

Recall:  $\frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$

1. If  $\deg. P(x)$  is larger than  $\deg. Q(x)$  we do the long division of

polynomials:  $P(x) = C(x) \cdot Q(x) + \underbrace{R(x)}_{\deg. R(x) \text{ less than } \deg. Q(x)}$

$$\frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} = C(x) + \frac{R(x)}{Q(x)}$$

2. If  $\deg. P(x)$  is less than  $\deg. Q(x)$ .

$$x \cdot (x+1)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{x \cdot (x+1)^2} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x+1} + \frac{C}{(x+1)^2} \cdot x \cdot (x+1)^2$$

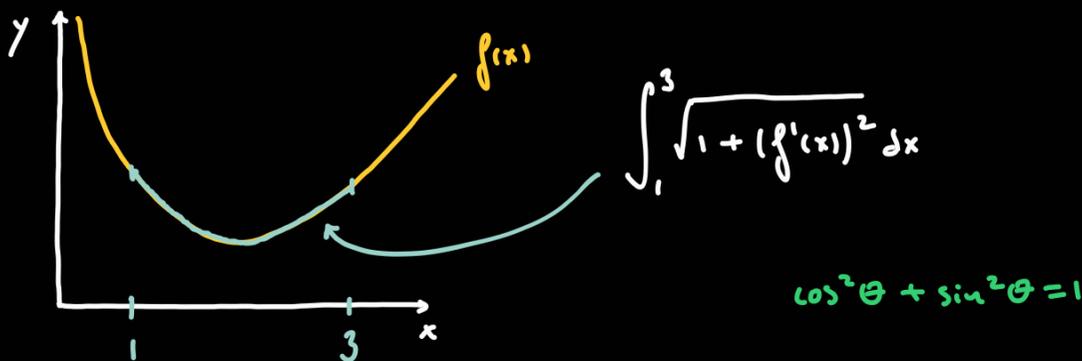
$$\frac{1}{x \cdot (x^2+1)^3} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1} + \frac{Dx+E}{(x^2+1)^2} + \frac{Fx+G}{(x^2+1)^3}$$

Section 9.1: Arc-length and surface area.

arc-length:  $\int_a^b \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx$

surface area:  $2\pi \int_a^b f(x) \cdot \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx$

Example: Find the arc-length of  $f(x) = \frac{x^3}{12} + \frac{1}{x}$  in  $[1, 3]$ .



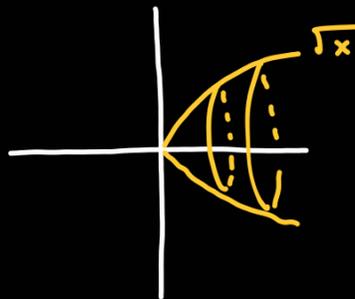
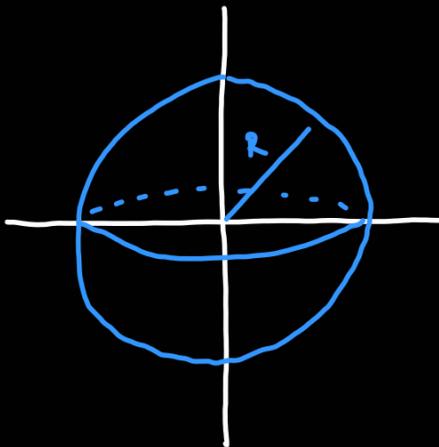
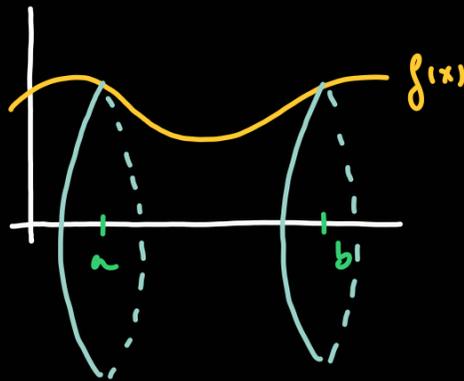
$$f'(x) = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{1}{x^2} \quad (f'(x))^2 = \frac{x^4}{16} + \frac{1}{x^4} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$1 + (f'(x))^2 = 1 + \frac{x^4}{16} + \frac{1}{x^4} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{x^4}{16} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{x^4} = \left( \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{1}{x^2} \right)^2$$

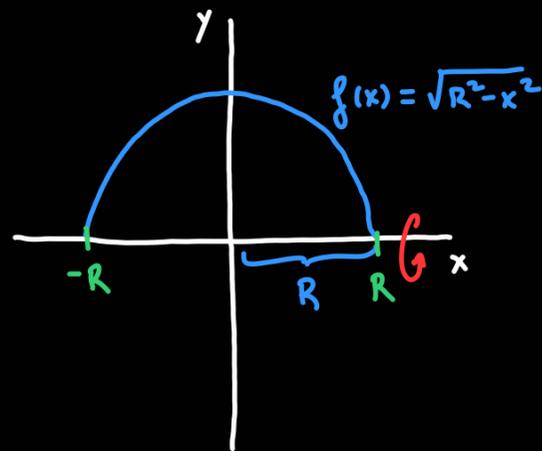
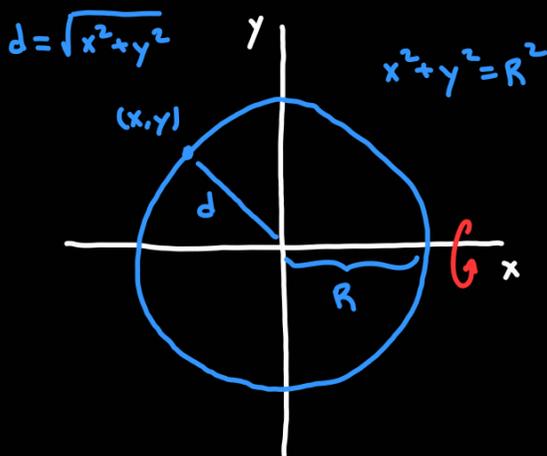
$$\int_1^3 \left( \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx = \left( \frac{x^3}{12} - \frac{1}{x} \right) \Big|_1^3 = \left( \frac{9}{12} - \frac{1}{3} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{12} - 1 \right) = \frac{17}{6}.$$

Example: Calculate the surface area of a sphere of radius  $R$ .

$$\int_a^b 2\pi f(x) \cdot \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx$$



spherical  
hyperboloid



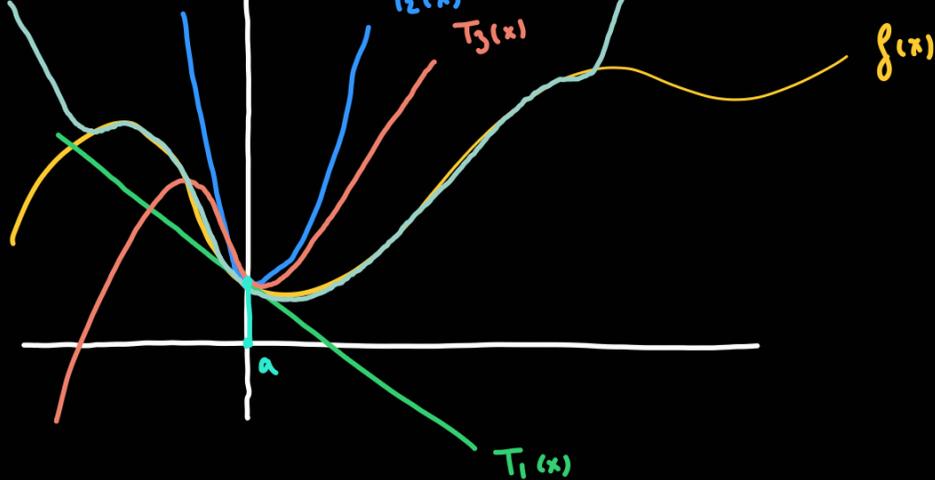
$$\int_{-R}^R 2\pi f(x) \cdot \sqrt{1 + (f'(x))^2} dx = 4\pi R^2$$

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

$$\int_{-R}^R 2\pi \cdot \sqrt{R^2 - x^2} \cdot \frac{R}{\sqrt{R^2 - x^2}} dx = 2\pi R \int_{-R}^R dx = 2\pi R \cdot x \Big|_{-R}^R = 2\pi R (R - (-R)) = 4\pi R^2.$$

Section 9.4: Taylor polynomials.

$T(x)$        $T_{1000}(x)$



$T_1$  uses information about the first derivative.  $T_1(x) = f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!} (x-a)$

$T_2$  second  $T_2(x) = f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!} (x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!} (x-a)^2$

$T_3$  third  $T_3(x) = f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!} (x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!} (x-a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!} (x-a)^3$

$T_{1000}$  1000-th

Example: Compute the third and fourth Maclaurin polynomials of  $f(x) = e^x$ .

Note that  $f^{(u)}(x) = e^x$  for all natural number  $u$ .

$$\text{So: } f(0) = f'(0) = f''(0) = f^{(3)}(0) = f^{(4)}(0) = 1.$$

So:

$$T_3(x) = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6}$$

$$T_4(x) = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24}$$

$$T_n(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{f^{(j)}(a)}{j!} (x-a)^j = \underbrace{f(a)}_{j=0} + \underbrace{\frac{f'(a)}{1!} (x-a)}_{j=1} + \dots + \underbrace{\frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} (x-a)^n}_{j=n}$$

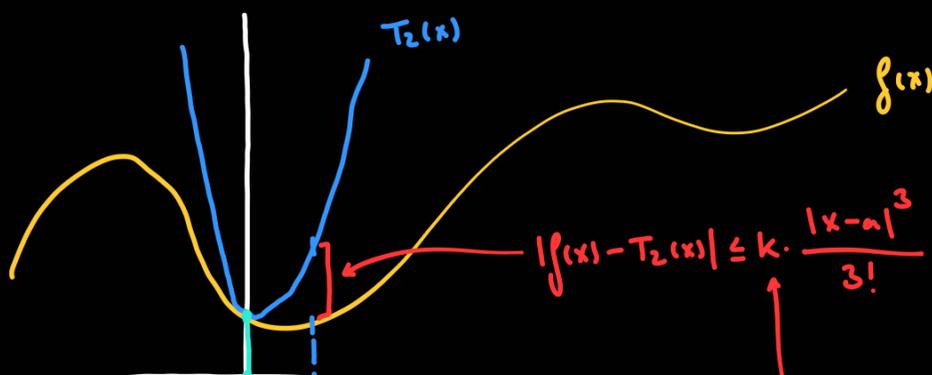
$f(x)$	$a$	polynomial
$e^x$	0	$T_n(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{x^j}{j!}$
$\sin(x)$	0	$T_{2n+1}(x) = T_{2n+2}(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n (-1)^j \frac{x^{2j+1}}{(2j+1)!}$
$\cos(x)$	0	$T_{2n}(x) = T_{2n+1}(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n (-1)^j \frac{x^{2j}}{(2j)!}$
$\ln(x)$	1	$T_n(x) = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{j-1} \frac{(x-1)^j}{j}$
$\frac{1}{1-x}$	0	$T_n(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n x^j$

Error bound:

$$|f(x) - T_n(x)| \leq k \cdot \frac{|x-a|^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}$$

$|f^{(n+1)}(x)| \leq k$  for all  $x$  between  $x$  and  $a$ .  $k$  fixed real number.  
 $f^{(n+1)}(x)$  is continuous.

The error between  $f(x)$  and  $T_n(x)$  is controlled by the  $(n+1)$ -th derivative.  
 approximation of  $f(x)$  up to  $n$ -th derivative.  
 $k$



$|f^{(n)}(x)| \leq k$  — depends on the 3rd derivative  
 for  $n$  between  $a$   
 and  $x$ .

Example: Let  $f(x) = \cos(x)$ . Find an integer  $n$  such that the  $n$ -th Maclaurin  
 $a=0$

polynomial  $T_n(x)$  has error less than  $10^{-5}$  at  $x = 0.2$ .

Step 1: Find  $k$ .

We know that  $|f^{(n)}(x)| = |\cos(x)|$  or  $|f^{(n)}(x)| = |\sin(x)|$ . We always

have  $|f^{(n)}(x)| \leq 1$ . So take  $k=1$ , now  $|f^{(n)}(x)| \leq 1 = k$ .

Step 2: Find  $n$  using the error bound.

$$|\cos(0.2) - T_n(0.2)| \leq k \cdot \frac{|x-a|^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} = 1 \cdot \frac{|0.2-0|^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} = \frac{0.2^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} < 10^{-5}$$

↑  
we want this,  
we find  $n$   
using this.

$$n=1$$

$$\frac{0.02}{2} < 10^{-5} \quad ?$$

No.

$$n=2$$

$$\frac{1}{750} < 10^{-5} \quad ?$$

No.

$$n=3$$

$$\frac{1}{15000} < 10^{-5} \quad ?$$

No.

$$n=4$$

$$\frac{1}{375000} < 10^{-5} \quad ?$$

YES!

We have that  $|\cos(0.2) - T_4(0.2)| < 10^{-5}$ , so we were looking for  $n=4$ .

