

Recall: If $f(x)$ has infinitely many derivatives at $x = x_0$, then the Taylor series for f centered (or based) at x_0 is

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k (x - x_0)^k \quad \text{where} \quad a_k = \frac{f^{(k)}(x_0)}{k!}$$

Find Taylor Series about $x_0 = 0$ for the following:

1. $f(x) = \sin(x)$

2. $g(x) = \cos(x)$

Hint: $\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \cos(x)$

We found that the Taylor series for $\sin(x)$ based at $x_0 = 0$ is

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

But we're left with two crucial questions:

1. Where does this Taylor series converge?
2. Does this Taylor series actually converge to $\sin(x)$?

Previous Version of Taylor's Theorem:

Suppose that f is repeatedly differentiable on an interval I containing x_0 and that

$$P_n(x) = a_0 + a_1(x - x_0) + a_2(x - x_0)^2 + \cdots + a_n(x - x_0)^n$$

is the n th order Taylor polynomial based at x_0 . Suppose that for all x in I ,

$$\left| f^{(n+1)}(x) \right| \leq K_{n+1}.$$

Then

$$\left| f(x) - P_n(x) \right| \leq \frac{K_{n+1}}{(n+1)!} |x - x_0|^{n+1}.$$

Find power series expansions about $x_0 = 0$ for the following:

1. $f(x) = \sin(x)$

2. $g(x) = \cos(x)$

Hint: $\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \cos(x)$

3. $h(x) = \cos(x^2)$

Feel free to use the result from (2).

4. $H(x) = \int \cos(x^2) dx$

Then approximate $\int_0^1 \cos(x^2) dx$ accurate within 10^{-5} .