

2. Let  $\frac{1}{1+x} = (1+x)^{-1}$ . Then  $f(0) = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned}f'(x) &= -1!(1+x)^{-2} & f'(0) &= -1, \\f''(x) &= 2!(1+x)^{-3} & f''(0) &= 2!, \\f'''(x) &= -3!(1+x)^{-4} & f'''(0) &= -3!, \\f^{(4)}(x) &= 4!(1+x)^{-5} & f^{(4)}(0) &= 4!, \\f^{(5)}(x) &= -5!(1+x)^{-6} & f^{(5)}(0) &= -5!, \\f^{(6)}(x) &= 6!(1+x)^{-7} & f^{(6)}(0) &= 6!, \\f^{(7)}(x) &= -7!(1+x)^{-8} & f^{(7)}(0) &= -7!, \\f^{(8)}(x) &= 8!(1+x)^{-9} & f^{(8)}(0) &= 8!.\end{aligned}$$

$$P_4(x) = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + x^4,$$

$$P_6(x) = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + x^4 - x^5 + x^6,$$

$$P_8(x) = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + x^4 - x^5 + x^6 - x^7 + x^8.$$

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4. Let  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{1-x} = (1-x)^{1/3}$ . Then  $f(0) = 1$ , and

$$\begin{aligned}f'(x) &= -\frac{1}{3}(1-x)^{-2/3} & f'(0) &= -\frac{1}{3}, \\f''(x) &= -\frac{2}{3^2}(1-x)^{-5/3} & f''(0) &= -\frac{2}{3^2}, \\f'''(x) &= -\frac{10}{3^3}(1-x)^{-8/3} & f'''(0) &= -\frac{10}{3^3}, \\f^{(4)}(x) &= -\frac{80}{3^4}(1-x)^{-11/3} & f^{(4)}(0) &= -\frac{80}{3^4}.\end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$P_2(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{2!} \frac{2}{3^2}x^2 = 1 - \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{9}x^2,$$

$$P_3(x) = P_2(x) - \frac{1}{3!} \left(\frac{10}{3^3}\right)x^3 = 1 - \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{9}x^2 - \frac{5}{81}x^3,$$

$$P_4(x) = P_3(x) - \frac{1}{4!} \frac{80}{3^4}x^4 = 1 - \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{9}x^2 - \frac{5}{81}x^3 - \frac{10}{243}x^4.$$

12. Let  $f(x) = e^x$ . Since  $f^{(k)}(x) = e^x = f(x)$  for all  $k \geq 1$ , the Taylor polynomial of degree 4 for  $f(x) = e^x$  about  $x = 1$  is

$$\begin{aligned} P_4(x) &= e^1 + e^1(x-1) + \frac{e^1}{2!}(x-1)^2 + \frac{e^1}{3!}(x-1)^3 + \frac{e^1}{4!}(x-1)^4 \\ &= e \left[ 1 + (x-1) + \frac{1}{2}(x-1)^2 + \frac{1}{6}(x-1)^3 + \frac{1}{24}(x-1)^4 \right]. \end{aligned}$$

26.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - (1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!})}{x^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{x^2}{4!} \right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

27. For  $f(h) = e^h$ ,  $P_4(h) = 1 + h + \frac{h^2}{2} + \frac{h^3}{3!} + \frac{h^4}{4!}$ . So

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1 - h}{h^2} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{P_4(h) - 1 - h}{h^2} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{h^2}{2} + \frac{h^3}{3!} + \frac{h^4}{4!}}{h^2} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{h}{3!} + \frac{h^2}{4!} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^h - 1 - h - \frac{h^2}{2}}{h^3} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{P_4(h) - 1 - h - \frac{h^2}{2}}{h^3} \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{h^3}{3!} + \frac{h^4}{4!}}{h^3} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{h}{4!} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{3!} = \frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

Using Taylor polynomials of higher degree would not have changed the results since the terms with higher powers of  $h$  all go to zero as  $h \rightarrow 0$ .

28. (a) We use the Taylor polynomial of degree two for  $f$  and  $h$  about  $x = 2$ .

$$f(x) \approx f(2) + f'(2)(x-2) + \frac{f''(2)}{2!}(x-2)^2 = \frac{3}{2}(x-2)^2$$

$$h(x) \approx h(2) + h'(2)(x-2) + \frac{h''(2)}{2!}(x-2)^2 = \frac{7}{2}(x-2)^2$$

Thus, using the fact that near  $x = 2$  we can approximate a function by Taylor polynomials

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{f(x)}{h(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{\frac{3}{2}(x-2)^2}{\frac{7}{2}(x-2)^2} = \frac{3}{7}$$

(b) We use the Taylor polynomial of degree two for  $f$  and  $g$  about  $x = 2$ .

$$f(x) \approx f(2) + f'(2)(x-2) + \frac{f''(2)}{2!}(x-2)^2 = \frac{3}{2}(x-2)^2$$

$$g(x) \approx g(2) + g'(2)(x-2) + \frac{g''(2)}{2!}(x-2)^2 = 22(x-2) + \frac{5}{2}(x-2)^2$$

Thus,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left( \frac{\frac{3}{2}(x-2)^2}{22(x-2) + 5(x-2)^2} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left( \frac{\frac{3}{2}(x-2)}{22 + 5(x-2)} \right) = \frac{0}{22} = 0$$

29. (a) Since the coefficient of the  $x$ -term of each  $f$  is 1, we know  $f'_1(0) = f'_2(0) = f'_3(0) = 1$ . Thus, each of the  $f$ s slopes upward near 0, and are in the second figure.

The coefficient of the  $x$ -term in  $g_1$  and in  $g_2$  is 1, so  $g'_1(0) = g'_2(0) = 1$ . For  $g_3$  however,  $g'_3(0) = -1$ . Thus,  $g_1$  and  $g_2$  slope up near 0, but  $g_3$  slopes down. The  $g$ s are in the first figure.

(b) Since  $g_1(0) = g_2(0) = g_3(0) = 1$ , the point  $A$  is  $(0, 1)$ .

Since  $f_1(0) = f_2(0) = f_3(0) = 2$ , the point  $B$  is  $(0, 2)$ .