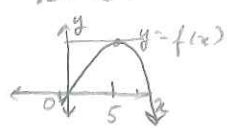


Class 2: Example Problems.

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2.1.2: $f(x) = x$ is of the form $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$, where $a = c = 0$, $b = 1$.
The slope predictor is $m(x) = 2ax + b$, so for our case, plug in $a = c = 0$, $b = 1$ to obtain $m(x) = 1$. The tan. line intersects $(2, 2)$, and has slope $m(2) = 1$, so in point-slope form, it is $(y - 2) = 1(x - 2)$, or $y = x$.

2.1.8: $f(x) = 5 - 3x - x^2 \Rightarrow m(x) = 2(-1)x + (-3) = -2x - 3$, $m(2) = -7$,
and $f(2) = -5$, so $(y + 5) = -7(x - 2) \Rightarrow y = -7x + 9$.
 $(2, -5)$

2.1.16: $f(x) = 10x - x^2 \Rightarrow m(x) = -2x + 10$, which is zero when $x = 5$.
The tan. line to f is thus horizontal when $x = 5$. 

2.1.24: $f(x) = 100 \left(1 - \frac{x}{10}\right)^2 = 100 - 20x + x^2 \Rightarrow m(x) = 2x - 20$, which
is zero when $x = 10$. The tan. line is horizontal at $x = 10$.

2.2.2: $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} (x^3 - 3x^2 + 5)$. Root law $\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} x^3 = (-2)^3 = -8$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} x^2 = (-2)^2 = 4$.

constant law $\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} 5 = 5$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} 3 = 3$. Product law with
previous results $\Rightarrow \lim_{x \rightarrow -2} 3x^2 = 3(4) = 12$. Sum law with underlined

results implies $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} x^3 - 3x^2 + 5 = -8 - 12 + 5 = -15$.

2.2.4: $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} (x^3 - 3x + 3)(x^2 + 2x + 5) = (-8 - 3(-2) + 3)(4 - 4 + 5) = (1)(5) = 5$.

substitution works on polynomials

Used: quotient, root, and constant laws

2.2.6: $\lim_{t \rightarrow -2} \frac{t+2}{t^2+4} = \frac{-2+2}{(-2)^2+4} = \frac{0}{8} = 0$

2.2.10: $\lim_{t \rightarrow 4} \sqrt{27-5t} = \sqrt{27-20} = \sqrt{7} = \sqrt{7}$. Used: root, sum, constant laws.

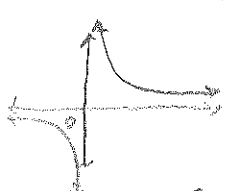
2.2.20: $\lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \frac{t^2-9}{t-3} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \frac{(t-3)(t+3)}{t-3} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} t+3 = 6$. (POLYNOMIAL)

2.2.26: $\lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \frac{t^3-9t}{t^2-9} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} \frac{t(t^2-9)}{t^2-9} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 3} t = 3$.

2.2.29: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{3}}{x-3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{3}\right) \frac{1}{x-3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{3-x}{3x(x-3)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{-1}{3x} = -\frac{1}{9}$

2.2.32: $\lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{3-\sqrt{x}}{9-x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{3-\sqrt{x}}{(3-\sqrt{x})(3+\sqrt{x})} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 9} \frac{1}{3+\sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{6}$

2.2.38: $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$. $m(x) = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+\Delta x) - f(x)}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{x+\Delta x} - \frac{1}{x}\right) \frac{1}{\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - (x+\Delta x)}{x(x+\Delta x)\Delta x} = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{x(x+\Delta x)} = -\frac{1}{x^2}$



So $m(2) = -\frac{1}{2^2} = -\frac{1}{4}$, and $f(2) = \frac{1}{2}$, so tan. line to f at $x=2$ is $y - \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{1}{4}(x-2)$ or $y = -\frac{1}{4}x + 1$.

2.3.2: $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\theta^2} = \left(\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}\right) \left(\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}\right) = 1(1) = 1$.
 Gk. "theta" if both exist (prod. rule) RULE: $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1$.

2.3.4: $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan \theta}{\theta} = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta \cos \theta} = \left(\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta}\right) \left(\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\cos \theta}\right) = 1(1) = 1$.
 $\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$

$$2.3.22 \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x - \tan x}{\sin x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x}{\sin x} - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan x}{\sin x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\frac{\sin x}{x}} - \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{\cos x}$$

if all limits on right exist

$$= \frac{1}{1} - 1 = 0.$$

2.3.26 $g(x) = x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x^2}$. Note that $-x^2 \leq x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x^2}$ (because \sin is bounded below by -1)
 and $x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x^2} \leq x^2$ (because \sin is bd. above by 1).

So take $f(x) = -x^2$, $g(x) = x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x^2}$, $h(x) = x^2$.

We have $f(x) \leq g(x) \leq h(x)$ in all deleted nbds. of $x=0$,
 means nbds. that don't include $x=0$ itself

and we have $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} -x^2 = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2$.

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \underbrace{-x^2}_{f(x)} = 0 = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \underbrace{x^2}_{h(x)}$

Therefore, by the squeeze theorem, have $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x^2} = 0$ as well.

