

Lecture 4 - Squeeze Thm (& trig limits), IVT.

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• Read Sections 2.6 and 2.8

$$f: A \rightarrow B$$

Injectivity:  $x \neq y \Rightarrow f(x) \neq f(y)$

$$\boxed{f(x) = y} \quad x \in A, y \in B$$

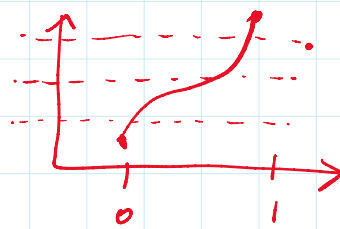
Surjectivity:  $y \in B$ , there is some  $x \in A$  st.  $f(x) = y$   
at least one solution



Bijectivity: there exists exactly one solution  $x$  to  $f(x) = y$  for each  $y \in B$ .  
 $x = f^{-1}(y)$

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$$f(x) = 10$$



$$f: [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

UNIQUENESS

at most one solution

at least one solution

EXISTENCE

eg.  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  given  $f(x) = x^2$ .

$x^2 = f(x) = 4$      $x = 2$      $x = -2$      $x \neq f^{-1}(4)$     not invertible

$f: [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  injective & surjective.

$\hookrightarrow f^{-1} = \sqrt{\quad}$      $x=2$

Limits at infinity:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} f(x) = L$$

if  $f(x)$  approaches  $L$  as  $x$  goes to  $\pm\infty$ .

Polynomials:

$$a_n \underline{x^n} + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0 = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k x^k$$

↑ monomial.

Prop (n > 0)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x^n = \infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x^{-n} = 0.$$

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(eg.  $x^2, \sqrt{x}$   $\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$ )

for  $n$  integer,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^n = \begin{cases} +\infty, & n \text{ even} \\ -\infty, & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} x^{-n} = 0.$$

Polynomials  $\left( a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0 \right)$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty}$$

eg.  $x^4 + x^2$

$x = 10,$

$x^4 = 10^4$   
 $x^2 = 10^2$   
factor of 100

$x = 1000,$  factor of 1,000,000  
 $x^4 = 10^{12}$   
 $x^2 = 10^6$

### Rational Function

$$(*) \left\{ \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0}{b_m x^m + b_{m-1} x^{m-1} + \dots + b_1 x + b_0} \right\}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \frac{a_n x^n}{b_m x^m} = \frac{a_n}{b_m} \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} x^{n-m}.$$

eg.,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^5 + 7}{2x^5 + 4x + 1} \stackrel{(*)}{=} \frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^5}{x^5} = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} 1 = \frac{1}{2}.$

### [Squeeze Theorem]

Assume for  $x \neq c$  in some open interval containing  $c$ ,  
one has:

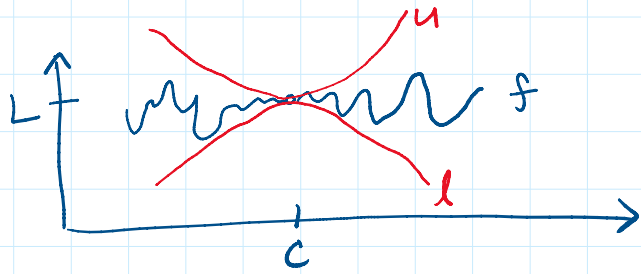
$$l(x) \leq f(x) \leq u(x)$$

and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} l(x) = L = \lim_{x \rightarrow c} u(x),$

limit point

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then  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  exists and equals  $L$ .



proof:

$$l(x) - L \leq \frac{f(x) - L}{1} \leq u(x) - L$$

$\downarrow (x \rightarrow c)$        $\downarrow (x \rightarrow c)$        $\downarrow (x \rightarrow c)$   
 $0^-$                        $0$                        $0^+$

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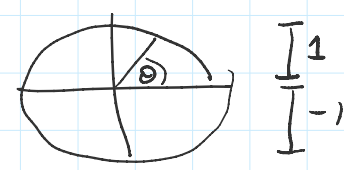
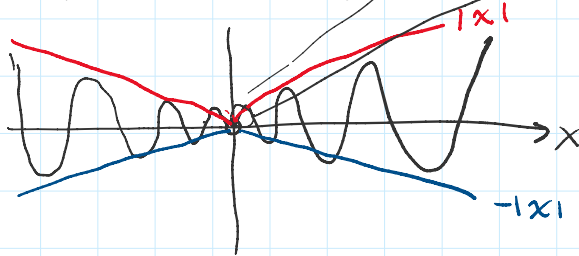
ex1

$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$



$x=0$

~~$0 \cdot \sin\left(\frac{1}{0}\right)$~~



$|\sin(\theta)| \leq 1$  for any  $\theta$

$|\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)| \leq 1$  for any  $x \neq 0$ .

$|x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)| = |x| \underbrace{|\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)|}_{\leq 1} \leq |x|$

$|a| \leq b \iff -b \leq a \leq b$

$-|x| \leq x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \leq |x|$

$\left. \begin{matrix} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} |x| = 0 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} -|x| = 0 \end{matrix} \right\} \text{squeeze thm.} \implies \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$

ex2  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 e^{\cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}$   
 $|\cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)| \leq 1, x \neq 0$

$|x^2 e^{\cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}| \leq x^2 e^1$   
 $|x^2| \cdot |e^{\cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}|$

$$|\cos(\frac{1}{x})| \leq 1, x \neq 0.$$

$e^x$  is monotone increasing  $x \geq y \Rightarrow e^x \geq e^y$ .  
 so  $e^1 \geq e^{\cos(1/x)}$

$$|x^2 e^{\cos(1/x)}| \leq x^2 \cdot e$$

$$\Rightarrow -x^2 \cdot e \leq x^2 e^{\cos(1/x)} \leq x^2 \cdot e$$

$\downarrow$   $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\dots) = 0$   $\downarrow$   
 $0$   $0$

$$|\sin \theta| \leq 1$$

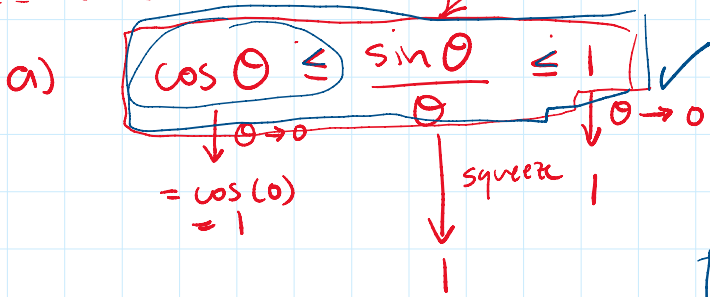
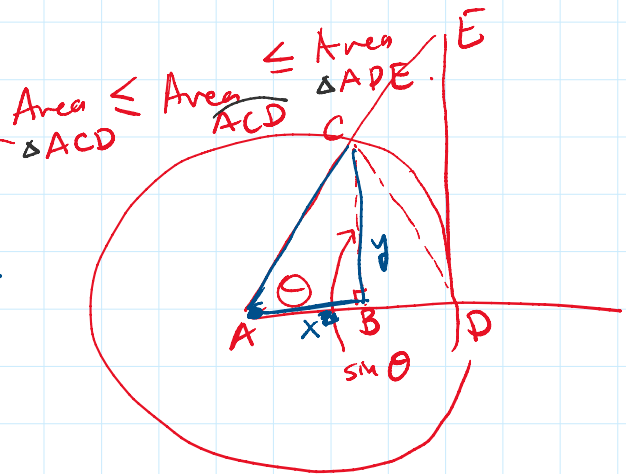
$$\left| \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} \right| \leq \frac{1}{|\theta|}$$

$$\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{|\theta|} = \infty$$

examples in 2.6:

a)  $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1 \checkmark$

b)  $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\theta} = 0 \checkmark$



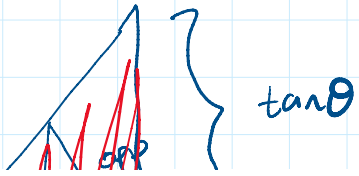
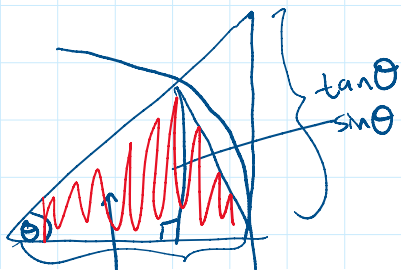
$$\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

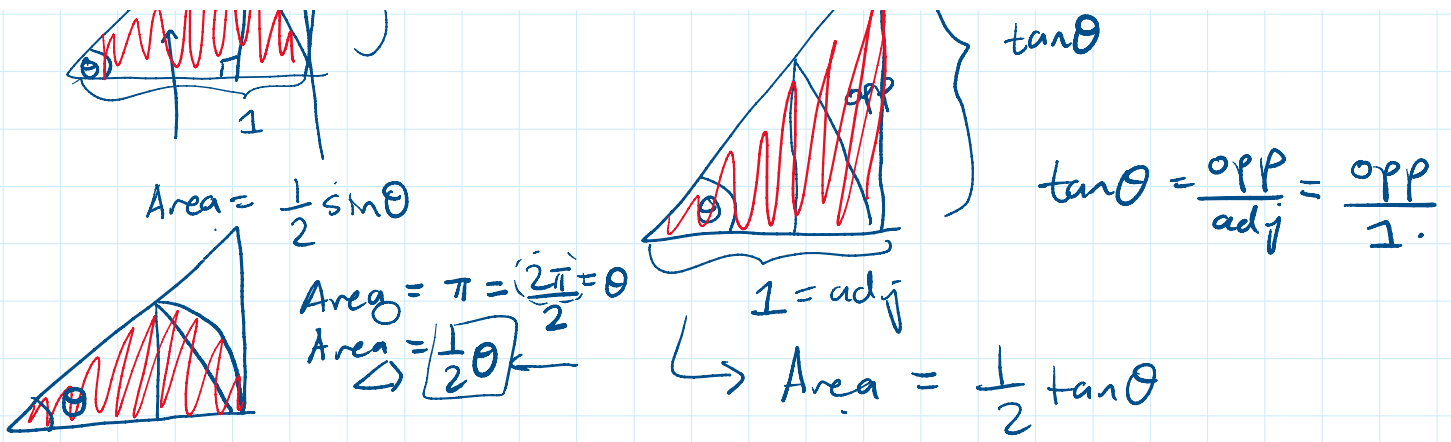
b)  $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\theta} = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{\theta} \right) \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta}$

$$= \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos^2 \theta}{\theta (1 + \cos \theta)} = \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\theta (1 + \cos \theta)}$$

$$= \lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \left[ \sin \theta \left( \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} \right) \frac{1}{1 + \cos \theta} \right]$$

$\downarrow$   $\downarrow (a)$   $\downarrow \checkmark$   
 $0 \cdot 1 \cdot 1/2 = 0$





$$\frac{1}{2} \sin \theta \leq \frac{1}{2} \theta \leq \frac{1}{2} \tan \theta \quad (\text{Area: } \triangle \leq \text{Sector} \leq \triangle)$$

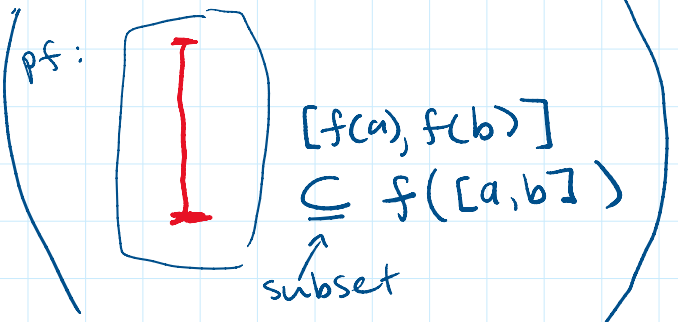
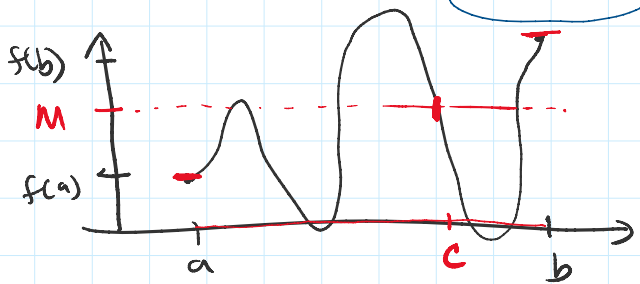
$$\sin \theta \leq \theta \leq \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \quad (\Rightarrow \cos \theta \leq \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} \leq 1)$$

## Intermediate Value Theorem (IVT)

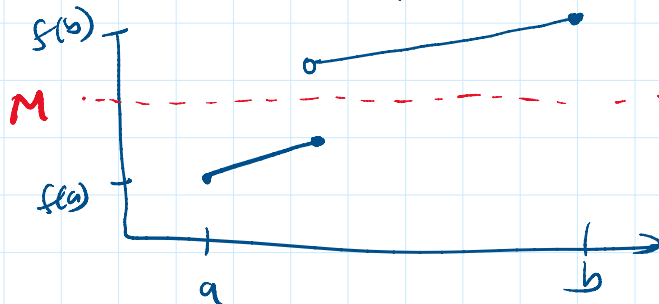
Thm:

Let  $f$  be continuous on a closed interval  $[a, b]$ .  
 Then, for any  $M$  strictly between  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$   
 ( $f(a) < M < f(b)$  OR  $f(b) < M < f(a)$ ), then

there exists  $c \in (a, b)$  such that  $f(c) = M$ .



eg., discontinuous



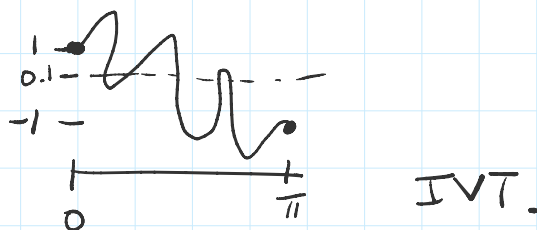
there is no  $c$   
 such that  
 $f(c) = M$

need continuity of  $f$ !

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ex1: Prove  $\cos x = 0.1$  has at least one solution for  $x \in (0, \pi)$ .

$\cos$  is continuous  
 $\cos(0) = 1, \cos(\pi) = -1$



ex2: Prove  $\cos: [0, \pi] \rightarrow [-1, 1]$  is a surjection.

$$\cos(x) = y$$

$\uparrow$   
[ -1, 1 ]

$y = -1, x = \pi$   
 $y = 1, x = 0$

$\cos(x) = y \Rightarrow$  IVT, there is a solution  $x$ , for any  $y \in (-1, 1)$ .

$\uparrow$   
(0,  $\pi$ )

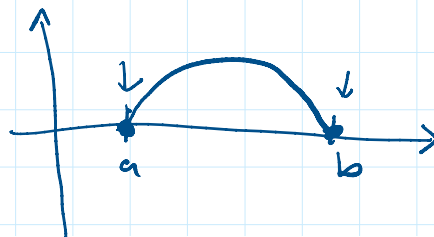
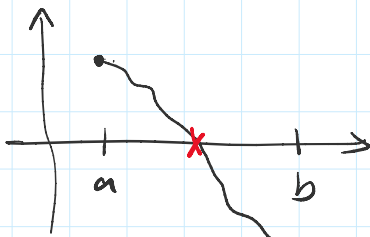
Solving equation

$$\boxed{f(x) = 0}$$

Corollary (Existence of zeroes)

If  $f$  is continuous on  $[a, b]$  and one of  $f(a)$  or  $f(b)$  is nonpositive and the other is nonnegative, then there is at least one solution  $x \in [a, b]$  to  $f(x) = 0$ .

Corollary: immediate consequence of a theorem. (not much to prove)





ex/ Show that  $\cos x = x$  has a solution for  $x$  in  $[0, 1]$ .

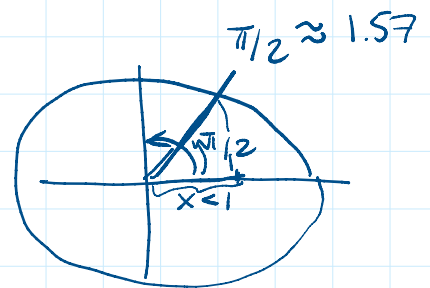
→ Consider  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  given by  $f(x) = x - \cos x$ .

Is  $f$  continuous? Yes, by sum law.

$$\rightarrow f(0) = 0 - \cos(0) = -1.$$

$$\underline{f(1)} = 1 - \underbrace{\cos(1)}_{< 1} > 0$$

By IVT corollary, there exists a zero of  $f$  at  $x$  in  $[0, 1]$ .



ex/ Show  $\tan^{-1}(x) = \cos^{-1}(x)$  has a solution.

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