

Important Series Expansions

Taylor: $f(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x-a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x-a)^3 + \dots + \frac{f^n(a)}{n!}(x-a)^n + \dots$

$$(1+x)^\alpha = 1 + ax + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)(\alpha-2)}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$

$$(1+x)^{-1} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \dots; \quad -1 < x < 1$$

$$(1+x)^{1/2} = 1 + \frac{x}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{x^3}{16} - \frac{5x^4}{128} + \frac{7x^5}{256} + \dots; \quad -1 < x < 1$$

$$(1+x)^{-1/2} = 1 - \frac{x}{2} + \frac{3}{8}x^2 - \frac{5x^3}{16} + \frac{35x^4}{128} - \frac{63x^5}{256} + \dots; \quad -1 < x < 1$$

$$\ln x = \frac{x-1}{x} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-1}{x}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{x-1}{x}\right)^3 + \dots; \quad x \geq \frac{1}{2};$$

$$\ln x = (x-1) - \frac{1}{2}(x-1)^2 + \frac{1}{3}(x-1)^3 - \dots; \quad |x-1| \leq 1, \quad x \neq 0$$

$$\ln(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots + (-1)^{n+1} \frac{x^n}{n}; \quad |x| \leq 1, \quad x \neq -1$$

$$\ln(1-x) = -x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} - \dots - \frac{x^n}{n}; \quad |x| < 1$$

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots + x^n + \frac{x^n}{1-x}; \quad |x| < 1; \quad \frac{1}{(1-x)^2} = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \dots + nx^{n-1} + R; \quad |x| < 1; \quad R \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!} + \dots; \quad \sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots; \quad \cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots$$

$$\tan x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} + \dots; \quad \cot x = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{x}{3} + \frac{x^3}{45} - \frac{2x^5}{245} + \dots$$

$$\sec x = 1 + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{5x^4}{24} + \frac{61x^6}{720} + \dots; \quad \csc x = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{x}{6} + \frac{7}{360}x^3 + \frac{31}{15120}x^5 + \dots$$

$$\sin^{-1} x = x + \frac{x^3}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 x^5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 5} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 x^7}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 7} + \dots; \quad |x| < 1; \quad \tan^{-1} x = x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots; \quad |x| \leq 1;$$

$$\tan^{-1} x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{3x^3} - \frac{1}{5x^5} + \dots; \quad x > 1; \quad \tan^{-1} x = -\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{3x^3} - \frac{1}{5x^5} + \dots; \quad x < -1$$

$$\cot^{-1} x = \tan^{-1}(x^{-1}); \quad \sec^{-1} x = \cos^{-1}(x^{-1}); \quad \csc^{-1} x = \sin^{-1}(x^{-1}); \quad -1 \leq x \leq 1;$$

$$\sinh x = x + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots; \quad \cosh x = 1 + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$\tanh x = x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} - \frac{17x^7}{315} + \dots; \quad |x| < \frac{\pi}{2}; \quad \coth x = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{x}{3} - \frac{x^3}{45} + \frac{2x^5}{945} + \dots$$

$$\operatorname{sech} x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{5x^4}{24} - \frac{61x^6}{720} + \dots; \quad \operatorname{csch} x = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{x}{6} + \frac{7x^3}{360} - \frac{31x^5}{15120} + \dots$$

$$\sinh^{-1} x = x - \frac{1}{2 \cdot 3}x^3 + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 5}x^5 - \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 7}x^7 + \dots; \quad |x| < 1$$

$$= \ln 2x + \frac{1}{2 \cdot 2x^2} - \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 4x^4} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 6x^6} + \dots; \quad |x| > 1$$

$$\cosh^{-1} x = \ln 2x - \frac{1}{2 \cdot 2x^2} - \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 4x^4} - \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 6x^6} + \dots; \quad |x| > 1$$

$$\tanh^{-1} x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots; \quad |x| < 1; \quad \coth^{-1} x = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{3x^3} + \frac{1}{5x^5} + \frac{1}{7x^7} + \dots; \quad |x| > 1$$

$$\cos^3 x = 1 - \frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{7}{8}x^4 - \frac{x^6}{8} + \dots; \quad \sin^3 x = x^3 - \frac{1}{2}x^5 + \frac{3}{4}x^7 - \frac{1}{216}x^9 + \dots$$