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4.7 Power Series

A power series is an expression of the form

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \cdots \dots \dots a_n x^n$$

an terms is constant but x is a variable whose domain of real number.

1- if $y = e^{ax} \cdot \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = y^n$ where n=order derivative \rightarrow
 $y^n = a^n e^{ax}$

Example *find dy^7*

1// if $y = e^{2x}$

Solution/ $y^7 = 2^7 e^{2x} = 128e^{2x}$

2. if $y = \sin ax \rightarrow y^n = a^n \sin(ax + n\frac{\pi}{2})$

Example //if $y = \sin 3x$ *find dy^5*

Solution // $y^5 = 3^5 \sin\left(3x + 5\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 243 \sin\left(3x + 5\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

3. if $y = \cos ax \rightarrow y^n = a^n \cos(ax + n\frac{\pi}{2})$

Example //if $y = 4\cos 2x$ find y^6

Solution // $y^6 = 4(2^6 \cos(2x + 6\frac{\pi}{2})) = 256 \cos(2x + 6\frac{\pi}{2})$

4. if $y = x^a \rightarrow y^n = \frac{a!}{(a-n)!} x^{a-n}$

Example //if $y = 2x^6$ find y^4

Solution // $y^4 = 2 \frac{6!}{(6-4)!} x^{6-4} = 2[\frac{6*5*4*3*2*1}{2*1} x^2] = 720 x^2$

5. if $y = \ln x \rightarrow y^n = (-1)^{n-1} * \frac{(n-1)!}{x^n}$

Example //if $y = \ln 5x$ find y^6

Solution // $y^6 = (-1)^{6-1} * \frac{(6-1)!}{x^6} =$

4.8 Taylor polynomials

the taylor polynomials generated by $f(x)$ at $x=0$ is \therefore

$$f^n(x) = f(0) + \frac{\bar{f}(0)}{1!} x + \frac{\bar{\bar{f}}(0)}{2!} x^2 + \dots \dots \frac{f^n(0)}{n!} x^n$$

Example //find the taylor polynomials generated by $f(x)=e^x$ at $x = 0$

soltion//

$$f(x) = e^x. \quad f(0) = e^0 = 1$$

$$\bar{f}(x) = e^x. \quad \bar{f}(0) = 1$$

$$\bar{\bar{f}}(x) = e^x. \quad \bar{\bar{f}}(0) = 1$$

The taylor poly. is

$$f^n(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{1!}x + \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \dots + \frac{1}{n!}x^n$$

Example //find the taylor polynomials for $f(x) = \cos x$.

Soltion//

$$f(x) = \cos x. \quad f(0) = 1$$

$$\bar{f}(x) = -\sin x. \quad \bar{f}(0) = 0$$

$$\bar{\bar{f}}(x) = -\cos x. \quad \bar{\bar{f}}(0) = -1$$

The taylor poly. is

$$f^n(x) = 1 + 0 - \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \dots$$

Taylor series

the taylor series generated by $f(x)$ at $x=a$ is \therefore

$$f(a) + \frac{\bar{f}(a)}{1!}(x-a) + \frac{\bar{\bar{f}}(a)}{2!}(x-a)^2 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x-a)^n$$

Example /find the taylor series for $f(x)=\cos x$ at $x=2\pi$.

Soltion//

$$f(x) = \cos x. \quad f(2\pi) = 1$$

$$\bar{f}(x) = -\sin x. \quad \bar{f}(2\pi) = 0$$

$$\bar{\bar{f}}(x) = -\cos x. \quad \bar{\bar{f}}(2\pi) = -1$$

The taylor series is

$$1 + 0 - \frac{1}{2!}(x - 2\pi)^2 + \dots$$

Example /find the taylor series for $f(x)=\frac{1}{x}$ at $x=2$.

Soltion//

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x}. \quad f(2) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\bar{f}(x) = \frac{-1}{x^2}. \quad \bar{f}(2) = \frac{-1}{4}$$

$$\bar{\bar{f}}(x) = \frac{2}{x^3}. \quad \bar{\bar{f}}(2) = \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$$

The taylor series is

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

