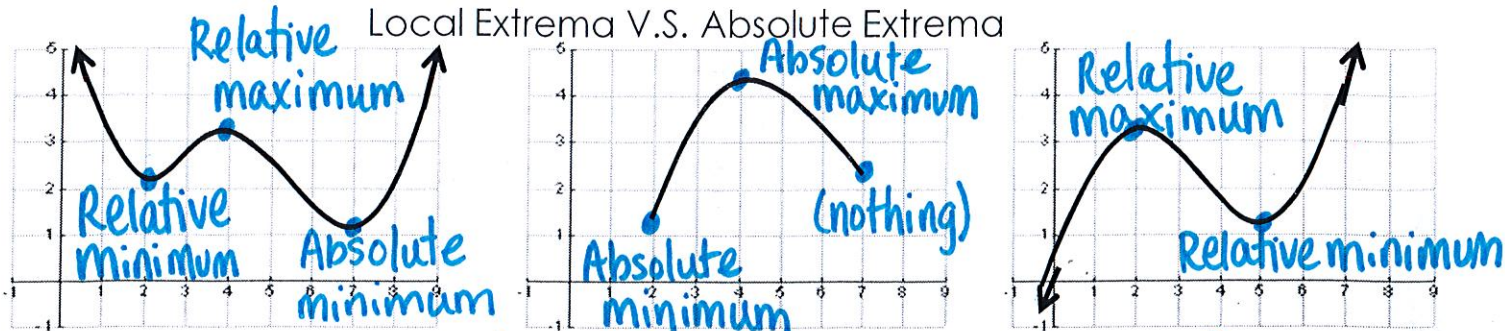


Local Extrema V.S. Absolute Extrema



Endpoint: Can be an absolute maximum OR minimum OR nothing

Absolute Min/Max

Example One: Find the extreme values of

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 24x + 7 \text{ on } [0,6]$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 30x + 24$$

$$0 = 6(x^2 - 5x + 4)$$

$$0 = 6(x-4)(x-1)$$

$$x = 4 \text{ \& } x = 1$$

x	y	Extrema
0	7	nothing
1	18	Relative maximum
4	-9	Absolute minimum
6	43	Absolute maximum

Example Two: Find the maximum value of  $f(x) = 1 - \sqrt[3]{(x-1)^2}$  on  $[-1,2]$

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

$$f'(x) = \frac{-2}{3\sqrt[3]{x-1}}$$

$f'(x) = 0$  &  $f'(x) = \text{ud}$

~~$-2 > 0$~~  garbage

$$\frac{2}{3\sqrt[3]{x-1}} = 0$$

$$(3\sqrt[3]{x-1})^3 = (0)^3$$

$$x-1 = 0 \quad \boxed{x=1}$$

x	y	Extrema
-1	$1 - \sqrt[3]{(-1-1)^2}$	Absolute minimum
1	$1 - \sqrt[3]{(1-1)^2}$	Absolute maximum
2	$1 - \sqrt[3]{(2-1)^2} = 1 - 1 = 0$	nothing

Example Three: Find all extrema of  $f(x) = x^2 - 8\ln(x)$  on  $[1,4]$

$$f'(x) = \frac{x \cdot 2x}{x} - 8 \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{2x^2 - 8}{x}$$

$f'(x) = 0$

$$2x^2 - 8 = 0$$

$$2x^2 = 8$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm 2}$$

$f'(x) = \text{ud}$

$$\boxed{x = 0}$$

must get common denominator need

$f'(x) = 0$  &  $f'(x) = \text{ud}$

x	y	Extrema
1	1	nothing
2	-1.545	Absolute minimum
4	4.910	Absolute maximum

Example Four: Find all extrema of  $f(x) = \sin(x) \cos(x)$  on  $[0, \pi]$

$$f'(x) = \sin x (-\sin x) + \cos x \cos x$$

$$0 = -\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x$$

$$\sin^2 x = \cos^2 x$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

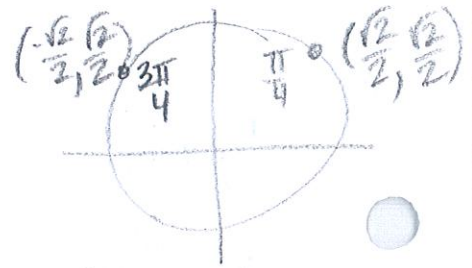
$$f(0) = \sin(0) \cos(0) = 0$$

$$f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sin\frac{\pi}{4} \cos\frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$f\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) = \sin\frac{3\pi}{4} \cos\frac{3\pi}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$f(\pi) = \sin(\pi) \cos(\pi) = 0$$

x	y
0	0
$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ Abs max
$\frac{3\pi}{4}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$ Abs min
$\pi$	0



Notes: Linear Approximation

linearization = tangent  
use these to approximate y-values.

Example One: Find the linearization  $L(x)$  of the function at  $a$ .

A.  $f(x) = x - 2x^2$ ,  $a = 5$ ,

Tangent line

[1] Point  $f(5) = 5 - 2(25) = -45$

[2] Slope  $f'(5) = 1 - 4(5) = -19$

$$f'(x) = 1 - 4x$$

$$y + 45 = -19(x - 5)$$

$$y = -19(x - 5) - 45$$

B.  $f(x) = \tan x$ ,  $a = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,

Tangent line

[1] Point  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \tan\frac{\pi}{4} = 1$

[2] Slope  $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = (\sec\frac{\pi}{4})^2 = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 = 2$

$$f'(x) = \sec^2 x$$

$$y - 1 = 2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$y = 2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 1$$

Example Two: Compute the linearization of  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}e^{x-1}$  at  $x = 1$

[1] Point  $f(1) = \sqrt{1}e^{1-1} = (1)e^0 = 1$

[2] Slope  $f'(1) = \sqrt{1}e^0 + \frac{e^0}{2\sqrt{1}} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$

$$f'(x) = \sqrt{x}e^{x-1} + e^{x-1} \cdot \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}$$

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

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

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



1 Figure out  $f(x)$   
 2 Pick # close to what you are approx  
 3 Plug in what you are approx

Example Three: Approximate using linearization.

A.  $\sqrt{17}$   $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$   $a = 16$

1 Point  $f(16) = \sqrt{16} = 4$   
2 Slope  $f'(16) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{16}} = \frac{1}{8}$   
 $f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$

$$y - 4 = \frac{1}{8}(x - 16)$$

$$y = \frac{1}{8}(x - 16) + 4$$

$$\sqrt{17} \approx y(17) = \frac{1}{8}(17 - 16) + 4$$

$$\sqrt{17} \approx y(17) = \frac{1}{8} + 4 = 4\frac{1}{8}$$

$$\frac{4.12310}{\text{cal}} \approx \frac{4.125}{\text{approx}}$$

B.  $\ln(1.07)$

$f(x) = \ln x$   $a = 1$

1 Point  $f(1) = \ln(1) = 0$   
2 Slope  $f'(1) = \frac{1}{1} = 1$   
 $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

$$y - 0 = 1(x - 1)$$

$$y = 1(x - 1)$$

$$\ln(1.07) \approx y(1.07) \approx 1(1.07 - 1)$$

$$\ln(1.07) \approx .07$$

C.  $(-1.999)^3$

$f(x) = x^3$   $a = -2$

1 Point  $f(-2) = (-2)^3 = -8$   
2 Slope  $f'(-2) = 3(-2)^2 = 12$   
 $f'(x) = 3x^2$

$$y + 8 = 12(x + 2)$$

$$y = 12(x + 2) - 8$$

$$(-1.999)^3 \approx y(-1.999) \approx 12(-1.999 + 2) - 8$$

$$(-1.999)^3 \approx 12(.001) - 8$$

$$.012 - 8 \approx -7.988$$

D.)  $\sin(89^\circ)$

must convert to Radians

$$89^\circ \cdot \frac{\pi}{180} \approx \frac{89\pi}{180}$$

$f(x) = \sin x$   $a = \frac{\pi}{2}$

1  $f(\frac{\pi}{2}) = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = 1$   
2  $f'(\frac{\pi}{2}) = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$   
 $f'(x) = \cos x$

$$y - 1 = 0(x - \frac{\pi}{2})$$

$$y = 1$$

Example 4: How would you see it on the AP exam?

A. The function  $f$  is twice differentiable with  $f(2) = 1$ ,  $f'(2) = 4$ , and  $f''(2) = 3$ . What is the value of the approximation of  $f(1.9)$  using the line tangent to the graph of  $f$  at  $x = 2$ ?

- (A) 0.4
- (B) 0.6
- (C) 0.7
- (D) 1.3
- (E) 1.4

Tangent line  $x=2$

1 Point  $f(2) = 1$

2 Slope  $f'(2) = 4$

$$y - 1 = 4(x - 2)$$

$$y = 4(x - 2) + 1$$

$$f(x) = 4(x - 2) + 1$$

$$f(1.9) = 4(1.9 - 2) + 1$$

$$= 4(-.1) + 1$$

$$= -.4 + 1$$

$$= .6$$

B. Let  $f$  be a differentiable function such that  $f(3) = 2$  and  $f'(3) = 5$ . If the tangent line to the graph of  $f$  at  $x = 3$  is used to find an approximation to a zero of  $f$ , that approximation is

- (A) 0.4
- (B) 0.5
- (C) 2.6
- (D) 3.4
- (E) 5.5

Tangent line  $x=3$

1  $f(3) = 2$

2  $f'(3) = 5$

$$y - 2 = 5(x - 3)$$

$$y = 5(x - 3) + 2$$

$$0 = 5x - 15 + 2$$

$$0 = 5x - 13$$

$$5x = 13$$

$$x = \frac{13}{5} = 2\frac{3}{5}$$

Zero = Root = x-intercept  
(x, 0)