

Dave's Math Tables

Dave's Math Tables: *Questions & Comments*

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Please Help:
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(1) Post your question on this site's [Math Message Board](#). This is a web-based newsgroup (discussion group) for math talk, question, and answers. There are sections for algebra, trig, geometry, calculus, elementary math, and general discussions.

(2) Send your question to [Ask Dr. Math](#). This is a highly-popular, high-quality math question answering site run by Swarthmore College as part of the Math Forum.

(3) **I am currently very busy, so I can not personally respond to math problems and questions;** please use the above *Math Message Board* instead, where a number of qualified mathematicians, teachers, and students will be able to take your questions. If you do, though, have technical questions with regards to this site or need to reach me, the following methods are available:

(A) Type your question/comment here. You *must* include your e-mail if you desire a response.

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Dave's Math Tables: Number Notation



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Hierarchy of Numbers

0(zero) 1(one) 2(two) 3(three) 4(four)
 5(five) 6(six) 7(seven) 8(eight) 9(nine)
 10¹(ten) 10²(hundred) 10³(thousand)

name	American-French	English-German
million	10 ⁶	10 ⁶
billion	10 ⁹	10 ¹²
trillion	10 ¹²	10 ¹⁸
quadrillion	10 ¹⁵	10 ²⁴
quintillion	10 ¹⁸	10 ³⁰
sextillion	10 ²¹	10 ³⁶
septillion	10 ²⁴	10 ⁴²
octillion	10 ²⁷	10 ⁴⁸
nonillion	10 ³⁰	10 ⁵⁴
decillion	10 ³³	10 ⁶⁰
undecillion	10 ³⁶	10 ⁶⁶
duodecillion	10 ³⁹	10 ⁷²
tredecillion	10 ⁴²	10 ⁷⁸
quatuordecillion	10 ⁴⁵	10 ⁸⁴
quindecillion	10 ⁴⁸	10 ⁹⁰
sexdecillion	10 ⁵¹	10 ⁹⁶
septendecillion	10 ⁵⁴	10 ¹⁰²
octodecillion	10 ⁵⁷	10 ¹⁰⁸
novemdecillion	10 ⁶⁰	10 ¹¹⁴
vigintillion	10 ⁶³	10 ¹²⁰

googol	10 ¹⁰⁰	
googolplex	10 ^{googol} = 10 ^(10¹⁰⁰)	

SI Prefixes

Number	Prefix	Symbol	Number	Prefix	Symbol
10 ¹	deka-	da	10 ⁻¹	deci-	d
10 ²	hecto-	h	10 ⁻²	centi-	c
10 ³	kilo-	k	10 ⁻³	milli-	m
10 ⁶	mega-	M	10 ⁻⁶	micro-	u (greek mu)
10 ⁹	giga-	G	10 ⁻⁹	nano-	n
10 ¹²	tera-	T	10 ⁻¹²	pico-	p
10 ¹⁵	peta-	P	10 ⁻¹⁵	femto-	f
10 ¹⁸	exa-	E	10 ⁻¹⁸	atto-	a
10 ²¹	zeta-	Z	10 ⁻²¹	zepto-	z
10 ²⁴	yotta-	Y	10 ⁻²⁴	yocto-	y

Roman Numerals

I=1	V=5	X=10	L=50	C=100	D=500	M=1 000
	\bar{V} =5 000	\bar{X} =10 000	\bar{L} =50 000	\bar{C} = 100 000	\bar{D} =500 000	\bar{M} =1 000 000

Examples:

1 = I	11 = XI	25 = XXV
2 = II	12 = XII	30 = XXX
3 = III	13 = XIII	40 = XL
4 = IV	14 = XIV	49 = XLIX
5 = V	15 = XV	50 = L
6 = VI	16 = XVI	51 = LI
7 = VII	17 = XVII	60 = LX
8 = VIII	18 = XVIII	70 = LXX
9 = IX	19 = XIX	80 = LXXX
10 = X	20 = XX	90 = XC
	21 = XXI	99 = XCIX

Number Base Systems

decimal	binary	ternary	oct	hex
0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1
2	10	2	2	2
3	11	10	3	3
4	100	11	4	4
5	101	12	5	5
6	110	20	6	6
7	111	21	7	7
8	1000	22	10	8
9	1001	100	11	9
10	1010	101	12	A
11	1011	102	13	B
12	1100	110	14	C
13	1101	111	15	D
14	1110	112	16	E
15	1111	120	17	F
16	10000	121	20	10
17	10001	122	21	11
18	10010	200	22	12
19	10011	201	23	13
20	10100	202	24	14

Java Base Conversion Calculator *(This converts non-integer values & negative bases too!)*

(For Microsoft 2+/Netscape 2+/Javascript web browsers only)

from base	to base	value to convert
<input type="text" value="10"/>	<input type="text" value="16"/>	<input type="text" value="256"/>
<input type="button" value="calculate"/>	<input type="text" value="100"/>	

Caution: due to CPU restrictions, some rounding has been known to occur for numbers spanning greater than 12 base10 digits, 13 hexadecimal digits or 52 binary digits. Just like a regular calculator, rounding can occur.

Dave's Math Tables: *Weights and Measures*

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Unit Conversion Tables for Lengths & Distances

A note on the metric system:

Before you use this table, convert to the base measurement first, in that convert centi-meters to meters, convert kilo-grams to grams. In this way, I don't have to list every imaginable combination of metric units.

The notation $1.23\text{E} + 4$ stands for $1.23 \times 10^{+4} = 0.000123$.

from \ to	= __ feet	= __ inches	= __ meters	= __ miles	= __ yards
foot		12	0.3048	(1/5280)	(1/3)
inch	(1/12)		0.0254	(1/63360)	(1/36)
meter	3.280839...	39.37007...		6.213711...E - 4	1.093613...
mile	5280	63360	1609.344		1760
yard	3	36	0.9144	(1/1760)	

To use: Find the unit to convert **from** in the left column, and multiply it by the expression under the unit to convert **to**.

Examples: foot = 12 inches; 2 feet = 2x12 inches.

Useful Exact Length Relationships

mile = 1760 yards = 5280 feet

yard = 3 feet = 36 inches

foot = 12 inches

inch = 2.54 centimeters

Dave's Math Tables: *Weights and Measures*

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Unit Conversion Tables for Areas

A note on the metric system:

Before you use this table **convert to the base measurement first**, in that convert **centi-meters to meters**, convert **kilo-grams to grams**. In this way, I don't have to list every imaginable combination of metric units.

The notation $1.23\text{E} + 4$ stands for $1.23 \times 10^{+4} = 0.000123$.

from \ to	= __ acres	= __ feet ²	= __ inches ²	= __ meters ²	= __ miles ²	= __ yards ²
acre		43560	6272640	4046.856...	(1/640)	4840
foot²	(1/43560)		144	0.09290304	(1/27878400)	(1/9)
inch²	(1/6272640)	(1/144)		6.4516E - 4	3.587006E - 10	(1/1296)
meter²	2.471054...E - 4	10.76391...	1550.0031		3.861021...E - 7	1.195990...
mile²	640	27878400	2.78784E + 9	2.589988...E + 6		3097600
yard²	(1/4840)	9	1296	0.83612736	3.228305...E - 7	

To use: Find the unit to convert **from** in the left column, and multiply it by the expression under the unit to convert **to**.

Examples: $\text{foot}^2 = \underline{144} \text{ inches}^2$; $2 \text{ feet}^2 = \underline{2 \times 144} \text{ inches}^2$.

Useful Exact Area & Length Relationships

acre = (1/640) miles²
 mile = 1760 yards = 5280 feet
 yard = 3 feet = 36 inches
 foot = 12 inches
 inch = 2.54 centimeters

Note that when converting area units:

1 foot = 12 inches

$(1 \text{ foot})^2 = (12 \text{ inches})^2$ (square both sides)

1 foot² = 144 inches²

The linear & area relationships are not the same!

Dave's Math Tables: *Exponential Identities*

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Powers

$$x^a x^b = x^{(a+b)}$$

$$x^a y^a = (xy)^a$$

$$(x^a)^b = x^{(ab)}$$

$$x^{(a/b)} = b^{\text{th}} \text{ root of } (x^a) = (b^{\text{th}} \sqrt{}(x))^a$$

$$x^{(-a)} = 1 / x^a$$

$$x^{(a-b)} = x^a / x^b$$

Logarithms

$$y = \log_b(x) \text{ if and only if } x = b^y$$

$$\log_b(1) = 0$$

$$\log_b(b) = 1$$

$$\log_b(x \cdot y) = \log_b(x) + \log_b(y)$$

$$\log_b(x/y) = \log_b(x) - \log_b(y)$$

$$\log_b(x^n) = n \log_b(x)$$

$$\log_b(x) = \log_b(c) * \log_c(x) = \log_c(x) / \log_c(b)$$

Dave's Math Tables: [e](#)

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e = 2.7182818284 5904523536 0287471352 6624977572 4709369995 9574966967 6277240766
3035354759 4571382178 5251664274 ...

$$e = \lim_{(n \rightarrow 0)} (1 + n)^{(1/n)} \quad \text{or} \quad e = \lim_{(n \rightarrow \infty)} (1 + 1/n)^n$$

$$e = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 1 / n!$$

see also [Exponential Function Expansions](#).

Dave's Math Tables: *Exponential Expansions*

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Function	Summation Expansion	Comments
e	$e = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 1 / n!$ $= 1/1 + 1/1 + 1/2 + 1/6 + \dots$	see constant e
e ⁻¹	$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n / n!$ $= 1/1 - 1/1 + 1/2 - 1/6 + \dots$	
e ^x	$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n / n!$ $= 1/1 + x/1 + x^2 / 2 + x^3 / 6 + \dots$	

Dave's Math Tables: *Log Expansions*

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Expansions of the Logarithm Function

Function	Summation Expansion	Comments
ln (x)	$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-1)^n}{n}$ $= (x-1) - (1/2)(x-1)^2 + (1/3)(x-1)^3 + (1/4)(x-1)^4 + \dots$	Taylor Series Centered at 1 (0 < x <=2)
ln (x)	$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{((x-1) / x)^n}{n}$ $= (x-1)/x + (1/2) ((x-1) / x)^2 + (1/3) ((x-1) / x)^3 + (1/4) ((x-1) / x)^4 + \dots$	(x > 1/2)
ln (x)	$= \ln(a) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-a)^n}{n a^n}$ $= \ln(a) + (x-a) / a - (x-a)^2 / 2a^2 + (x-a)^3 / 3a^3 - (x-a)^4 / 3a^4 + \dots$	Taylor Series (0 < x <= 2a)
ln (x)	$= 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{((x-1)/(x+1))^{(2n-1)}}{(2n-1)}$ $= 2 [(x-1)/(x+1) + (1/3)((x-1)/(x+1))^3 + (1/5) ((x-1)/(x+1))^5 + (1/7) ((x-1)/(x+1))^7 + \dots]$	(x > 0)

Expansions Which Have Logarithm-Based Equivalents

Summation Expansion	Equivalent Value	Comments
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n}$ $= x + (1/2)x^2 + (1/3)x^3 + (1/4)x^4 + \dots$	$= -\ln(x+1)$	$(-1 < x \leq 1)$
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^n}{n}$ $= -x + (1/2)x^2 - (1/3)x^3 + (1/4)x^4 + \dots$	$= -\ln(x)$	$(-1 < x \leq 1)$
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n-1}}{2n-1}$ $= x + (1/3)x^3 + (1/5)x^5 + (1/7)x^7 + \dots$	$= \frac{\ln((1+x)/(1-x))}{2}$	$(-1 < x < 1)$

Dave's Math Tables: *Circles*

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Definition: A circle is the locus of all points equidistant from a central point.

Definitions Related to Circles



a circle

arc: a curved line that is part of the circumference of a circle
chord: a line segment within a circle that touches 2 points on the circle.
circumference: the distance around the circle.
diameter: the longest distance from one end of a circle to the other.
origin: the center of the circle
pi (π): A number, 3.141592..., equal to (the circumference) / (the diameter) of any circle.
radius: distance from center of circle to any point on it.
sector: is like a slice of pie (a circle wedge).
tangent of circle: a line perpendicular to the radius that touches ONLY one point on the circle.

diameter = 2 x radius of circle

Circumference of Circle = **PI x diameter** = 2 PI x radius

where **PI** = π = 3.141592...

Area of Circle:

$$\text{area} = \text{PI } r^2$$



Length of a Circular Arc: (with central angle θ)

if the angle θ is in degrees, then length = $\theta \times (\text{PI}/180) \times r$

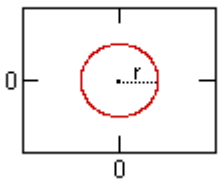
if the angle θ is in radians, then length = $r \times \theta$

Area of Circle Sector: (with central angle θ)

if the angle θ is in degrees, then area = $(\theta/360) \times \text{PI } r^2$

if the angle θ is in radians, then area = $(\theta/2) \times \text{PI } r^2$

Equation of Circle: (cartesian coordinates)



for a circle with center (**j**, **k**) and radius (**r**):

$$(x-j)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$$

Equation of Circle: (polar coordinates)

for a circle with center $(0, 0)$: $r(\theta) = \text{radius}$

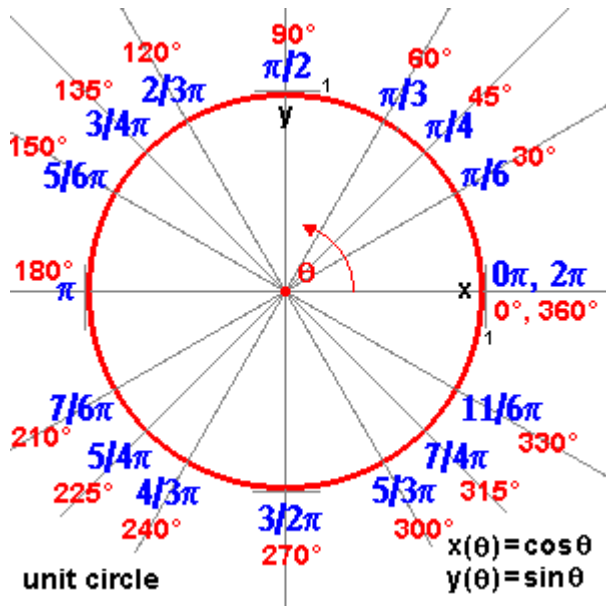
for a circle with center with polar coordinates: (c, α) and radius a :

$$r^2 - 2cr \cos(\theta - \alpha) + c^2 = a^2$$

Equation of a Circle: (parametric coordinates)

for a circle with origin (j, k) and radius r :

$$x(t) = r \cos(t) + j \quad y(t) = r \sin(t) + k$$




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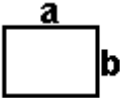


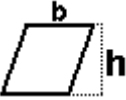
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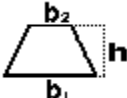
($\pi = \pi = 3.141592\dots$)


Areas

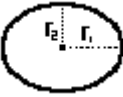
square = a^2 

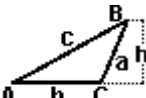
rectangle = ab 

parallelogram = bh 

trapezoid = $h/2 (b_1 + b_2)$ 

circle = πr^2 

ellipse = $\pi r_1 r_2$ 


triangle = $(1/2) b h$ 

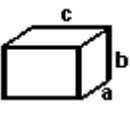
equilateral triangle = $[\sqrt{3}/2] a^2 = \sqrt{3}/4 a^2$

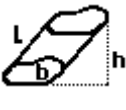
triangle given SAS = $(1/2) a b \sin C$

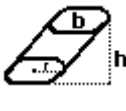
triangle given a,b,c = $\sqrt{[s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)]}$ when $s = (a+b+c)/2$ (**Heron's formula**)

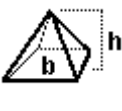
Volumes


cube = a^3 


rectangular prism = $a b c$ 

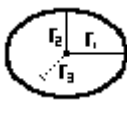
irregular prism = $b h$ 

cylinder = $b h = \pi r^2 h$ 


pyramid = $(1/3) b h$ 

cone = $(1/3) b h = 1/3 \pi r^2 h$ 

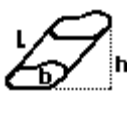
sphere = $(4/3) \pi r^3$ 


ellipsoid = $(4/3) \pi r_1 r_2 r_3$ 

Surface Area

cube = $6 a^2$ 

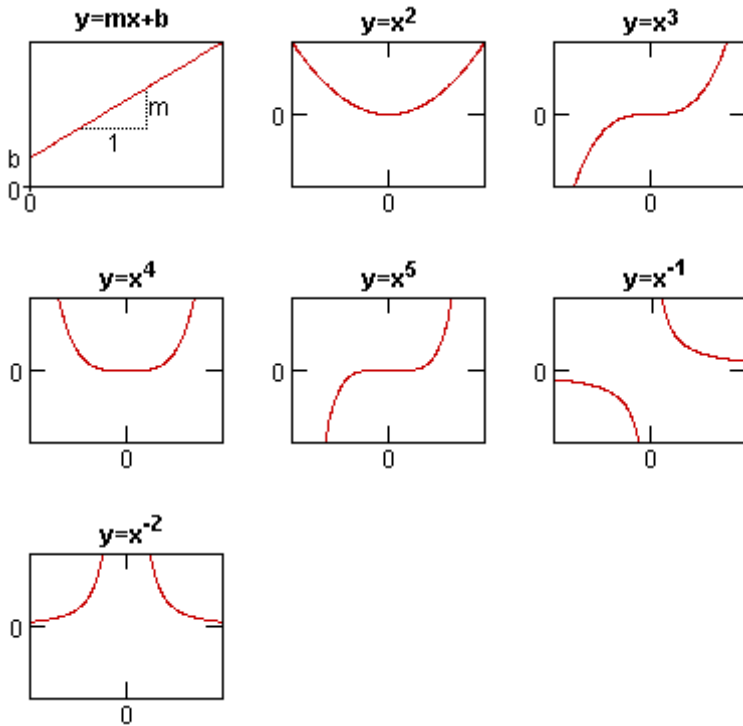
prism:
(lateral area) = perimeter(**b**) L

(total area) = perimeter(**b**) L + 2b 

sphere = $4 \pi r^2$ 

Dave's Math Tables: Algebraic Graphs UP

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<p>Conic Sections (see also Conic Sections)</p>	<p>Point</p> <p>$x^2 + y^2 = 0$</p>	<p>Circle</p> <p>$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$</p>
<p>Ellipse</p> <p>$x^2/a^2 + y^2/b^2 = 1$</p>	<p>Ellipse</p> <p>$x^2/b^2 + y^2/a^2 = 1$</p>	<p>Hyperbola</p> <p>$x^2/a^2 - y^2/b^2 = 1$</p>
<p>Parabola</p>	<p>Parabola</p>	<p>Hyperbola</p>

$$4px = y^2$$

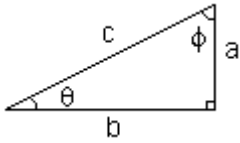
$$4py = x^2$$

$$y^2 / a^2 - x^2 / b^2 = 1$$

For any of the above with a center at (j, k) instead of (0,0), replace each x term with (x-j) and each y term with (y-k) to get the desired equation.

Dave's Math Tables: *Trigonometric Identities*

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$\sin(\theta) = a / c$	$\csc(\theta) = 1 / \sin(\theta) = c / a$
$\cos(\theta) = b / c$	$\sec(\theta) = 1 / \cos(\theta) = c / b$
$\tan(\theta) = \sin(\theta) / \cos(\theta) = a / b$	$\cot(\theta) = 1 / \tan(\theta) = b / a$

$$\sin(-x) = -\sin(x)$$

$$\csc(-x) = -\csc(x)$$

$$\cos(-x) = \cos(x)$$

$$\sec(-x) = \sec(x)$$

$$\tan(-x) = -\tan(x)$$

$$\cot(-x) = -\cot(x)$$

$\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) = 1$	$\tan^2(x) + 1 = \sec^2(x)$	$\cot^2(x) + 1 = \csc^2(x)$
$\sin(x \pm y) = \sin x \cos y \pm \cos x \sin y$		
$\cos(x \pm y) = \cos x \cos y \mp \sin x \sin y$		

$$\tan(x \pm y) = (\tan x \pm \tan y) / (1 \mp \tan x \tan y)$$

$$\sin(2x) = 2 \sin x \cos x$$

$$\cos(2x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x) = 2 \cos^2(x) - 1 = 1 - 2 \sin^2(x)$$

$$\tan(2x) = 2 \tan(x) / (1 - \tan^2(x))$$

$$\sin^2(x) = 1/2 - 1/2 \cos(2x)$$

$$\cos^2(x) = 1/2 + 1/2 \cos(2x)$$

$$\sin x - \sin y = 2 \sin((x - y)/2) \cos((x + y)/2)$$

$$\cos x - \cos y = -2 \sin((x - y)/2) \sin((x + y)/2)$$

Trig Table of Common Angles

angle	0	30	45	60	90
$\sin^2(a)$	0/4	1/4	2/4	3/4	4/4
$\cos^2(a)$	4/4	3/4	2/4	1/4	0/4
$\tan^2(a)$	0/4	1/3	2/2	3/1	4/0

Given Triangle abc, with angles A,B,C; a is opposite to A, b opposite B, c opposite C:

$$a/\sin(A) = b/\sin(B) = c/\sin(C) \text{ (Law of Sines)}$$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos(C)$$

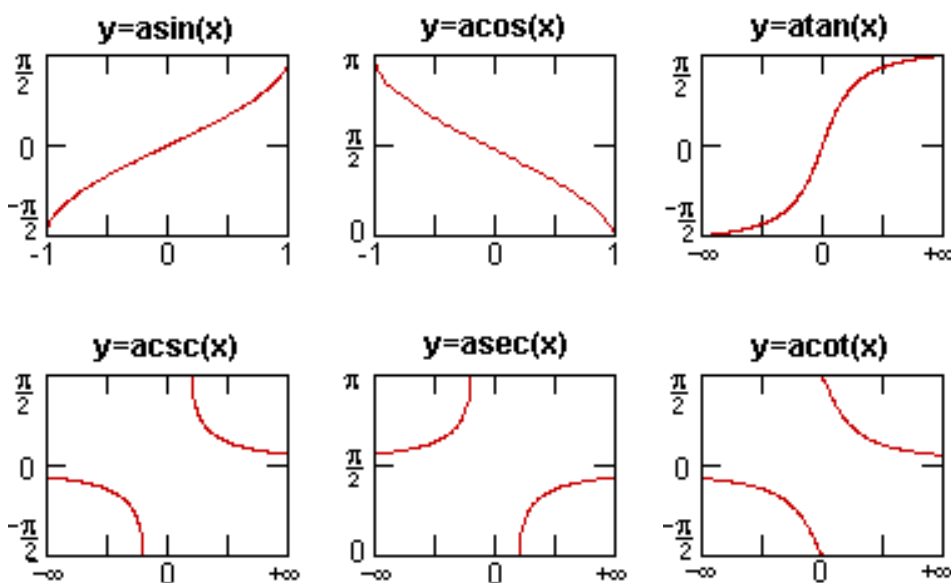
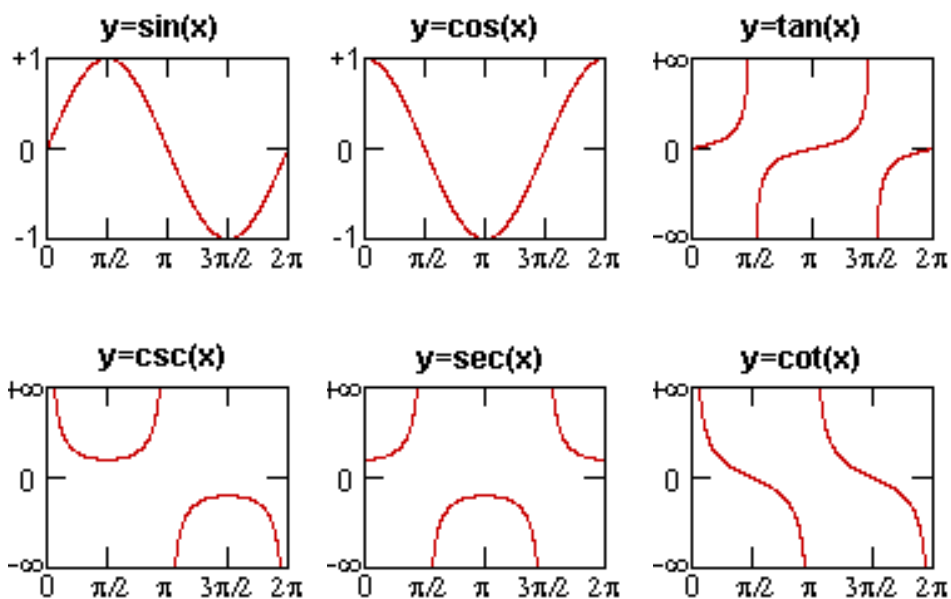
$$b^2 = a^2 + c^2 - 2ac \cos(B) \text{ (Law of Cosines)}$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos(A)$$

$$(a - b)/(a + b) = \tan 1/2(A-B) / \tan 1/2(A+B) \text{ (Law of Tangents) --not necessary with the above}$$

Dave's Math Tables: *Trigonometric Graphs*

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Dave's Math Tables: *Series Properties*

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Semi-Formal Definition of a "Series":

A series $\sum_{n=a}^b a_n$ is the *indicated* sum of all values of a_n when n is set to each integer from a to b inclusive; namely, the indicated sum of the values $a_a + a_{a+1} + a_{a+2} + \dots + a_{b-1} + a_b$.

Definition of the "Sum of the Series":

The "sum of the series" is the *actual result* when all the terms of the series are summed.

Note the difference: "1 + 2 + 3" is an example of a "series," but "6" is the actual "sum of the series."

Algebraic Definition:

$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n = a_a + a_{a+1} + a_{a+2} + \dots + a_{b-1} + a_b$$

Summation Arithmetic:

$$\sum_{n=a}^b c a_n = c \sum_{n=a}^b a_n \quad (\text{constant } c)$$

$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n + \sum_{n=a}^b b_n = \sum_{n=a}^b a_n + b_n$$

$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n - \sum_{n=a}^b b_n = \sum_{n=a}^b a_n - b_n$$

Summation Identities on the Bounds:

$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n + \sum_{n=b+1}^c a_n = \sum_{n=a}^c a_n$$

$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n = \sum_{n=a-c}^{b-c} a_{n+c}$$

$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n = \sum_{n=a/c}^{b/c} a_{nc}$$

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(similar relations exist for subtraction and division
as generalized below for any operation g)
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$$\sum_{n=a}^b a_n = \sum_{n=g(a)}^{g(b)} a_{g^{-1}(c)}$$

Dave's Math Tables: *Power Summations*

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Summation	Expansion	Equivalent Value	Comments
$\sum_{k=1}^n k$	$= 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n$	$= \frac{(n^2 + n)}{2}$ $= \frac{1}{2}n^2 + \frac{1}{2}n$	sum of 1 st n integers
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2$	$= 1 + 4 + 9 + 16 + \dots + n^2$	$= \frac{1}{6}n(n+1)(2n+1)$ $= \frac{1}{3}n^3 + \frac{1}{2}n^2 + \frac{1}{6}n$	sum of 1 st n squares
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^3$	$= 1 + 8 + 27 + 64 + \dots + n^3$	$= \frac{1}{4}n^4 + \frac{1}{2}n^3 + \frac{1}{4}n^2$	sum of 1 st n cubes
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^4$	$= 1 + 16 + 81 + 256 + \dots + n^4$	$= \frac{1}{5}n^5 + \frac{1}{2}n^4 + \frac{1}{3}n^3 - \frac{1}{30}n$	
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^5$	$= 1 + 32 + 243 + 1024 + \dots + n^5$	$= \frac{1}{6}n^6 + \frac{1}{2}n^5 + \frac{5}{12}n^4 - \frac{1}{12}n^2$	
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^6$	$= 1 + 64 + 729 + 4096 + \dots + n^6$	$= \frac{1}{7}n^7 + \frac{1}{2}n^6 + \frac{1}{2}n^5 - \frac{1}{6}n^3 + \frac{1}{42}n$	
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^7$	$= 1 + 128 + 2187 + 16384 + \dots + n^7$	$= \frac{1}{8}n^8 + \frac{1}{2}n^7 + \frac{7}{12}n^6 - \frac{7}{24}n^4 + \frac{1}{12}n^2$	
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^8$	$= 1 + 256 + 6561 + 65536 + \dots + n^8$	$= \frac{1}{9}n^9 + \frac{1}{2}n^8 + \frac{2}{3}n^7 - \frac{7}{15}n^5 + \frac{2}{9}n^3 - \frac{1}{30}n$	

$\sum_{k=1}^n k^9$	$= 1 + 512 + 19683 + 262144 + \dots + n^9$	$= (1/10)n^{10} + (1/2)n^9 + (3/4)n^8 - (7/10)n^6 + (1/2)n^4 - (3/20)n^2$	
$\sum_{k=1}^n k^{10}$	$= 1 + 1024 + 59049 + 1048576 + \dots + n^{10}$	$= (1/11)n^{11} + (1/2)n^{10} + (5/6)n^9 - n^7 + n^5 - (1/2)n^3 + (5/66)n$	

Dave's Math Tables: *Power Summations #2*



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Summation	Expansion	Equivalent Value	Comments
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n$	$= 1 + 1/2 + 1/3 + 1/4 + \dots$	diverges to ∞	see the gamma constant
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^2$	$= 1 + 1/4 + 1/9 + 1/16 + \dots$	$= (1/6) \pi^2 = 1.64493406684822\dots$	see Expansions of PI
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^3$	$= 1 + 1/8 + 1/27 + 1/81 + \dots$	$= 1.20205690315031\dots$	see the Unproved Theorems
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^4$	$= 1 + 1/16 + 1/81 + 1/256 + \dots$	$= (1/90) \pi^4 = 1.08232323371113\dots$	see Expansions of PI
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^5$	$= 1 + 1/32 + 1/243 + 1/1024 + \dots$	$= 1.03692775514333\dots$	see the Unproved Theorems
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^6$	$= 1 + 1/64 + 1/729 + 1/4096 + \dots$	$= (1/945) \pi^6 = 1.017343061984449\dots$	see Expansions of PI
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^7$	$= 1 + 1/128 + 1/2187 + 1/16384 + \dots$	$= 1.00834927738192\dots$	see the Unproved Theorems
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^8$	$= 1 + 1/256 + 1/6561 + 1/65536 + \dots$	$= (1/9450) \pi^8 = 1.00407735619794\dots$	see Expansions of PI

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^9$	$= 1 + 1/512 + 1/19683 + 1/262144 + \dots$	$= 1.00200839282608\dots$	see the Unproved Theorems
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^{10}$	$= 1 + 1/1024 + 1/59049 + 1/1048576 + \dots$	$= (1/93555) \text{PI}^{10} = 1.00099457512781\dots$	see Expansions of PI
$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/(2n)^n$	$= 1 + 1/(2n)^2 + 1/(2n)^3 + 1/(2n)^4 + \dots$	$= (-1)^{n-1} (2^{2n} B_{(2n)} \text{PI}^{2n}) / (2(2n)!)$	see Expansions of PI

Dave's Math Tables: *Geometric Summations*

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Summation	Expansion	Convergence	Comments
$\sum_{n=0}^{n-1} r^n$	$= 1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots + r^{n-1}$ (first n terms)	for $r \neq 1$, $= (1 - r^n) / (1 - r)$ for $r = 1$, $= nr$	Finite Geometric Series
$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^n$	$= 1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots$	for $ r < 1$, converges to $1 / (1 - r)$ for $ r \geq 1$ diverges	Infinite Geometric Series

See also the Geometric Series Convergence in the [Convergence Tests](#).

Dave's Math Tables: *Series Convergence Tests*

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Definition of Convergence and Divergence in Series

The n^{th} partial sum of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is given by $S_n = a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_n$. If the sequence of these partial sums $\{S_n\}$ converges to L , then the sum of the series converges to L . If $\{S_n\}$ diverges, then the sum of the series diverges.

Operations on Convergent Series

If $\sum a_n = A$, and $\sum b_n = B$, then the following also converge as indicated:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum ca_n &= cA \\ \sum (a_n + b_n) &= A + B \\ \sum (a_n - b_n) &= A - B \end{aligned}$$

Alphabetical Listing of Convergence Tests

Absolute Convergence

If the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$ converges, then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ also converges.

Alternating Series Test

If for all n , a_n is positive, non-increasing (i.e. $0 < a_{n+1} \leq a_n$), and approaching zero, then the alternating series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} a_n$$

both converge.

If the alternating series converges, then the remainder $R_N = S - S_N$ (where S is the exact sum of the infinite series and S_N is the sum of the first N terms of the series) is bounded by $|R_N| \leq a_{N+1}$

Deleting the first N Terms

If N is a positive integer, then the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \text{ and } \sum_{n=N+1}^{\infty} a_n$$

both converge or both diverge.

Direct Comparison Test

If $0 \leq a_n \leq b_n$ for all n greater than some positive integer N , then the following rules apply:

If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ converges, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges.

If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ diverges.

Geometric Series Convergence

The geometric series is given by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a r^n = a + a r + a r^2 + a r^3 + \dots$$

If $|r| < 1$ then the following geometric series converges to $a / (1 - r)$.

If $|r| \geq 1$ then the above geometric series diverges.

Integral Test

If for all $n \geq 1$, $f(n) = a_n$, and f is positive, continuous, and decreasing then

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \text{ and } \int_1^{\infty} a_n$$

either both converge or both diverge.

If the above series converges, then the remainder $R_N = S - S_N$ (where S is the exact sum of the infinite series and S_N is the sum of the first N terms of the series) is

bounded by $0 < R_N \leq \int_{(N.. \infty)} f(x) dx$.

Limit Comparison Test

If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty}$

$$(a_n / b_n) = L,$$

where $a_n, b_n > 0$ and L is finite and positive,

then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ either both converge or both diverge.

nth-Term Test for Divergence

If the sequence $\{a_n\}$ does not converge to zero, then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges.

p-Series Convergence

The p-series is given by

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/n^p = 1/1^p + 1/2^p + 1/3^p + \dots$$

where $p > 0$ by definition.

If $p > 1$, then the series converges.

If $0 < p \leq 1$ then the series diverges.

Ratio Test

If for all n , $a_n \neq 0$, then the following rules apply:

Let $L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_{n+1} / a_n|$.

If $L < 1$, then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges.

If $L > 1$, then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges.

If $L = 1$, then the test is *inconclusive*.

Root Test

Let $L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_n|^{1/n}$.

If $L < 1$, then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges.

If $L > 1$, then the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges.

If $L = 1$, then the test is *inconclusive*.

Taylor Series Convergence

If f has derivatives of all orders in an interval I centered at c , then the Taylor series converges as indicated:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (1/n!) f^{(n)}(c) (x - c)^n = f(x)$$

if and only if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} R_n = 0$ for all x in I .

The remainder $R_N = S - S_N$ of the Taylor series (where S is the exact sum of the infinite series and S_N is the sum of the first N terms of the series) is equal to

$(1/(n+1)!) f^{(n+1)}(z) (x - c)^{n+1}$, where z is some constant between x and c .

Dave's Math Tables: *Table of Integrals*

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Power of x.

$\int x^n dx = x^{(n+1)} / (n+1) + C$ ($n \neq -1$) Proof	$\int 1/x dx = \ln x + C$
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Exponential / Logarithmic

$\int e^x dx = e^x + C$ Proof	$\int b^x dx = b^x / \ln(x) + C$ Proof, Tip!
$\int \ln(x) dx = x \ln(x) - x + C$ Proof	

Trigonometric

$\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$ Proof	$\int \csc x dx = -\ln \csc x + \cot x + C$ Proof
$\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$ Proof	$\int \sec x dx = \ln \sec x + \tan x + C$ Proof
$\int \tan x dx = -\ln \cos x + C$ Proof	$\int \cot x dx = \ln \sin x + C$ Proof

Trigonometric Result

$\int \cos x dx = \sin x + C$ Proof	$\int \csc x \cot x dx = -\csc x + C$ Proof
$\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + C$ Proof	$\int \sec x \tan x dx = \sec x + C$ Proof
$\int \sec^2 x dx = \tan x + C$ Proof	$\int \csc^2 x dx = -\cot x + C$ Proof

Inverse Trigonometric

$\int \arcsin x dx = x \arcsin x + \sqrt{1-x^2} + C$
$\int \operatorname{arccsc} x dx = x \arccos x - \sqrt{1-x^2} + C$
$\int \arctan x dx = x \arctan x - (1/2) \ln(1+x^2) + C$

Inverse Trigonometric Result

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \arcsin x + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{x^2-1}} = \operatorname{arcsec}|x| + C$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \arctan x + C$$

Useful Identities

$$\arccos x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \arcsin x$$

($-1 \leq x \leq 1$)

$$\operatorname{arccsc} x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \operatorname{arcsec} x$$

($|x| \geq 1$)

$$\operatorname{arccot} x = \frac{\pi}{2} - \arctan x$$

(for all x)

Hyperbolic

$$\int \sinh x \, dx = \cosh x + C$$

[Proof](#)

$$\int \operatorname{csch} x \, dx = \ln |\tanh(x/2)| + C$$

[Proof](#)

$$\int \cosh x \, dx = \sinh x + C$$

[Proof](#)

$$\int \operatorname{sech} x \, dx = \arctan (\sinh x) + C$$

$$\int \tanh x \, dx = \ln (\cosh x) + C$$

[Proof](#)

$$\int \operatorname{coth} x \, dx = \ln |\sinh x| + C$$

[Proof](#)

Click on [Proof](#) for a proof/discussion of a theorem.

To solve a more complicated integral, see [The Integrator](#) at <http://integrals.com>.

Dave's Math Tables: *Integral Identities*

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Formal Integral Definition:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \lim_{(d \rightarrow 0)} \sum_{(k=1..n)} f(X_{(k)}) (x_{(k)} - x_{(k-1)}) \text{ when...}$$

$$a = x_0 < x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_n = b$$

$$d = \max (x_1 - x_0, x_2 - x_1, \dots, x_n - x_{(n-1)})$$

$$x_{(k-1)} \leq X_{(k)} \leq x_{(k)} \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\int_a^b F'(x) dx = F(b) - F(a) \text{ (Fundamental Theorem for integrals of derivatives)}$$

$$\int_a^a f(x) dx = a \int f(x) dx \text{ (if } a \text{ is constant)}$$

$$\int f(x) + g(x) dx = \int f(x) dx + \int g(x) dx$$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int f(x) dx \mid (a \ b)$$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx + \int_b^c f(x) dx = \int_a^c f(x) dx$$

$$\int f(u) du/dx dx = \int f(u) du \text{ (integration by substitution)}$$

Dave's Math Tables: *Table Derivatives*

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Power of x.

$\frac{d}{dx} c = 0$	$\frac{d}{dx} x = 1$	$\frac{d}{dx} x^n = n x^{(n-1)}$ Proof
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Exponential / Logarithmic

$\frac{d}{dx} e^x = e^x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} b^x = b^x \ln(b)$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \ln(x) = 1/x$ Proof
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Trigonometric

$\frac{d}{dx} \sin x = \cos x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \csc x = -\csc x \cot x$ Proof
$\frac{d}{dx} \cos x = -\sin x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \sec x = \sec x \tan x$ Proof
$\frac{d}{dx} \tan x = \sec^2 x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \cot x = -\csc^2 x$ Proof

Inverse Trigonometric

$\frac{d}{dx} \arcsin x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{arccsc} x = \frac{-1}{ x \sqrt{x^2-1}}$
$\frac{d}{dx} \arccos x = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{arcsec} x = \frac{1}{ x \sqrt{x^2-1}}$
$\frac{d}{dx} \arctan x = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{arccot} x = \frac{-1}{1+x^2}$

Hyperbolic

$\frac{d}{dx} \sinh x = \cosh x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{csch} x = -\operatorname{coth} x \operatorname{csch} x$ Proof
$\frac{d}{dx} \cosh x = \sinh x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{sech} x = -\tanh x \operatorname{sech} x$ Proof
$\frac{d}{dx} \tanh x = 1 - \tanh^2 x$ Proof	$\frac{d}{dx} \operatorname{coth} x = 1 - \operatorname{coth}^2 x$ Proof

Those with hyperlinks have proofs.

Dave's Math Tables: *Differentiation Identities*

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Definitions of the Derivative:

$$df / dx = \lim (dx \rightarrow 0) (f(x+dx) - f(x)) / dx \text{ (right sided)}$$

$$df / dx = \lim (dx \rightarrow 0) (f(x) - f(x-dx)) / dx \text{ (left sided)}$$

$$df / dx = \lim (dx \rightarrow 0) (f(x+dx) - f(x-dx)) / (2dx) \text{ (both sided)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_a^x f(t) dt = f(x) \text{ (Fundamental Theorem for Derivatives)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} c f(x) = c \text{ PROOF}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x) \text{ (} c \text{ is a constant)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (f(x) + g(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} f(x) + \frac{d}{dx} g(x) \text{ PROOF}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = \frac{df}{dg} * \frac{d}{dx} g(x) \text{ (chain rule) PROOF}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x)g(x) = f'(x)g(x) + f(x)g'(x) \text{ (product rule)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x)/g(x) = (f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)) / g^2(x) \text{ (quotient rule)}$$

Partial Differentiation Identities

if $f(x(r,s), y(r,s))$

$$df / dr = df / dx * dx / dr + df / dy * dy / dr$$

$$df / ds = df / dx * dx / ds + df / dy * dy / ds$$

if $f(x(r,s))$

$$df / dr = df / dx * dx / dr$$

$$df / ds = df / dx * dx / ds$$

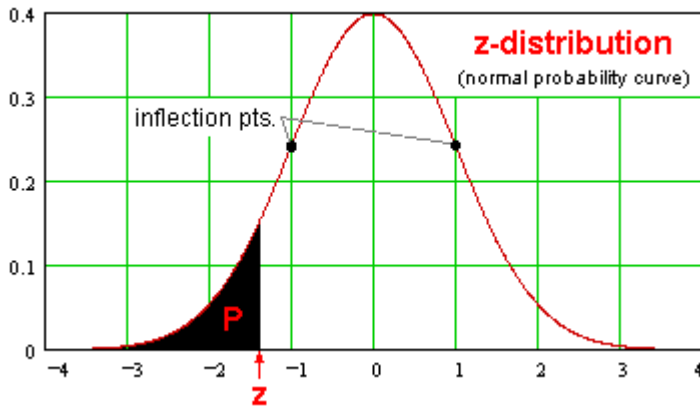
directional derivative

$$df(x,y) / d(X_i \text{ sub } a) = f_1(x,y) \cos(a) + f_2(x,y) \sin(a)$$

$(X_i \text{ sub } a) =$ angle counter-clockwise from pos. x axis.

Dave's Math Tables: z-distribution UP

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The z- is a N(0, 1) distribution, given by the equation:

$$f(z) = 1/\sqrt{2\pi} e^{(-z^2/2)}$$

The area within an interval (a,b) = normalcdf(a,b) = $\int_a^b e^{-z^2/2} dz$ *(It is not integratable algebraically.)*

The Taylor expansion of the above assists in speeding up the calculation:

$$\text{normalcdf}(-\infty, z) = 1/2 + 1/\sqrt{2\pi} \sum_{k=0.. \infty} [((-1)^k x^{(2k+1)}) / ((2k+1) 2^k k!)]$$

Standard Normal Probabilities:

(The table is based on the area **P** under the standard normal probability curve, below the respective **z**-statistic.)

z	.00	.01	.02	.03	.04	.05	.06	.07	.08	.09
-4.0	0.00003	0.00003	0.00003	0.00003	0.00003	0.00003	0.00002	0.00002	0.00002	0.00002
-3.9	0.00005	0.00005	0.00004	0.00004	0.00004	0.00004	0.00004	0.00004	0.00003	0.00003
-3.8	0.00007	0.00007	0.00007	0.00006	0.00006	0.00006	0.00006	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005
-3.7	0.00011	0.00010	0.00010	0.00010	0.00009	0.00009	0.00008	0.00008	0.00008	0.00008
-3.6	0.00016	0.00015	0.00015	0.00014	0.00014	0.00013	0.00013	0.00012	0.00012	0.00011
-3.5	0.00023	0.00022	0.00022	0.00021	0.00020	0.00019	0.00019	0.00018	0.00017	0.00017
-3.4	0.00034	0.00032	0.00031	0.00030	0.00029	0.00028	0.00027	0.00026	0.00025	0.00024
-3.3	0.00048	0.00047	0.00045	0.00043	0.00042	0.00040	0.00039	0.00038	0.00036	0.00035
-3.2	0.00069	0.00066	0.00064	0.00062	0.00060	0.00058	0.00056	0.00054	0.00052	0.00050
-3.1	0.00097	0.00094	0.00090	0.00087	0.00084	0.00082	0.00079	0.00076	0.00074	0.00071
-3.0	0.00135	0.00131	0.00126	0.00122	0.00118	0.00114	0.00111	0.00107	0.00103	0.00100
-2.9	0.00187	0.00181	0.00175	0.00169	0.00164	0.00159	0.00154	0.00149	0.00144	0.00139
-2.8	0.00256	0.00248	0.00240	0.00233	0.00226	0.00219	0.00212	0.00205	0.00199	0.00193

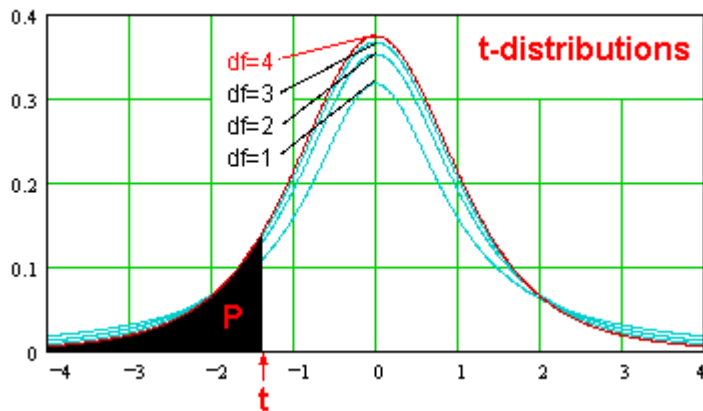
-2.7	0.00347	0.00336	0.00326	0.00317	0.00307	0.00298	0.00289	0.00280	0.00272	0.00264
-2.6	0.00466	0.00453	0.00440	0.00427	0.00415	0.00402	0.00391	0.00379	0.00368	0.00357
-2.5	0.00621	0.00604	0.00587	0.00570	0.00554	0.00539	0.00523	0.00508	0.00494	0.00480
-2.4	0.00820	0.00798	0.00776	0.00755	0.00734	0.00714	0.00695	0.00676	0.00657	0.00639
-2.3	0.01072	0.01044	0.01017	0.00990	0.00964	0.00939	0.00914	0.00889	0.00866	0.00842
-2.2	0.01390	0.01355	0.01321	0.01287	0.01255	0.01222	0.01191	0.01160	0.01130	0.01101
-2.1	0.01786	0.01743	0.01700	0.01659	0.01618	0.01578	0.01539	0.01500	0.01463	0.01426
-2.0	0.02275	0.02222	0.02169	0.02118	0.02067	0.02018	0.01970	0.01923	0.01876	0.01831
-1.9	0.02872	0.02807	0.02743	0.02680	0.02619	0.02559	0.02500	0.02442	0.02385	0.02330
-1.8	0.03593	0.03515	0.03438	0.03362	0.03288	0.03216	0.03144	0.03074	0.03005	0.02938
-1.7	0.04456	0.04363	0.04272	0.04181	0.04093	0.04006	0.03920	0.03836	0.03754	0.03673
-1.6	0.05480	0.05370	0.05262	0.05155	0.05050	0.04947	0.04846	0.04746	0.04648	0.04551
-1.5	0.06681	0.06552	0.06425	0.06301	0.06178	0.06057	0.05938	0.05821	0.05705	0.05592
-1.4	0.08076	0.07927	0.07780	0.07636	0.07493	0.07353	0.07214	0.07078	0.06944	0.06811
-1.3	0.09680	0.09510	0.09342	0.09176	0.09012	0.08851	0.08691	0.08534	0.08379	0.08226
-1.2	0.11507	0.11314	0.11123	0.10935	0.10749	0.10565	0.10383	0.10204	0.10027	0.09852
-1.1	0.13566	0.13350	0.13136	0.12924	0.12714	0.12507	0.12302	0.12100	0.11900	0.11702
-1.0	0.15865	0.15625	0.15386	0.15150	0.14917	0.14686	0.14457	0.14231	0.14007	0.13786
-0.9	0.18406	0.18141	0.17878	0.17618	0.17361	0.17105	0.16853	0.16602	0.16354	0.16109
-0.8	0.21185	0.20897	0.20611	0.20327	0.20045	0.19766	0.19489	0.19215	0.18943	0.18673
-0.7	0.24196	0.23885	0.23576	0.23269	0.22965	0.22663	0.22363	0.22065	0.21769	0.21476
-0.6	0.27425	0.27093	0.26763	0.26434	0.26108	0.25784	0.25462	0.25143	0.24825	0.24509
-0.5	0.30853	0.30502	0.30153	0.29805	0.29460	0.29116	0.28774	0.28434	0.28095	0.27759
-0.4	0.34457	0.34090	0.33724	0.33359	0.32997	0.32635	0.32276	0.31917	0.31561	0.31206
-0.3	0.38209	0.37828	0.37448	0.37070	0.36692	0.36317	0.35942	0.35569	0.35197	0.34826
-0.2	0.42074	0.41683	0.41293	0.40904	0.40516	0.40129	0.39743	0.39358	0.38974	0.38590
-0.1	0.46017	0.45620	0.45224	0.44828	0.44433	0.44038	0.43644	0.43250	0.42857	0.42465
-0.0	0.50000	0.49601	0.49202	0.48803	0.48404	0.48006	0.47607	0.47209	0.46811	0.46414

Java Normal Probability Calculator (for Microsoft 2.0+/Netscape 2.0+/Java Script browsers only)

To find the area **P** under the normal probability curve $N(\text{mean}, \text{standard_deviation})$ within the interval (left, right), type in the 4 parameters and press "Calculate". The standard normal curve $N(0, 1)$ has a mean=0 and s.d.=1. Use **-inf** and **+inf** for infinite limits.

Dave's Math Tables: *t-distributions*

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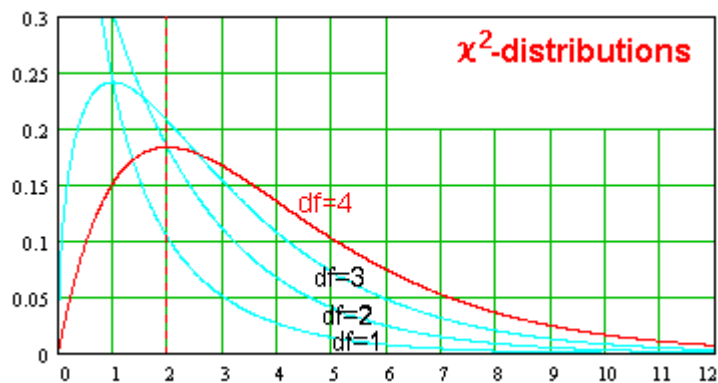


The t-distribution, with n degrees of freedom, is given by the equation:

$$f(t) = \frac{\Gamma((n+1)/2) (1 + t^2/n)^{-(n/2 - 1/2)}}{\Gamma(n/2) \sqrt{\pi n}} \quad (\text{See also } \a href="#">\text{Gamma Function.})$$

Dave's Math Tables: χ^2 -distribution

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The χ^2 -distribution, with n degrees of freedom, is given by the equation:

$$f(\chi^2) = (\chi^2)^{(n/2 - 1)} e^{(-\chi^2/2)} 2^{-(n/2)} / \Gamma(n/2)$$

The area within an interval $(a, \infty) = \int_a^{\infty} f(\chi^2) d\chi^2 = \Gamma(n/2, a/2) / \Gamma(n/2)$ (See also [Gamma function](#))

Dave's Math Tables: *Fourier Series*

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• The fourier series of the function f(x)

$$a(0) / 2 + \sum_{(k=1..∞)} (a(k) \cos kx + b(k) \sin kx)$$

$$a(k) = 1/\pi \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos kx \, dx$$

$$b(k) = 1/\pi \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin kx \, dx$$

• Remainder of fourier series. $S_n(x)$ = sum of first $n+1$ terms at x .

$$\text{remainder}(n) = f(x) - S_n(x) = 1/\pi \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x+t) D_n(t) \, dt$$

$$S_n(x) = 1/\pi \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x+t) D_n(t) \, dt$$

$$D_n(x) = \text{Dirichlet kernel} = 1/2 + \cos x + \cos 2x + \dots + \cos nx = [\sin(n + 1/2)x] / [2\sin(x/2)]$$

• Riemann's Theorem. If $f(x)$ is continuous except for a finite # of finite jumps in every finite interval then:

$$\lim_{(k \rightarrow \infty)} \int_a^b f(t) \cos kt \, dt = \lim_{(k \rightarrow \infty)} \int_a^b f(t) \sin kt \, dt = 0$$

• The fourier series of the function f(x) in an arbitrary interval.

$$A(0) / 2 + \sum_{(k=1..∞)} [A(k) \cos (k\pi x / m) + B(k) (\sin k\pi x / m)]$$

$$a(k) = 1/m \int_{-m}^m f(x) \cos (k\pi x / m) \, dx$$

$$b(k) = 1/m \int_{-m}^m f(x) \sin (k\pi x / m) \, dx$$

• Parseval's Theorem. If $f(x)$ is continuous; $f(-\pi) = f(\pi)$ then

$$1/\pi \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f^2(x) \, dx = a(0)^2 / 2 + \sum_{(k=1..∞)} (a(k)^2 + b(k)^2)$$

• Fourier Integral of the function f(x)

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} (a(y) \cos yx + b(y) \sin yx) \, dy$$

$$a(y) = 1/\pi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) \cos ty \, dt$$

Dave's Math Tables: *Fourier Transforms*

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Fourier Transform

- Definition of Fourier Transform

$$f(x) = 1/\sqrt{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(t) e^{i tx} dt$$

- Inverse Identity of Fourier Transform

$$g(x) = 1/\sqrt{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) e^{-i tx} dt$$

Fourier Sine and Cosine Transforms

- Definitions of the Transforms

$$f(x) = \sqrt{2/\pi} \int_0^{\infty} g(x) \cos(xt) dt \text{ (Cosine Transform)}$$

$$f(x) = \sqrt{2/\pi} \int_0^{\infty} g(x) \sin(xt) dt \text{ (Sine Transform)}$$

- Identities of the Transforms

IF $f(x)$ is even, THEN $\text{FourierSineTransform}(\text{FourierSineTransform}(f(x))) = f(x)$

IF $f(x)$ is odd, THEN $\text{FourierCosineTransform}(\text{FourierCosineTransform}(f(x))) = f(x)$

Under certain restrictions of continuity.

$$b(y) = 1/\pi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) \sin ty \, dt$$

$$f(x) = 1/\pi \int_0^{\infty} dy \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) \cos (y(x-t)) \, dt$$

■ Special Cases of Fourier Integral

if $f(x) = f(-x)$ then

$$f(x) = 2/\pi \int_0^{\infty} \cos xy \, dy \int_0^{\infty} f(t) \cos yt \, dt$$

if $f(-x) = -f(x)$ then

$$f(x) = 2/\pi \int_0^{\infty} \sin xy \, dy \int_0^{\infty} \sin yt \, dt$$

■ Fourier Transforms

Fourier Cosine Transform

$$g(x) = \sqrt{2/\pi} \int_0^{\infty} f(t) \cos xt \, dt$$

Fourier Sine Transform

$$g(x) = \sqrt{2/\pi} \int_0^{\infty} f(t) \sin xt \, dt$$

■ Identities of the Transforms

If $f(-x) = f(x)$ then

$$\text{Fourier Cosine Transform (Fourier Cosine Transform (f(x))) = f(x)}$$

If $f(-x) = -f(x)$ then

$$\text{Fourier Sine Transform (Fourier Sine Transform (f(x))) = f(x)}$$
