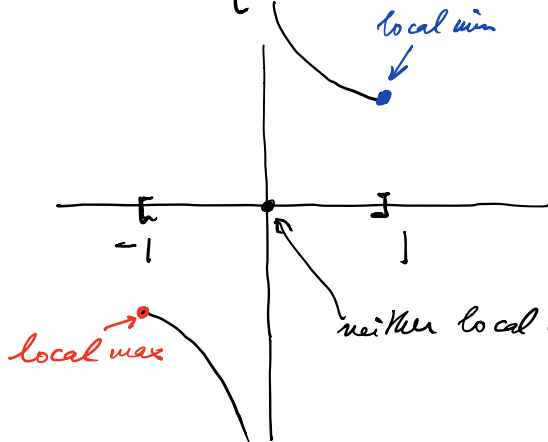
Ex $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 0, & x = 0. \end{cases}$ Domain $[0, 1]$

Because $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 0 = f(0)$

$\Rightarrow f$ is continuous on $[0, 1]$



Ex $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$ for $-1 \leq x \leq 1$.

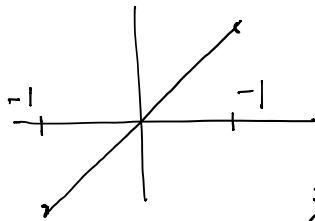


no global max nor global min

Not continuous \Rightarrow Extreme value theorem is not applicable.

neither local min nor local max.

Ex $f(x) = x$ for $-1 < x < 1$



f has neither a global min nor a global max on $(-1, 1)$, but f is continuous.

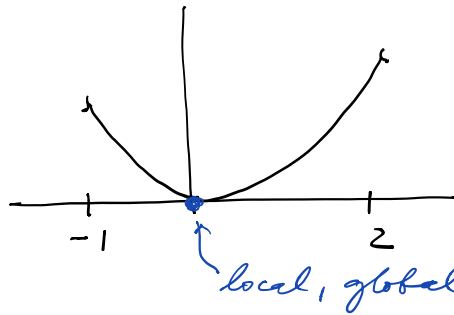
Because the domain is not a closed interval (does not contain both endpoints)

\Rightarrow Extreme value theorem is not applicable.

Thm (Fermat)

Assume that f has a local max or local min at c , and that $f'(c)$ exists. \Rightarrow Then, $f'(c) = 0$.

Ex $f(x) = x^2$, $-1 < x < 2$

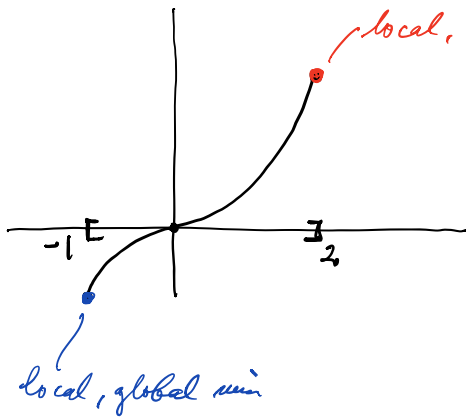


f differentiable for every x in $(-1, 2)$

$$f'(x) = 2x$$

$$f'(0) = 0$$

Ex $f(x) = x^3, \quad -1 \leq x \leq 2$



① $x = -1$: local and global min.

Right derivative: $f'_+(-1) = 3(-1)^2 = 3$

(no derivative here

\Rightarrow Fermat)

② $x = 2$: local and global max

Left derivative: $f'_-(2) = 3 \cdot 2^2 = 12$

(no derivative here

\Rightarrow Fermat)

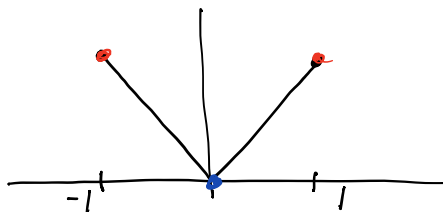
③ $f'(0) = 3 \cdot 0^2 = 0$ neither local min nor local max

(careful: Fermat implies local min/max and differentiable

at $c \Rightarrow f'(c) = 0$

But not the other way around!)

Ex $f(x) = |x| \quad -1 \leq x \leq 1$



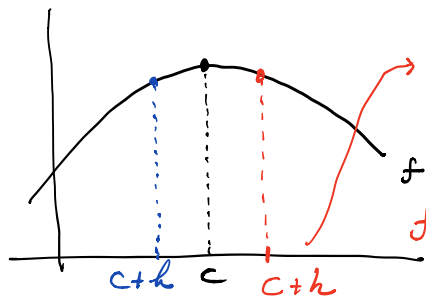
local, global max at $x = -1, x = 1$.
local, global min at $x = 0$

But: f not differentiable at $x = 0$.
 \Rightarrow Fermat not applicable here.

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Check: Explanation of Fermat's theorem.

local max at c , and $f'(c)$ exists.



$h > 0$: $f(c+h) - f(c) \leq 0$
 divide by h , and let $h \rightarrow 0^+$
 $f'_+(c) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(c+h) - f(c)}{h} \leq 0$

$h < 0$: $f(c+h) - f(c) \leq 0$

divide by h , and let $h \rightarrow 0^-$

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

$h < 0$ negative number \Rightarrow dividing by h flips the inequality sign.

$0 \leq f'_-(c) = f'(c) = f'_+(c) \leq 0$

\uparrow
 f differentiable

$\Rightarrow f'(c) = 0$. This verifies Fermat's theorem.

Def (critical number)

A point c in the domain of f is a critical number

if: either $f'(c) = 0$

or $f'(c)$ does not exist.

Thm If f has a local min/max at c , then c is a critical number.

(2) f not constant.

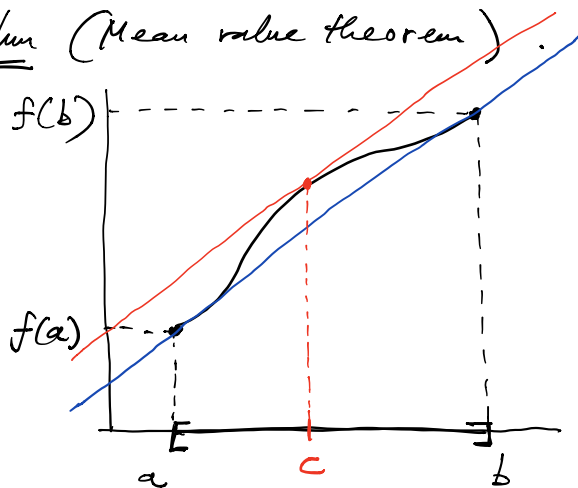
\Rightarrow either global min or global max or both are not equal to $f(a) = f(b)$.

\Rightarrow must be located at c in (a, b)

But: f differentiable in (a, b)

Therefore, Fermat says that $f'(c) = 0$.]

Thm (Mean value theorem).



Assume f continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable in (a, b) .

Then, there is a point c in (a, b) where

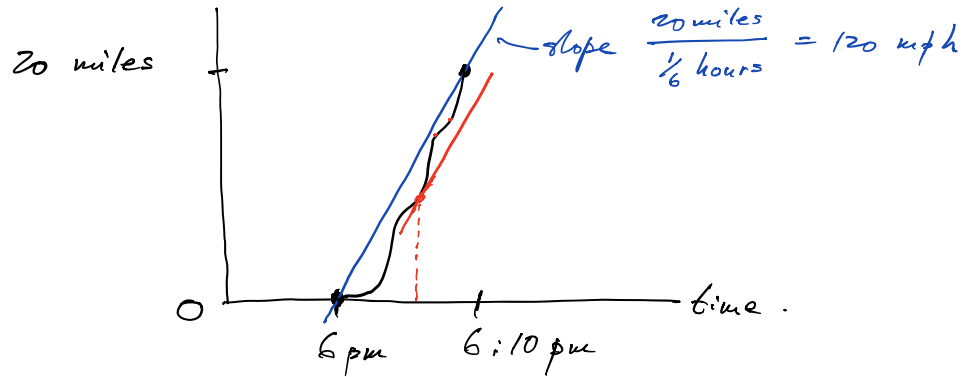
$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$$

slope of red tangent line.

slope of blue line

\Rightarrow "There is a point c between a and b where the tangent to the graph of c is parallel to the blue line (connecting the f values at the endpoints a, b).

Ex The local police station orders pizza at 6pm from a store 20 miles away. At 6:10 pm, the delivery person arrives and is arrested. Why?
(speed limit is 45 mph)

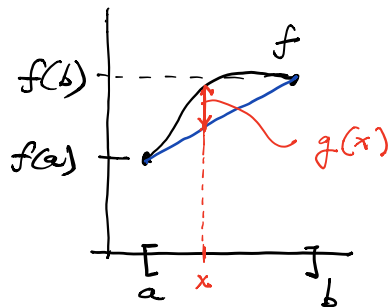


Legal reasoning: The delivery person must have driven at 120 mph at at least one moment between 6 pm and 6:10 pm.

Check (mean value theorem).

Equation for blue line:

$$y = f(a) + \underbrace{\frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a}}_{\text{slope}} (x-a)$$



$$g(x) = f(x) - \left(f(a) + \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a} (x-a) \right).$$

$g(x)$ is continuous on $[a, b]$, differentiable on (a, b)

$$g(a) = 0 = g(b)$$

Rolle: There is c in (a, b) where $g'(c) = 0$.

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

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

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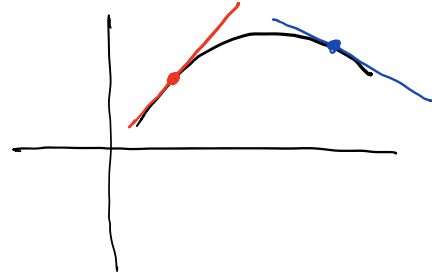
Derivatives and shape of graphs.

What do we learn from f' about f ?

Increasing/decreasing.

- if $f'(x) > 0$, then f is increasing at x

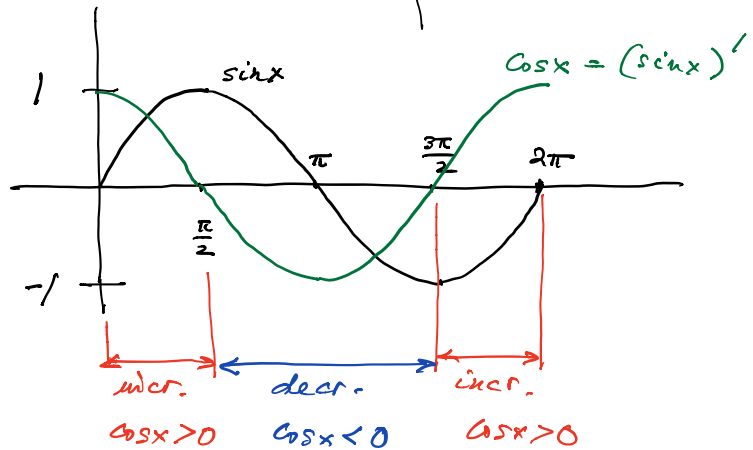
- if $f'(x) < 0$, then f is decreasing at x



Ex

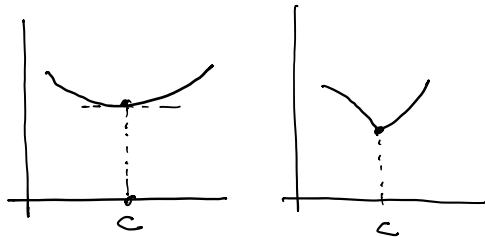
$$f(x) = \sin x$$

$$0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$$

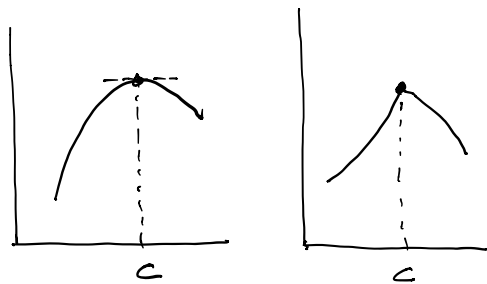


If f is continuous, and c is a critical number ($f'(c) = 0$, or

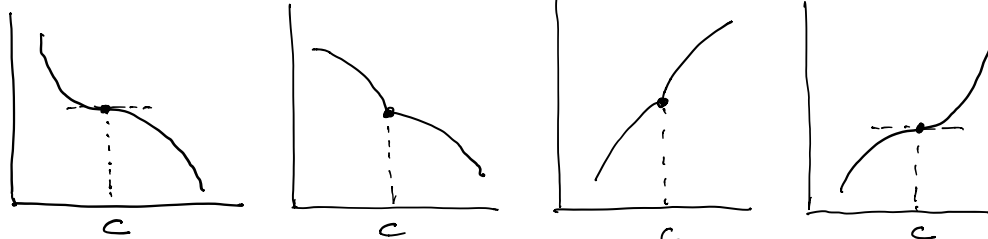
$f'(c)$ does not exist).



if f changes from decreasing ($f' < 0$) to increasing ($f' > 0$), at c , then f has a local min at the critical number c .

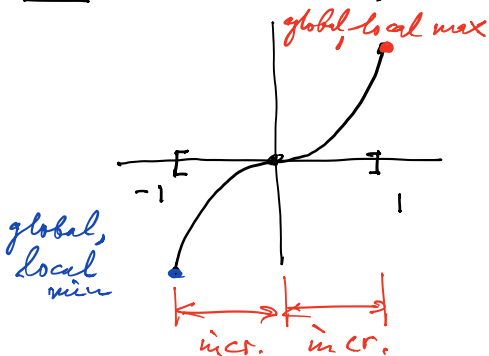


if f changes from increasing ($f' > 0$) to decreasing ($f' < 0$) at c , then f has a local max at the critical number c .



if f does not change from increasing ($f' > 0$) to decreasing ($f' < 0$) or vice versa at c , then the critical point c is neither a local min, nor a local max.

Ex $f(x) = x^3$, for $-1 \leq x \leq 1$.

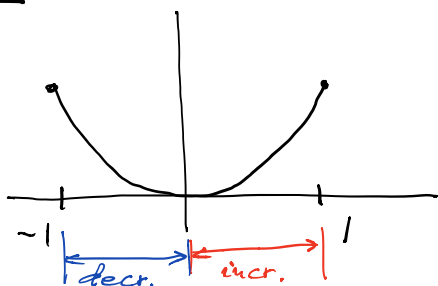


Critical values: $-1, 0, 1$
 no derivative at $-1, 1$
 derivative = 0 at 0

Increasing $f'(x) = 3x^2 > 0$ $-1 < x < 0$
 Increasing $f'(x) = 3x^2 > 0$ $0 < x < 1$

neither local min nor local max at $x=0$.

Ex $f(x) = x^4$, $-1 \leq x \leq 1$.



Critical values: $-1, 0, 1$
 f' does not exist at $-1, 1$
 $f'(0) = 0$

$f'(x) = 4x^3 < 0$, $-1 < x < 0$
decreasing

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 > 0, \quad 0 < x < 1.$$

increasing.

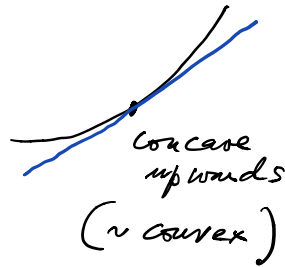
change from decr. to inc. at $x=0 \implies x=0$ is a local min

Second derivative.

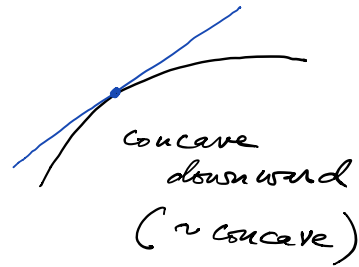
f' \sim slope of the tangent line.

f'' \sim rate of change of the steepness (slope) of tangent line.

Def



graph of f is above
the tangent



graph of f is below
the tangent.

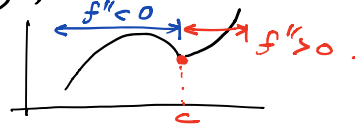
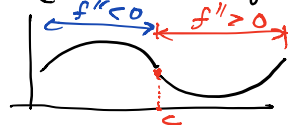
Thm (Concavity test)

Assume f is twice differentiable in (a,b)

Then i) if $f''(x) > 0$ for x in $(a,b) \implies f$ is concave up in (a,b)
steepness of tangent line increases.

ii) if $f''(x) < 0$ for x in $(a,b) \implies f$ is concave down in (a,b)
steepness of tangent line decreases.

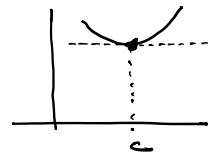
Def: A point c is an inflection point if f changes concavity at c ($\sim f''$ changes sign), and f is continuous at c .



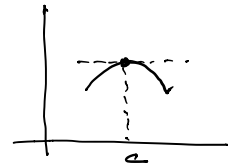
Then (2nd derivative test)

Assume f'' is continuous near c .

1) if $f'(c) = 0$ and $f''(c) > 0$
then f has a local min at c .



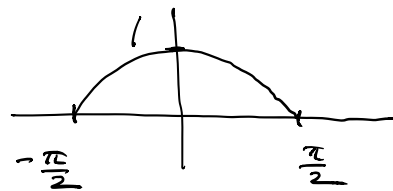
2) if $f'(c) = 0$ and $f''(c) < 0$
then f has a local max at c .



Remark: If $f'(c)$ does not exist, then $f''(c)$ also doesn't exist \Rightarrow can't use 2nd derivative test.

Ex $f(x) = \cos x$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.

$$f'(x) = 0 : -\sin x = 0 \\ \Rightarrow x = 0$$



$$f''(x) = -\cos x : f''(0) = -\cos 0 = -1 < 0$$

\Rightarrow by 2nd derivative test, $x=0$ is a local max

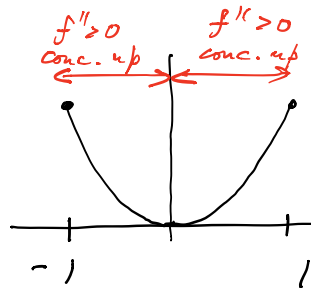
Ex $f(x) = x^4$, $-1 \leq x \leq 1$.

Crit values $-1, 0, 1$.

At $x=0$:

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 \Rightarrow f'(0) = 0$$

$$f''(x) = 12x^2 \Rightarrow f''(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \text{2nd derivative test does not apply (because neither } f''(0) > 0 \text{ nor } f''(0) < 0)$$



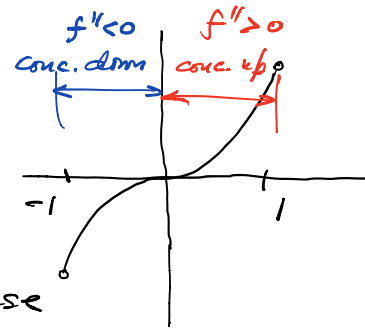
Have to use 1st derivative; verify change from decreasing ($f' < 0$) to increasing ($f' > 0$).

Also, the concavity of f doesn't change at $0 \Rightarrow 0$ not an inflection pt.

Ex $f(x) = x^3, -1 < x < 1.$

$f'(x) = 3x^2$

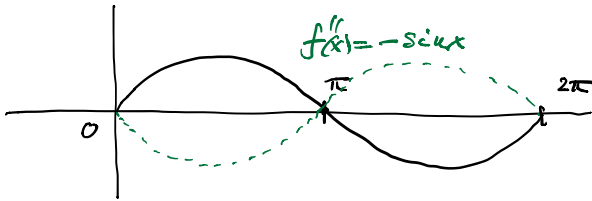
$f''(x) = 6x. \begin{cases} < 0, -1 < x < 0 \\ > 0, 0 < x < 1 \end{cases}$



$\Rightarrow x=0$ is an inflection pt because the concavity of f changes.

$x=0$ is also a critical value because $f'(0) = 0.$

Ex $f(x) = \sin x, 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi.$



$f'(x) = \cos x$

$f''(x) = -\sin x$

$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} f'' > 0, \pi < x < 2\pi \\ f'' < 0, 0 < x < \pi. \end{cases}$

$\rightarrow x = \pi$ is an inflection point

but: $f'(\pi) = \cos \pi = -1 \Rightarrow x = \pi$ is not a critical value.

Remark: An inflection point does not need to be a critical value.

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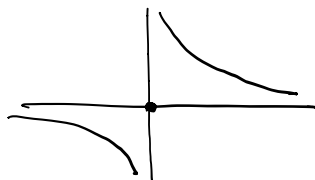
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Ex $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$



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

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

$\begin{cases} f'' < 0, x < 0 \\ f'' > 0, x > 0 \end{cases}$

Is $x=0$ an inflection point?

NO: Because f is not continuous at $x=0$.

Ex $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3$, $-\infty < x < \infty$

Draw the graph (min, max, concavity, inflection pts, ...).

1) Zeros of $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{x=0}, \underline{x=4}$.

2) Derivative $f'(x) = 4x^3 - 12x^2$

Critical points: $4x^3 - 12x^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{x=0}, \underline{x=3}$

f decreasing/increasing: neither local
max nor min local min

$(-\infty, 0)$, $(0, 3)$, $(3, \infty)$

$f' < 0$ $f' < 0$ $f' > 0$

decreasing increasing.

3) Second derivative. $f''(x) = 12x^2 - 24x$,

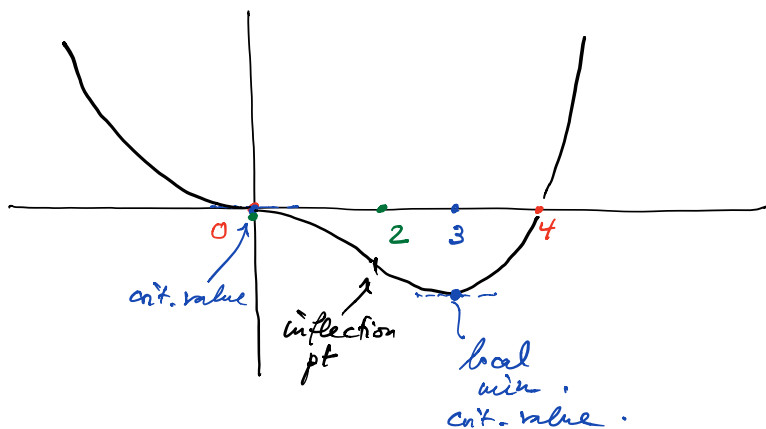
Candidates for inflection pts: $f''(x) = 12x^2 - 24x = 0$.

$\Rightarrow \underline{x=0}, \underline{x=2}$.

$(-\infty, 0)$ $(0, 2)$ $(2, \infty)$

$f'' > 0$ $f'' < 0$ $f'' > 0$

\Rightarrow Inflection pts: $0, 2$.



Ex $f(x) = x^3 + 3x + 2$, $-\infty < x < \infty$.

How many roots $f(x) = 0$ have?

\Rightarrow How many times does the graph of f intersect the x -axis?

Intermediate value theorem:

$$f(-1) = -1 - 3 \cdot 1 + 2 = -2.$$

$$f(1) = 1 + 3 \cdot 1 + 2 = 6$$

\Rightarrow there must be a root in $(-1, 1)$.

Now consider $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 3 > 0$

$\Rightarrow f$ is everywhere increasing.

\Rightarrow can cross x -axis only once.

\Rightarrow there is exactly one root of $f(x) = 0$.

Indeterminate forms and de l'Hôpital's rule.

Then (de l'Hôpital's rule).

Assume f, g differentiable near $x=a$, and

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = 0, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = 0$$

$$\left(\text{or } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = \pm \infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = \pm \infty \right)$$

Then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

Remark: Similarly for left/right limits and left/right derivatives of f, g .

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \underset{\substack{| \\ \text{de l'H}}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{n(n-1)x^{n-2}} \underset{\substack{| \\ \text{de l'H}}}{=} \dots = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots \cdot 2x} \\
 & \underset{\substack{| \\ \text{de l'H}}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x}{\underbrace{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}_{n!}} = \infty
 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow e^x$ tends to ∞ faster than x^n , for any $n > 0$.

Calculate: $x = 10,000$, $n = 100$

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{10,000} & \approx 3^{10,000} \approx (3^2)^{5000} \approx 10^{5000} \\
 x^n = 10,000^{100} & = (10^4)^{100} = 10^{400}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{much bigger than}}$