

1. Compute  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - \frac{5n}{6})^{3n-2}$  !

2. Let  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5x, x_0 = 7$ . Compute  $\frac{f(x_0 + \Delta x) - f(x_0)}{\Delta x}$  !

3. Let  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5x, x_0 = 7$ . What is the prediction of the linear approximation of  $f$  around  $x_0$  for the value of  $f(7 + \Delta x)$  ?

4. Compute  $((x + 3) \cos(4x))'$  !

(1)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 + \frac{1}{n})^n = e^1$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - \frac{5n}{6})^{3n-2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} [1 + (-\frac{5}{6})]^n \cdot (1 - \frac{5n}{6})^{-2}$

$= [e^{-5/6}]^3 \cdot 1^{-2} = e^{-15/6} = e^{-5/2}$

(2)  $f(x_0 + \Delta x) = 3(7 + \Delta x)^2 - 5(7 + \Delta x) = 3(7^2 + 2 \cdot 7 \cdot \Delta x + \Delta x^2) - 5(7 + \Delta x)$

$f(7 + \Delta x) - f(7) = [3(7^2 + 2 \cdot 7 \cdot \Delta x + \Delta x^2) - 5(7 + \Delta x)] - [3 \cdot 7^2 - 5 \cdot 7]$

$= \frac{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 7 \cdot \Delta x + 3 \Delta x^2 - 5 \Delta x}{\Delta x} = (3 \cdot 2 \cdot 7 - 5) + 3 \Delta x = 37 + 3 \Delta x$

(3)  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5x$   
 $f'(x) = 6x - 5$   
 $f(7) = 3 \cdot 7^2 - 5 \cdot 7 = 112$   
 $f'(7) = 6 \cdot 7 - 5 = 37$

$f(7 + \Delta x) \approx 112 + 37 \Delta x$

(4)  $(f \cdot g)' = f'g + fg'$   
 $[ (x+3) \cos(4x) ]' = (x+3)' \cos(4x) + (x+3) \cos(4x)'$   
 $= 1 \cdot \cos(4x) + (x+3) [-5 \sin(4x)] \cdot 4$