

Taylor Polynomials and Taylor's Inequality Calculus: 2nd Edition by Dennis Berkey

- 1a. Find the 3rd order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = \ln(x+1)$ centered at $x = 0$.
b. Then find the Lagrange Error Bound when $x = .2$
- 2a. Find the 3rd order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = e^x$ centered at $x = 0$.
b. Then use Taylor's Inequality to find $|f(.4) - P_3(.4)| \leq R$ at $x = .4$
- 3a. Find the 3rd order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = \sin x$ centered at $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$.
b. Then use the Remainder Estimation Thm to find $|f(x) - P_3(x)| \leq R$ at $x = 32^\circ$
- 4a. Find the 2nd order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = \cos x$ centered at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$.
b. Then use the Remainder Estimation Thm to find $|f(x) - P_2(x)| \leq R$ at $x = 42^\circ$
- 5a. Find the 3rd order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = \arcsin x$ centered at $x = 0$.
b. Then find the Lagrange Error Bound when $x = .2$
- 6a. Find the 1st order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x}$ centered at $x = 1$.
b. Then use Taylor's Inequality to find $|f(1.2) - P_1(1.2)| \leq R$ at $x = 1.2$
- 7a. Find the 1st order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = xe^{-2x}$ centered at $x = 0$.
b. Then use Taylor's Inequality to find $|f(.2) - P_1(.2)| \leq R$ at $x = .2$
- 8a. Find the 1st order Taylor polynomial for $f(x) = \sqrt{3+x^2}$ centered at $x = 1$
b. Then find the Lagrange Error Bound when $x = 1.2$

Determine a bound on the accuracy of the given approximation for the indicated range of x

9. $\sin x \approx x, \quad |x| < .05$

10. $\sin x \approx x - \frac{x^3}{3!}, \quad |x| < .15$

11. $\cos x \approx \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{3} \right), \quad \left| x - \frac{\pi}{3} \right| < .05$

12. $\tan x \approx 1 + 2 \left(x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right), \quad \left| x - \frac{\pi}{4} \right| < \frac{\pi}{36}$

13. $\sqrt[3]{1+x} \approx 1 + \frac{x}{3} \quad |x| < .025$

14. $\ln x \approx (x-1) - \frac{1}{2}(x-1)^2 + \frac{1}{3}(x-1)^3, \quad |x-1| < .1$

15. $\sqrt{1+x} \approx 1 + \frac{x}{2}, \quad 0 < x < .02$