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DIFFERENTIATION.

Definition:

Let f be defined on $[a, b]$ for any $x \in [a, b]$ define, $f'(x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x}$

provided limit exists then f' is said to be derivative of f .

Theorem 1:

Let f be defined on $[a, b]$ if f is differentiable at a point $x \in [a, b]$ then f is continuous at x . (i.e. Differentiation \Rightarrow Continuous)

Proof:

Since f is differentiable at x .

$$\therefore f'(x) = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} \quad (1)$$

Suppose $t \rightarrow x$,

Consider,

$$f(t) - f(x) = \left[\frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} \right] (t - x)$$

$$= f'(x)(t - x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) \cdot 0 \quad [\because t \rightarrow x]$$

$$f(t) - f(x) \rightarrow 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow f(t) = f(x) \text{ whenever } t \rightarrow x$$

$$\therefore f(t) = f(x).$$

Theorem 2:

Suppose f, g are defined on $[a, b]$ and differentiable at $x \in [a, b]$. Then P.T $f+g, f-g, fg, f/g$ are differentiable at x . P.T

$$(i) (f+g)'x = f'(x) + g'(x)$$

$$(ii) (fg)'x = f(x)g'(x) + f'(x)g(x)$$

$$(iii) (f/g)'x = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$$

Proof:

(i) Consider,

$$(f+g)t - (f+g)x = f(t) + g(t) - [f(x) + g(x)]$$

$\div t-x$ on both sides,

$$\frac{(f+g)t - (f+g)x}{t-x} = \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t-x} + \frac{g(t) - g(x)}{t-x}$$

Taking $\lim_{t \rightarrow x}$ on both sides,

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{(f+g)t - (f+g)x}{t-x} = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t-x} + \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{g(t) - g(x)}{t-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow (f+g)'x = f'(x) + g'(x)$$

(ii) To P.T. $(fg)'_x = f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$.

Let $h = fg$.

consider, $h(t) - h(x) = (fg)(t) - (fg)(x)$

$$= f(t)g(t) - f(x)g(x)$$

$$= f(t)g(t) + f(t)g(x) - f(x)g(x) - f(x)g(t)$$

$$= f(t)[g(t) - g(x)] + g(x)[f(t) - f(x)]$$

Divide both sides by $t-x$ and taking $t \rightarrow x$ on both sides,

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{h(t) - h(x)}{t-x} = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t)[g(t) - g(x)] + g(x)[f(t) - f(x)]}{t-x}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t)[g(t) - g(x)]}{t-x} + \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{g(x)[f(t) - f(x)]}{t-x}$$

$$= f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$$

(i.e) $(fg)'_x = f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$

(iii) Let $h = f/g$

$$h(t) - h(x) = (f/g)(t) - (f/g)(x)$$

$$= \frac{f(t)}{g(t)} - \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$$

$$= \frac{g(x)f(t) - f(x)g(t)}{g(t)g(x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{g(t)g(x)} [f(t)g(x) - f(x)g(t) + f(x)g(x) - g(t)f(x)]$$

$$h(t) - h(x) = \frac{1}{g(t)g(x)} [g(x)(f(t) - f(x)) - f(x)(g(t) - g(x))]$$

Divide by $t-x$ and taking lt on both sides, $t \rightarrow x$.

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{h(t) - h(x)}{t - x} = \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{1}{g(t)g(x)} \left[\frac{g(x)(f(t) - f(x))}{t - x} - \frac{f(x)(g(t) - g(x))}{t - x} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow a} h'(x) = \frac{1}{g(x)g(x)} [g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)]$$

$$\Rightarrow (f/g)'_x = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{[g(x)]^2}$$

Theorem 3:
Chain rule for differentiation.

Suppose f is continuous on $[a, b]$, $f'(x)$ exists at some point $x \in [a, b]$, g is defined on an interval I , which

contains. The range of f and g is differentiable at the point $f(x)$.

If $h(t) = g(f(t))$ ($a \leq t \leq b$). Then h is differentiable at x & $h'(x) = g'(f(x)) \cdot f'(x)$.

Proof:

Given that f is differentiable at x and g is differentiable at $f(x)$.

$$\text{(i.e.) } \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} = f'(x) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\lim_{f(t) \rightarrow f(x)} \frac{g(f(t)) - g(f(x))}{f(t) - f(x)} = g'(f(x)) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

Let $u(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow x$ and

$v(f(t)) \rightarrow 0$ as $f(t) \rightarrow f(x)$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} = f'(x) + 0$$

$$= f'(x) + u(t) \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(t) - f(x) = (t - x) [f'(x) + u(t)]$$

$$\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow \lim_{f(t) \rightarrow f(x)} \frac{g(f(t)) - g(f(x))}{f(t) - f(x)} = g'(f(x)) + 0$$

$$= g'(f(x)) + v(f(t)) \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow g[f(t) - f(x)] = [f(t) - f(x)] [g'(f(x)) + v(f(t))] \quad \rightarrow (5)$$

Now,

$$h(t) - h(x) = g[f(t)] - g[f(x)]$$

$$= [f(t) - f(x)] [g'(f(x)) + v(f(t))]$$

$$\Rightarrow h(t) - h(x) = (t-x) \left\{ f'(x) + u(t) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{h(t) - h(x)}{t-x} = \left\{ f'(x) + u(t) \right\} [g'(f(x)) + v(f(t))] \quad \text{[by 3]}$$

$$\frac{h(t) - h(x)}{t-x} = f'(x) + u(t) [g'(f(x)) + v(f(t))]$$

$$= \frac{h(t) - h(x)}{t-x} = f'(x) + g'(f(x)) + f'(x)v(f(t)) + u(t)g'(f(x)) + u(t)v(f(t))$$

$$\rightarrow (6)$$

Now, if $t \rightarrow x$,

since f is continuous,

$$t \rightarrow x \Rightarrow f(t) \rightarrow f(x)$$

$$\therefore t \rightarrow x \Rightarrow u(t) = 0$$

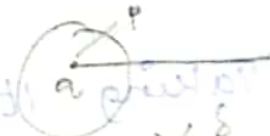
$$f(t) - f(x) \Rightarrow v(f(t)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{h(t) - h(x)}{t-x} = f'(x)g'(f(x)) + f'(x) \cdot 0$$

$$+ 0 \cdot g'(f(x)) + 0 \cdot 0$$

Local maximum:

Let f be a real valued function defined on a metric space X . Then f has a local maximum at a point $p \in X$ if there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $f(q) \leq f(p)$ $\forall q \in X$ with $d(p, q) < \delta$.



Local minimum:

Let f be a real valued function defined on a metric space X . Then f has a local minimum at a point $p \in X$ if there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $f(q) \geq f(p)$ $\forall q \in X$ with $d(p, q) < \delta$.

Theorem 4:

Let f be defined on $[a, b]$ if f has local maximum (or) local minimum at a point $x \in [a, b]$ and if $f'(x)$ exists

Then $f'(x) = 0$.

Proof:

Suppose f has a local minimum at $x \in (a, b)$, then there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $f(t) \geq f(x)$ $\forall t \in (x - \delta, x + \delta)$ \rightarrow (1)

case (i)

If $x - \delta < t < x$, then

$$t - x < 0.$$

By ① $f(t) - f(x) \leq 0$.

$$\frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} \geq 0.$$

Taking $\lim_{t \rightarrow x}$, we get

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} \geq 0.$$

$$\therefore f'(x) \geq 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

case (ii)

If $x < t < x + \delta$ then $t - x > 0$.

$$\therefore \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} \leq 0.$$

Taking $\lim_{t \rightarrow x}$, we get

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow x} \frac{f(t) - f(x)}{t - x} \leq 0.$$

$$\therefore f'(x) \leq 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

From ② and ③ we get $f'(x) = 0$.

Theorem 5: Generalised mean value theorem

If f and g are continuous real value functions on $[a, b]$ which are differentiable in (a, b) then there is a point $x \in (a, b)$ at which $[f(b) - f(a)]g'(x) = [g(b) - g(a)]f'(x)$

Proof:

Let $h(t) = [f(b) - f(a)]g(t) - [g(b) - g(a)]f(t)$
 $a \leq t \leq b$.

Since f and g are continuous on $[a, b]$ and differentiable on (a, b) .

$\therefore h$ is also continuous on $[a, b]$ & differentiable on (a, b) .

To p.t $h'(x) = 0$ for some $x \in (a, b)$

Case (i):

If h is constant, then $h'(x) = 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$.

Case (ii):

If $h(t) > h(a)$ for some $t \in (a, b)$

Let x be a point on $[a, b]$ at which h attains its maximum.

(i.e.) h has a local minimum at

By above theorem, $h'(x) = 0$.

Case (iii)

Similarly If $h(t) < h(a)$ for some $t \in (a, b)$

Then h attains local minimum at $x \in (a, b)$

Again by above theorem, $h'(x) = 0$.

Hence In all cases $h'(x) = 0$ for some $x \in (a, b)$.

$$\therefore [f(b) - f(a)]g'(x) = [g(b) - g(a)]f'(x) \quad a \leq x \leq b.$$

$$\therefore [f(b) - f(a)]g'(x) = [g(b) - g(a)]f'(x).$$

Mean Value Theorem:

If f is a real continuous function on $[a, b]$ which is differentiable in (a, b) then there is a point $x \in (a, b)$ at which $f(b) - f(a) = (b - a)f'(x)$.

Proof:

By Generalized mean value

theorem, we have $[f(b) - f(a)]g'(x)$

$$= [g(b) - g(a)]f'(x)$$

$\rightarrow \textcircled{0}$

$\forall x \in (a, b)$

$$\text{Let } g(x) = x$$

$$g'(x) = 1$$

$$g(b) = b$$

$$g(a) = a$$

Hence from ① we get

$$f(b) - f(a) = (b-a) f'(x)$$

Theorem 7 :

Suppose f is differentiable on (a, b)

Then P.T (i) If $f'(x) \geq 0$, Then f is monotonically increasing.

(ii) If $f'(x) = 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$. Then f is constant.

(iii) If $f'(x) \leq 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$ Then f is monotonically decreasing.

Proof:

(i) By mean value theorem, we have

$$f(x_2) - f(x_1) = (x_2 - x_1) f'(c) \quad \text{--- ①}$$

for each pair $x_1, x_2 \in (a, b)$.

since $f'(x) \geq 0$.

\therefore If $x_2 > x_1$, R.H.S of ① ≥ 0

Hence L.H.S of ① ≥ 0 .

(i.e) $f(x_2) \geq f(x_1)$

$\therefore f$ is monotonic increasing.

(ii) If $f'(x) = 0$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow f(x_2) - f(x_1) = 0$$

$\therefore f(x_2) = f(x_1)$ for each values x_1, x_2 in (a, b) .

$\Rightarrow f$ is constant.

(iii) since $f'(x) \leq 0$ and if $x_2 \leq x_1$,

$$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow \therefore \text{R.H.S of } \textcircled{1} \geq 0.$$

Hence L.H.S of $\textcircled{1} \geq 0$.

$$\therefore f(x_2) - f(x_1) \geq 0.$$

$$\therefore f(x_2) \geq f(x_1) \text{ whenever } x_2 \leq x_1,$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is monotonically decreasing.

Theorem 8:

Suppose f is real differentiable function on $[a, b]$ and suppose $f'(a) \leq \lambda < f'(b)$. Then there is a point $x \in (a, b)$ such that $f'(x) = \lambda$ (Similarly a result holds of the case $f'(a) > f'(b)$).

Proof:

$$\text{Let } g(t) = f(t) - \lambda t \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\text{Then } g'(t) = f'(t) - \lambda \rightarrow (2)$$

$$g'(a) = f'(a) - \lambda \rightarrow (3)$$

$$g'(b) = f'(b) - \lambda \rightarrow (4)$$

Since $f'(a) \leq \lambda < f'(b)$, $g'(a) \leq 0 < g'(b)$. Hence g is monotonically increasing.

③ \Rightarrow

Since $f'(a) < \lambda < f'(b)$

$$f'(a) - \lambda < 0 \Rightarrow g'(a) < 0 \text{ (by ③)}$$

$$\text{and } f'(b) - \lambda > 0 \Rightarrow g'(b) > 0 \text{ (by ④)}$$

$\therefore g'(a) < 0$ such that $g(t_1) < g(a)$ and

$g'(b) > 0$ such that $g(t_2) < g(b) \forall t_1, t_2 \in (a, b)$

Hence by known theorem g attains its minimum on $[a, b]$ at some point $x \in (a, b)$.

\therefore By Theorem ① $g'(x) = 0$

$$\text{(i.e.) } f'(x) - \lambda = 0$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \lambda$$

Rolle's Theorem:

Suppose f has a derivative at each point of (a, b) and f is continuous at end points a and b if $f(a) = f(b)$ then there exists at least one point $x \in (a, b)$ such that $f'(x) = 0$.

Proof:

Suppose $f' \neq 0$ in each point of (a, b)

Given that differentiable on $(a, b) \Rightarrow f$ is continuous on (a, b) also f is continuous at a and b .

$\therefore f$ is continuous on $[a, b]$

$\therefore f$ attains minimum say m and

(2) maximum say M such that $f(a) = m$

and $f(b) = M$.

Given $f(a) = f(b)$

$\therefore m = M$

$\therefore f$ is constant function on (a, b) .

Hence $f' = 0$ in (a, b)

This is a contradiction.

Hence there exists $x \in (a, b)$ such that $f'(x) = 0$.

L'HOSPITALS RULE:

Suppose f and g are differentiable in (a, b) and $g'(x) \neq 0 \forall x \in (a, b)$

where $-\infty < a < b < \infty$ and suppose

$\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} \rightarrow A$ as $x \rightarrow a$. If $f(x) \rightarrow 0$ and

$g(x) \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow a$ or if $g(x) \rightarrow \pm \infty$

as $x \rightarrow a$. Then $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \rightarrow A$ as $x \rightarrow a$.

Proof:

consider the case in which $-\infty < a < +\infty$

Given that $\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} \rightarrow A$ as $x \rightarrow a \rightarrow$ (1)

$f(x) \rightarrow 0$ and $g(x) \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow a$

$g(x) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $x \rightarrow a \rightarrow$ (3)

choose a real number ϵ such that $A < a - \epsilon$ and then choose δ such that $A < \delta < a - \epsilon$.

Now, by eqn (1) there is a point $c \in (a, b)$ such that $\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} \rightarrow A$.

$\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} < \delta \rightarrow$ (4)

If $a < x < y < c$, there exists $t \in (x, y)$ such that by Generalized mean value theorem, we have

$$[f(y) - f(x)] g'(t) = [g(y) - g(x)] f'(t)$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{-[f(x) - f(y)]}{-[g(x) - g(y)]} = \frac{f'(t)}{g'(t)} \rightarrow \text{(by (4))} \rightarrow$$
 (5)

Now, suppose from (3)

$f(x) \rightarrow 0, g(x) \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow a$, then

taking $\frac{0 - f(y)}{0 - g(y)} = \frac{f'(t)}{g'(t)} < \delta < a - \epsilon$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(y)}{g(y)} < \tau < \rho \rightarrow \textcircled{6} \quad (a < y < c)$$

Suppose $\textcircled{3}$ holds.

Keeping y fixed in $\textcircled{5}$.

Choosing a point $c_1 \in (a, y)$ such that $g(x) > g(y)$ and $g(x) > 0$ if $a < x < c_1$.

Multiply $\frac{g(x) - g(y)}{g(x)}$ in $\textcircled{5}$, we get

$$\frac{f(x) - f(y)}{g(x) - g(y)} \times \frac{g(x) - g(y)}{g(x)} < \tau \cdot \left[\frac{g(x) - g(y)}{g(x)} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x) - f(y)}{g(x)} < \tau \cdot \frac{g(x) - g(y)}{g(x)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} - \frac{f(y)}{g(x)} < \tau - \tau \frac{g(y)}{g(x)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} < \tau - \tau \frac{g(y)}{g(x)} + \frac{f(y)}{g(x)} \rightarrow \textcircled{7}$$

Taking $\lim_{x \rightarrow a}$ in $\textcircled{7}$, we have

There exists $c_2 \in (a, c_1)$, such that

$$\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} < \tau - \tau \cdot 0 + 0 \quad \therefore \textcircled{3} \Leftrightarrow g(x) \rightarrow 0 \text{ whenever } x \rightarrow a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} < r$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} < q \rightarrow \textcircled{8} \quad (\because x < a)$$

Similarly, if $-\infty < A \leq \infty$, we get

$$p < \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \rightarrow \textcircled{9}$$

From $\textcircled{8}$ and $\textcircled{9}$, we get

$$p < \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} < q, \text{ whenever } -\infty \leq p < A < q \leq \infty$$

$$\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \rightarrow A \text{ as } x \rightarrow a.$$

Higher order:

If f has a derivative f' on an interval and if f' is itself differentiable then derivative of f' is denoted by f'' .

Similarly derivative of f'' is f''' and continue in this manner we get

sequence of functions $f, f', f'', \dots, f^{(n)}$

such that each of which is derivative of the preceding one.

Ex: Suppose $f(x) = x^3$, then

$$f'(x) = 3x^2$$

$$f''(x) = 6x$$

$$f'''(x) = 6$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 0$$

Taylor's theorem:

Suppose f is the real function on $[a, b]$, n is the positive integer, $f^{(n-1)}$ is continuous on $[a, b]$ $f^{(n)}(t)$ exists $\forall t \in (a, b)$.

Let α, β be distinct points of $[a, b]$ and define $p(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{f^{(k)}(\alpha)}{k!} (t-\alpha)^k$, then p.t

there exists α between α, β such that $f(\beta) = p(\beta) + \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!} (\beta-\alpha)^n$.

Proof:

Let M be a real number.

$$\text{Let } f(\beta) = p(\beta) + M(\beta-\alpha)^n \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\text{where } p(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{f^{(k)}(\alpha)}{k!} (t-\alpha)^k \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\text{and } g(t) = f(t) - p(t) - M(t-\alpha)^n \rightarrow (3)$$

$$\text{C1) } p.t. \text{ } M = \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!} \text{ for some } \alpha \in (\alpha, \beta)$$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow P^k(t) = f^k(\alpha) \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$\text{Also, } P^n(t) = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

$$\text{Now, } \textcircled{3} \Rightarrow g(t) = f(t) - P(t) - M(t-\alpha)^n$$

$$g'(t) = f'(t) - P'(t) - Mn(t-\alpha)^{n-1}$$

$$g''(t) = f''(t) - P''(t) - Mn(n-1)(t-\alpha)^{n-2}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$g^{(n)}(t) = f^{(n)}(t) - P^{(n)}(t) - Mn(n-1)\dots - 1$$

$$= f^{(n)}(t) - P^{(n)}(t) - Mn!$$

$$g^{(n)}(t) = f^{(n)}(t) - Mn! \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

[by $\textcircled{5}$ $P^{(n)}(t) = 0$]

$$\text{since } P^k(\alpha) = f^k(\alpha)$$

$$P(\alpha) = f(\alpha)$$

$$P'(\alpha) = f'(\alpha) \text{ etc.}$$

Now, put $t = \alpha$ in $\textcircled{3}$, we get

$$g(\alpha) = f(\alpha) - P(\alpha) - M(\alpha-\alpha)^n$$

$$= f(\alpha) - P(\alpha) - M \cdot 0 \quad [\text{By } \textcircled{1}]$$

$$g(\alpha) = 0$$

Similarly,

$$g'(\alpha) = g''(\alpha) = \dots = 0$$

$$\text{Also, } g(B) = [f(B) - P(B)] - M(B-\alpha)^n$$

$$= f(B) - f(B) - M(B-\alpha)^n \quad [\because P(B) = f(B)]$$

$$= -M(B-\alpha)^n$$

$$= -(f(B) - P(B)) = 0 \quad (\text{By } \textcircled{2})$$

$$\therefore g(\alpha) = 0, \quad g(\beta) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

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Hence by Rolle's Theorem,

There exists $\alpha_1 \in (\alpha, \beta)$ such that

$$g'(\alpha_1) = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Since $g'(\alpha) = 0$ & $g'(\alpha_1) = 0$

There exists a point $\alpha_2 \in (\alpha, \alpha_1)$

$$\text{such that } g''(\alpha_2) = 0$$

Similarly,

$$g'''(\alpha_3) = 0 \quad \text{for some } \alpha_3 \in (\alpha, \alpha_2)$$

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$$g^{(n)}(\alpha_n) = 0 \quad \text{for some } \alpha_n \in (\alpha, \beta)$$

Thus $g^{(n)}(\alpha) = 0$ for some $\alpha \in (\alpha, \beta)$

Using this in (1), we get

$$0 = f^{(n)}(\alpha) - n!$$

$$n! = \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!}$$

$$\text{Hence } f(\beta) = P(\beta) + \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!} (\beta - \alpha)^n$$

$$f(\beta) - P(\beta) = \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!} (\beta - \alpha)^n$$

$$f(\beta) - P(\beta) = \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!} (\beta - \alpha)^n$$

Differentiation of vector valued functions.

If f is the complex function defined on $[a, b]$ and if f_1 and f_2 are real and imaginary parts of f . (i.e) $f(t) = f_1(t) + if_2(t)$ for $a \leq t \leq b$, where $f_1(t)$ and $f_2(t)$ are real.

Then $f'(x) = f_1'(x) + if_2'(x)$. Also f is differentiable at x only if f_1 and f_2 are differentiable at x .

Theorem:

Suppose f is continuous mapping of $[a, b]$ into \mathbb{R}^k and f is differentiable in (a, b) . Then p.T there exist $x \in (a, b)$ such that $|f(b) - f(a)| \leq (b-a) \sup |f'(x)|$.

Proof:

$$\text{Let } z = f(b) - f(a) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{define } \phi(t) = z - f(t) \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \quad a \leq t \leq b.$$

Then ϕ is a real valued continuous function on $[a, b]$ which is differentiable in (a, b) .

By mean valued theorem, we have

$$\phi(b) - \phi(a) = (b-a) \phi'(x)$$

$$= (b-a) z \cdot f'(x) \rightarrow \textcircled{3} \text{ (by } \textcircled{2})$$

where $x \in (a, b)$

But

$$\phi(b) - \phi(a) = z f(b) - z f(a)$$

$$= z (f(b) - f(a))$$

$$= z \cdot z$$
$$= |z|^2 \rightarrow \textcircled{A}$$

using \textcircled{A} in $\textcircled{3}$, we get

$$|z|^2 = |b-a| |z| |f'(x)|$$

$$\leq |b-a| |z| |f'(x)| \quad (\text{by Schwarz inequality})$$

$$\Rightarrow |z|^2 \leq |b-a| |z| |f'(x)|$$

$$\Rightarrow |z| \leq |b-a| |f'(x)|$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(b) - f(a)| \leq |b-a| |f'(x)|.$$

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