

Slope of secant line between $(x_1, f(x_1))$ and $(x_2, f(x_2))$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \text{average rate of change} \\
 &= \frac{f(x_2) - f(x_1)}{x_2 - x_1} \\
 &= \frac{\Delta f(x)}{\Delta x}
 \end{aligned}$$

where $\Delta x = \text{change in } x = x_2 - x_1$

and $\Delta f(x) = \text{change in } f(x) = f(x_2) - f(x_1)$

Slope of tangent line to f at $x_1 = \text{instantaneous rate of change}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \lim_{x_2 \rightarrow x_1} \frac{f(x_2) - f(x_1)}{x_2 - x_1} \\
 &= \lim_{x_1 + h \rightarrow x_1} \frac{f(x_1 + h) - f(x_1)}{x_1 + h - x_1} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_1 + h) - f(x_1)}{h}
 \end{aligned}$$

Definition $f'(a) = \text{slope of tangent line to } f \text{ at } a$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h) - f(a)}{h}.$$

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If $g(x) = 3$, then $g'(1) =$

If $h(x) = |x|$, then $h'(5) =$

and $h'(-5) =$

Definition: Given f , then define the function f' (the derivative of f) as follows:

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x is in the domain of f' if x is in the domain of f and the above limit exists.

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The volume of a right circular cylinder is given by the formula $V = \pi r h^2$ where r is the radius of the base in meters and h is the height of the cylinder in meters.

Find the rate of change of the volume of the cylinder with respect to the height?

Find the rate of change of the volume of the cylinder with respect to the radius?