

HW 2.1: 2, 8 (due Friday, next week)

$f : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ is differentiable at a if

$$\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} \frac{f(\mathbf{x}) - f(\mathbf{a}) - T(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})}{\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|} = 0$$

$$\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} \frac{f(\mathbf{x}) - f(\mathbf{a}) - \sum b_i(x_i - a_i)}{\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|} = 0$$

$y = f(\mathbf{a}) + \sum b_i(x_i - a_i)$ approximates $y = f(\mathbf{x})$

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{a}) + T(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}) + \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|r(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a})$$

where $\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} r(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}) = 0$

Thm 1.1: If f is differentiable at a , then

- 1.) f is continuous at a .
- 2.) All partial derivatives exist at a .
- 3.) $b_i = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}\right)_a$

Proof: 1.) $\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} f(\mathbf{x}) = \lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} f(\mathbf{a}) + T(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}) + \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|r(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}) = \blacksquare$

$$\begin{aligned} 2,3.) \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a}) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{a} + h\mathbf{e}_j) - f(\mathbf{a})}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{a}) + T(\mathbf{a} + h\mathbf{e}_j - \mathbf{a}) + \|\mathbf{a} + h\mathbf{e}_j - \mathbf{a}\|r(\mathbf{a} + h\mathbf{e}_j, \mathbf{a}) - f(\mathbf{a})}{h} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{T(h\mathbf{e}_j) + |h|r(\mathbf{a} + h\mathbf{e}_j, \mathbf{a})}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{hT(\mathbf{e}_j) + |h|r(\mathbf{a} + h\mathbf{e}_j, \mathbf{a})}{h} \end{aligned}$$

Thm 1.3: If $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_j}$ exist for all j in a nbhd of a and if they are continuous at a , then f is differentiable at a .

Defn: Let V be a nonempty open subset of \mathbf{R}^n , $f : V \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^m$, $p \in \mathbf{N}$.

i.) f is C^p on V if each partial derivative of order $k \leq p$ exists and is continuous on V .

ii.) f is C^∞ on V if f is C^p on V for all $p \in \mathbf{N}$ (f is smooth).

Chain rule 1: Suppose $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^n$, $g : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt}(g \circ f)_{t_0} &= D(G)_{f(t_0)}D(f)_{t_0} = (b_1, \dots, b_n) \begin{pmatrix} f'_1(t_0) \\ f'_2(t_0) \\ \dots \\ f'_n(t_0) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i}\right)_{f(t_0)} \left(\frac{df_i}{dt}\right)_{t_0} \end{aligned}$$

Ex: $f(t) = (t^2, \sin(t))$, $D(f) = \begin{pmatrix} 2t \\ \cos(t) \end{pmatrix}$

$g(x, y) = x + y^3$, $D(g) = (1, 3y^2)$

$(g \circ f)(t) = g(t^2, \sin(t)) = t^2 + \sin^3(t)$

$(g \circ f)'(t) = 2t_0 + 3\sin^2(t_0)\cos(t_0)$

$D(g)_{f(t_0)}D(f)_{t_0} = (1, 3\sin^2(t_0)) \begin{pmatrix} 2t_0 \\ \cos(t_0) \end{pmatrix}$,

Defn: U is starlike with respect to \mathbf{a} if $\mathbf{x} \in U$ implies $\overline{\mathbf{a}\mathbf{x}} \subset U$

Thm 1.5 (Mean Value Theorem) Let g be a differentiable function on an open set $U \subset \mathbf{R}^n$. Let $\mathbf{a} \in U$ and suppose U is starlike with respect to \mathbf{a} . Then given $\mathbf{x} \in U$, there exists $c \in \mathbf{R}$, $0 < t_0 < 1$ such that

$$g(\mathbf{x}) - g(\mathbf{a}) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i} \right)_{\mathbf{p}} (x_i - a_i)$$

where $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{a} + t_0(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})$

Cor 1.6: If $|\frac{\partial g}{\partial x_i}| < K$ on U for all i , then for all $\mathbf{x} \in U$,

$$|g(\mathbf{x}) - g(\mathbf{a})| < K\sqrt{n}\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|$$

Cor 1.7 If $f \in C^r$ on U , then $\frac{\partial^k g}{\partial x_{i_1} \partial x_{i_2} \dots \partial x_{i_k}} = \frac{\partial^k g}{\partial x_{j_1} \partial x_{j_2} \dots \partial x_{j_k}}$ where (j_1, j_2, \dots, j_k) is a permutation of (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k)

2.2: $f : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^m$

Let $\pi_i : \mathbf{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbf{R}, \pi_i(\mathbf{x}) = x_i$

$f = (f_1, \dots, f_m)$ where $f_i = \pi_i \circ f$

f continuous iff f_i continuous for all i

$f \in C^r$ iff $f_i \in C^r$ for all i

$f \in C^\infty$ iff $f_i \in C^\infty$ for all i

Defn: The **Jacobian matrix of f at \mathbf{a}** is

$$\left[\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{a}) \right]_{m \times n} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{a}) & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{a}) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{a}) & \dots & \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{a}) \end{bmatrix}$$

2.1 Let V be an open subset of \mathbf{R}^n , $\mathbf{a} \in V$, $f : V \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^m$. Then f is differentiable at \mathbf{a} if and only if there is a matrix T and a function $\epsilon : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^m$ such that $\lim_{\mathbf{h} \rightarrow 0} \epsilon(\mathbf{h}) = \mathbf{0}$ and

$$f(\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{h}) - f(\mathbf{a}) = T(\mathbf{h}) + \|\mathbf{h}\|\epsilon(\mathbf{h})$$

Or equivalently, there exists an m -tuple, $R(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}) = (r_1(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}), r_2(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}), \dots, r_m(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}))$ such that $\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} \|R(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a})\| = 0$ and

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{a}) + T(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}) + \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|R(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a})$$

Thm 2.2: Let f be a differentiable function on an open set $U \subset \mathbf{R}^n$. Let $\mathbf{a} \in U$ and suppose U is starlike with respect to \mathbf{a} . If $|\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}| < K$ on U for all i, j , then for all $\mathbf{x} \in U$,

$$\|f(\mathbf{x}) - f(\mathbf{a})\| < K\sqrt{nm}\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|$$

Proof: $\|f(\mathbf{x}) - f(\mathbf{a})\| = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^m (f_i(\mathbf{x}) - f_i(\mathbf{a}))^2}$
 $< \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^m (K\sqrt{n}\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|)^2} = \sqrt{m(K\sqrt{n}\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|)^2}$
 $= K\sqrt{nm}\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}\|$

Thm 2.3 (Chain rule): Suppose $U \subset \mathbf{R}^m$ is open and $f : U \rightarrow V \subset \mathbf{R}^m$, $g : V \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^p$. Let $h = g \circ f$. Suppose f is differentiable at $a \in U$ and g is differentiable at $f(a) \in V$. Then h is differentiable at $a \in U$ and $D(h)_a = D(g)_{f(a)}D(f)_a$.

Cor 2.4: If $f, g \in C^r$ on U, V respectively, then $h = g \circ f \in C^r$.