

0.6 Continuity

Def: a fun. $f(x)$ is said to be continuous at a if it satisfy

- 1) $f(x)$ is defined at a
- 2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ exist
- 3) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$

Ex: is the fun. $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x + 3 & x \leq 4 \\ 7 + \frac{16}{x} & x > 4 \end{cases}$ continuous at $x = 4$

1) $f(4) = 2(4) + 3 = 11$ define at 4

2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} 7 + \frac{16}{x} = 11$ exist

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} (2x + 3) = 11$

3) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} f(x) = f(4) = 11$

$\therefore f$ is continuous at $x = 4$

Ex: where is the function $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 9}{x^2 - 5x + 6}$ continuous.

$$x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$$

$$(x - 2)(x - 3) = 0$$

$$x = 2 \text{ and } x = 3$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is continuous at every where except $x = 2$ and $x = 3$
or the points of discontinuity at $x = 2$ and $x = 3$

\therefore find the value of k that make the function.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} kx^2 & x \leq 2 \\ 2x + k & x > 2 \end{cases} \text{ continuous at } x = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = f(2)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} 2x + k = k(2^2)$$

$$4 + k = 4k \rightarrow 3k = 4 \rightarrow k = \frac{4}{3}$$

Ex: find $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\cos \left(\frac{\pi x^2 + 1}{x^2 + 3} \right) \right]$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[\cos \left(\frac{\pi x^2 + 1}{x^2 + 3} \right) \right] &= \cos \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\pi x^2 + 1}{x^2 + 3} \right) \right] \\ &= \cos \left[\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi + \frac{1}{x^2}}{1 + \frac{3}{x^2}} \right] = \cos \pi = -1 \end{aligned}$$

Ex: find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x}{1 - \cos x}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x}{1 - \cos x} * \frac{1 + \cos x}{1 + \cos x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x (1 + \cos x)}{1 - \cos^2 x} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cancel{\sin x} (1 + \cos x)}{\sin^2 x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x (1 + \cos x)}{\sin x} = \frac{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + \cos x)}{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \sin x / x} = \frac{2}{1} \end{aligned}$$

Chapter 1

1.1 Differentiation

Def.: Let $y = f(x)$ be a function, then the **derivative** of f with respect to x is

$$\text{defined by } \frac{dy}{dx} = \dot{y} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

Ex: use definition of derivative to find the derivative of $f(x) = x^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} = \dot{y} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - x^2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - x^2}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2x+h)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} 2x + h = 2x \end{aligned}$$

Theorem: if f and g are differentiable functions at x and k is constant then:

1. $\frac{d}{dx}(k) = 0$
2. $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) \pm g(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)) \pm \frac{d}{dx}(g(x))$
3. $\frac{d}{dx}(f(x) \cdot g(x)) = f(x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}g(x) + g(x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}f(x)$
4. $\frac{d}{dx}(kf(x)) = k \frac{d}{dx}f(x)$
5. $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right) = \frac{g(x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}f(x) - f(x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}g(x)}{g(x)^2}$ provided $g(x) \neq 0$
6. $\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$

Higher Derivatives:

If f is differentiable function at x then the higher derivatives define:

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

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

$$f^{(4)}(x) = \frac{d^4(x)}{dx^4}$$

Ex: Let $y = \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)(2x^7 - x^2)$ find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)(14x^6 - 2x) + (2x^7 - x^2) \frac{(x+1) \cdot 1 - (x-1) \cdot 1}{(x+1)^2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\frac{x-1}{x+1}\right)(14x^6 - 2x) + \frac{2(2x^7 - x^2)}{(x+1)^2}$$

Ex: Find $\frac{d}{d\lambda} \left[\frac{\lambda\lambda_0 + \lambda^6}{2 - \lambda_0} \right]$

$$= \frac{1}{2 - \lambda_0} \frac{d}{d\lambda} [\lambda\lambda_0 + \lambda^6]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2 - \lambda_0} [\lambda_0 + 6\lambda^5] = \frac{[\lambda_0 + 6\lambda^5]}{2 - \lambda_0}$$

Ex: Find $\left. \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \right|_{x=1} = \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} (1)$ where $y = 6x^5 - 4x^2$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= 30x^4 - 8x \\ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= 120x^3 - 8 \\ \left. \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right|_{x=1} &= 112\end{aligned}$$

Ex: Find an equation for the line that is tangent to $y = (1 - x)(1 + x)$ at the point where $x=2$.

$$y = (1 - x)(1 + x) = 1 - x^2$$

$$\dot{y} = -2x \rightarrow \text{slope} = m = \dot{y}(2) = -4$$

$$y(2) = 1 - (2)^2 = -3 \rightarrow (x_1, y_1) = (2, -3)$$

$$\text{The equation of the line is } (y - y_1) = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - (-3) = (-4)(x - 2)$$

$$y = -4x + 5$$

Derivatives of Trigonometric Functions:

1. $\frac{d}{dx}(\sin u) = \cos u \frac{du}{dx}$
2. $\frac{d}{dx}(\cos u) = -\sin u \frac{du}{dx}$
3. $\frac{d}{dx}(\tan u) = \sec^2 u \frac{du}{dx}$
4. $\frac{d}{dx}(\cot u) = -\csc^2 u \frac{du}{dx}$
5. $\frac{d}{dx}(\sec u) = \sec u \tan u \frac{du}{dx}$
6. $\frac{d}{dx}(\csc u) = -\csc u \cot u \frac{du}{dx}$

Ex: Find $\dot{f}(x)$ if $f(x) = \frac{\sin x \sec x}{1+x \tan x}$

$$\dot{f}(x) = \frac{(1+x \tan x)(\sin x \cdot \sec x \tan x + \sec x \cdot \cos x) - (\sin x \sec x)(x \cdot \sec^2 x + \tan x \cdot 1)}{(1+x \tan x)^2}$$

The Chain rule:

1. If $y = f(u)$ and $u = g(x)$ then $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$

Or $\frac{dy}{dx} = f'(g(x))g'(x)$

2. If $y = f(t)$ and $x = g(t)$ then $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt}$.

Ex: Let $y = u^{10}$ and $u = x^3 + 7x + 1$, Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in two ways.

$$1. \quad \frac{dy}{du} = 10 u^9, \quad \frac{du}{dx} = 3x^2 + 7 \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (10 u^9) \cdot (3x^2 + 7)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = [10 (x^3 + 7x + 1)^9] \cdot (3x^2 + 7)$$

$$2. \quad y = (x^3 + 7x + 1)^{10} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = [10 (x^3 + 7x + 1)^9] \cdot (3x^2 + 7)$$

Let $y = t^2$ and $x = 5t + 2$ Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2t, \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = 5 \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{2t}{5} = \frac{2}{5} \left(\frac{x-2}{5} \right)$$

Implicit Differentiation:

Ex: Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ **if** $5y^2 + \sin y = x^2$

$$10y \frac{dy}{dx} + \cos y \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$$

$$(10y + \cos y) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x}{(10y + \cos y)}$$

Ex: find $\frac{dw}{d\lambda}$ **if** $a^2 w^2 + b^2 \lambda^2 = 1$ **where** a, b **are constants.**

$$2a^2 w \frac{dw}{d\lambda} + 2b^2 \lambda = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dw}{d\lambda} = \frac{-b^2 \lambda}{a^2 w}$$