

1 Calculus

Average rate of change

$$m \text{ of } x \in [a, b] = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

On CAS: Action → Calculation → `diff`

Average value

$$f_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{b - a} \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Instantaneous rate of change

Secant - line passing through two points on a curve

Chord - line segment joining two points on a curve

Limit theorems

1. For constant function $f(x) = k$, $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = k$
2. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (f(x) \pm g(x)) = F \pm G$
3. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} (f(x) \times g(x)) = F \times G$
4. $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{F}{G}, G \neq 0$

A function is continuous if $L^- = L^+ = f(x)$ for all values of x .

First principles derivative

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

Not differentiable at:

- discontinuous points
- sharp point/cusp
- vertical tangents (∞ gradient)

Tangents & gradients

Tangent line - defined by $y = mx + c$ where $m = \frac{dy}{dx}$

Normal line - \perp tangent ($m_{tan} \cdot m_{norm} = -1$)

$$\text{Secant} = \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

On CAS:

Action → Calculation → Line → `tanLine` or `normal`

Strictly increasing/decreasing

For x_2 and x_1 where $x_2 > x_1$:

- **strictly increasing**
where $f(x_2) > f(x_1)$ or $f'(x) > 0$
- **strictly decreasing**
where $f(x_2) < f(x_1)$ or $f'(x) < 0$
- Endpoints are included, even where gradient = 0

On CAS

In main: type function. Interactive → Calculation → Line → (Normal | Tan line)

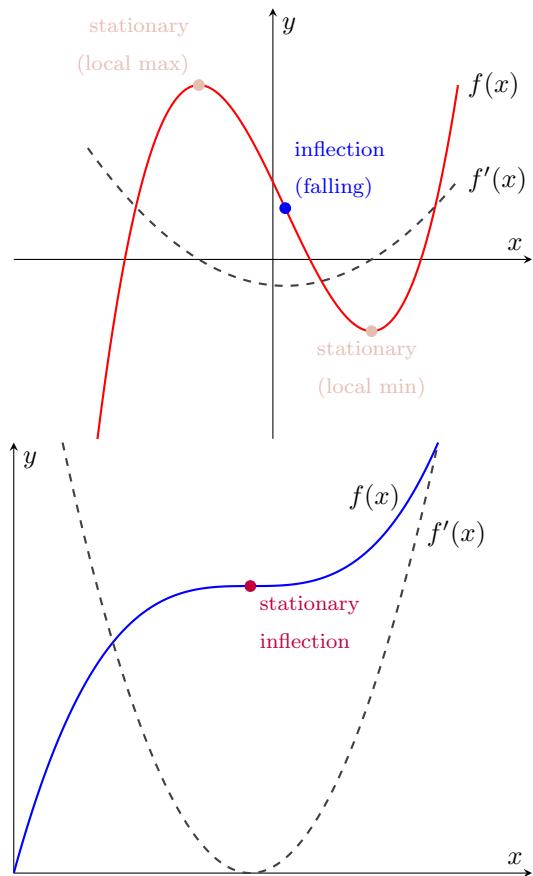
In graph: define function. Analysis → Sketch → (Normal | Tan line). Type x value to solve for a point.

Return to show equation for line.

Stationary points

Stationary point: $f'(x) = 0$

Point of inflection: $f'' = 0$



Derivatives

$$f(x) \quad f'(x)$$

$$\sin x \quad \cos x$$

$$\sin ax \quad a \cos ax$$

$$\cos x \quad -\sin x$$

$$\cos ax \quad -a \sin ax$$

$$\tan f(x) \quad f^2(x) \sec^2 f(x)$$

$$e^x \quad e^x$$

$$e^{ax} \quad ae^{ax}$$

$$ax^{nx} \quad an \cdot e^{nx}$$

$$\log_e x \quad \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\log_e ax \quad \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\log_e f(x) \quad \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}$$

$$\sin(f(x)) \quad f'(x) \cdot \cos(f(x))$$

$$\sin^{-1} x \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\cos^{-1} x \quad \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\tan^{-1} x \quad \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dy} f(y) \quad \frac{1}{\frac{dx}{dy}} \quad (\text{reciprocal})$$

$$uv \quad u \frac{du}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx} \quad (\text{product rule})$$

$$\frac{u}{v} \quad \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2} \quad (\text{quotient rule})$$

$$f(g(x)) \quad f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

Antiderivatives

$$f(x) \quad \int f(x) \cdot dx$$

$$k \text{ (constant)} \quad kx + c$$

$$x^n \quad \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}$$

$$ax^{-n} \quad a \cdot \log_e |x| + c$$

$$\frac{1}{ax+b} \quad \frac{1}{a} \log_e(ax+b) + c$$

$$(ax+b)^n \quad \frac{1}{a(n+1)} (ax+b)^{n-1} + c \mid n \neq 1$$

$$(ax+b)^{-1} \quad \frac{1}{a} \log_e |ax+b| + c$$

$$e^{kx} \quad \frac{1}{k} e^{kx} + c$$

$$e^k \quad e^k x + c$$

$$\sin kx \quad -\frac{1}{k} \cos(kx) + c$$

$$\cos kx \quad \frac{1}{k} \sin(kx) + c$$

$$\sec^2 kx \quad \frac{1}{k} \tan(kx) + c$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} \quad \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + c \mid a > 0$$

$$\frac{-1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} \quad \cos^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + c \mid a > 0$$

$$\frac{a}{a^2 - x^2} \quad \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + c$$

$$\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} \quad \log_e f(x) + c$$

$$\int f(u) \cdot \frac{du}{dx} \cdot dx = \int f(u) \cdot du \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$f(x) \cdot g(x) = \int [f'(x) \cdot g(x)] dx + \int [g'(x) f(x)] dx$$