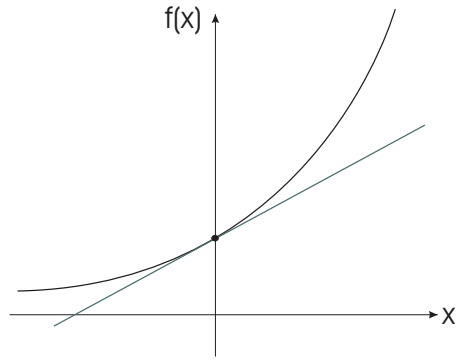


3.5.1 Example: Taylor expansion of exponential function



$$f(x) = e^x, \quad x_0 = 0$$

$$f(x) \approx e^0 + \frac{1}{1!}(x-0)f'(0) = 1 + x$$

$$x_0 = 1 \quad f(x) \approx e^1 + (x-1)e^1 = ex$$

$$x_0 = -1 \quad f(x) \approx e^{-1} + (x - (-1))e^{-1} = \frac{1}{e}x + \frac{2}{e}$$

$$\rightarrow f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} x^n$$