## Recall (fill in the blank, see middle of pg 761)

The *n*-th Taylor Polynomial centered at *a* is

## **Remainder in a Taylor Polynomial**

Taylor polynomials provide good approximations to functions near a specific point, but how good are the approximations?

Let  $R_n(x) = f(x) - T_n(x)$ , then  $R_n(x)$  is called the remainder of the Taylor series.

(Copy from pg 962) Theorem Taylor's Inequality

Suppose there exists a number M such that

$$\left|f^{(n+1)}(x)\right| \leq M \text{ for } |x-a| \leq d$$
,

then the remainder  $R_n(x)$  of the Taylor series satisfies

$$\left|R_{n}\left(x\right)\right| \leq$$
 for

<u>Complete the Example</u>: Consider the function  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$ .

- a. Find the **Taylor polynomials of order 2** centered at x = 8 for f(x).
- b. How accurate is this approximation when  $7 \le x \le 9$ . Follow Sec 11.11 Example 1 pg 775.

## Reading HW Taylor and Maclaurin Series

## (Fill in each blank) Commonly used Maclaurin Series

• 
$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n$$
 for  $-1 < x < 1$ .  
•  $\frac{1}{1+x} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for  $\frac{1}{1+x} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for  $\frac{1}{1+x} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for  $\frac{1}{1+x} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for  $\frac{1}{1+x} = \frac{x^n}{n!} \frac{1}{n2^n} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for  $\frac{1}{1+x} = \frac{x^n}{n!} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$  for  $-1 \le x \le 1$ .  
•  $\tan^{-1} x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$  for  $-1 \le x \le 1$ .  
•  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{2n+1} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
•  $e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$  for  $-\infty < x < \infty$ .  
•  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_.  
•  $\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$  for  $-\infty < x < \infty$ .  
•  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} =$ \_\_\_\_\_\_.

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