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Generalized Differential and Integral Calculus and Heisenberg's Uncertainty Principle

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Abstract

This paper presents a generalization for Differential and Integral Calculus. Just as the derivative is the instantaneous angular coefficient of the tangent line to a function, the generalized derivative is the instantaneous parameter value of a reference function (derivator function) tangent to the function. The generalized integral reverses the generalized derivative, and its calculation is presented without antiderivatives. Generalized derivatives and integrals are presented for polynomial, exponential and trigonometric derivators and integrators functions. As an example of the application of Generalized Calculus, the concept of instantaneous value provided by the derivative is used to precisely determine time and frequency (or position and momentum) in a function (signal or wave function), opposing Heisenberg's Uncertainty Principle.

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1 Introduction

Differential and Integral Calculus has become one of the main mathematical tools that made possible discoveries and advances in several areas such as Physics, Chemistry, Economics, Computer Science, Engineering, and even

Biology and Medicine. Moreover, in Mathematics itself, Differential and Integral Calculus is used in other areas, such as Linear Algebra, Analytical Geometry, Probability, and Optimization, among others.

Differential and Integral Calculus was developed by Isaac Newton [1] (1643-1727) and Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz [2] (1646-1716), independently of each other, in the 17th century and basically established three operations that are applicable to any function: calculus of limits, derivatives, and integrals.

The derivative concerns the instantaneous rate of change of a function. On the other hand, the integral concerns the area under the curve described by a function. Both the derivative and the integral are based on the calculus of infinitesimals through the concept of limit, and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus formalizes the inverse operations relationship between Differential and Integral Calculus.

The derivative is an operation that is performed on any function $f(x)$[1], resulting in another function $f'(x)$ that represents the slope of the tangent line to $f(x)$ for each x. Differential Calculus uses the line as the "reference function" and its slope as the result of the derivative.

Remark ***Why use only the line as the reference function and its slope as the result of the derivative?***

This paper presents the derivative performed for other reference functions different from the line and other parameters different from the slope of the line, thus generalizing the Differential Calculus.

Since the derivative and the integral are inverse operations, the same generalization concept employed for Differential Calculus is applied to Integral Calculus.

1.1 The Derivative, its Generalization and the Antiderivative

The derivative of a function can be understood as a linear interpolation process. Let $\mathbb{I}$ a non-empty open interval, $f : \mathbb{I} \to \mathbb{R}$ a function, $y = f(x)$, $\mathbb{I} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, $x_0 \in \mathbb{I}$ and $\Delta \in \mathbb{R}$, as illustrated in figure 1.

Two points determine a line: from the points $(x_0, f(x_0))$ and $(x_0+\Delta, f(x_0+\Delta))$ it is possible to calculate the angular (a_1) and linear (a_0) coefficient of the linear equation $y = a_1x + a_0$ secant to the graph of the function $f(x)$. This calculation is obtained by solving the following linear system:

$$S : \begin{cases} f(x_0) = a_1x_0 + a_0 \\ f(x_0 + \Delta) = a_1(x_0 + \Delta) + a_0 \end{cases} \tag{1}$$

[1] $f(x)$ is formally defined in the remaining sections.