

Calculus, week 5, Spring 2025

Recall

Let f be a "smooth" function
i.e. can be differentiated
infinitely many times
 $f', f'', f''', \dots, f^{(n)}, \dots$ exist

The Taylor expansion of f at $x=a$ is

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(k)}(a)}{k!} (x-a)^k$$

(not necessarily converges to $f(x)$)

To get an actual equality, we have

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{f^{(k)}(a)}{k!} (x-a)^k + R_n(x)$$

where

$$R_n(x) = \frac{1}{n!} \int_a^x f^{(n+1)}(t) (x-t)^n dt$$

$$= \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!} (x-a)^{n+1}$$

for some c (depending x) between x and a .

So

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(k)}(a)}{k!} (x-a)^k$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} R_n(x) = 0$$

§ Power series 幂級數

We consider

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (x-a)^k$$

without a given function $f(x)$.

For simplicity, we consider $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$.

Parallel results hold for $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (x-a)^k$.

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Let

A power series $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ converges

(i) at c if $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k c^k$ converges.

(ii) on the set S if $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$
converges at each $x \in S$.

Thm (Thm 12.8.2)

If $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ converges at $c \neq 0$,

then it converges absolutely
at all x with $|x| < |c|$.

If $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ diverges at d , then
it diverges at all x with
 $|x| > |d|$.

pf

Suppose $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k c^k$ converges. ($c \neq 0$)

$\Rightarrow \dots \cdot c^k = \dots$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k$$

\Rightarrow For k sufficiently large,

$$|a_k \cdot c^k| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |a_k \cdot x^k| = \underbrace{|a_k \cdot c^k|}_{< 1} \left| \frac{x}{c} \right|^k < \left| \frac{x}{c} \right|^k$$

for k sufficiently large.

So, for $|x| < |c|$,

$$\sum_k \left| \frac{x}{c} \right|^k \quad \text{Converges}$$

Comparison

$$\Rightarrow \sum_k |a_k x^k| \quad \text{Converges}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_k a_k x^k \quad \text{Converges absolutely} \\ \forall |x| < |c| \quad \#$$

By this theorem, there are exactly three possibilities for convergence of power series:

case 1: $\sum_k a_k x^k$ Converges only
at $x = 0$.

For example, $a_k = k^k$.

$\sum_k k^k x^k$ diverges $\forall x \neq 0$

since

$$\sqrt[k]{|k^k x^k|} = k \cdot |x| \rightarrow \infty > 1 \quad \forall x \neq 0$$

case 2: $\sum_k a_k x^k$ Converges absolutely
at all real numbers x .

For example, $a_k = \frac{1}{k!}$.

$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$ ($= e^x$) Converges absolutely

at any x .

case 3: $\exists r > 0$ s.t. $\sum a_k x^k$

Converges absolutely for $|x| < r$

diverges for $|x| > r$

For example $a_k = 1$, $r=1$
 $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x^k (= \frac{1}{1-x})$ Converges absolutely
for $|x| < 1$

and diverges for $|x| > 1$

Def

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The radius of convergence of

a series $\sum_k a_k x^k$ is

(i) 0 if it is case 1

(ii) ∞ if it is case 2

(iii) r if it is case 3

The interval of convergence of $\sum a_k x^k$
is the maximal interval on which
it converges.

Example

The radius of convergence

$\Rightarrow \rho < 1^k x^k \dots$

① of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^n$ is \cup .

② of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$ is ∞ .

③ of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x^k$ is 1 .

The interval of convergence

① of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^k x^k$ is $\{0\}$

② of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$ is $(-\infty, \infty)$

③ of $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x^k$ is $(-1, 1)$

$x=1$: $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 1^k = 1+1+\dots$ diverges

$x=-1$: $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k = 1-1+1-1+\dots$ diverges

Thm (Root test)

If

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|}$ exists, $= L$,

then

$$r = \frac{1}{L}$$

is the radius of convergence of

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k.$$

Recall

$\sum b_k$ converges

if $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{|b_k|} < 1$

and diverges if

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{|b_k|} > 1$$

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Apply Root Test

to

$$\sum_k a_k x^k$$

Consider

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{|a_k x^k|} = \left(\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{|a_k|} \right) \cdot |x| = L \cdot |x|$$

So

$$L \cdot |x| < 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow |x| < \frac{1}{L}$$

Root
test
 \Rightarrow

$\sum |a_k x^k|$ converges

$$L \cdot |x| > 1$$

Root
test
 \Rightarrow

$\sum |a_k x^k|$ diverges

$$\Leftrightarrow |x| > \frac{1}{L}$$

\Rightarrow Radius of convergence of $\sum a_k x^k$

$$= \frac{1}{L} \quad \#$$

e.g.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \sum k^k x^k : L = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{k^k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} k = \infty$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{L} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \sum x^k : L = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{1} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} 1 = 1$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{L} = 1$$

Thm (Ratio test)

IF $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} \right|$ exists, $= L$, then

$$r = \frac{1}{L}$$

is the radius of convergence of

$$\sum_k a_k x^k$$

Recall

$\sum_k |b_k|$ Converges if

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|b_{k+1}|}{|b_k|} < 1$$

$\sum_k |b_k|$ diverges if

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|b_{k+1}|}{|b_k|} > 1$$

PS

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a_{k+1} x^{k+1}|}{|a_k x^k|} = \underbrace{\left(\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a_{k+1}|}{|a_k|} \right)}_{=L} |x| = L \cdot |x|$$

So

$|x| < \frac{1}{L}$

$$\underbrace{L \cdot |x| < 1}_{\text{orange circle}} \Rightarrow \sum |a_k x^k| \text{ Converges}$$

$|x| > \frac{1}{L}$

$$\underbrace{L \cdot |x| > 1}_{\text{orange circle}} \Rightarrow \dots \text{ diverges}$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{L}$ is the radius of convergence. #

e.g.

$$\textcircled{2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!} x^k : \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{(k+1)!} \overset{k+1}{\cancel{k+1}}}{\frac{1}{k!} \cancel{k}} = L$$
$$= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{k+1} = 0$$

\Rightarrow the radius of convergence
of $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$ is ∞

Example

Find the interval of convergence.

Step 1: Find the radius of convergence r .
($\Rightarrow \sum a_k (x-a)^k$
 $\Rightarrow \sum a_k x^k$ converges on $(-r, r)$)
How about $x = \pm r$?

Step 2: Check the convergence for $x = \pm r$.

$$\textcircled{1} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k} :$$

Step 1

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{\frac{1}{k}} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt[k]{k}} \rightarrow 1 = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

\Rightarrow radius of convergence = 1

Step 2:

$$\underline{x=1}: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1^k}{k} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \text{ diverges.}$$

$$\underline{x=-1}: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k} \text{ Converges. (alternative series test)}$$

So the interval of convergence is

$$[-1, 1)$$

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$$\textcircled{2} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k^2} :$$

Step 1

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{\frac{1}{k^2}} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(\sqrt[k]{k})^2} = \frac{1}{1^2} = 1$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1} = 1 =$ radius of convergence.

Step 2

$$x=1: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2} \text{ converges}$$

$$x = -1: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2} \text{ Converges absolutely}$$

$\Rightarrow [-1, 1]$ is the interval of convergence

$$(3) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k}{6^k} \cdot x^k :$$

Step 1:

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{k+1}{6^{k+1}}}{\frac{k}{6^k}} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{k+1}{k} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$\Rightarrow r = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{6}} = 6$ is the radius of convergence.

(\Rightarrow it converges on $(-6, 6)$)

Step 2:

$$x = 6: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k}{6^k} \cdot 6^k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k \text{ diverges}$$

$$x = -6: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k}{6^k} \cdot (-6)^k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \cdot k$$

$$= -1 + 2 - 3 + 4 - 5 + 6 - \dots$$

diverges because

... diverges because ...

Consider

$$S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k \cdot k$$

NOTE:

$$S_{2n} = \overset{+1}{(-1+2)} \overset{+1}{(-3+4)} \dots \overset{+1}{(-(2n-1)+2n)}$$

= n diverges as $n \rightarrow \infty$

That is $(S_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ has a divergent

subsequence

$\Rightarrow (S_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is also divergent

$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k k$ diverges

Conclusion :

The interval of convergence is

$$(-6, 6)$$

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$$\textcircled{4} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2 3^k} (x+2)^k :$$

Step 1:

n k | ... k n . . . 1 2 1

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[k]{\left| \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2 3^k} \right|} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt[k]{k}} \right) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$\Rightarrow r=3$ is the radius of conv.

$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2 3^k} (x+2)^k$ converges absolutely

$$(-2-3, -2+3) = (-5, 1)$$

and it diverges on

$$(-\infty, -5) \cup (1, \infty)$$

Q: Does it converge at $x = -5$ or 1 ?

Step 2:

$$x = -5: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2 3^k} (-3)^k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2}$$

which is convergent.

$$x = 1: \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2 3^k} (3)^k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2}$$

which is (absolutely) convergent

$$\bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \dots$$

So the series $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2 3^k} (x+2)$

Converges $[-5, 1]$ #

Thm (Thm 12.9.1, Thm 12.9.2)

If $f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ converges on $(-c, c)$ $(c > 0)$

then f is differentiable on $(-c, c)$
and the series

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{d}{dx} (a_k x^k) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k k \cdot x^{k-1} \\ &= a_1 + 2a_2 x^1 + 3a_3 x^2 + 4a_4 x^3 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

converges to $f'(x)$ on $(-c, c)$.

In particular, the Taylor expansion
of $f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ is $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$.

NOTE:

if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_n| = 1$ then

$$\Leftrightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|} = L, \quad (L \in \mathbb{R})$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|} \cdot \underbrace{\sqrt[n]{n}}_{\nearrow 1}$$

$$= L.$$

\Rightarrow In this case,

$$x \left(\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k k x^{k-1} \right)$$

$$\sum a_k x^k \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cdot k \cdot \underbrace{(x^k)}_{\text{circled}} = x \cdot x^{k-1}$$

have the same radius of convergence

Example

Since

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x^k = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots = \frac{1}{1-x} \quad \text{on } (-1, 1)$$

we have

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \left(\frac{1}{1-x} \right)' = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k x^{k-1} \quad \text{on } (-1, 1)$$

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

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \left(\frac{1}{(1-x)^2} \right)' = -2(1-x)^{-3} \cdot (-1) = \frac{2}{(1-x)^3}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (k x^{k-1}) = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k(k-1) x^{k-2}$$

$$\forall x \in (-1, 1)$$

$$\textcircled{3} \left(\frac{2}{(1-x)^3} \right)' = -6(1-x)^{-4}(-1) = \frac{6}{(1-x)^4}$$

$$= \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} (k(k-1)x^{k-2})' = \sum_{k=3}^{\infty} k(k-1)(k-2)x^{k-3}$$

$$\forall x \in (-1, 1) \quad \#$$

Recall

We considered

$$y'' + y = 0$$

Q: $y = ?$

sol

$$\text{Assume } y = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k a_k x^{k-1}$$

$$y'' = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k(k-1) a_k x^{k-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n &= k-2 \\ k &= n+2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = y'' + y = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{k(k-1)}{n+2} a_k x^{n+1}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} \cdot x^n$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \underbrace{(a_k + (k+2)(k+1) a_{k+2})}_{=0} x^k = 0$$

$$k \rightarrow m-2 \Leftrightarrow m = k+2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(k+2)(k+1)}{m} a_{\frac{k+2}{m}} = -a_{\frac{k}{m-2}} \quad \forall k=0,1,\dots$$

$$\Rightarrow a_m = \frac{-1}{m(m-1)} a_{m-2} \quad \forall m=2,3,\dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow a_{2n} &= \frac{-1}{2n(2n-1)} a_{2n-2} = \frac{-1}{2n(2n-1)} \cdot \frac{-1}{(2n-2)(2n-3)} a_{2n-4} \\ &= \dots = \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n)!} a_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_{2n+1} &= \frac{-1}{(2n+1)(2n)} a_{2n-1} = \frac{-1}{(2n+1)2n} \cdot \frac{-1}{(2n-1)(2n-2)} \cdot a_{2n-3} \\
 &= \dots = \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} a_1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n)!} \cdot a_0 \cdot x^{2n}$$

$$+ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} a_1 x^{2n+1}$$

$$= a_0 \cdot \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n)!} x^{2n} = \cos x$$

$$+ a_1 \cdot \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} x^{2n+1} = \sin x$$

$$= a_0 \cdot \cos x + a_1 \cdot \sin x$$

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Thm (Thm 12.9.3)

IF

$f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ converges on $(-c, c)$,

then the series

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^{k+1} = a_0 x + \frac{a_1}{2} x^2 + \dots$$

converges to an antiderivative of $f(x)$ on $(-c, c)$. Equivalently,

$$\int \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k \right) dx = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^{k+1} + C$$

pf

Assume $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ converges on $(-c, c)$.

Then $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} |a_k x^k|$ converges on $(-c, c)$

Since

$$\left| \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^k \right| \leq |a_k \cdot x^k| \quad \forall k=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

by the comparison test,

$$\sum \left| \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^k \right| \text{ converges on } (-c, c)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^{k+1}$$

also converges on $(-c, c)$

and by the previous thm,

$$\left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_k}{k+1} x^{k+1} \right)' = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$$

on $(-c, c)$.

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Example

Since

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x^k \quad \text{on } (-1, 1)$$

we have

$$\int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} + C$$

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$$-\ln(1-x) = \ln\left(\frac{1}{1-x}\right)$$

At $x=0$,

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{1-0}\right) = 0 = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow C=0$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln\left(\frac{1}{1-x}\right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} \quad \forall x \in (-1, 1)$$

$$\ln(1-x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(1-x) = -\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1}$$

For $x \in (-1, 1)$, $-x \in (-1, 1)$,

$$\ln(1-(-x)) = -\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-x)^{k+1}}{k+1}$$

$$\ln(1+x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k x^{k+1}}{k+1}$$

$\forall x \in (-1, 1)$

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$$\forall x \in (-1, 1)$$

Q: What if $x = \pm 1$?

$$x = -1: \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} (-1)^{k+1} = - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k+1}$$

which diverges

For $x=1$, we need the following

Thm (Thm 12.9, 5)

Suppose $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k$ converges on $(-c, c)$
 $f(x) =$

(i) If f is left continuous at c and $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k c^k$ converges, then

$$f(c) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k c^k$$

(ii) If f is right continuous at $-c$ and $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (-c)^k$ converges, then

$$f(-c) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (-c)^k$$

Example

We know

$$\ln(1+x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} x^{k+1}$$

on $(-1, 1)$, $\ln(1+x)$ is continuous
at $x=1$, and

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots$$

Converges.

$$\text{So } \ln(1+x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} x^{k+1} \quad \forall x \in (-1, 1]$$

In particular,

$$\begin{aligned} \ln 2 &= \ln(1+1) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{6} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

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Prove that, for $x \in (0, 1)$,

$$\ln(1+x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} x^{k+1}$$

by remainders.

pf

$$\ln(1+0) = 0$$

$$\frac{f}{f'x} \Big|_{x=0} = (\ln(1+x))' \Big|_{x=0} = 1$$

$$(\ln(1+x))'' \Big|_{x=0} = -(1+x)^{-2} \Big|_{x=0} = -1$$

\vdots

$$(\ln(1+x))^{(k)} \Big|_{x=0} = (-1)^{k-1} \cdot (k-1)!$$

\Rightarrow

$$\ln(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{2!}{3!} x^3 - \frac{3!}{4!} x^4 + \dots$$

$$+ (-1)^{n-1} \frac{(n-1)!}{n!} x^n + R_n(x)$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} x^{k+1} + R_n(x)$$

where

$$R_n(x) = \frac{1}{(n+1)!} \left(\frac{d^{n+1}}{dx^{n+1}} \ln(1+x) \right) \Big|_{x=c} \cdot x^{n+1}$$

$\frac{(-1)^n}{n+1} \cdot (1+c)^{-(n+1)}$

for some c between 0 and x .

If $x \in (0, 1)$, then $c \in (0, x)$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < \frac{x}{1+c} < x$$

$$\Rightarrow |R_n(x)| = \frac{1}{n+1} \left| \frac{x^{n+1}}{(1+c)^{n+1}} \right|$$

$$< \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} \xrightarrow{0 < x < 1} 0$$

as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(1+x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1} x^{k+1} \quad \forall x \in (0, 1)$$