

June 11 Lecture Schedule

Differential and integral calculus of the power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$.

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

in which we can hold the following statements:

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

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

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

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

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

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

Showing these two may suffice for the proof. We begin by showing (2). If $|x| < r'$ we can write as $a_n x^n \rightarrow 0 (n \rightarrow \infty)$ thereby $a_n x^{n-1} \rightarrow 0 (n \rightarrow \infty)$. Now, we show (1).

For $|x| < t < r$, N that satisfies $|a_n t^n| < 1$ if $n \geq N$ must exist such that

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

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

Continuation. We let $|x|, |a| \leq s < t < r$ and take N for which to hold $|a_n| t^n \leq 1$ when $n \geq N$. If $n \geq N$, we can write

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

In the same manner, we can express for $x = a$. Therefore,

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

Thus,

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

Integration. Take $F(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{n+1} x^{n+1}$ and $|x| \leq t < r$, which provide

$$\int_0^x f(x) dx = \int_0^x f_n(x) dx + \int_0^x (f(x) - f_n(x)) dx$$

Thus,

$$\left| \int_0^x (f(x) - f_n(x)) dx \right| \leq \int_0^x |f(x) - f_n(x)| dx \leq \varepsilon_n |x| \rightarrow 0 \quad (n \rightarrow \infty).$$

Differentiation. We can apply the result provided above to the power series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1}$

The error term estimation.

In Taylor's theorem:

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

In power series expansion:

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k - \sum_{k=0}^n a_k x^k = \sum_{k=n+1}^{\infty} a_k x^k$$

The estimation for majorant series.

Alternating series convergence ([1] p.188 Theorem 8, [2] p.24 Theorem 1.4, [3] p.45 Theorem 1.23)

$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$ is convergent if it is monotonically decreasing and $a_n > 0, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$.

$$\left| a - \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k a_k \right| \leq |a_{n+1}|.$$

The power series expansion for other functions. ([1] p.44 Example 20(5), p.194 Exercise 3, [3] p.239 Example 5.11)

$$\begin{aligned} (1+x)^a &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{a}{n} x^n \\ &= 1 + ax + \frac{a(a-1)}{2} x^2 + \frac{a(a-1)(a-2)}{3!} x^3 + \frac{a(a-1)(a-2)(a-3)}{4!} x^4 + \dots \end{aligned}$$