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Assignment: Section 3.11 Enhanced  
Assignment

1. Find the linearization  $L(x)$  at  $x = a$ .

$$f(x) = 4x^3 - 3x + 1 \quad a = -1$$

$$L(x) = \underline{9x + 9}$$

2. Find the linearization  $L(x)$  of  $f(x) = \tan x$  at  $x = \frac{3\pi}{4}$ .

$$\text{The linearization is given by } L(x) = \underline{-1 + 2x - \frac{3\pi}{2}}.$$

(Type an exact answer, using  $\pi$  as needed.)

3. Find the derivative of  $y$  with respect to  $x$ .

$$y = \frac{\ln(6x)}{6x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \underline{\frac{1 - \ln(6x)}{6x^2}}$$

4. Find a linearization that will replace the function over an interval that includes the given point  $x_0$ . Center the linearization not at  $x_0$  but at a nearby integer,  $x = a$ , at which the given function and its derivative are easy to evaluate.

$$f(x) = x^2 + 7x, \quad x_0 = 0.01$$

Set the center of the linearization as  $x = \underline{0}$ .

$$L(x) = \underline{7x}$$

5. Find a linearization at a suitably chosen integer near  $a$  at which the given function and its derivative are easy to evaluate.

$$f(x) = \frac{x}{x+4}, \quad a = 1.1$$

$$L(x) = \underline{\frac{4}{25}x + \frac{1}{25}}$$

6. Find  $dy$  for  $y = 9x^4 + 7\sqrt{7x}$ .

$$dy = \underline{\left(36x^3 + \frac{49}{2\sqrt{7x}}\right) dx}$$

7. Find dy.

$$y = \frac{8x}{1+x^2}$$

$$dy = \frac{8-8x^2}{(x^2+1)^2} dx$$

8. Find dy.

$$y = \cos(9x^2)$$

$$dy = -18x \sin(9x^2) dx$$

9. Find dy for  $y = e^{5\sqrt{x}}$ .

$$\text{For } y = e^{5\sqrt{x}}, dy = \left( \frac{5}{2\sqrt{x}} e^{5\sqrt{x}} \right) dx.$$

(Type an exact answer, using radicals as needed.)

10. Find dy.

$$y = \ln(3+x^2)$$

$$dy = \frac{2x}{3+x^2} dx$$

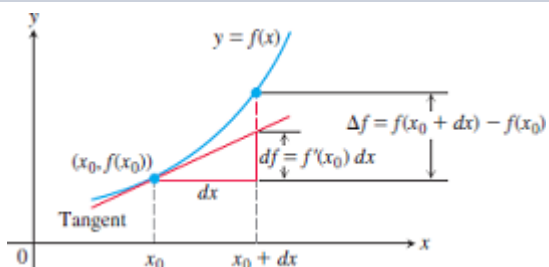
11. Find dy.

$$y = \tan^{-1}(e^{x^4})$$

$$dy = \frac{4x^3 e^{x^4}}{1+e^{2x^4}} dx$$

12. The function  $f(x)$  changes value when  $x$  changes from  $x_0$  to  $x_0 + dx$ . Find the change  $\Delta f = f(x_0 + dx) - f(x_0)$ , the value of the estimate  $df = f'(x_0) dx$ , and the approximation error  $|\Delta f - df|$ .

$$f(x) = 8x^2 - 7x, \quad x_0 = -1, \quad dx = 0.1$$



$$\Delta f = \underline{-2.22}$$

(Type an integer or a decimal. Do not round.)

$$df = \underline{-2.3}$$

(Type an integer or a decimal. Do not round.)

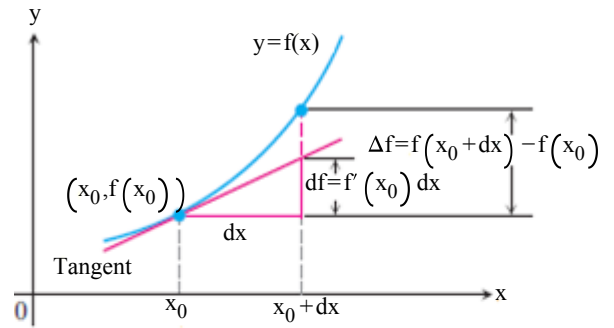
The approximation error is 0.08.

(Type an integer or a decimal. Do not round.)

13. The function  $f(x)$  changes value when  $x$  changes from  $x_0$  to  $x_0 + dx$ .

$$f(x) = 8x^2 - 7x - 3, x_0 = 1, dx = 0.1$$

- Find the change  $\Delta f = f(x_0 + dx) - f(x_0)$ .
- Find the value of the estimate  $df = f'(x_0) dx$ .
- Find the approximation error  $|\Delta f - df|$ .



a. The change  $\Delta f$  is 0.98.  
(Type an integer or a decimal. Do not round.)

b. The value of the estimate  $df$  is 0.9.  
(Type an integer or a decimal. Do not round.)

c. The approximation error is 0.08.  
(Type an integer or a decimal. Do not round.)

14. The concentration  $C$  in milligrams per milliliter (mg/ml) of a certain drug in a person's blood-stream  $t$  hours after a pill is swallowed is modeled by  $C(t) = 9 + \frac{2t}{1+t^3} - e^{-0.01t}$ . Estimate the change in concentration when  $t$  changes from 10 to 40 minutes.

The change in concentration is about 0.987 mg/ml.  
(Type an integer or decimal rounded to the nearest thousandth as needed.)