

TOPIC: Expansion of function.

TITLE: Use of Maclaurin's & Taylor's power series.

1. obtain the Maclaurin's expansion of $\tan(\frac{\pi}{4} + x)$.

⇒ We know by Maclaurin's theorem,

$$f(x) = f(0) + x f'(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \dots \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Where, $f(x) = \tan(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) \Rightarrow f(0) = \tan(\frac{\pi}{4}) = 1.$

$$f'(x) = \sec^2(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) \Rightarrow f'(0) = \sec^2(\frac{\pi}{4}) = 2.$$

$$f''(x) = 2 \sec^2(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) \cdot \tan(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) \Rightarrow f''(0) = 4.$$

$$f'''(x) = 4 \sec^2(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) \cdot \tan^2(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) + 2 \sec^4(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) \Rightarrow f'''(0) = 16.$$

substituting above values in eqⁿ ①, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \tan(\frac{\pi}{4} + x) &= 1 + 2x + \frac{4x^2}{2!} + \frac{16x^3}{3!} + \dots \\ &= 1 + 2x + 2x^2 + \frac{8x^3}{3} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

2. By Maclaurin's series expand $\log(1+e^x)$ in powers of x upto x^4 .

⇒ We know by Maclaurin's theorem

$$f(x) = f(0) + x f'(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \dots \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Where, $f(x) = \log(1+e^x) \Rightarrow f(0) = \log 2.$

$$f'(x) = \frac{e^x}{1+e^x} \Rightarrow f'(0) = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{(1+e^x)e^x - e^x(e^x)}{(1+e^x)^2} \Rightarrow f''(0) = \frac{1}{4}.$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{(1+e^x)^4 e^x - 2(1+e^x) \cdot e^x \cdot x^2}{(1+e^x)^4} \Rightarrow f'''(0) = 0$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = \frac{(1+e^x)^3 (e^x - 2e^{2x}) - (e^x - e^{2x}) \cdot 3(1+e^x)^2 e^x}{(1+e^x)^6} \Rightarrow f^{(4)}(0) = \frac{1}{8}$$

putting this in equation ① we get,

$$f(x) = \log 2 + x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{x^2}{2!} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + \frac{x^3}{3!} (0) + \frac{x^4}{4!} \left(\frac{1}{8}\right) + \dots$$

$$\log(1+e^x) = \log 2 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{8} - \frac{x^4}{192} + \dots$$

g. show that $e^x (\log(1+x)) = x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{2x^3}{3!} + \dots$

\Rightarrow We know by Maclaurin's theorem,

$$f(x) = f(0) + x f'(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \dots \quad \text{--- ①}$$

where,

$$f(x) = e^x \log(1+x) \Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

$$f'(x) = e^x \log(1+x) + \frac{e^x}{1+x} \Rightarrow f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(x) = e^x \log(1+x) + \frac{e^x}{1+x} + \frac{e^x}{1+x} - \frac{e^x}{(1+x)^2} \Rightarrow f''(0) = 1$$

$$f'''(x) = e^x \log(1+x) + \frac{e^x}{1+x} + \frac{e^x}{1+x} - \frac{e^x}{(1+x)^2} + \frac{e^x}{1+x}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'''(0) = 2 \quad \left[-\frac{e^x}{(1+x)^2} + \frac{2e^x}{(1+x)^3} \right]$$

putting all that values in eqⁿ ①, we get,

$$f(x) = x + \frac{1}{2!} x^2 + \frac{2x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$\therefore e^x \log(1+x) = x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{2x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

4. If $x^3 + 2xy^2 = y^3 + x = 1$, Prove that,

$$y = -1 + x - \frac{x^2}{3} + \dots$$

⇒ We know by Maclaurin's theorem,

$$y = y(0) + x y_1(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!} y_2(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!} y_3(0) + \dots \text{--- (1)}$$

where,

$$x^3 + 2xy^2 - y^3 + x = 1.$$

When $x=0 \Rightarrow -y^3(0) = 1 \Rightarrow y(0) = -1$

Differentiating w.r.t. x , we get,

$$3x^2 + 2y^2 + 4xy y_1 - 3y^2 y_1 + 1 = 0$$

When $x=0 \Rightarrow y_1(0) = 1$

Again diff. w.r.t. x , we get,

$$6x + 4y y_1 + 4x [y_1^2 + y y_2] + 4y y_1 - 6y y_1^2 - 3y^2 y_2 = 0$$

When $x=0 \Rightarrow y_2(0) = -\frac{2}{3}$

substituting all that values in eq. (1) we get,

$$y = -1 + x - \frac{x^2}{3} + \dots$$

5. Expand in power of x , $e^{x \sin x}$

⇒ Here, $f(x) = e^{x \sin x}$

Let $y = x \sin x$

$$\therefore e^{x \sin x} = e^y = 1 + y + \frac{y^2}{2!} + \frac{y^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x \sin x + \frac{(x \sin x)^2}{2!} + \frac{(x \sin x)^3}{3!} + \dots$$

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8. Prove that, $\tanh^{-1} x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} + \dots$

$$\Rightarrow \tanh^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \log \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right).$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [\log(1+x) - \log(1-x)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \dots \right) - \left(-x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{x^5}{5} - \dots \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[2x + \frac{2x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{5} + \dots \right]$$

$$\tanh^{-1} x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} + \dots$$

9. Expand, $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x} \right)$.

\Rightarrow put $x = \tan u$

$$\therefore \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\sqrt{1+\tan^2 u} - 1}{\tan u} \right]$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sec u - 1}{\tan u} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1 - \cos u}{\sin u} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2 \sin^2 u/2}{2 \sin u/2 \cos u/2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sin u/2}{\cos u/2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1}(\tan u/2)$$

$$= u/2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x$$

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$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots\right)$$

10. Expand, $\sinh^{-1}(3x+4x^3)$

⇒ put $x = \sinh u$.

⇒ $u = \sinh^{-1} x$.

$$\therefore 3x + 4x^3 = 3 \sinh u + 4 \sinh^3 u \\ = \sinh 3u$$

$$\therefore \sinh^{-1}(3x + 4x^3) = \sinh^{-1}(\sinh 3u) \\ = 3u \\ = 3 \sinh^{-1} x$$

$$= 3 \left(x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{3x^5}{40} - \dots\right)$$

11. show that $e^{e^x} = e \left[1 + x + x^2 + \frac{5}{6}x^3 + \frac{5}{12}x^4 + \dots\right]$

⇒ We know by exponential series,

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + y, \text{ where, } y = x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$\therefore e^{e^x} = e^{1+y} = e \cdot e^y$$

$$= e \left[1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= e \left[1 + \left(x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots \right) + \right.$$

$$\left. \frac{1}{2!} \left(x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \right)^2 + \frac{1}{3!} \left(x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \right)^3 \right]$$

$$= e \left[1 + \left(x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \dots \right) + \frac{x^2}{2} \left(1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{6} \right)^2 \right.$$

$$\left. + \frac{x^3}{6} \left(1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{6} + \dots \right)^3 + \frac{x^4}{24} \left(1 + \frac{x}{2} + \dots \right)^4 + \dots \right]$$

$$= e \left[1 + \left(x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots \right) + \frac{x^2}{2} \left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{x^2}{3} + \dots \right) \right.$$

$$\left. + \frac{x^3}{6} \left(1 + \frac{3x}{2} + \dots \right) + \frac{x^4}{24} \left(1 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots \right) + \dots \right]$$

$$= e \left[1 + x + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right) x^2 + \left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} \right) x^3 + \right.$$

$$\left. \left(\frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{24} \right) x^4 + \dots \right]$$

$$= e \left[1 + x + x^2 + \frac{5}{6} x^3 + \frac{5}{12} x^4 + \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore e^x = e \left[1 + x + x^2 + \frac{5}{6} x^3 + \frac{5}{12} x^4 + \dots \right]$$

12. Expand $\log \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{4})$, using Taylor's theorem in ascending powers of x . (45)

\Rightarrow We know Taylor's theorem in powers of x .

$$f(x+h) = f(h) + x f'(h) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(h) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(h) + \dots$$

where,

$$f(x+h) = \log \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) \Rightarrow f(x) = \log \cos x \text{ \& } h = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$f(x) = \log \cos x \Rightarrow f(\frac{\pi}{4}) = -\log \sqrt{2}$$

$$f'(x) = -\tan x \Rightarrow f'(\frac{\pi}{4}) = -1$$

$$f''(x) = -\sec^2 x \Rightarrow f''(\frac{\pi}{4}) = -2$$

$$f'''(x) = -2\sec^2 x \tan x \Rightarrow f'''(\frac{\pi}{4}) = -4$$

substituting these values in eqⁿ ①, we get,

$$= f(x+h) = \log \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{4})$$

$$= -\log \sqrt{2} + x(-1) + \frac{x^2}{2}(-2) + \frac{x^3}{6}(-4) + \dots$$

$$= -\log \sqrt{2} - x - x^2 - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \dots$$

$$\therefore \log \cos(x + \frac{\pi}{4}) = -\log \sqrt{2} - x - x^2 - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \dots$$

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13. Prove that $\log(x+h) = \log h + \frac{x}{h} - \frac{x^2}{2h^2} + \frac{x^3}{3h^3} + \dots$

→ Here we have to expand given function $\log(x+h)$ in powers of x ,
Hence by Taylor's theorem,

$$f(x+h) = f(h) + x f'(h) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(h) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(h) + \dots \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Here, $f(x+h) = \log(x+h)$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \log x \Rightarrow f(h) = \log h$$

$$\text{As, } f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow f'(h) = \frac{1}{h}$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2} \Rightarrow f''(h) = -\frac{1}{h^2}$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{1}{x^3} \Rightarrow f'''(h) = \frac{1}{h^3}$$

substituting in eq. (1) we get,

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \log(x+h) &= \log h + x \frac{1}{h} + \frac{x^2}{2!} \left(-\frac{1}{h^2} \right) + \frac{x^3}{3!} \left(\frac{1}{h^3} \right) + \dots \\ &= \log h + \frac{x}{h} - \frac{x^2}{2h^2} + \frac{x^3}{3h^3} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

14. Using Taylor's theorem expansion express $7 + (x+2) + 3(x+2)^2 + (x+2)^4$ in powers of x .

→ We know Taylor's theorem in powers of x .

$$f(x+h) = f(h) + x f'(h) + \frac{x^2}{2!} f''(h) + \frac{x^3}{3!} f'''(h) + \dots \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Here $f(x+h) = 7 + (x+2) + 3(x+2)^2 + (x+2)^4$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = 7 + x + 3x^2 + x^4 \quad \& \quad h = 2$$

f(x) = 7 + x + 3x^3 + x^4 ⇒ ∴ f(2) = 49

f'(x) = 1 + 9x^2 + 4x^3 ⇒ ∴ f'(2) = 69

f''(x) = 18x + 12x^2 ⇒ ∴ f''(2) = 84

f'''(x) = 18 + 24x ⇒ ∴ f'''(2) = 66

f''''(x) = 24 ⇒ ∴ f''''(2) = 24

substituting this in eqⁿ ① we get

f(x+h) = 49 + 69x + 84 x^2/2! + 66 x^3/3! + 24 x^4/4! = 49 + 69x + 42x^2 + 11x^3 + x^4

15. Expand log x in powers (x-2) by using Taylor's theorem.

⇒ We know that,

f(x) = f(h) + (x-h)f'(h) + (x-h)^2/2! f''(h) + (x-h)^3/3! f'''(h) + ...

put h=2, we get,

f(x) = f(2) + (x-2)f'(2) + (x-2)^2/2! f''(2) + (x-2)^3/3! f'''(2) + ...

Here, f(x) = log x ⇒ f(2) = log 2

f'(x) = 1/x ⇒ f'(2) = 1/2

f''(x) = -1/x^2 ⇒ f''(2) = -1/4

f'''(x) = 2/x^3 ⇒ f'''(2) = 2/8

substituting this in eqⁿ ②, we get

log x = log 2 + 1/2 (x-2) + 1/8 (x-2)^2 + 1/24 (x-2)^3 + ...

16. Expand $\tan^{-1}x$ in powers of $(x - \pi/4)$.

⇒ We know that Taylor's theorem,

$$f(x) = f(h) + (x-h)f'(h) + \frac{(x-h)^2}{2!}f''(h) + \frac{(x-h)^3}{3!}f'''(h) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

put $h = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$f(x) = f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \frac{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2}{2!}f''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \frac{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^3}{3!}f'''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \dots$$

Where, $f(x) = \tan^{-1}x \Rightarrow f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$ --- (2)

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2} \Rightarrow f'\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{1+\pi^2/16}$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{-2x}{(1+x^2)^2} \Rightarrow f''\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{-\pi/4}{[1+(\pi/4)^2]^2}$$

substituting in eq. (2) we get

$$\tan^{-1}x = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{1+\pi^2/16}\right) + \frac{\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^2}{2!} \frac{-\pi/4}{[1+(\pi/4)^2]^2} + \dots$$

17. Expand $f(x) = (x+2)^4 + 5(x+2)^3 + 6(x+2)^2 + 7(x+2) + 8$ in ascending powers of $(x+1)$.

⇒ Where,

$$f(x) = (x+2)^4 + 5(x+2)^3 + 6(x+2)^2 + 7(x+2) + 8$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 4(x+2)^3 + 15(x+2)^2 + 12(x+2) + 7$$

$$f''(x) = 12(x+2)^2 + 30(x+2) + 12$$

$$f'''(x) = 24(x+2) + 30$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = 24$$

put $x = -1$.

$$f(-1) = 27, \quad f'(-1) = 38, \quad f''(-1) = 54, \quad f'''(-1) = 54 \quad (18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(x) &= f(-1) + (x+1)f'(-1) + \frac{(x+1)^2}{2!}f''(-1) + \frac{(x+1)^3}{3!}f'''(-1) + \dots \\ &= 27 + 38(x+1) + 27(x+1)^2 + 9(x+1)^3 + (x+1)^4 \end{aligned}$$

18. Using Taylor's theorem find $\sqrt{25.15}$

\Rightarrow Let $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ and $h = 0.15$, $x = 25$

$$\text{Then, } f(x+h) = f(x) + h \cdot f'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \dots \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Here, } f(x) = \sqrt{x} \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{1}{4} x^{-3/2}$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{3}{8} x^{-5/2}$$

$$\therefore f(x+h) = \sqrt{x+h} = x^{1/2} + h \cdot \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} + \frac{h^2}{2!} \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) x^{-3/2} + \dots$$

put $x = 25$ & $h = 0.15$, we get,

$$\sqrt{25.15} = 5 + \frac{(0.15)}{2} (5)^{-1} + \frac{(0.15)^2}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) 5^{-3} + \frac{(0.15)^3}{3!} \frac{3}{8} (5)^{-5}$$

$$= 5 + 0.015 - 0.000225$$

$$= 5.01478$$

19. Apply Taylor's theorem to find approximately the value of $f''(1/10)$ where $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 + 15x - 10$

\Rightarrow By Taylor's theorem, we have,

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + h \cdot f'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \frac{h^3}{3!} f'''(x) + \dots$$

$$\text{put } x = 1, \quad h = 0.1$$

f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 + 15x - 10 → f(1) = 9

f'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x + 15 → f'(1) = 24

f''(x) = 6x + 6 → f''(1) = 12

f'''(x) = 6 → f'''(1) = 6

∴ f(11/10) = f(1.1)

= 9 + (10.1)/1 * 24 + (10.1)^2/2! * 12 + (10.1)^3/3! * 6

= 11.461

ex. Expand e^x in powers of (x-1)

⇒ Let f(x) = e^x and a = 1

∴ By Taylor's theorem,

f(x) = f(1) + (x-1)f'(1) + (x-1)^2/2! f''(1) + (x-1)^3/3! f'''(1) + ...

Here, f(x) = e^x → f(1) = e

f'(x) = e^x → f'(1) = e

f''(x) = e^x → f''(1) = e

f'''(x) = e^x → f'''(1) = e

using all that values in eqⁿ ① we get.

e^x = e + (x-1)·e + (x-1)^2/2! e + (x-1)^3/3! e + ...

= e [1 + (x-1) + (x-1)^2/2! + (x-1)^3/3! + ...]