

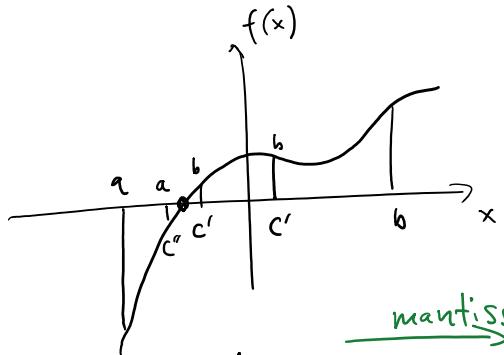
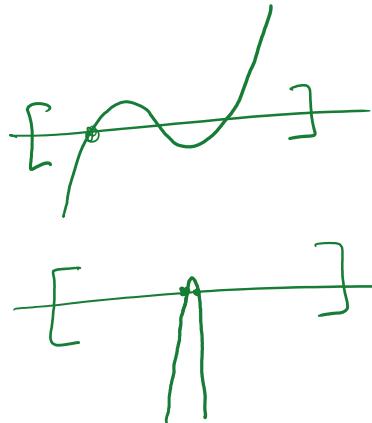
Newton's Method

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$$f(x) = 0 \\ x = ?$$

$$|a - b| < \varepsilon_{\text{absolute}}$$

$$\frac{|a - b|}{|c|} < \varepsilon_{\text{relative}}$$



$$x = 1.01\overline{0110}$$

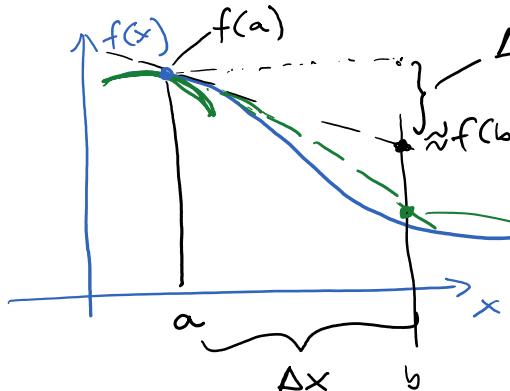
mantissa
constant number (in this case 1) of digits with each iteration

linearly convergent.

~23x through the loop.

Quadratically Convergent
→ Newton's

Taylor expansion



" $f'(a)$ "

$$\Delta x \cdot \left. \frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x} \right|_a$$

$$f(b) \approx f(a) + \Delta x f'(a)$$

$$f(a) + \Delta x f'(a) + \frac{\Delta x^2}{2} f''(a)$$

$$f(b) = f(a + \Delta x) \cong f(a) + \Delta x f'(a) + \frac{1}{2} \Delta x^2 f''(a)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{6} \Delta x^3 f^{(3)}(a) + \dots + \frac{1}{n!} \Delta x^n f^{(n)}(a)$$

$$+ \left[\frac{\Delta x^n}{n!} \int_{1-t}^1 (1-t)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(a + t \Delta x) dt \right]$$

$$+ \left[\frac{\Delta x^n}{(n-1)!} \int_0^1 (1-t)^{n-1} f^{(n)}(a + t\Delta x) dt \right]$$

Sometimes it is possible to find a practical and relatively tight upper bound to this integral.

$$f(x) = f(a + \Delta x) \approx f(a) + \Delta x f'(a)$$

dropping all but the 1st order term.

Let's suppose this function has a root at x ; $f(x) = 0$

$$x = a + \Delta x$$

$$f(a) + \Delta x f'(a) \approx 0$$

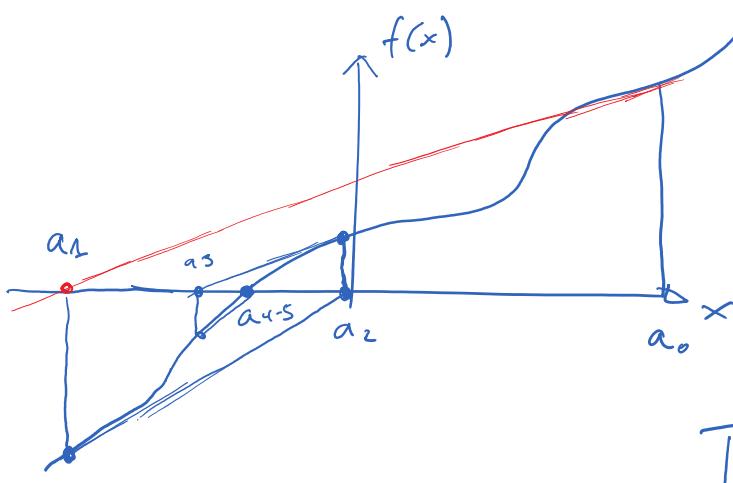
$$\Delta x \approx -\frac{f(a)}{f'(a)}$$

$$x \approx a - \frac{f(a)}{f'(a)}$$

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Need this extra piece of information

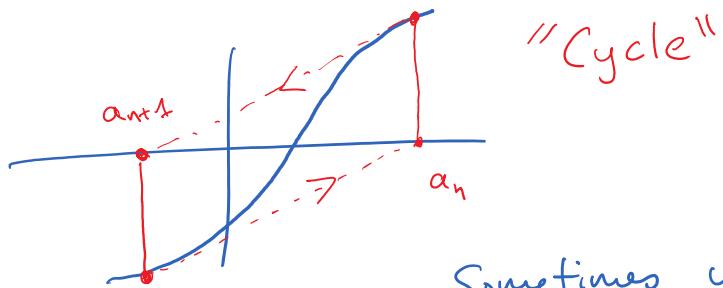
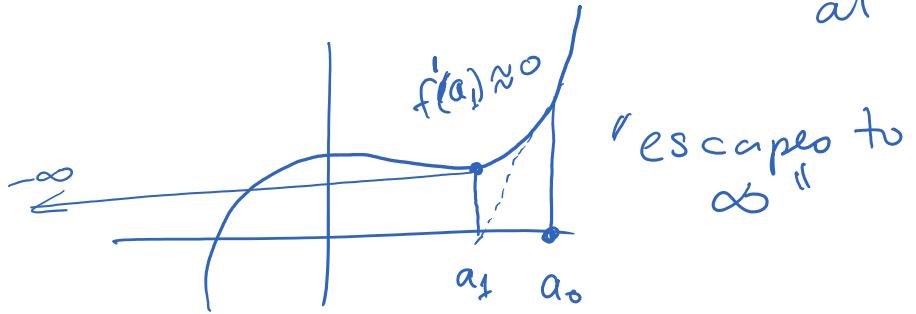
$$a = x$$



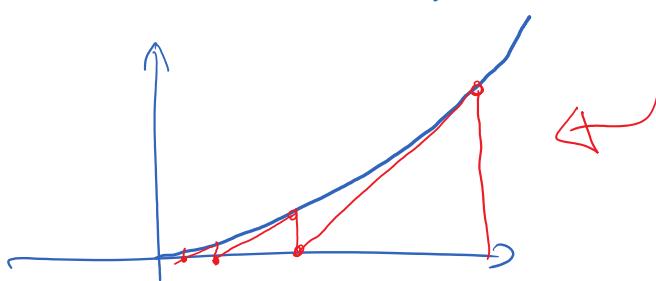
Quadratic: that the number of binary digits of accuracy doubles with each iteration.

If it is converging

— at all.



Sometimes you can guarantee that the algorithm converges and is stable.



Today's Assignment: Kepler's Equation

$$M = E - e \sin E$$

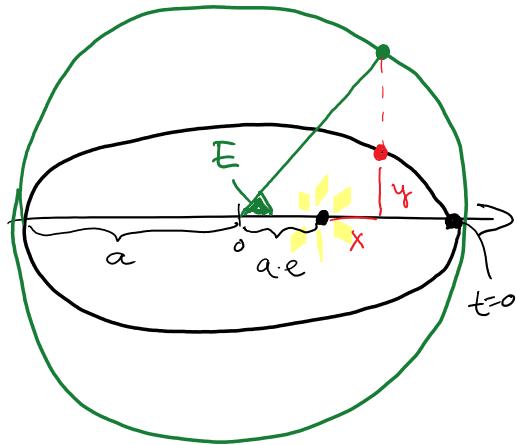
angle given function of time angle angle!
given: eccentricity of the ellipse $[0, 1]$
circle line segment

Unknown: $E(M, e) = ?$

$$f(E) = 0 ! \quad 0 = E - e \sin E - M$$

$f(E)$
 $f'(E)$

$$M = nt \quad n = \frac{2\pi}{T} \text{ period in } \quad T = \alpha^{\frac{3}{2}}$$



years π
years AU

$$x = a \cdot \cos(E) - ae$$

$$y = b \cdot \sin(E)$$

$$y = a\sqrt{1-e^2} \sin(E)$$

$$e = 0.5 \quad a = 1$$

: : moving faster $f'(E) = ?$

Initial $E_0 = M ?$