

Linearization Practice

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For each problem, find a linear approximation of the given quantity.

1) 2.01^3

2) 1.96^3

3) 4.01^3

4) $\sin 29^\circ$

5) $\cos 92^\circ$

6) 1.98^3

7) $\cos 137^\circ$

8) 7.02^3

9) $\sqrt[3]{26.8}$

10) $\sqrt{25.2}$

11) $\cos 62^\circ$

12) $\sin 148^\circ$

Use differentials to solve each problem.

13) The radius of a sphere is measured to be 9 in, with a possible error of $\pm \frac{3}{10}$ in. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated volume.

14) The sides of a square are measured to be 8 ft, with a possible error of $\pm \frac{1}{5}$ ft. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated area.

15) The sides of a cube are measured to be 4 ft, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{3}{10}$ ft. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated volume.

16) The radius of a circle is measured to be 4 cm, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{1}{5}$ cm. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated area.

17) The radius of a sphere is measured to be 4 ft, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{1}{5}$ ft. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated surface area.

18) The radius of a sphere is measured to be 9 ft, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{1}{10}$ ft. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated volume.

- 19) The radius of a sphere is measured to be 5 in, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{1}{5}$ in. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated volume.
- 20) The radius of a sphere is measured to be 5 cm, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{3}{10}$ cm. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated surface area.
- 21) The radius of a circle is measured to be 4 ft, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{3}{10}$ ft. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated area.
- 22) The radius of a sphere is measured to be 9 ft, with a possible error of $\pm\frac{1}{5}$ ft. Estimate the possible propagated error in the calculated surface area.

Answers to Linearization Practice (ID: 1)

1) $f(x) = x^3, f'(x) = 3x^2$
 $x_0 = 2, \Delta x = 0.01$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{203}{25} = 8.12$$

2) $f(x) = x^3, f'(x) = 3x^2$
 $x_0 = 2, \Delta x = -0.04$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{188}{25} = 7.52$$

3) $f(x) = x^3, f'(x) = 3x^2$
 $x_0 = 4, \Delta x = 0.01$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{1612}{25} = 64.48$$

4) $f(x) = \sin x, f'(x) = \cos x$

$$x_0 = \frac{\pi}{6} \text{ radians}, \Delta x = -\frac{\pi}{180} \text{ radians}$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{180 - \pi\sqrt{3}}{360} \approx 0.4849$$

5) $f(x) = \cos x, f'(x) = -\sin x$

$$x_0 = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ radians}, \Delta x = \frac{\pi}{90} \text{ radians}$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = -\frac{\pi}{90} \approx -0.0349$$

6) $f(x) = x^3, f'(x) = 3x^2$
 $x_0 = 2, \Delta x = -0.02$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{194}{25} = 7.76$$

7) $f(x) = \cos x, f'(x) = -\sin x$

$$x_0 = \frac{3\pi}{4} \text{ radians}, \Delta x = \frac{\pi}{90} \text{ radians}$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{\sqrt{2}(-90 - \pi)}{180} \approx -0.7318$$

8) $f(x) = x^3, f'(x) = 3x^2$
 $x_0 = 7, \Delta x = 0.02$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{17297}{50} = 345.94$$

9) $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}, f'(x) = \frac{1}{3x^{\frac{2}{3}}}$

$$x_0 = 27, \Delta x = -0.2$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{404}{135} \approx 2.9926$$

10) $f(x) = \sqrt{x}, f'(x) = \frac{1}{2x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$

$$x_0 = 25, \Delta x = 0.2$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{251}{50} = 5.02$$

11) $f(x) = \cos x, f'(x) = -\sin x$

$$x_0 = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ radians}, \Delta x = \frac{\pi}{90} \text{ radians}$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{90 - \pi\sqrt{3}}{180} \approx 0.4698$$

$$12) f(x) = \sin x, f'(x) = \cos x$$

$$x_0 = \frac{5\pi}{6} \text{ radians}, \Delta x = -\frac{\pi}{90} \text{ radians}$$

$$f(x_0 + \Delta x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)\Delta x = \frac{90 + \pi\sqrt{3}}{180} \approx 0.5302$$

$$13) V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3, dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$r = 9, dr = \pm 0.3$$

$$\Delta V \approx dV = \pm \frac{486\pi}{5} \approx \pm 305.3628 \text{ in}^3$$

$$15) V = s^3, dV = 3s^2 ds$$

$$s = 4, ds = \pm 0.3$$

$$\Delta V \approx dV = \pm \frac{72}{5} = \pm 14.4 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$17) A = 4\pi r^2, dA = 8\pi r dr$$

$$r = 4, dr = \pm 0.2$$

$$\Delta A \approx dA = \pm \frac{32\pi}{5} \approx \pm 20.1062 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$19) V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3, dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$r = 5, dr = \pm 0.2$$

$$\Delta V \approx dV = \pm 20\pi \approx \pm 62.8319 \text{ in}^3$$

$$21) A = \pi r^2, dA = 2\pi r dr$$

$$r = 4, dr = \pm 0.3$$

$$\Delta A \approx dA = \pm \frac{12\pi}{5} \approx \pm 7.5398 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$14) A = s^2, dA = 2s ds$$

$$s = 8, ds = \pm 0.2$$

$$\Delta A \approx dA = \pm \frac{16}{5} = \pm 3.2 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$16) A = \pi r^2, dA = 2\pi r dr$$

$$r = 4, dr = \pm 0.2$$

$$\Delta A \approx dA = \pm \frac{8\pi}{5} \approx \pm 5.0265 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$18) V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3, dV = 4\pi r^2 dr$$

$$r = 9, dr = \pm 0.1$$

$$\Delta V \approx dV = \pm \frac{162\pi}{5} \approx \pm 101.7876 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$20) A = 4\pi r^2, dA = 8\pi r dr$$

$$r = 5, dr = \pm 0.3$$

$$\Delta A \approx dA = \pm 12\pi \approx \pm 37.6991 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$22) A = 4\pi r^2, dA = 8\pi r dr$$

$$r = 9, dr = \pm 0.2$$

$$\Delta A \approx dA = \pm \frac{72\pi}{5} \approx \pm 45.2389 \text{ ft}^2$$