

June 4 Lecture Schedule

The radius of convergence calculation ([1] p.192, [2] II p.133,)

If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = l$ (or $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} = l$) exists then $r = \frac{1}{l}$, ($l \neq 0$), and $r = \infty$, ($l = 0$) can be given.

[Proof] If let $|x| < 1/l$ we can write $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}x^{n+1}}{a_nx^n} \right| < 1$. from which $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}x^{n+1}}{a_nx^n} \right| > 1$ must be provided if $a_nx^n \rightarrow 0$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$), and $x > 1/l$ therefore $|a_nx^n| \rightarrow \infty$ ($n \rightarrow \infty$) is obtained.

Example

$$\frac{1}{1+x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^n, e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}.$$

Differential and integral calculus of the power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$ ([1] p.193, [2] II p.134-136, [3] p.233-242.)

Theorem Let r be the radius of convergence of the power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$.

In such a case, the following statements can be held:

1 . The power series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1}$ and $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{n+1} x^{n+1}$ have radii of convergence r .

2 . If we define the function $f(x)$ as $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$ for $-r < x < r$, $f(x)$ is differentiable on $-r < x < r$ so that we can write as

$$f'(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1}, \quad \int_0^x f(x) dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{n+1} x^{n+1}$$

Example.

$$\begin{aligned}\log(1+x) &= \int_0^x \frac{1}{1+x} dx = \int_0^x \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^n \right) dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{x^n}{n} \\ &= x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^6}{6} + \cdots, \\ \text{Arctan}x &= \int_0^x \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \int_0^x \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{2n} \right) dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} \\ &= x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \frac{x^9}{9} - \frac{x^{11}}{11} + \cdots.\end{aligned}$$

[Proof] 1. Let r' be the radius of convergence of $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} na_n x^{n-1}$.

(1) $na_n x^{n-1} \rightarrow 0 (n \rightarrow \infty)$ stands when $|x| < r$

(2) $a_n x^n \rightarrow 0 (n \rightarrow \infty)$ stands when $|x| < r'$

Showing these two may suffice for the proof. Let us begin by showing (2). We have $a_n x^n \rightarrow 0 (n \rightarrow \infty)$ if $|x| < r'$ so that $a_n x^{n-1} \rightarrow 0 (n \rightarrow \infty)$ can be given. Now, we show (1). There is existing N which satisfies $|a_n t^n| < 1$ if $n \geq N$ at $|x| < t < r$, which gives

$$|na_n x^{n-1}| \leq n \left(\frac{|x|}{t} \right)^{n-1} t \rightarrow 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty)$$

2. We let $f_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k x^k$.

Continuation. Let $|x|, |a| \leq s < t < r$. We take N for which to satisfy $|a_n| t^n \leq 1$ at $n \geq N$. So, if $n \geq N$ we can write

$$\begin{aligned}|f(x) - f_n(x)| &\leq \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |a_k x^k| \leq \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |a_k| s^k = \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} |a_k| t^k \left(\frac{s}{t} \right)^k \\ &\leq \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{s}{t} \right)^k = \left(\frac{s}{t} \right)^{n+1} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{s}{t}} (= \varepsilon_n \text{とおく})\end{aligned}$$

Likewise, we may express the case $x = a$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}|f(x) - f(a)| &\leq |f(x) - f_n(x)| + |f_n(x) - f_n(a)| + |f(a) - f_n(a)| \\ &\leq |f_n(x) - f_n(a)| + 2\varepsilon_n\end{aligned}$$

such that,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} |f(x) - f(a)| \leq 2\varepsilon_n \rightarrow 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty).$$

Here, note that the inequality

$$|f(x) - f_n(x)| \leq \varepsilon_n$$

can be given independent of x . In such a case, the functional sequence $f_n(x)$ is known to be uniformly convergent to $f(x)$.

[Another proof of the power series differential and integral calculus theorem 2]

$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) - f(a)| &= \left| \sum_n a_n(x^n - a^n) \right| \leq \sum_n |a_n| |x^n - a^n| \\ &= |x - a| \sum_n |a_n| |x^{n-1} + x^{n-2}a + \dots + a^{n-1}| \\ &\leq |x - a| \sum_n n|a_n| t^{n-1} \rightarrow 0 \quad (x \rightarrow a) \end{aligned}$$

This is differentiable. We let $g(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} na_n x^{n-1}$ and $|x|, |a| \leq t < r$:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} - g(a) &= \sum_n a_n \left(\frac{x^n - a^n}{x - a} - na^{n-1} \right) \\ &= \sum_n a_n ((x^{n-1} - a^{n-1}) + (x^{n-2}a - a^{n-1}) + \dots + (xa^{n-2} - a^{n-1})) \\ &= (x - a) \sum_n a_n ((x^{n-2} + \dots + a^{n-2}) + (x^{n-3}a + \dots + a^{n-2}) + \dots + a^{n-2}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\left| \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} - g(a) \right| \leq |x - a| \sum_n \frac{n(n-1)}{2} |a_n| t^{n-2} \rightarrow 0 \quad (x \rightarrow a)$$