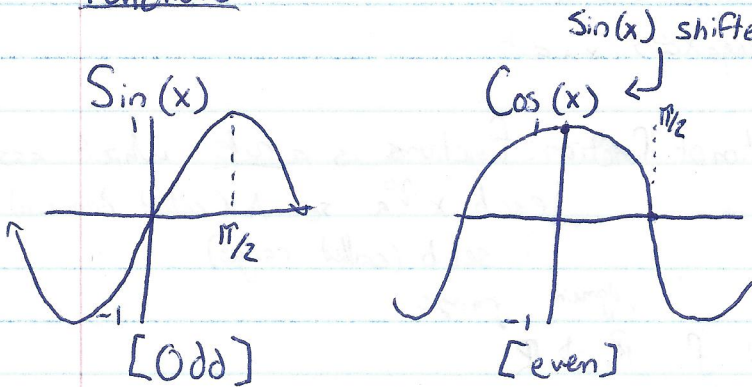


Calculus Midterm #1

Functions



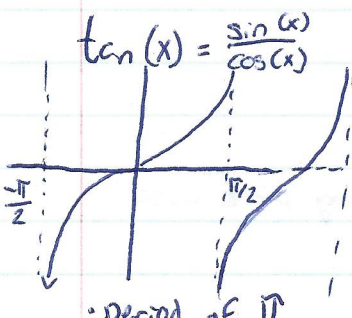
$$\cot(x) = \frac{\cos(x)}{\sin(x)}$$

$$\sec(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$$

$$\csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$$

$\sin(x)$ is periodic (ie. a repeating function) of period 2π

A function is even if $f(x) = f(-x)$ (ex: $\cos(x)$) \therefore it is symmetric over y-axis
 A function is odd if $f(-x) = -1 \cdot f(x)$ (ex: $\sin(x)$) \therefore it is symmetric about the origin.
 A function is neither if it does not fit the definition of even nor odd.



Domain of $\tan(x) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} + k\pi, \text{ for any } k \in \mathbb{Z}\}$
such that integer

range of $\tan(x) = \mathbb{R}$

image of \sin is $[-1, 1]$ ($= \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid -1 \leq x \leq 1\}$)
 \hookrightarrow y-values that are actually obtained

range = what kinds of objects are the output of the function. For us, range are rational #

For image notation

$[,]$ = including those values, like $\leftarrow \bullet \bullet \bullet \rightarrow$

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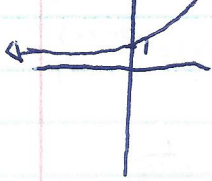
* Do not include ∞ , it is not a number

ex $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$
 domain $[0, \infty)$
 image $[0, \infty)$

For radical functions (ex: $\frac{x+2}{x^2-1}$)
 domain is every where where $x^2-1 \neq 0$

Exponential functions

$$y = e^x \text{ or } y = a^x$$



domain \mathbb{R}
image $(0, \infty)$
 \subset

log functions

$$y = \ln(x) \Leftrightarrow x = e^y$$

$$y = \log_a x \Leftrightarrow x = a^y$$

Definition of function: function is a rule which assigns to each x ⁱⁿ a set A (called domain) and a set B (called range)

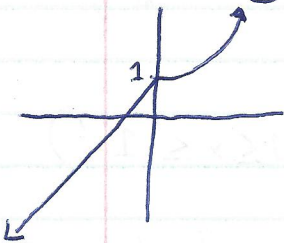
Notation: $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
name \uparrow domain \downarrow range
 $x \rightarrow x^2$
how to calculate

Combining functions

1) Piecewise Functions

"splice functions together"

$$\text{ex: } f(x) = \begin{cases} x+1 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ e^x & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$



2) Absolute Value Functions*

$$y = |x|$$

$$\hookrightarrow y = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

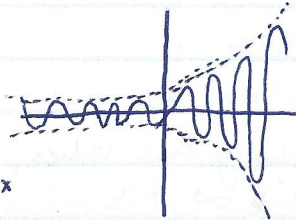
* Fancy piece wise

3) Sum, difference, product, Quotient of functions

$$y = f(x) + z \leftarrow \text{raise by } z$$

$$y = z \cdot f(x) \leftarrow \text{scale by } z$$

$$h(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x), \quad f(x) = \cos(x), \quad g(x) = e^x$$



4) Composition of functions

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$$

$$\neq f(x) \cdot g(x)$$

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5) Inverse function

definition: A function is invertible if, For every y in the image of F , there is a unique x in the domain of F

- passes the horizontal line test (1 x to 1 y for every y)
- must already pass the vertical line test (to be function)

* if it does not pass the HLT, it might if you restrict the o.g. graph.

Try!
 $f'(x)$ of $\frac{x-2}{x+3}$?

$y = \frac{x-2}{x+3}$
 $(x+3)y = x-2$
 $3y + xy = x-2$
 $xy - x = -2 - 3y$
 $x(y-1) = -2 - 3y$
 $x = \frac{-2 - 3y}{y-1}$

$f'(x) = \frac{-2 - 3x}{x-1}$
 $x \neq 1$

properties

Key properties

$y = e^x \Leftrightarrow x = \ln y$
 $e^{\ln(x)} = x \quad (x > 0)$
 $\ln(e^x) = x \quad (x \in \mathbb{R})$
 $y = 2^x = e^{x \ln(2)} \rightarrow y = 2^x$

$\ln(y) = \ln(2^x)$
 $\ln(y) = x \ln(2)$
 $e^{\ln(y)} = e^{x \ln(2)}$
 $y = e^{x \ln(2)}$

$\log_2 x = \frac{\ln(x)}{\ln(2)}$

Log rules

$\ln(x_1 \cdot x_2) = \ln(x_1) + \ln(x_2)$
 $\ln(x_1^{x_2}) = x_2 \ln(x_1)$
 $\ln\left(\frac{x_1}{x_2}\right) = \ln(x_1) - \ln(x_2)$

Exponential Rules

$a^{x_1+x_2} = a^{x_1} \cdot a^{x_2}$
 $a^{x_1-x_2} = a^{x_1} \div a^{x_2}$
 $(a^{x_1})^{x_2} = a^{x_1 \cdot x_2}$
 $(a \cdot b)^x = a^x \cdot b^x$

To inverse $\sin(x)$, you need to restrict the domain to $[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$. Then $\sin(x)$ inverted is $\arcsin(x)$

The inverse of $y = e^x$ is $y = \ln(x)$

$y = a^x$ is $y = \log_a x$

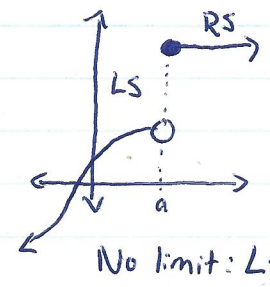
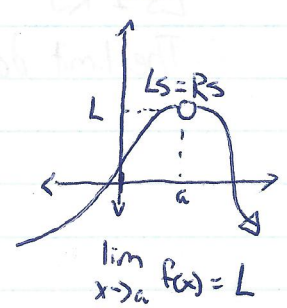
Idea of slope of tangent line

$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$

When solving do not just plug in numbers

"Pimple popping"

Limit definition: Suppose f is a function on a domain around the point $x=a$ (can exclude a). Then we write $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$. If



Limit Laws

Suppose $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = L$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = M$

Add: $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (f(x) + g(x)) = L + M$
Sub: $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (f(x) - g(x)) = L - M$

mult: $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) \cdot g(x) = L \cdot M$
div: $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{L}{M}$

with a constant: $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} c \cdot f(x) = c \cdot L$

One-sided Limits

Left-hand limit: make $f(x)$ as close to L as possible by restricting to $x < a$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^-} f(x) = L$$

left side

Right-hand limit: $f(x)$ gets close to L as $x \rightarrow a$ from right

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a^+} f(x) = L$$

Example

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x+2 & \text{if } x < 5 \\ 17 & \text{if } x = 5 \\ x^2 - 3x & \text{if } x > 5 \end{cases} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} ?$$

LS

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 5^-} (x+2)$$

$$= 7$$

RS

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 5^+} f(x) = x^2 - 3x$$

$$= 25 - 15$$

$$= 10$$

$$7 \neq 10$$

$$LS \neq RS$$

\therefore The limit does not exist

Continuity

If a is in the domain of f and $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$ then f is continuous at a

The following functions are continuous
 e^x , $\ln(x)$, x^n , $x^{1/n}$, x^t , $\sin(x)$,

$\cos(x)$

- polynomial + rational

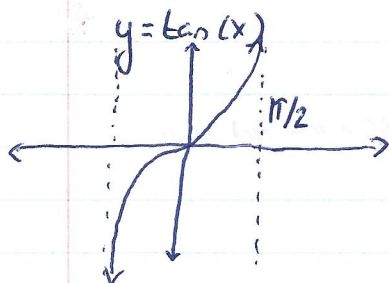
functions.

$\uparrow t \in \mathbb{R}$

(root functions)

Infinite limits = those that have a value of $\pm \infty$, where the function grows without bound as it approaches some value a .

* Caused by vertical asymptote.



$$\left[\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{x} = 1 \mid \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{x} = \emptyset \mid \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{x}{x^2} = \emptyset \right]$$

To summarize; A function is continuous at a point if...

- 1) a (the point) is in the function
- 2) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$ exists
- 3) $f(x) = f(a)$

Method to find Limit

1) if $f(x)$ is continuous on both sides, plug in a .

2) if $f(x)$ has continuous functions on both sides, use one-sided limits + plug in a

3) if $f(x)$ is constant, decide if $\pm \infty$ (using 1-side)

4) if $0/0$ or ∞/∞ "indeterminate forms" factor, expand, simplify, rationalize...

Squeeze Theorem

suppose f, g, h are 3 functions such that

$$g(x) \leq f(x) \leq h(x) \text{ near } x=a$$

$$\text{so } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = b$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = b = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(x)$$

↳ Example

$$f(x) = x^2 \cdot \sin \frac{1}{x}$$

what is $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$?

$$g(x) = -x^2$$

$$h(x) = x^2$$

$$-x^2 \leq x^2 \cdot \sin \frac{1}{x} \leq x^2$$

$$-1 \leq \sin \frac{1}{x} \leq 1$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x} = \emptyset$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 = \emptyset$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} -x^2 = \emptyset$$

Composition with a continuous function

f is continuous at b & $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x) = b$

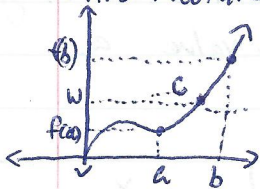
$$\text{then } \lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(g(x)) = f(\lim_{x \rightarrow a} g(x)) = f(b)$$

Floor theorem

$\lfloor x \rfloor =$ closest integer which satisfies $n \leq x$

* SOSmath.com on squeeze theorem

Intermediate Value theorem



• If we know the function is continuous and that it has $f(a)$ and $f(b)$ then we know it must cross line w at some point $f(c) = w$

* useful for determining roots.

Example: Show that $f(x) = x^6 + 4x^5 - 5x^4 + x + 1$ has 1 or more real roots.

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f(1) = 1 - 4 - 5 - 1 + 1 = -8$$

Since $f(x)$ is continuous & below x-axis at $f(1)$ & above at $f(0)$, it must have 1 root between them.

Lim $f(x)$ "Horizontal asymptotes"

→ example $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 - x}{3x^2 + 1}$

Method: Divide by highest x^n in denom.

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x(x+1)}{3x^2+1} = \frac{x^2}{x^2}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{x-1}{x}\right)}{3 + \frac{1}{x^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(1 - \frac{1}{x}\right) \rightarrow \phi}{3 + \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) \rightarrow \phi} \text{ as } x \rightarrow \infty$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}$$

Derivatives

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \text{ whenever this limit exists}$$

ex: $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{1}{x}}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{x - (x+h)}{x^2+xh} \right] \cdot \frac{1}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{-h}{x^2+xh} \right] \cdot \frac{1}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{x^2+xh}$$

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

⚠ If a function is differentiable at x then F is continuous at x .

If f is discontinuous at x , you can't $f'(x)$ it.

A function can be continuous but not differentiable

$$f'(x^2) \text{ is } 2x$$

$$f'(\sqrt{x}) \text{ is } \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f'\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \text{ is } -\frac{1}{x^2}$$

Calculus

Power Rule

$$f'(x^n) = n \cdot x^{(n-1)}$$

↖ No x's, that's exponential

Exponential Functions

$$f(x) = e^x$$

$$f'(x) = e^x$$

$$f(x) = e^{g(x)}$$

$$f'(x) = e^{g(x)} \cdot g'(x)$$

$$f(x) = b^x$$

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

$$f(x) = a^{nx}$$

$$f'(x) = n \cdot a^{nx} \cdot \ln a$$

$$f(x) = b^{g(x)}$$

$$f'(x) = b^{g(x)} \cdot \ln b \cdot g'(x)$$

$$f(x) = b^{n \cdot g(x)}$$

$$f'(x) = n \cdot b^{g(x)} \cdot \ln b \cdot g'(x)$$

Trig identities

~~sin~~

$$\csc \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta}$$

$$\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x) = 1$$

Linearity of the derivative

Let f & g be differentiable functions and let $c \in \mathbb{R}$ (a constant).

$$\text{Then } \frac{d}{dx} c f(x) = c \cdot \frac{d}{dx} f(x)$$

$$\text{ie. } \frac{d}{dx} 3x^3 = 3 \cdot \frac{d}{dx} x^3 = 3 \cdot (3x^2) = 9x^2$$

Product rule

$$\frac{d}{dx} (f \cdot g)(x) = f'(x) \cdot g(x) + f(x) \cdot g'(x)$$

Quotient Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right) = \frac{f'(x) \cdot g(x) - f(x) \cdot g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$$

Sine & cosine & tan

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cos(x) = -\sin(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \tan(x) = \sec^2(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \csc(x) = -\csc(x) \cdot \cot(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cot(x) = -\csc^2(x)$$



Chain Rule

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$