



Taylor's Series:-

A function  $f(z)$  is analytic inside a circle 'c' with centre at 'a' can be expressed in the series  $f(z) = f(a) + \frac{z-a}{1!} f'(a) + \frac{(z-a)^2}{2!} f''(a) + \frac{(z-a)^3}{3!} f'''(a) + \dots$  which is convergent at every point inside 'c'

Note:-

If 'a' = 0, then

$$f(z) = f(0) + \frac{z}{1!} f'(0) + \frac{z^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{z^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \dots, \text{ which}$$

is called as Maclaurin series.

1) Expand  $f(z) = \log(1+z)$  as Taylor's series about  $z=0$

Soln:-

$$f(z) = \log(1+z)$$

$$f'(z) = \frac{1}{1+z}$$

$$f''(z) = \frac{-1}{(1+z)^2}$$

$$f'''(z) = \frac{2}{(1+z)^3}$$

$$f(0) = \log(1+0) = \log 1 = 0$$

$$f'(0) = \frac{1}{1+0} = 1$$

$$f''(0) = \frac{-1}{(1+0)^2} = -1$$

$$f'''(0) = \frac{2}{(1+0)^3} = 2$$



By Taylor's series

$$f(z) = f(a) + \frac{z-a}{1!} f'(a) + \frac{(z-a)^2}{2!} f''(a) + \frac{(z-a)^3}{3!} f'''(a) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = f(0) + \frac{z}{1!} f'(0) + \frac{z^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{z^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = 0 + z(1) + \frac{z^2}{2}(-1) + \frac{z^3}{6}(2) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = z - \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^3}{3} + \dots$$

2) Expand  $f(z) = e^z$  as Taylor series about  $z=0$

Soln:-

$f(z) = e^z$	$f(0) = e^0 = 1$
$f'(z) = e^z$	$f'(0) = e^0 = 1$
$f''(z) = e^z$	$f''(0) = e^0 = 1$
$f'''(z) = e^z$	$f'''(0) = e^0 = 1$

By Taylor's expansion

$$f(z) = f(0) + \frac{z}{1!} f'(0) + \frac{z^2}{2!} f''(0) + \frac{z^3}{3!} f'''(0) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = 1 + \frac{z}{1} (1) + \frac{z^2}{2} (1) + \frac{z^3}{6} (1) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = 1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2} + \frac{z^3}{3} + \dots$$

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4) Expand  $f(z) = \cos z$  as Taylor series at  $z = \pi/3$

Soln:-

$f(z) = \cos z$	$f(\pi/3) = \cos \pi/3 = 1/2$
$f'(z) = -\sin z$	$f'(\pi/3) = -\sin \pi/3 = -\sqrt{3}/2$
$f''(z) = -\cos z$	$f''(\pi/3) = -\cos \pi/3 = -1/2$
$f'''(z) = \sin z$	$f'''(\pi/3) = \sin \pi/3 = \sqrt{3}/2$



By Taylor's series,

$$f(z) = f(a) + \frac{z-a}{1!} f'(a) + \frac{(z-a)^2}{2!} f''(a) + \frac{(z-a)^3}{3!} f'''(a) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = f(\pi/3) + \frac{z-\pi/3}{1} f'(\pi/3) + \frac{(z-\pi/3)^2}{2} f''(\pi/3) + \dots$$

$$+ \frac{(z-\pi/3)^3}{2} f'''(\pi/3) + \dots$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2} + (z-\pi/3)(-\sqrt{3}/2) + \frac{(z-\pi/3)^2}{2}(-1/2) + \dots$$

$$\frac{(z-\pi/3)^3}{6} (\sqrt{3}/2)$$