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Note Title

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Taylor Series  
in higher dim

$S$ -open & convex

$$\vec{a}, \vec{a} + \vec{h} = \vec{x} \in S$$

$f$  is  $C^k$  at least  $C^k$  some  $k$ .

$$g(t) = f(\vec{a} + t\vec{h})$$

$$t \begin{matrix} \vec{a} \rightarrow 0 \\ \vec{x} \rightarrow 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$g'(t) = \nabla f(\vec{a} + t\vec{h}) \cdot \vec{h}$$

$$= (h_1 \partial_{x_1} + h_2 \partial_{x_2} + \dots + h_n \partial_{x_n})(f)$$

operator

$$= \underline{\underline{(\vec{h} \cdot \nabla) f}}$$

$$f''(x) = (\vec{h} \cdot \nabla)(\vec{h} \cdot \nabla) (f(\vec{a} + x\vec{h}));$$

$$= (\vec{h} \cdot \nabla)^2 (f)(\vec{a} + x\vec{h})$$

$$f^{(j)}(x) = (\vec{h} \cdot \nabla)^j (f)(\vec{a} + x\vec{h}).$$

$$(\underbrace{h_1 \partial_{x_1} + h_2 \partial_{x_2} + \dots + h_n \partial_{x_n}}_{(j_i \leq k)})^j$$

$$= \left( \sum_{|\vec{\alpha}|=j} \frac{j!}{\vec{\alpha}!} \vec{h}^{\vec{\alpha}} \right) (f)(\vec{a} + x\vec{h})$$

$$f(\vec{a} + \vec{h}) = \sum_{j=0}^k \frac{(\vec{h} \cdot \nabla)^j f(\vec{a})}{j!} + R_{\vec{a}, k}(\vec{h}).$$

$$= \sum_{|\vec{\alpha}| \leq k} \frac{d^{\vec{\alpha}} f(\vec{a})}{\vec{\alpha}!} \vec{h}^{\vec{\alpha}} + R_{\vec{a}, k}(\vec{h})$$

Con  $S \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ , convex  
& open

$f: S \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is  $C^k$

Then  $\lim_{\vec{h} \rightarrow 0} \frac{|R_{\vec{a}, k}(\vec{h})|}{\|\vec{h}\|^{k+1}} = 0$ .

If  $f$  is  $C^{k+1}$

$$|\partial^{\vec{\alpha}} f| \leq M \quad \forall |\vec{\alpha}| = k+1$$

then

$$|R_{\vec{a}, k}(\vec{h})| \leq \frac{M}{(k+1)!} \|\vec{h}\|^{k+1}$$

pf of Znd.

From Lagrange

$\exists c$  bet. 0 & 1,

$$|R_{\vec{a}, k}(\vec{h})|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\sum_{|\vec{\alpha}|=k+1} \partial^{\vec{\alpha}} f(\vec{a} + c\vec{h}) \frac{\vec{h}^{\vec{\alpha}}}{\alpha!}}{\alpha!} \right|$$

$$\leq M \left| \sum_{|\vec{\alpha}|=k+1} \frac{\vec{h}^{\vec{\alpha}}}{\alpha!} \right|$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{M}{(k+1)!} \underbrace{\left( \sum_{|d|=k+1} \frac{(k+1)!}{2!} \frac{1}{h^2} \right)}_{k+1} \\
&\frac{M}{(k+1)!} | (h_1 + \dots + h_n)^{k+1} | \\
&\leq \frac{M}{(k+1)!} \underbrace{(|h_1| + \dots + |h_n|)}_{|h|}^{k+1}
\end{aligned}$$

Find the Taylor  
poly of deg 5

for  $(e^x - 1)(\cos 2x - 1)^2$

$$\left( x + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \frac{x^5}{120} - 1 \right) \cdot$$

$$\left( x - \frac{(2x)^2}{2} + \frac{(2x)^4}{24} - 1 \right)^2$$

$$x (4x^4)$$

$$\underline{\underline{= 4x^5}}$$

Higher dim.

$$f(\vec{a} + \vec{h}) \approx f(\vec{a}) + \nabla f(\vec{a}) \cdot \vec{h} + \boxed{\text{order 2}} + \mathcal{R}$$

order 2

$$\frac{d^{|\vec{\alpha}|} f(\vec{a})}{|\vec{\alpha}|!} h^{\vec{\alpha}}$$

$|\vec{\alpha}| = 2$

$$\vec{\alpha} = \begin{cases} (0 \dots 0 \underset{i}{2} 0 \dots 0) \\ (0 \dots 0 \underset{i}{1} 0 \dots 1 \dots 0) \end{cases}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{d^2_{x_i} f(\vec{a})}{2} h_i^2 + \sum_{\substack{i,j=1 \\ i \neq j}}^n \frac{d_{x_i} d_{x_j} f(\vec{a})}{2} h_i h_j$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{d_{x_i} d_{x_j} f(\vec{a})}{2} h_i h_j$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2 \partial x_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_2^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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2nd order terms or  
 $\vec{h}^T H \vec{h}$

$$(h_1, h_2, \dots, h_m) \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_m^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Hessian H

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1^2} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_m^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

fish  $\mathbb{R}^n$

Symmetric

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_j \partial x_i}$$

Hessian can be  
diagonalized by  
an orthonormal change  
of basis.