

Theorem If  $I$  is a compact interval,

$f(x)$  is continuous on  $I \Rightarrow f(x)$  is uniformly cont. on  $I$ .

Proof: Assume  $f(x)$  is NOT uniformly continuous

( $f(x)$  is uniformly continuous on an interval  $I$  if  
 $\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0$  s.t.  
 $\forall x, y \in I$  satisfying  $|x-y| \leq \delta \Rightarrow |f(x)-f(y)| < \epsilon.$ )

" $f(x)$  is not uniformly continuous on  $I$ " means

$\exists \epsilon > 0$ , s.t.  $\forall \delta > 0$ ,

$\exists x, y \in I$  satisfying  $|x-y| \leq \delta, |f(x)-f(y)| \geq \epsilon$

So  $\exists \epsilon > 0$ , s.t. for  $\delta = \frac{1}{n}$

$\exists x_n, y_n \in I$  s.t.  $\begin{cases} |x_n - y_n| \leq \delta = \frac{1}{n} \\ |f(x_n) - f(y_n)| \geq \epsilon. \end{cases}$

$I$  is compact  $\Rightarrow$  A convergent subsequence  $x_{n_i}$   
 $x_{n_i} \rightarrow c \in I$

$$|x_{n_i} - y_{n_i}| \leq \frac{1}{n_i} \Rightarrow y_{n_i} \rightarrow c$$

because

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} -\frac{1}{n_i} \leq x_{n_i} - y_{n_i} \leq \frac{1}{n_i} \\ x_{n_i} - \frac{1}{n_i} \leq y_{n_i} \leq x_{n_i} + \frac{1}{n_i} \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ c \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ c \end{array}$$

Squeeze Thm

$$x_{n_i} \rightarrow c \in I \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} f(x) \text{ is continuous on } I \\ f(x_n) \rightarrow f(c) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow f(x_{n_i}) \rightarrow f(c)$$

$$y_{n_i} \rightarrow c \in I \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} f(x) \text{ is continuous on } I \\ f(y_n) \rightarrow f(c) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow f(y_{n_i}) \rightarrow f(c)$$

$$\text{Linearity Thm} \Rightarrow f(x_{n_i}) - f(y_{n_i}) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(x_{n_i}) - f(y_{n_i})| < \varepsilon \text{ for } i \gg 1$$

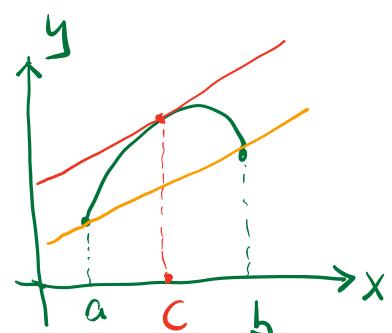
Contradiction with  $|f(x_n) - f(y_n)| \geq \varepsilon, \forall n$ .

## Chapter 15

### Mean Value Theorem

$f(x)$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$   
and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ ,

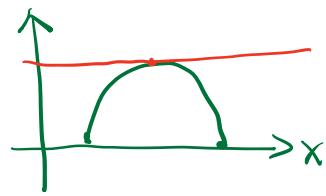
then  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$



## Rolle's Theorem

If  $f(x)$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$   
and differentiable on  $(a, b)$ ,

$$f(a) = f(b) = 0 \Rightarrow \exists c \in (a, b) \text{ s.t. } f'(c) = 0$$



Proof:  $f(x)$  is continuous on a compact interval  $[a, b]$   
 $\Rightarrow f(x)$  achieves max/min on  $[a, b]$

Let  $c$  and  $d$  be max point and min point, respectively.

① If  $c \in (a, b)$ , then  $f'(c) = 0$  (critical point)

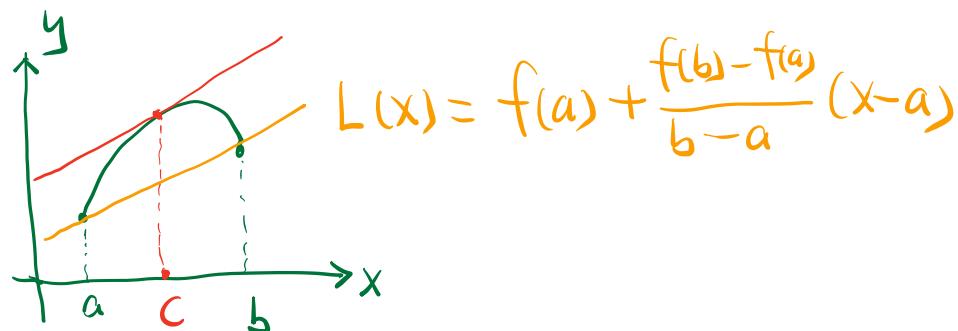
② If  $d \in (a, b)$ , then  $f'(d) = 0$

③ If  $c \& d$  are end points of  $[a, b]$ , then

$f(x)$  is constant 0 since  $f(a) = f(b) = 0$   
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} f(c) \text{ is max} \\ f(d) \text{ is min} \end{array} \right\}$

thus  $\forall c \in (a, b), f'(c) = 0$ .

Proof of Mean Value Thm:



$$g(x) = f(x) - L(x) = f(x) - f(a) - \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a} (x-a)$$

Then  $g(a) = g(b) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \exists c \in (a, b) \Rightarrow g'(c) = 0$$

$$g'(x) = f'(x) - \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(c) = \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a}$$


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Theorem Let  $f(x)$  be differentiable on interval I.

Then on I,

①  $f'(x) > 0, \forall x \in I \Rightarrow f(x)$  is strictly increasing

②  $f'(x) \geq 0, \forall x \in I \Rightarrow f(x)$  is increasing

③  $f'(x) = 0, \forall x \in I \Rightarrow f(x)$  is constant.

Proof of ①:

Want to show  $\forall a, b \in I, a < b \Rightarrow f(a) < f(b)$

Mean Value Thm  $\Rightarrow \exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.

$$f'(c) = \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{b-a}$$

$$f'(c) > 0 \Rightarrow f(b) > f(a).$$

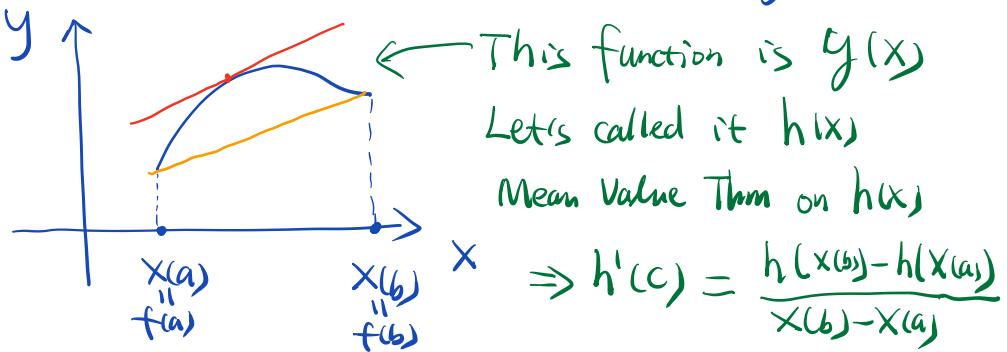
## Cauchy Mean-Value Theorem

Assume  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  have continuous derivatives on  $[a, b]$ , and  $g'(x) \neq 0$  on  $(a, b)$ .

Then  $\exists c \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $\frac{f(b)-f(a)}{g(b)-g(a)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$ .

Proof:  $\begin{cases} x = g(t) \\ y = f(t) \end{cases}$

As  $t$  varies from  $a$  to  $b$ , we get a curve.



$$\text{Chain Rule} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} y(x(t)) = \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$\begin{cases} x = g(t) \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = g'(t) \\ y = f(t) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = f'(t) \\ h(x) = y(x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = h'(x) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(t) = h'(x) g'(t) \Rightarrow h'(x) = \frac{f'(t)}{g'(t)}$$

$$\text{Mean Value Thm} \Rightarrow h'(c) = \frac{h[x(b)] - h[x(a)]}{x(b) - x(a)} = \frac{y(b) - y(a)}{x(b) - x(a)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(b)-f(a)}{g(b)-g(a)}$$

### Theorem (L'Hospital's Rule for 0/0)

Assume  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  have continuous derivatives

and  $f(a) = g(a) = 0$ , but  $\begin{cases} g'(x) \neq 0 \\ g(x) \neq 0 \end{cases}$  for  $x \approx a$ .

Then, if the limit on the right exists,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

Proof:

For  $x \approx a$ ,



Cauchy Mean Value Thm

$\Rightarrow$  There is  $c$  between  $x$  and  $a$  s.t.

$$\frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = \frac{f(x)-f(a)}{g(x)-g(a)} = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(c(x))}{g'(c(x))} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

because  $c$  is between  $x$  and  $a$ .

$h(x) = \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$  is continuous, and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(x)$  exists

Want to show  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(c(x))$  ( $c(x)$ )

$$\overbrace{\quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad}^{a-\delta} \quad a \quad c \quad x \quad a+\delta$$

Proof: Let  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(x) = L$

$$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0, \forall x \in (a-\delta, a+\delta), |h(x) - L| < \epsilon$$

$$\forall x \in (a-\delta, a+\delta), c(x) \in (a-\delta, a+\delta)$$

$$\Rightarrow |h(c) - L| < \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0, \text{ s.t. } \forall x \in (a-\delta, a+\delta)$$

$$|h(c(x)) - L| < \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow a} h(c(x)) = L$$

## L'Hospital's Rule for $\infty/\infty$

If  $f(x)$  &  $g(x)$  are differentiable, and

$$\begin{cases} f(x) \rightarrow +\infty \text{ as } x \rightarrow +\infty \\ g(x) \rightarrow +\infty \text{ as } x \rightarrow +\infty, \end{cases}$$

then, if the limit on the right exists,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$$

Proof is a practice.

Idea/Hint: Let  $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} = L$

①  $\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists a > s.t. \forall x > a, \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} \approx L$ .

② Try to show

$$\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \approx \varepsilon \frac{f(x)-f(a)}{g(x)-g(a)} \approx L, \text{ for } x \gg 1.$$

③ To show  $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \approx \varepsilon \frac{f(x)-f(a)}{g(x)-g(a)}$

$$f(x)-f(a) = f(x) \left[ 1 - \frac{f(a)}{f(x)} \right]$$

$$g(x)-g(a) = g(x) \left[ 1 - \frac{g(a)}{g(x)} \right]$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} f(x) = +\infty \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{f(a)}{f(x)} \rightarrow 1 \text{ as } x \rightarrow +\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} g(x) = +\infty \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{g(a)}{g(x)} \rightarrow 1 \text{ as } x \rightarrow +\infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1 - \frac{f(a)}{f(x)}}{1 - \frac{g(a)}{g(x)}} = 1$$

$$\frac{f(x) - f(a)}{g(x) - g(a)} = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \cdot \frac{1 - \frac{f(a)}{f(x)}}{1 - \frac{g(a)}{g(x)}} \Rightarrow \frac{f(x)/g(x)}{\frac{f(x)-f(a)}{g(x)-g(a)}} \rightarrow 1$$

④ Cauchy Mean Value Thm



$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{g(x) - g(a)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} \quad \left\{ \Rightarrow \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{g(x) - g(a)} \approx L \right.$$

$$\frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} \rightarrow L, x \rightarrow +\infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{g(x) - g(a)} / \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)} = 1$$