

## SOLUTIONS TO EXERCISES SERIES NO 3

### Exercise 1

#### Reminder 1

##### 1.1 Taylor's formula with Lagrange remainder

For every two numbers  $x, x_0$  of the interval  $[a, b]$  where  $x \neq x_0$  we have:

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{f^{(j)}(x_0)}{j!} (x - x_0)^j + \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!} (x - x_0)^{n+1}.$$

Where  $c$  is a real number from  $]x_0, x[$  (or  $[x, x_0]$ , if  $x < x_0$ ).

a)  $x_0 = 1$ ;  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ .

$$f^0(x) = f(x) = \frac{1}{x}, \quad f'(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2}, \quad f''(x) = (-1)^2 \frac{1 \times 2}{x^3}, \quad f^{(3)}(x) = (-1)^3 \frac{1 \times 2 \times 3}{x^4}.$$

Using proof by induction we prove that

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}: f^{(n)}(x) = (-1)^n \frac{n!}{x^{n+1}} \quad \text{and} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}: f^{(n)}(1) = (-1)^n n!.$$

For all  $x$  in  $\mathbb{R}_+^*$  where  $x \neq 1$  then

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{f^{(j)}(1)}{j!} (x - 1)^j + \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!} (x - 1)^{n+1}, \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^n (-1)^j (x - 1)^j + \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{c^{n+2}} (x - 1)^{n+1}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $c$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $1$ .

b)  $x_0 = 0$ ;  $f(x) = xe^{2x}$ .

Using the Leibniz formula  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}: (uv)^{(n)} = \sum_{p=0}^n C_n^p u^{(n-p)} v^{(p)}$  we get

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*: f^{(n)}(x) = \sum_{p=0}^n C_n^p (x)^{(p)} (e^{2x})^{(n-p)} \quad \text{and} \quad f^{(0)}(x) = xe^{2x}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*: f^{(n)}(x) &= C_n^0 (x)^{(0)} (e^{2x})^{(n)} + C_n^1 (x)^{(1)} (e^{2x})^{(n-1)} + \underbrace{\sum_{p=2}^n C_n^p (x)^{(p)} (e^{2x})^{(n-p)}}_{=0} \\ &= (x + n2^{n-1})e^{2x}. \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*: f^{(n)}(0) = n2^{n-1} \quad ; \quad f(0) = 0$$

For all  $x$  in  $\mathbb{R}$  where  $x \neq 0$  then

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{f^{(j)}(0)}{j!} x^j + \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!} x^{n+1} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{2^{j-1}}{(j-1)!} x^j + \frac{(c + (n+1)2^n)e^{2c}}{(n+1)!} x^{n+1}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $c$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $0$ .

c)  $x_0 = 2$  ;  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{x^2 - 4x + 3}$ . We have  $\frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{x^2 - 4x + 3} = \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x-3} + 1$ .

Using the proof by induction we prove that

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*: f^{(n)}(x) = (-1)^n n! \left( \frac{1}{(x-1)^{n+1}} + \frac{1}{(x-3)^{n+1}} \right) \quad \text{and} \quad f^{(0)}(x) = \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x-3} + 1.$$

So

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*: f^{(n)}(2) = n! ((-1)^n - 1) \quad \text{and} \quad f(2) = 1.$$

For all  $x$  in  $]1,3[$  where  $x \neq 2$  then

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{f^{(j)}(2)}{j!} x^j + \frac{f^{(n+1)}(c)}{(n+1)!} x^{n+1} \\ &= 1 + \sum_{j=1}^n ((-1)^j - 1) (x-2)^j + (-1)^{n+1} \left( \frac{1}{(c-1)^{n+2}} + \frac{1}{(c-3)^{n+2}} \right) (x-2)^{n+1}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\sum_{j=1}^n ((-1)^j - 1) = \begin{cases} -2; & n = 2p + 1 \\ 0; & n = 2p \end{cases}$  we get

$$f(x) = 1 - 2(x-2) - 2(x-2)^3 - 2(x-2)^5 + \dots + \left( \frac{1}{(c-1)^{n+2}} + \frac{1}{(c-3)^{n+2}} \right) (x-2)^{n+1},$$

where  $c$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $2$ .

### Exercise 2

a)  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+: x - \frac{x^2}{2} \leq \ln(1+x) \leq x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3}$ .

Using Taylor-Lagrange formula for  $f(x) = \ln(1+x)$ ,  $x_0 = 0$  and  $n = 2$ ;  $n = 3$  we get

For  $n = 2 \Rightarrow \ln(1 + x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{1}{3(c+1)^3} x^3$  where  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+$  and  $c$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $0$ .

For  $n = 3 \Rightarrow \ln(1 + x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{1}{4(k+1)^3} x^4$  where  $x \in \mathbb{R}_+$  and  $k$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $0$ .

Since  $\forall x, c, k \in \mathbb{R}_+ : -\frac{1}{4(k+1)^3} x^4 \leq 0$  and  $\frac{1}{3(c+1)^3} x^3 \geq 0$ . we get

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}_+ : x - \frac{x^2}{2} \leq \ln(1 + x) \leq x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3}.$$

b)  $\forall x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] : x - \frac{x^3}{6} \leq \sin x \leq x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^5}{120}.$

Using Taylor-Lagrange formula for  $f(x) = \sin x$ ,  $x_0 = 0$  and  $n = 3$ ;  $n = 5$  we get

For  $n = 3 \Rightarrow \sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{\sin c}{120} x^4$  where  $x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$  and  $c$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $0$ .

For  $n = 5 \Rightarrow \sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^5}{120} - \frac{\sin k}{120} x^6$  where  $x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$  and  $k$  is a real number between  $x$  and  $0$ .

Since  $\forall x, c, k \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] : -\frac{\sin k}{120} x^6 \leq 0$  and  $\frac{\sin c}{120} x^4 \geq 0$ . we get

$$\forall x \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right] : x - \frac{x^3}{6} \leq \sin x \leq x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^5}{120}.$$

2) Determine the local Extrema of  $f$  in each of the following cases.

### Reminder 2

#### 2.1 Apply Taylor's formulas to find local extrema

If  $f$  is a function of class  $C^n$  in the neighborhood of the point  $x_0$  such that:  
 $f'(x_0) = f''(x_0) = f^{(3)}(x_0) = \dots = f^{(n-1)}(x_0) = 0$  and  $f^{(n)}(x_0) \neq 0$ . Then  
 $f$  accepts a local maximum (local minimum, respectively) at  $x_0$  if and only if  $n$  is  
 even and  $f^{(n)}(x_0) < 0$  ( $f^{(n)}(x_0) > 0$ , respectively).

a)  $f(x) = x^3 - 2ax^2 + a^2x$  ( $a > 0$ ).

**Necessary condition:**

$$f'(x) = 0 \Leftrightarrow 3x^2 - 4ax + a^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = a ; x = \frac{a}{3}$$

**Sufficient condition:**

$$f''(a) = 2a > 0 \Rightarrow f(a) = 0 \text{ is local minimum value of } f.$$

$$f''\left(\frac{a}{3}\right) = -2a < 0 \Rightarrow f(a) = \frac{4}{27}a^3 \text{ is local maximum value of } f.$$

### Exercise 3

#### Reminder 3

##### 3.1 Limited Development of order $n$ in a neighborhood of 0

We say that  $f$  admits a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of 0 if and only if there exists a neighborhood  $v$  of 0 and constant numbers  $a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  where

$$\forall x \in v; x \neq 0: f(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 \dots + a_nx^n + x^n\varepsilon(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon(x) = 0.$$

##### 3.2 Operation on Limited Development

Let  $f, g$  be two functions admitting limited developments to the same order  $n$  in the neighborhood of 0. We denote their regular parts as  $P_n(x), Q_n(x)$ , respectively. That is

$$f(x) = P_n(x) + x^n\varepsilon_1(x) \quad ; \quad g(x) = Q_n(x) + x^n\varepsilon_2(x).$$

Then, the functions  $f + g, fg, \frac{f}{g}$  (if  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) \neq 0$ ),  $f \circ g$  (if  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} g(x) = 0$ ), admitting limited developments of order  $n$  in the neighborhood of 0 and we have:

$$1) f(x) + g(x) = P_n(x) + Q_n(x) + x^n\varepsilon_3(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_3(x) = 0.$$

$$2) f(x)g(x) = A_n(x) + x^n\varepsilon_4(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_4(x) = 0.$$

Where  $A_n(x)$  is the polynomial we obtain by retaining in the multiplication  $P_n(x)Q_n(x)$  only the terms with degrees less than or equal to  $n$ .

$$3) \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = B_n(x) + x^n\varepsilon_5(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_5(x) = 0.$$

Where  $B_n(x)$  is the polynomial we obtain by Euclidean division of  $P_n(x)$  by  $Q_n(x)$  according to increasing powers of  $x$  keeping only terms with degrees less than or equal to  $n$ .

$$4) f \circ g(x) = C(x) + x^n\varepsilon_6(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_6(x) = 0.$$

Where  $C_n(x)$  is the polynomial we obtain by retaining in the composite  $P_n \circ Q_n(x)$  only the terms with degrees less than or equal to  $n$ .

Find a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of 0 for the functions  $f$  in each of the following cases

$$a) n = 6, f(x) = \frac{x^2+x-1}{x^2+2}.$$

We have  $x^2 + x - 1 = x^2 + x - 1 + o(x^6)$  and  $x^2 + 2 = x^2 + 2 + o(x^6)$  because  $x^2 + x - 1$  and  $x^2 + 2$  are polynomials.

By Euclidean dividing of  $-1 + x + x^2$  over  $2 + x^2$ , according to increasing powers of  $x$ , keeping only terms with degrees less than or equal to 6, we get

$$\begin{array}{r|l}
-1+x+x^2 & 2+x^2 \\
-1-\frac{1}{2}x^2 & -\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}x+\frac{3}{4}x^2-\frac{1}{4}x^3-\frac{3}{8}x^4+\frac{1}{8}x^5+\frac{3}{16}x^6 \\
\hline
x+\frac{3}{2}x^2 & \\
x+\frac{1}{2}x^3 & \\
\hline
\frac{3}{2}x^2-\frac{1}{2}x^3 & \\
\frac{3}{2}x^2+\frac{3}{4}x^4 & \\
\hline
-\frac{1}{2}x^3-\frac{3}{4}x^4 & \\
-\frac{1}{2}x^3-\frac{1}{4}x^5 & \\
\hline
-\frac{3}{4}x^4+\frac{1}{4}x^5 & \\
-\frac{3}{4}x^4-\frac{3}{8}x^6 & \\
\hline
\frac{1}{4}x^5+\frac{3}{8}x^6 & \\
\frac{1}{4}x^5+0 & \\
\hline
\frac{3}{8}x^6 & \\
\frac{3}{8}x^6 & \\
\hline
0 & 
\end{array}$$

So

$$\frac{-1+x+x^2}{2+x^2} = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{4}x^3 - \frac{3}{8}x^4 + \frac{1}{8}x^5 + \frac{3}{16}x^6 + o(x^6).$$

b)  $n = 3, f(x) = e^x \sqrt{1-x}$ .

We have

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{6}x^3 + o(x^3) \quad \text{and} \quad \sqrt{1-x} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{8}x^2 - \frac{1}{16}x^3 + o(x^3).$$

So

$$\begin{aligned}
e^x \sqrt{1-x} &= \left(1 + x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{6}x^3\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{8}x^2 - \frac{1}{16}x^3\right), \\
&= 1 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{8}x^2 - \frac{13}{48}x^3 + o(x^3).
\end{aligned}$$

d)  $n = 4, f(x) = \ln(x + \sqrt{\cos x})$ .

We have

$$\sqrt{1+h} = 1 + \frac{1}{2}h - \frac{1}{8}h^2 + \frac{1}{16}h^3 - \frac{5}{128}h^4 + o(h^4) \quad \text{and} \quad \cos x = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 + o(x^4).$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} x + \sqrt{\cos x} &= x + \sqrt{1 + (\cos x - 1)} \\ &= x + \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{8} \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 \right)^2 + 0 + 0 \right] \\ &= x + \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{8} \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 \right)^2 + 0 + 0 \right] \\ &= 1 + x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 + o(x^4). \end{aligned}$$

We have also

$$\ln(1+t) = t - \frac{1}{2}t^2 + \frac{1}{3}t^3 - \frac{1}{4}t^4 + o(t^4).$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \ln(x + \sqrt{\cos x}) &= \ln \left( 1 + (x + \sqrt{\cos x} - 1) \right) \\ &= \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 \right)^2 + \frac{1}{3} \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 \right)^3 - \frac{1}{4} \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 \right)^4 \\ &= \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 \right)^2 + \frac{1}{3} \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 \right)^3 - \frac{1}{4} (x)^4 \\ &= \left( x - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{96}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( x^2 - 2x \left( -\frac{1}{4}x^2 \right) + \left( -\frac{1}{4}x^2 \right)^2 \right) + \frac{1}{3} \left( x^3 + 3x^2 \left( -\frac{1}{4}x^2 \right) \right) - \frac{1}{4} (x)^4. \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\ln(x + \sqrt{\cos x}) = x - \frac{3}{4}x^2 + \frac{7}{12}x^3 - \frac{13}{24}x^4 + o(x^4).$$

e)  $n = 3$ ,  $f(x) = (\cos x)^{\frac{1}{x}}$ . we have  $(\cos x)^{\frac{1}{x}} = e^{\frac{\ln \cos x}{x}}$  so

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\ln \cos x}{x} &= \frac{1}{x} \ln(1 + (\cos x - 1)) \\ &= \frac{1}{x} \left[ \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 \right)^2 + 0 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{x} \left[ \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{24}x^4 \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{1}{2}x^2 \right)^2 + 0 \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{12}x^3 + o(x^3).$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} (\cos x)^{\frac{1}{x}} &= e^{\frac{\ln \cos x}{x}} = 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{12}x^3\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{12}x^3\right)^2 + \frac{1}{6}\left(-\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{12}x^3\right)^3 \\ &= 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{12}x^3\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{2}x\right)^2 + \frac{1}{6}\left(-\frac{1}{2}x\right)^3 \\ &= 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{12}x^3\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{2}x\right)^2 + \frac{1}{6}\left(-\frac{1}{2}x\right)^3 \end{aligned}$$

So

$$(\cos x)^{\frac{1}{x}} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{8}x^2 - \frac{5}{48}x^3 + o(x^3).$$

#### Exercise 4

#### Reminder 4

##### 4.1 Limited Development of order $n$ in a neighborhood of $x_0$

We say that  $f$  admits a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of  $x_0$  if and only if the function  $F: h \rightarrow F(h) = f(h + x_0)$  admits a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of 0. And if

$$F(h) = \sum_{k=0}^n h^k + h^n \varepsilon_1(h) \text{ with } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_1(h) = 0.$$

Then for all  $x \in v - \{x_0\}$

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_n(x - x_0)^n + (x - x_0)^n \varepsilon(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \varepsilon(x) = 0.$$

##### 4.2 Limited Development of order $n$ in a neighborhood of $\infty$

We say that  $f$  admits a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$  ( $-\infty$ , respectively) if and only if the function  $F: h \rightarrow F(h) = f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right)$  admits a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of 0. And if

$$F(h) = \sum_{k=0}^n h^k + h^n \varepsilon_1(h) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_1(h) = 0 \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \varepsilon_1(h) = 0, \text{ respectively} \right).$$

Then

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{1}{x^k} + \frac{1}{x^n} \varepsilon(x) \text{ with } \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \varepsilon(x) = 0 \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \varepsilon(x) = 0, \text{ respectively} \right) \text{ where } \varepsilon(x) = \varepsilon_1\left(\frac{1}{x}\right).$$

##### 4.3 Study of infinite branches of curves

To study the infinite branches and determine the asymptotic lines of the graph  $(C_f)$  of function  $f$  in the neighborhood of  $+\infty$  ( $-\infty$ , respectively), we develop the function  $f$  in the neighborhood of  $+\infty$  ( $-\infty$ , respectively) to the smallest order  $n$ , where  $a_n \neq 0$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ .

1) Find a limited Development of order  $n$  in a neighborhood of  $x_0$  for the functions  $f$  in each of the following cases.

$$1^\circ) n = 4, x_0 = 1, f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x^2}.$$

$$F(h) = f(x_0 + h) = f(1 + h) = \frac{\ln(1 + h)}{(1 + h)^2} = \frac{h - \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{3}h^3 - \frac{1}{4}h^4}{1 + 2h + h^2}$$

By Euclidean dividing of  $h - \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{3}h^3 - \frac{1}{4}h^4$  over  $1 + 2h + h^2$ , according to increasing powers of  $x$ , keeping only terms with degrees less than or equal to 4, we get

$$\frac{\ln(1 + h)}{(1 + h)^2} = h - \frac{5}{2}h^2 + \frac{13}{3}h^3 - \frac{77}{12}h^4 + o(h^4).$$

By putting  $h = x - 1$  we get

$$\frac{\ln x}{x^2} = x - 1 - \frac{5}{2}(x - 1)^2 + \frac{13}{3}(x - 1)^3 - \frac{77}{12}(x - 1)^4 + o((x - 1)^4).$$

$$4^\circ) n = 1, x_0 = +\infty, f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x^3 + x^2}.$$

$$F(h) = f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = \frac{1}{h} \sqrt[3]{1 + h} = \frac{1}{h} \left(1 + \frac{1}{3}h - \frac{1}{9}h^2\right) = \frac{1}{h} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9}h + o(h)$$

Substitution  $h = \frac{1}{x}$  we get

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x^3 + x^2} = \frac{1}{3} + x - \frac{1}{9x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

$$5^\circ) n = 1, x_0 = +\infty, f(x) = x^2 \ln\left(\frac{xe^{\frac{1}{x}} + 1}{x}\right).$$

$$F(h) = f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = \frac{1}{h^2} \ln(h + e^h).$$

We have

$$h + e^h = 1 + 2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3.$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} F(h) &= \frac{1}{h^2} \ln(h + e^h) = \frac{1}{h^2} \ln\left(1 + (h + e^h - 1)\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h^2} \left(2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3 - \frac{1}{2}\left(2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3\right)^2 + \frac{1}{3}\left(2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3\right)^3\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h^2} \left(2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3 - \frac{1}{2}\left(2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2\right)^2 + \frac{1}{3}(2h)^3\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h^2} \left(2h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3 - \frac{1}{2}\left((2h)^2 + 4h \frac{1}{2}h^2\right) + \frac{1}{3}(2h)^3\right) \end{aligned}$$



So

$$F(h) = \frac{2}{h} - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{11}{6}h + o(h).$$

Substitution  $h = \frac{1}{x}$  we get

$$f(x) = 2x - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{11}{6x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right).$$

2) In questions, 4°, 5°, show that the graph  $(C_f)$  accepts a slanting asymptote that requires an equation, and then determine its relative position in the neighborhood of  $\infty$ .

4°)  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x^3 + x^2}$ . We have  $f(x) = \frac{1}{3} + x - \frac{1}{9x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$ .

So

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \left[ f(x) - \left( \frac{1}{3} + x \right) \right] = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \left[ -\frac{1}{9x} + \frac{1}{x} \varepsilon(x) \right] = 0.$$

$(C_f)$  accepts an asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$  in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$ , which has an equation of the form  $y = x + \frac{1}{3}$ .

$$f(x) - \left( \frac{1}{3} + x \right) = -\frac{1}{9x} + \frac{1}{x} \varepsilon(x).$$

in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$  then  $f(x) - \left( \frac{1}{3} + x \right) = -\frac{1}{9x} + \frac{1}{x} \varepsilon(x) < 0$  so  $(C_f)$  is located under the asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$ .

5°)  $f(x) = x^2 \ln\left(\frac{xe^{\frac{1}{x}} + 1}{x}\right)$ . We have  $f(x) = 2x - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{11}{6x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$ .

So

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \left[ f(x) - \left( 2x - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right] = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \left[ \frac{11}{6x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \right] = 0.$$

$(C_f)$  accepts an asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$  in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$ , which has an equation of the form  $2x - \frac{3}{2}$ .

$$f(x) - \left( 2x - \frac{3}{2} \right) = \frac{11}{6x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right).$$

in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$  then  $f(x) - \left( 2x - \frac{3}{2} \right) = \frac{11}{6x} + \frac{1}{x} \varepsilon(x) > 0$  so  $(C_f)$  is located above the asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$ .

### **Exercise 5**

## Reminder 5

### 5.1 Calculation of limits

When calculating the limit  $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$  and if we obtain one of the indeterminate form  $\frac{0}{0}$  or  $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$ , to remove the indeterminacy we develop the functions  $f$  and  $g$  in the neighborhood of  $x_0$  to the smallest orders  $m$  and  $n$ , respectively, where  $b_n \neq 0$  and  $a_n \neq 0$ .

Using limited development, calculate the following limits.

1°)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \cos x - (e^x - 1)^2}{\sin^3 x}$ . We have

$$x^2 \cos x - (e^x - 1)^2 = x^2(1) - \left(x + \frac{1}{2}x^2\right)^2 = -x^3 + x^3\varepsilon_1(x) \quad \text{and} \quad \sin^3 x = x^3 + x^3\varepsilon_0(x).$$

So

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 \cos x - (e^x - 1)^2}{\sin^3 x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-x^3 + x^3\varepsilon_1(x)}{x^3 + x^3\varepsilon_0(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1 + \varepsilon_1(x)}{1 + \varepsilon_0(x)} = -1.$$

3°)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{2x-x^4} - \sqrt[3]{x}}{1 - \sqrt[4]{x^3}}$ . We put  $x = h + 1$ , so  $F(h) = f(1 + h) = \frac{\sqrt[3]{1+h} - \sqrt{1-2h-6h^2-4h^3-h^4}}{\sqrt[4]{1+3h+3h^2+h^3}-1}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[3]{1+h} - \sqrt{1-2h-6h^2-4h^3-h^4} &= \sqrt[3]{1+h} - \sqrt{1-2h} \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{3}h\right) - (1-h) = \frac{4}{3}h + o(h). \end{aligned}$$

We have also

$$\sqrt[4]{1+3h+3h^2+h^3} - 1 = 1 + \frac{3}{4}h - 1 = \frac{3}{4}h + o(h).$$

So

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{2x-x^4} - \sqrt[3]{x}}{1 - \sqrt[4]{x^3}} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{4}{3}h + h\varepsilon_1(h)}{\frac{3}{4}h + h\varepsilon_0(h)} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{4}{3} + \varepsilon_1(h)}{\frac{3}{4} + \varepsilon_0(h)} = \frac{16}{9}.$$

5°)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x^{\frac{3}{2}}(\sqrt{x-1} + \sqrt{x+1} - 2\sqrt{x})$ .

$$F(h) = f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = \frac{1}{h^2}(\sqrt{1-h} + \sqrt{1+h} - 2) = \frac{1}{h^2}\left(-\frac{1}{4}h^2 + h^2\varepsilon(h)\right) = -\frac{1}{4} + \varepsilon(h).$$

Substitution  $h = \frac{1}{x}$  we get

$$x^{\frac{3}{2}}(\sqrt{x-1} + \sqrt{x+1} - 2\sqrt{x}) = -\frac{1}{4} + \varepsilon'(x) \quad \text{with} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \varepsilon'(x) = 0.$$

So

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x^{\frac{3}{2}}(\sqrt{x-1} + \sqrt{x+1} - 2\sqrt{x}) = -\frac{1}{4}.$$

### Exercise 6

#### Reminder 6

##### 6.1 Study the relative position of the graph and the tangent line

To determine the relative position of the graph of a function  $f$  and its tangent line at the point  $x_0$ , we develop the function  $f$  in the neighborhood of  $x_0$  to the smallest order  $n$  such that  $a_n \neq 0$  and  $n \geq 2$ .

Deduce the equation of the tangent ( $T$ ) to the curve ( $C_f$ ) at the abscissa point  $x = 0$ , and determine the relative positions of ( $C_f$ ) and ( $T$ ).

$$1^\circ) f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x^2} \arctan\left(x + \frac{8}{15}x^3\right), & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}.$$

We have

$$\arctan x = x - \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{5}x^5 + o(x^5).$$

So for  $x \neq 0$  then

$$\begin{aligned} \arctan\left(x + \frac{8}{15}x^3\right) &= \left(x + \frac{8}{15}x^3\right) - \frac{1}{3}\left(x + \frac{8}{15}x^3\right)^3 + \frac{1}{5}(x)^5 \\ &= x + \frac{1}{5}x^3 - \frac{1}{3}x^5 + o(x^5). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x^2} \arctan\left(x + \frac{8}{15}x^3\right) = -\frac{1}{5}x + \frac{1}{3}x^3 + o(x^3).$$

Since  $f(0) = 0 = a_0$  so  $f$  is differentiable at  $x_0 = 0$ , and therefore ( $C_f$ ) accepts tangent line which we denote by ( $T$ ). And the equation of ( $T$ ) is  $y = -\frac{1}{5}x$ .

$$\text{We have } f(x) - \left(-\frac{1}{5}x\right) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + o(x^3) = x^3\left(\frac{1}{3} + \varepsilon(x)\right).$$

If  $x$  is sufficiently close to 0, the sign of the difference  $f(x) - \left(-\frac{1}{5}x\right)$  is the same sign of  $\frac{1}{3}x^3$ , hence the following result:

For  $x < 0$ , ( $C_f$ ) is located under the tangent and for  $x > 0$ , ( $C_f$ ) is located above the tangent.

We conclude that ( $C_f$ ) accepts an inflection point  $A_0(0,0)$ .

$$3^\circ) f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + \ln(x + \cos x)}.$$

$f$  defined, continuous, and differentiable at 0, so let us develop  $f$  at 0 to order 2.

We have

$$x + \cos x = 1 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + o(x^2) \quad \text{and} \quad \ln(1 + h) = h - \frac{1}{2}h^2 + o(h^2)$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \ln(1 + h) &= 1 + \ln(1 + (x + \cos x - 1)) = 1 + \left(x - \frac{1}{2}x^2\right) - \frac{1}{2}\left(x - \frac{1}{2}x^2\right)^2 \\ &= 1 + \left(x - \frac{1}{2}x^2\right) - \frac{1}{2}(x)^2 \\ &= 1 + \left(x - \frac{1}{2}x^2\right) - \frac{1}{2}(x)^2 \\ &= 1 + x - x^2. \end{aligned}$$

By Euclidean dividing of 1 over  $x - x^2$ , according to increasing powers of  $x$ , keeping only terms with degrees less than or equal to 2, we get

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 1 & 1 + x - x^2 \\ \hline 1 + x - x^2 & 1 - x + 2x^2 \\ \hline -x + x^2 & \\ -x - x^2 & \\ \hline 2x^2 & \\ 2x^2 & \\ \hline 0 & \end{array}$$

So

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + \ln(x + \cos x)} = 1 - x + 2x^2 + o(x^2).$$

And  $(C_f)$  accepts tangent line which we denote by  $(T)$ . And the equation of  $(T)$  is  $y = 1 - x$ .

We have  $f(x) - (1 - x) = 2x^2 + o(x^2) = x^2(2 + \varepsilon(x))$ .

If  $x$  is sufficiently close to 0, the sign of the difference  $f(x) - (1 - x)$  is the same sign of  $2x^2$ , hence the following result:

For  $x < 0$  or  $x > 0$ ,  $(C_f)$  is located above the tangent.

### **Exercise 6**

In each of the following cases, show that the curve  $(C_f)$  of the function  $f$  accepts asymptote  $(\Delta)$  in the vicinity of  $\infty$ , which requires an equation for it and examining the relative position of  $(C_f)$  and  $(\Delta)$ .

$$1^\circ) f(x) = x^2 \sqrt{\frac{x-1}{x^3+2x}}$$

$$F(h) = f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = \frac{1}{h^2} \sqrt{\frac{(-h+1)h^2}{1+2h^2}} = \frac{1}{h} \sqrt{1 + \frac{1-h}{1+2h^2}} - 1 = \frac{1}{h} \sqrt{1 - \frac{h+2h^2}{1+2h^2}}$$

Let us develop  $f$  at  $+\infty$  to order 1.

$$\begin{aligned} F(h) &= f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = \frac{1}{h^2} \sqrt{\frac{(-h+1)h^2}{1+2h^2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{h} \sqrt{1 + \frac{1-h}{1+2h^2}} - 1 \\ &= \frac{1}{h} \sqrt{1 - \frac{h+2h^2}{1+2h^2}} \end{aligned}$$

By Euclidean dividing of 1 over  $x - x^2$ , according to increasing powers of  $x$ , keeping only terms with degrees less than or equal to 2, we get

$$\begin{array}{r|l} h+2h^2 & 1+2h^2 \\ h & h+2h^2 \\ \hline & 2h^2 \\ & 2h^2 \\ \hline & 0 \end{array}$$

So

$$\frac{h+2h^2}{1+2h^2} = h + 2h^2 + o(h^2).$$

We have  $\sqrt{1-h} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}h - \frac{1}{8}h^2 + o(h^2)$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{h} \sqrt{1 - \frac{h+2h^2}{1+2h^2}} &= \frac{1}{h} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2}(h+2h^2) - \frac{1}{8}(h+2h^2)^2 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2}(h+2h^2) - \frac{1}{8}(h^2) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2}h - \frac{9}{8}h^2 + o(h^2) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{h} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{8}h + o(h). \end{aligned}$$

Substitution  $h = \frac{1}{x}$  we get

$$f(x) = x - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{8x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = x - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{8x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x) \quad \text{with} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \varepsilon(x) = 0.$$

$(C_f)$  accepts an asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$  in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$ , which has an equation of the form  $y = x - \frac{1}{2}$ .

$$f(x) - \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{9}{8x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x).$$

in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$  then  $f(x) - \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{9}{8x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x) < 0$  so  $(C_f)$  is located under the asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$ .

$$3^\circ) f(x) = x^2 \sin \frac{x-2}{x^2+x+1}$$

let us develop  $f$  at  $\infty$  to order 1.

$$F(h) = f\left(\frac{1}{h}\right) = \frac{1}{h^2} \sin \frac{h(1-2h)}{1+h+h^2}.$$

We have

$$\sin(t) = t - \frac{1}{6}t^3 + o(t^3) \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{h(1-2h)}{1+h+h^2} = h - 3h^2 + 2h^3 + o(h^3).$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} F(h) &= \frac{1}{h^2} \sin \frac{h(1-2h)}{1+h+h^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{h^2} \left[ (h - 3h^2 + 2h^3) - \frac{1}{6}(h - 3h^2 + 2h^3)^3 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{h^2} \left[ (h - 3h^2 + 2h^3) - \frac{1}{6}(h)^3 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{h} - 3 + \frac{11}{6}h + o(h) \end{aligned}$$

Substitution  $h = \frac{1}{x}$  we get

$$f(x) = x - 3 + \frac{11}{6x} + o\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = x - 3 + \frac{11}{6x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x) \quad \text{with} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \varepsilon(x) = 0.$$

$(C_f)$  accepts an asymptotic line  $(\Delta)$  in a neighborhood of  $\infty$ , which has an equation of the form  $y = x - 3$ .

$$f(x) - (x - 3) = \frac{11}{6x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x).$$

in a neighborhood of  $\infty$  then  $f(x) - (x - 3) = \frac{11}{6x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x) > 0$  so

in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$  ( $C_f$ ) is located above the asymptotic line ( $\Delta$ ),

in a neighborhood of  $-\infty$  ( $C_f$ ) is located under the asymptotic line ( $\Delta$ ).

### **Exercise 8 (Short answers )**

$$1) u(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{8}x^2 + x^2\varepsilon(x) \quad \text{and} \quad v(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{11}{8}x^2 + x^2\varepsilon(x).$$

$$2) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)-1}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{u(x)-1}{x} \right) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x)-1}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{v(x)-1}{x} \right) = \frac{1}{2}.$$

So  $f$  is differentiable at 0 and the graph ( $C_f$ ) accepts a tangent (T) at the point (0,1), and has an equation of the form  $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 1$ .

$$x > 0 \Rightarrow f(x) - y = -\frac{3}{8}x^2 + x^2\varepsilon(x) < 0 \quad \text{on a neighborhood of } 0,$$

$$x < 0 \Rightarrow f(x) - y = -\frac{3}{8}x^2 + x^2\varepsilon(x) > 0 \quad \text{on a neighborhood of } 0.$$

For  $x > 0$ , ( $C_f$ ) is located under the tangent.

For  $x < 0$ , ( $C_f$ ) is located above the tangent.

We conclude that ( $C_f$ ) accepts an inflection point A(0,1).

$$3) u(x) = x + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{8}\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x) \quad \text{where} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \varepsilon(x) = 0.$$

$$v(x) = -\frac{1}{4} - 2x + \frac{49}{64}\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon'(x) \quad \text{where} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \varepsilon'(x) = 0.$$

4) ( $C_f$ ) accepts an asymptotic line ( $\Delta$ ) in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$ , which has an equation of the form  $y = x + \frac{1}{2}$ , and an asymptotic line ( $\Delta'$ ) in a neighborhood of  $-\infty$ , which has an equation of the form  $y = -2x - \frac{1}{4}$ .

in a neighborhood of  $+\infty$  then  $f(x) - \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right) = -\frac{3}{8}\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon(x) < 0$  so ( $C_f$ ) is located under the asymptotic line ( $\Delta$ ).

in a neighborhood of  $-\infty$  then  $f(x) - \left(-\frac{1}{4} - 2x\right) = \frac{49}{64}\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x}\varepsilon'(x) < 0$  so ( $C_f$ ) is located under the asymptotic line ( $\Delta'$ ).