

# Chapter 2

## Differentiation

### (微分)

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# Section 2.1

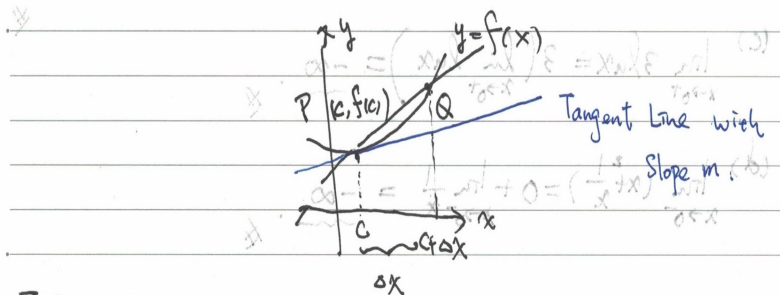
## The Derivative and the Tangent Line Problem

### (導數與切線問題)

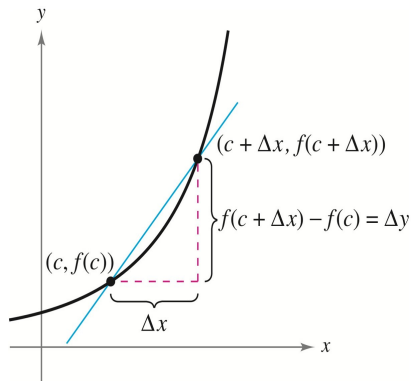


## Tangent Line Problem (切線問題)

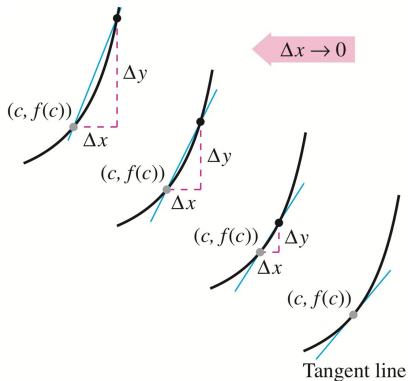
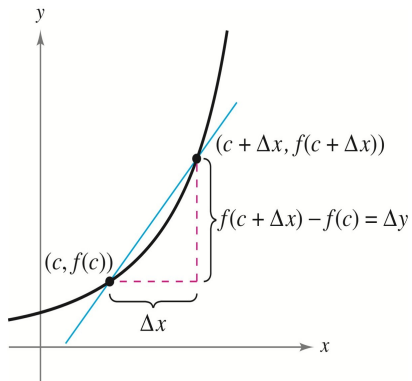
Let  $f$  be a real-valued function defined on  $I = (a, b)$  with  $c \in I$ . What is the slope (斜率)  $m$  of the tangent line (切線) to the graph of  $f$  at the point  $P(c, f(c))$ ?



# 示意圖 (承上頁)



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## Obsevation

Since the slope of the secant line (割線) passing through  $P(c, f(c))$  and  $Q(c + \Delta x, f(c + \Delta x))$  is

$$m_{sec} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{f(c + \Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x},$$

the slope  $m$  of the tangent line at  $P$  is determined by considering

$$m = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} m_{sec} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c + \Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x}.$$



## Def (切線的定義)

If  $m = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c+\Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \exists$ , then the line passing through  $P(c, f(c))$  with slope  $m$  is called a tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at  $P$ .





## Def (垂直切線的定義)

A line  $x = c$  is called the vertical tangent line (垂直切線) to the graph of  $f$  at the point  $(c, f(c))$  if

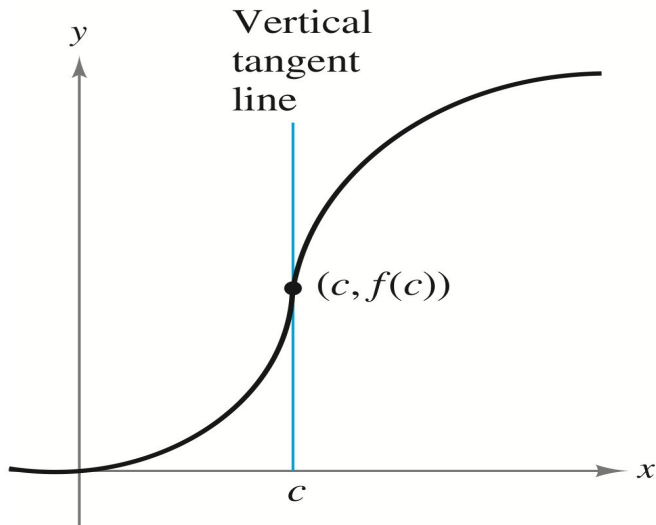
$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(c + \Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c^+} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} = \pm\infty$$

or

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{f(c + \Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow c^-} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} = \pm\infty.$$



# 垂直切線的示意圖



## Remark (切線方程式)

Equation of the tangent line to the graph of  $y = f(x)$  at the point  $(c, f(c))$  is given by

$$y - f(c) = m(x - c). \quad (\text{Point-Slope Form; 點斜式})$$



## Example 4

Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  for  $x \geq 0$ .

(a) Find the tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at  $(4, 2)$ .

(b) Find the slopes of the graph of  $f$  at  $(1, 1)$  and  $(0, 0)$ .

**Sol:** For  $c > 0$ , the slope of a tangent line passing through  $(c, f(c))$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(c + \Delta x) - f(c)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sqrt{c + \Delta x} - \sqrt{c}}{\Delta x} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta x(\sqrt{c + \Delta x} + \sqrt{c})} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{c + 0} + \sqrt{c}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{c}}. \end{aligned}$$



- (a) At the point  $(4, 2)$ ,  $m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4}} = \frac{1}{4}$  and the equation of the tangent line at  $(4, 2)$  is

$$y - 2 = \frac{1}{4}(x - 4) \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{1}{4}x + 1.$$

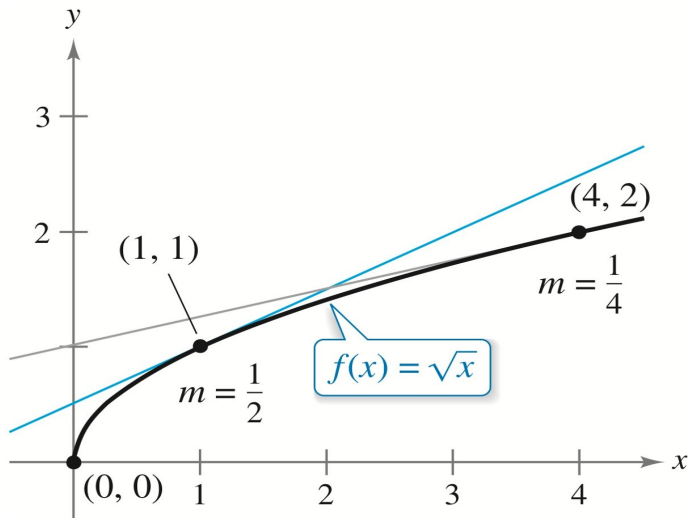
- (b) The slope of the graph of  $f$  at  $(1, 1)$  is  $m = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{1}} = \frac{1}{2}$ . In addition, the slope of a tangent line at  $(0, 0)$  is

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(0 + \Delta x) - f(0)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\Delta x}} = \infty,$$

and hence the graph of  $f$  has a vertical tangent line at  $x = 0$ .



# 示意圖 (承上例)



## Homework

Read Examples 1 and 2 by yourself.

## Def (導數或導函數的定義)

(1) The derivative (導數) of  $f$  at  $x \in \text{dom}(f)$  is

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

(2)  $f$  is differentiable (可微分; 簡寫為 diff.) at  $x \in \text{dom}(f)$  if the derivative  $f'(x) \exists$ .

(3)  $f$  is diff. on  $I = (a, b)$  if it is diff. at each  $x \in I$ .



## Notes

- If  $S = \{x \in \text{dom}(f) \mid f'(x) \exists\}$ , the first derivative  $f'$  can be regarded as a function defined on  $S$ .
- For any  $y = f(x)$ , the derivative is often denoted by

$$f'(x) = y'(x) = \frac{df(x)}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dx} = D_x f(x) = D_1 f(x).$$





Example 3: Find  $f'(x)$  if  $f(x) = x^3 + 2x$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Sol: } f'(x) &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+\Delta x)^3 + 2(x+\Delta x) - x^3 - 2x}{\Delta x} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2(\Delta x) + 3x(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta x)^3 + 2(\Delta x)}{\Delta x} = 3x^2 + 2.\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{7.5} = \dots$$



## Recall

Since the following equality

$$(a + b)^3 = a^3 + 3a^2b + 3ab^2 + b^3$$

holds for any  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ , we immediately obtain

$$(x + \Delta x)^3 = x^3 + 3x^2(\Delta x) + 3x(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta x)^3.$$



## Thm 2.1 (可微分 $\implies$ 連續)

Let  $f$  be a real-valued function defined on  $X \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  with  $c \in X = \text{dom}(f)$ . If  $f$  is diff. at  $c$ , then  $f$  is conti. at  $c$ .



If: Suppose that  $f$  is diff. at  $x=c$ .

$$\Rightarrow f'(c) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} \quad \exists \quad 0 = [0] \cdot \frac{1}{x-c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} \left[ \frac{f(x) - f(c)}{x - c} (x - c) + f(c) \right]$$

$$= f'(c) \cdot 0 + f(c) = f(c). \text{ So, } f \text{ is conti. at } c.$$

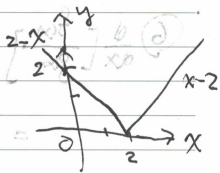


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Example 6 : (Thm 2.1 of  $\mathbb{R}$  (3.1))

$$f(x) = |x-2| = \begin{cases} x-2, & x \geq 2 \\ 2-x, & x < 2 \end{cases} \text{ is conti.}$$

at  $x=2$ , but it is NOT diff. at  $x=2$ .



Since  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{|x-2| - 0}{x-2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^+} \frac{x-2}{x-2} = 1$  and

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{|x-2| - 0}{x-2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2^-} \frac{-(x-2)}{x-2} = -1$ , we know that

$$f'(2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{|x-2| - 0}{x-2} \nexists$$

So,  $f$  is NOT diff. at  $x=2$ !

HW: See Example 7. (Thm 2.1 of  $\mathbb{R}$  (3.1)).



## Remarks

- 1 函數的可微分點必定是連續點，詳見 Thm 2.1。
- 2 但是，函數的連續點不一定是可微分點! 詳見 Example 6 和 Example 7。



# Sections 2.2 & 2.3

## Basic Differentiation Rules and Higher-Order Derivatives

### (基本微分法則與高階導數)



## Thm (Basic Differentiation Rules)

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be diff. functions of  $x$  and  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then

$$(1) \frac{d}{dx}[c] = 0.$$

$$(2) \frac{d}{dx}[x^n] = n \cdot x^{n-1} \text{ for } n \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$(3) \frac{d}{dx}[f(x) \pm g(x)] = f'(x) \pm g'(x).$$

$$(4) \frac{d}{dx}[c \cdot f(x)] = c \cdot f'(x).$$

$$(5) \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)g(x)] = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x) = \text{(前微)(後不微)} + \text{(前不微)(後微)}.$$

$$(6) \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \right] = \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2} = \frac{\text{(子微)(母不微)} - \text{(子不微)(母微)}}{(\text{母})^2}.$$





Example 5 of Sec. 2.2:  $\frac{5-x}{5-x} \cdot \frac{1}{5+x} = \frac{0 \cdot (5-x)}{5-x} \cdot \frac{1}{5+x}$

(a)  $y = 5x^3 \Rightarrow y' = 5 \cdot 3 \cdot x^{3-1} = 15x^2$

(b)  ~~$y = \frac{2}{x} = 2x^{-1} \Rightarrow y' = 2(-1)x^{-1-1} = -\frac{2}{x^2}$~~

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(c)  $f(t) = \frac{4}{5}t^2 \Rightarrow f'(t) = \frac{4}{5} \cdot 2 \cdot t^{2-1} = \frac{8}{5}t$

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

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$$(e) y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x^2}} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x^{-2/3} \Rightarrow y' = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)x^{-5/3} = \frac{-1}{3x^{5/3}}$$

$$(f) y = \left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)x \Rightarrow y' = \frac{-3}{2}$$

Example 7, Sec 2.2 :

$$(a) f(x) = x^3 - 4x + 5 \Rightarrow f'(x) = 3x^2 - 4$$

$$(b) g(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x^4 + 3x^3 - 2x \Rightarrow g'(x) = 2x^3 + 9x^2 - 2$$

$$(c) y = \frac{3x^2 - x + 1}{x} = 3x - 1 + x^{-1} \Rightarrow y' = 3 - x^{-2} = \frac{3x^2 - 1}{x^2}$$

HW: see Examples 2 and 4, Sec. 2.2.



Example 1 of Sec 2.3: Find  $h'(x)$  if  $h(x) = (3x - 2x^2)(5 + 4x)$

Sol.

$$h'(x) = (3 - 4x)(5 + 4x) + (3x - 2x^2)(4)$$

$$= 15 - 8x - 16x^2 + 12x - 8x^2$$

$$= \underline{-24x^2 + 4x + 15}$$

Example 5 of Sec 2.3: (高台製りの梯子)

Find the equation of the tangent line to the graph of

$$f(x) = \frac{3 - (1/x)}{x + 5} \text{ at } (-1, 1).$$



Sol: Rewrite  $f$  as  $f(x) = \frac{3x-1}{x+5} = \frac{3x-1}{x^2+5x}$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{3(x^2+5x) - (3x-1)(2x+5)}{(x^2+5x)^2} = \frac{3x^2 + 15x - 6x^2 - 13x + 5}{(x^2+5x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-3x^2 + 2x + 5}{(x^2+5x)^2}$$

For  $x=-1$ , we have  $f'(-1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow y=1$  is the tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at  $(-1, 1)$ .

HW: See Example 4 of Sec. 2.3.



## Thm (Derivatives of Elementary Functions)

$$(1) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\sin x] = \cos x, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\cos x] = -\sin x.$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\tan x] = \sec^2 x, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\cot x] = -\csc^2 x.$$

$$(3) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\sec x] = \sec x \tan x, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\csc x] = -\csc x \cot x.$$

$$(4) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[e^x] = e^x, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\ln |x|] = \frac{1}{x} \text{ for } x \neq 0.$$

## Equivalent Def. of Euler number $e$

The number  $e$  is the base number of an exponential function s.t. the slope of the tangent line at  $(0, 1)$  is 1, i.e., it satisfies

$$\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\Delta x} - e^0}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\Delta x} - 1}{\Delta x} = 1.$$



# Sketch of the Proof

(1)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}[\sin x] &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x + \Delta x) - \sin x}{\Delta x} \\ &= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x \cos(\Delta x) + \cos x \sin(\Delta x) - \sin x}{\Delta x} \\ &= \sin x \left( \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(\Delta x) - 1}{\Delta x} \right) + \cos x \left( \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(\Delta x)}{\Delta x} \right) \\ &= (\sin x)(0) + \cos x \cdot 1 = \cos x.\end{aligned}$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\tan x] = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right] = \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = \sec^2 x.$$

$$(3) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\sec x] = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ \frac{1}{\cos x} \right] = \frac{(0)\cos x - 1 \cdot (-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x} = \left( \frac{1}{\cos x} \right) \left( \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right) = \sec x \tan x.$$



Example 2 of Sec 2.3 :  $\frac{d}{dx}[xe^x] = 1 \cdot e^x + x \cdot e^x = e^x(x+1)$  . \*

Example 3 of Sec 2.3 : find  $y'$  if  $y = 2x\cos x - 2\sin x$  .

Sol:  $y' = 2(x\cos x)' - 2(\sin x)' = 2(\cos x - x\sin x) - 2\cos x$   
 $= -2x\sin x$  . \*

Par. Proof



Example 8 of Sec 2.3: Find  $y'$ .

$$(a) y = x - \tan x \Rightarrow y' = 1 - \sec^2 x.$$

$$(b) y = x \sec x \Rightarrow y' = \sec x + x(\sec x \tan x) \\ = \sec x (1 + x \tan x)$$

HW: See Examples 8 and 9 of Sec. 2.2





# Higher-Order Derivatives (高階導函數)

Let  $y = f(x)$  be a diff. function of  $x$ . Then

- first derivative:  $y' = f'(x) = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]$ .
- second derivative:  $y'' = f''(x) = \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d^2}{dx^2}[f(x)] \equiv \frac{d}{dx}(y')$ .
- third derivative:  $y''' = f'''(x) = \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = \frac{d^3}{dx^3}[f(x)] \equiv \frac{d}{dx}(y'')$ .
- fourth derivative:  $y^{(4)} = f^{(4)}(x) = \frac{d^4y}{dx^4} = \frac{d^4}{dx^4}[f(x)] \equiv \frac{d}{dx}(y''')$ .
- $\vdots$
- $n$ th derivative:  $y^{(n)} = f^{(n)}(x) = \frac{d^ny}{dx^n} = \frac{d^n}{dx^n}[f(x)] \equiv \frac{d}{dx}(y^{(n-1)})$   
for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Here, we denote  $y^{(0)} = y = f(x)$ .



# Section 2.4

## The Chain Rule

### (連鎖律)



## Thm 2.11 (The Chain Rule; 連鎖律)

If  $y = f(u)$  is a diff. function of  $u$  and  $u = g(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ , then  $y = f(g(x))$  is a diff. function of  $x$  and

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \frac{du}{dx} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{d}{dx} [f(g(x))] = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x).$$



Example 3: Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for  $y = (x^2 + 1)^3$ . ✓

Sol: Let  $y = f(u) = u^3$  and  $u = g(x) = x^2 + 1$ . Then

$$y = f(g(x)) = (x^2 + 1)^3.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} = (3u^2) \cdot (2x) = 6x(x^2 + 1) \quad \text{by Chain Rule.}$$



## Thm 2.12 (General Power Rule; 廣義冪法則)

If  $u(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ , then  $y = [u(x)]^n$  is also a diff. function for any  $n \in \mathbb{R}$  with

$$y' = n \cdot [u(x)]^{n-1} \cdot u'(x).$$



Example 5: Find all points on the graph of  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{(x^2-1)^2}$

where  $f'(x) = 0$  and  $f'(x) \neq \frac{0}{0}$ .

Sol.:  $\because f(x) = \sqrt[3]{(x^2-1)^2} = (x^2-1)^{2/3}$ . with  $u(x) = x^2-1$  and  $n = 2/3$ .

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{2}{3}(x^2-1)^{2/3-1} \cdot (x^2-1)' = \frac{2}{3}(x^2-1)^{-1/3} (2x) = \frac{4x}{3\sqrt[3]{x^2-1}}$$

So,  $f'(x) = 0$  when  $x = 0$  and  $f'(x) \neq \frac{0}{0}$  when  $x = \pm 1$ .

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### Example 8

Find  $f'(x)$  if  $f(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt[3]{x^2 + 4}} = \frac{x}{(x^2 + 4)^{1/3}}$ .

**Sol:** From the Quotient Rule of Differentiation and the Chain Rule, we see that

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{1 \cdot (x^2 + 4)^{1/3} - x \cdot (1/3)(x^2 + 4)^{-2/3}(2x)}{(x^2 + 4)^{2/3}} \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(x^2 + 4)^{-2/3} \cdot \left[ \frac{3(x^2 + 4) - 2x^2}{(x^2 + 4)^{2/3}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3(x^2 + 4)^{2/3}} \cdot \frac{x^2 + 12}{(x^2 + 4)^{2/3}} = \frac{x^2 + 12}{3(x^2 + 4)^{4/3}}. \end{aligned}$$



### Example 11 (1/2)

Find the derivative  $y'$ .

(a)  $y = \cos 3x^2 = \cos(3x^2)$ .

(b)  $y = (\cos 3)x^2$ .

(c)  $y = \cos(3x)^2 = \cos(9x^2)$ .

**Sol:** By the Chain Rule, we have

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

(b)  $y' = (\cos 3) \cdot (2x) = (2 \cos 3)x$ .

(c)  $y' = (-\sin 9x^2) \cdot (18x) = -18x \sin(9x^2)$ .





### Example 11 (2/2)

$$(d) y = \cos^2 x = (\cos x)^2.$$

$$(e) y = \sqrt{\cos x} = (\cos x)^{1/2}.$$

**Sol:** From the Chain Rule, we see that

$$(d) y' = 2(\cos x)(-\sin x) = -2\sin x \cos x.$$

$$(e) y' = \frac{1}{2}(\cos x)^{-1/2}(-\sin x) = \frac{-\sin x}{2\sqrt{\cos x}}.$$



## Thm (Derivatives of $e^u$ and $\ln |u|$ )

If  $u = u(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ , then

$$(1) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[e^x] = e^x \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[e^u] = e^u \cdot u'.$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\ln x] = \frac{1}{x} \text{ for } x > 0, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\ln u] = \frac{u'}{u} \text{ for } u > 0.$$

$$(3) \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\ln |x|] = \frac{1}{x} \text{ for } x \neq 0, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\ln |u|] = \frac{u'}{u} \text{ for } u \neq 0.$$



## Example 13

(b) Find  $y' = f'(x)$  if  $y = f(x) = \ln(x^2 + 1)$ .

**Sol:** If we let  $u = u(x) = x^2 + 1 > 0$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , then

$$f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} [\ln(x^2 + 1)] = \frac{u'}{u} = \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1} \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

## Homework

Please read Example 13 of Section 2.4 by yourself.



Example 14: Differentiate  $f(x) = \ln \sqrt{x+1}$  if  $x > -1$ .

Sol: Note that  $f(x) = \ln (x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \ln (x+1)$  for  $x > -1$ .

$$\Rightarrow y' = f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{(x+1)'}{x+1} = \frac{1}{2(x+1)} \text{ for } x > -1.$$



## Example 15

Differentiate the following function

$$f(x) = \ln \frac{x(x^2 + 1)^2}{\sqrt{2x^3 - 1}} \quad \forall x \in \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{2}}, \infty\right).$$

**Sol:** Firstly, it follows from Laws of Logarithm that

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \ln \left[ x(x^2 + 1)^2 \right] - \ln \left[ (2x^3 - 1)^{1/2} \right] \\ &= \ln x + 2 \ln(x^2 + 1) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(2x^3 - 1). \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the first derivative of  $f$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \frac{1}{x} + 2 \left( \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{6x^2}{2x^3 - 1} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{x} + \frac{4x}{x^2 + 1} - \frac{3x^2}{2x^3 - 1} \quad \forall x \in \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{2}}, \infty\right). \end{aligned}$$



## Def (函數 $a^x$ 和 $\log_a x$ 的定義)

Let  $0 < a \neq 1$ .

- (1) The exponential function to the base  $a$  (以  $a$  為底的指數函數) is defined by

$$a^x \equiv e^{x \ln a} \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- (2) The logarithmic function to the base  $a$  (以  $a$  為底的對數函數) is defined by

$$\log_a x \equiv \frac{\ln x}{\ln a} \quad \forall x > 0.$$



## Thm (函數 $a^u$ 和 $\log_a |u|$ 的微分公式)

Let  $u = u(x)$  be a diff. function of  $x$  and  $0 < a \neq 1$ .

$$(1) \frac{d}{dx}[a^x] = (\ln a)a^x \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[a^u] = (\ln a)a^u \cdot u'.$$

$$(2) \frac{d}{dx}[\log_a x] = \frac{1}{(\ln a)x} \text{ for } x > 0, \quad \frac{d}{dx}[\log_a u] = \frac{u'}{(\ln a)u} \text{ for } u > 0.$$

$$(3) \frac{d}{dx}[\log_a |x|] = \frac{1}{(\ln a)x} \text{ for } x \neq 0.$$

$$(4) \frac{d}{dx}[\log_a |u|] = \frac{u'}{(\ln a)u} \text{ for } u \neq 0.$$



## Example 16:

$$(a) y = 2^x \Rightarrow y' = (\ln 2) 2^x$$

$$(b) y = 2^{3x} \Rightarrow y' = (\ln 2) 2^{3x} \cdot (3) = 3(\ln 2) 2^{3x}$$

$$(c) y = \log_{10}(\cos x) \Rightarrow y' = \frac{-\sin x}{(\ln 10) \cos x} = \frac{-\tan x}{\ln 10}$$

$$(d) y = \log_3\left(\frac{\sqrt{x}}{x+5}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \log_3 x - \log_3(x+5)$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{1}{2(\ln 3)x} - \frac{1}{(\ln 3)(x+5)} = \frac{5-x}{2(\ln 3)x(x+5)}$$





# Section 2.5

## Implicit Differentiation

### (隱微分)



## Representations of a function

- Explicit Form (顯式):

$$y = f(x),$$

where  $x$  is the independent variable (自變量) and  $y$  is the dependent variable (應變量).

- Implicit Form (隱式):

$$F(x, y) = 0,$$

where we **assume that  $y = y(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ .**

**[Q]:** How to find  $y' = \frac{dy}{dx}$  under the implicit form?

**Ans:** apply the technique of Implicit Differentiation!



### Example (補充題)

Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  if  $xy = 1$ .

**Sol:** Assume that  $y = y(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ . Then  $x$  and  $y$  satisfy the following equation

$$F(x, y) \equiv xy - 1 = x \cdot y(x) - 1 = 0.$$

Differentiating w.r.t.  $x$  on both sides of equality gives that

$$\frac{d}{dx}[x \cdot y(x) - 1] = y + x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(0) = 0.$$

So, we have  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-y}{x}$  for  $x \neq 0$ .



### Example 8 (利用隱微分求切線方程式)

Find the tangent line to the graph of

$$x^2(x^2 + y^2) = y^2 \quad \text{or} \quad F(x, y) \equiv x^4 + x^2y^2 - y^2 = 0$$

at the point  $(\sqrt{2}/2, \sqrt{2}/2)$ .



## Solution of Example 8

**Sol:** Assume that  $y = y(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ . It follows from the Chain Rule that

$$4x^3 + 2xy^2 + 2x^2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0.$$

Thus, the first derivative  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is given by

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2x(2x^2 + y^2)}{2y(x^2 - 1)} = \frac{x(2x^2 + y^2)}{y(1 - x^2)}.$$

At the given point,  $m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=y=\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}} = \frac{3/2}{1/2} = 3$ , and hence the equation of the tangent line at this point is

$$y - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = 3\left(x - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) \quad \text{or} \quad y = 3x - \sqrt{2}.$$



Example 2: Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  given that  $y^3 + y^2 - 5y - x^2 = -4$

Sol: Assume that  $y = y(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx} [y^3 + y^2 - 5y - x^2] = \frac{d}{dx} [-4] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 5 \frac{dy}{dx} - 2x = 0 \quad \text{by Chain Rule}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3y^2 + 2y - 5) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x}{3y^2 + 2y - 5}$$



Example 5: Determine the slope of the graph of

$$3(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 100xy$$

at the point  $(3, 1)$ .

Sol: Assume that  $y = y(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ ,

$$\frac{d}{dx} [3(x^2 + y^2)^2] = \frac{d}{dx} [100xy].$$



$$\Rightarrow 6(x^2+y^2)(2x+2y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}) = 100y + 100x \frac{dy}{dx} \quad \text{by Chain Rule}$$

$$\Rightarrow [-100x + 12y(x^2+y^2)] \frac{dy}{dx} = 100y - 12x(x^2+y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{100y - 12x(x^2+y^2)}{-100x + 12y(x^2+y^2)}$$

$$= \frac{25y - 3x(x^2+y^2)}{-25x + 3y(x^2+y^2)}$$

$$\text{So, the slope at } (3,1) \text{ is } m = \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\substack{x=3 \\ y=1}} = \frac{-65}{-45} = \frac{13}{9}$$

(\*) HW: see Example 4 of Sec. 2.5





Example 7: (求  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ )

Given  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ , find  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = y''$ .

Sol: Assume that  $y = y(x)$  is a diff. function of  $x$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 + y^2) = \frac{d}{dx}(25) \Rightarrow 2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0.$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(-1)y - (-x) \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}}{y^2} = \frac{-y + x \cdot \left(\frac{-x}{y}\right)}{y^2} = \frac{-(y^2 + x^2)}{y^3}$$

$$= \frac{-25}{y^3} \text{ because } \underline{x^2 + y^2 = 25} \quad \#$$



# Logarithmic Differentiation (對數微分法)

Example 9:

Find  $y'$  if  $y = \frac{(x-2)^2}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$  for  $x \neq 2$ .

Sol:

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

$$\text{By Chain Rule} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [\ln y] = \frac{d}{dx} \left[ 2 \ln(x-2) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y'}{y} = \frac{2}{x-2} - \frac{2x}{2(x^2+1)} = \frac{x+2x+2}{(x-2)(x^2+1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{y(x^2+2x+2)}{(x-2)(x^2+1)} = \frac{(x-2)(x^2+2x+2)}{(x^2+1)^{3/2}}$$



# Section 2.6

## Derivatives of Inverse Functions (反函數的微分法則)



## Thm 2.17 (反函數的可微分性)

Let  $f$  be diff. on an open interval  $I$ . If  $f$  has an inverse function  $g = f^{-1}$ , then  $g$  is diff. at any  $x \in \text{range}(f)$  for which  $f'(g(x)) \neq 0$ , with the derivative

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



Example 1: (Thm 2.17 a) (3/3)

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \frac{1}{4}x^3 + x - 1.$$

(a) What is  $f^{-1}(3)$ ?

(b) What is  $(f^{-1})'(3)$ ?



Sol:  $\therefore f$  is one-to-one on  $\mathbb{R}$   
 $\therefore f^{-1} = g \exists$  on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

(a) Since  $f(2) = 3$ ,  $f^{-1}(3) = 2 = g(3)$ .

(b) Note that  $f'(x) = \frac{3}{4}x^2 + 1 \Rightarrow f'(2) = 4$ .

$$\text{So, } f^{-1}'(3) = g'(3) = \frac{1}{f'(g(3))} = \frac{1}{f'(2)} = \frac{1}{4}$$

by Thm 2.17



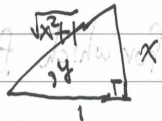
Example 3: Find  $y'$  for  $y = \arctan x \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Sol: Note that  $y = \arctan x \Leftrightarrow \tan y = x$

By Chain Rule  $\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [\tan y] = \frac{d}{dx} (x) = 1$

$\Rightarrow \sec^2 y \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 \Rightarrow y' = \frac{1}{\sec^2 y}$  for  $-\frac{\pi}{2} < y < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{x^2+1})^2} = \frac{1}{1+x^2} \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ .



$(\tan y = x)$

Thm 2.18 (to be proved)



## Thm 2.18 (反三角函數的微分公式)

Let  $u = u(x)$  be a diff. function of  $x$ . Then

$$(1) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1} u = \frac{u'}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} \cos^{-1} u = \frac{-u'}{\sqrt{1-u^2}}.$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1} u = \frac{u'}{1+u^2}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} \cot^{-1} u = \frac{-u'}{1+u^2}.$$

$$(3) \quad \frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1} u = \frac{u'}{|u|\sqrt{u^2-1}}, \quad \frac{d}{dx} \csc^{-1} u = \frac{-u'}{|u|\sqrt{u^2-1}}.$$





### Example 4:

$$(a) \frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1}(2x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-4x^2}}$$

$$(b) \frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1}(3x) = \frac{3}{1+9x^2}$$

$$(c) \frac{d}{dx} \sin^{-1} \sqrt{x} = \frac{(1/2)x^{-1/2}}{\sqrt{1-x}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x-x^2}}$$

$$(d) \frac{d}{dx} \sec^{-1}(e^{2x}) = \frac{2e^{2x}}{|e^{2x}| \sqrt{e^{4x}-1}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{e^{4x}-1}}$$

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**Thank you for your attention!**

