

Nonlinear equations

$$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

1. Bisection
2. fixed point iteration
3. Newton's method
4. Secant method

$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$g(x) = x \Leftrightarrow f(x) = 0$$

pick x_0 , iterate $x_{k+1} = g(x_k)$

Contraction mapping thm:

If g is a contraction on S
then g has a unique fixed point on S

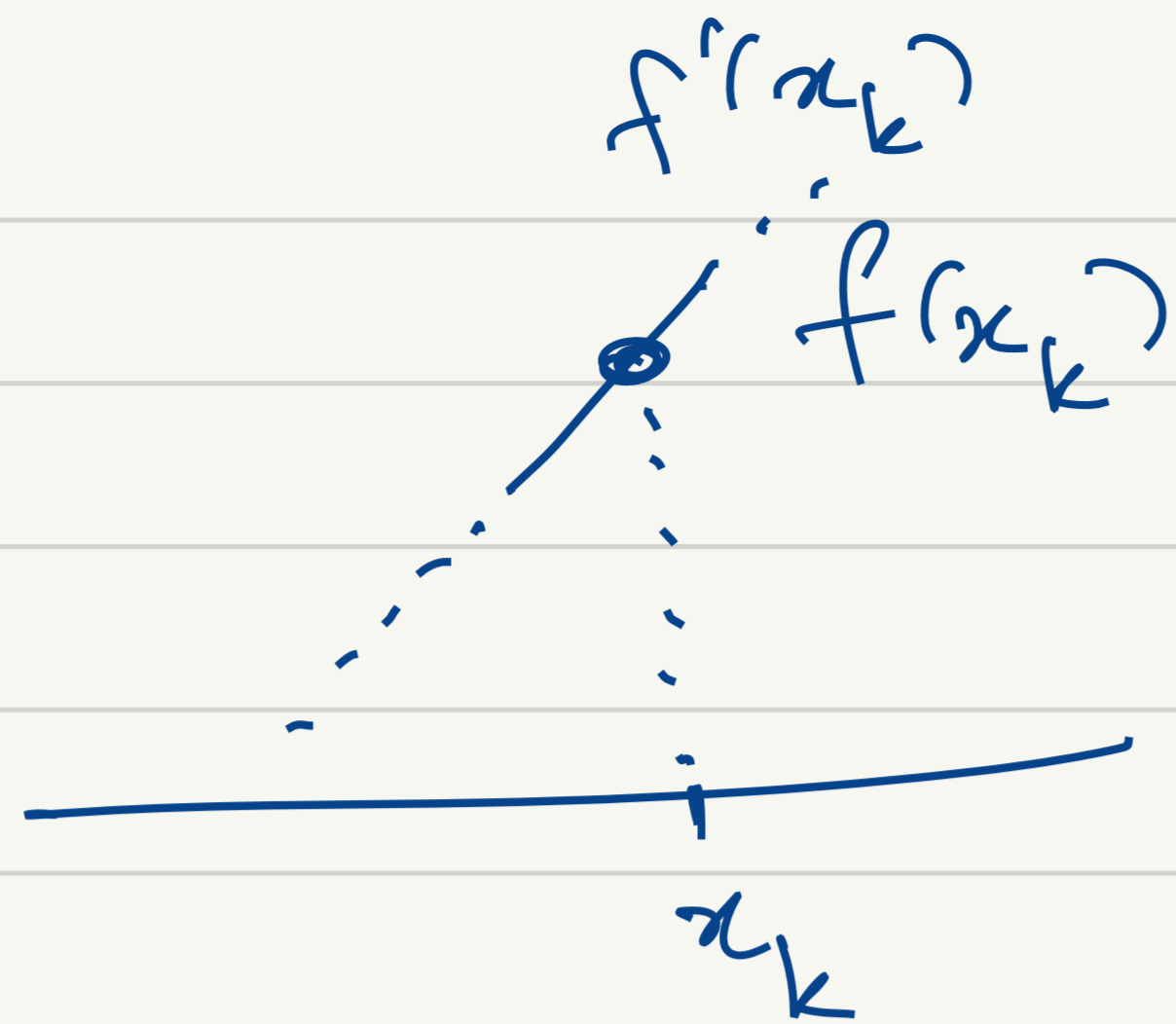
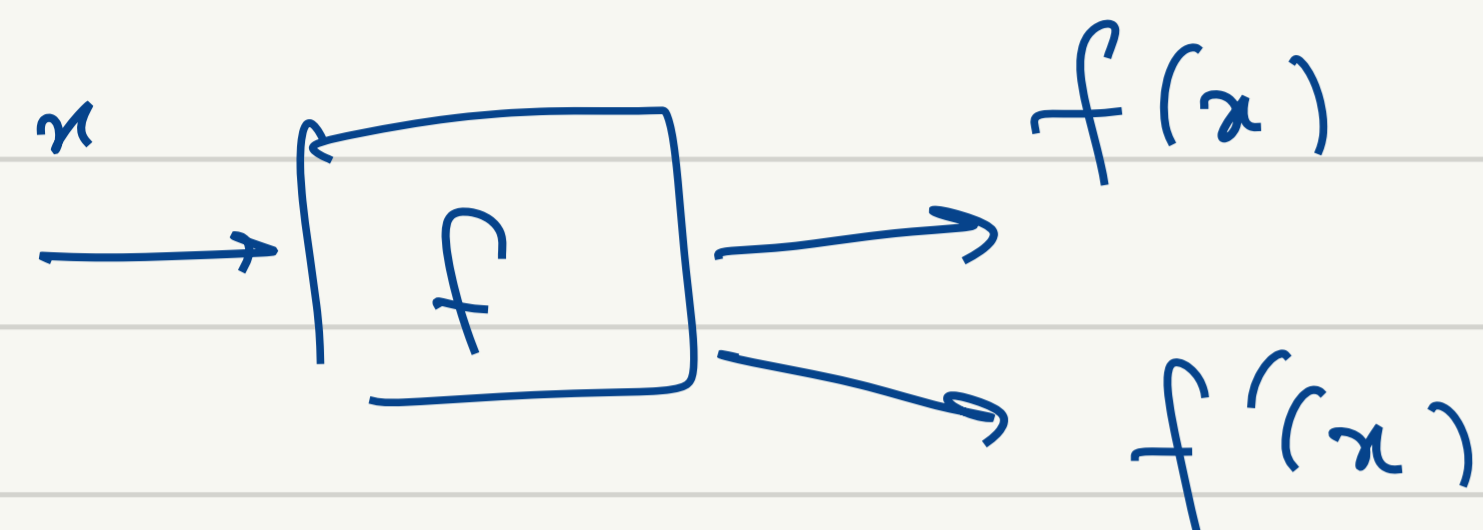
g is a contraction on $[a, b]$

$$\Leftrightarrow |g'(x)| < 1 \text{ on } [a, b]$$

$$e_{k+1} = \underbrace{g'(x^*)}_{\text{linear convergence}} \cdot e_k + o(|e_k|^2) \Rightarrow \text{convergence rate const. : } \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|e_{k+1}|}{|e_k|} = |g'(x^*)|$$

except if $g'(x^*) = 0$

Newton's method



$$\tilde{f}(x) = f(x_k) + f'(x_k) \cdot (x - x_k)$$

local linear approximation
of f

let $x_{k+1} = \text{root of } \tilde{f}$

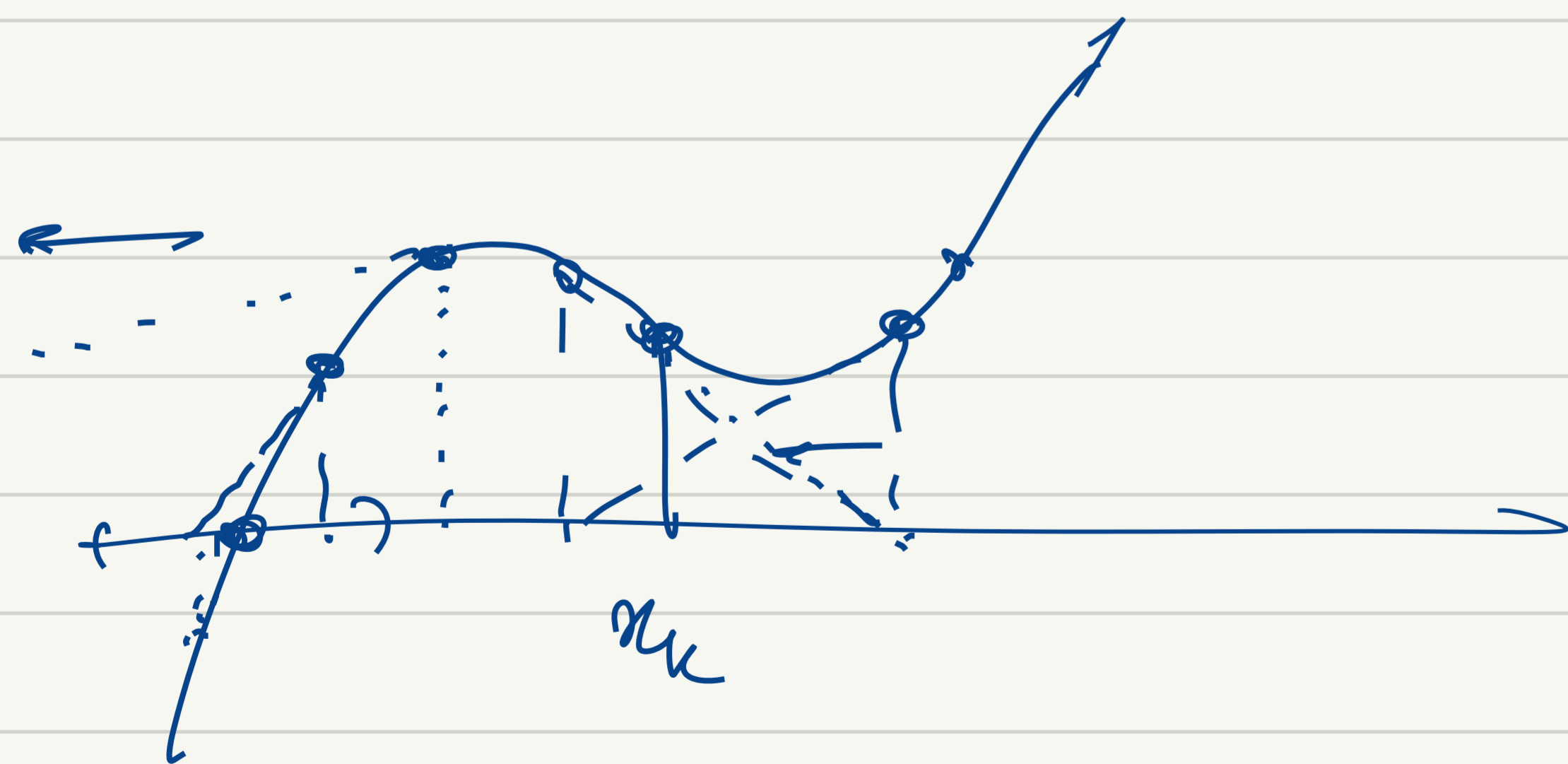
$$\tilde{f}(x_{k+1}) = f(x_k) + f'(x_k)(x_{k+1} - x_k) = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$x_{k+1} = \boxed{x_k - \frac{f(x_k)}{f'(x_k)}}$$

No global guarantees

but \exists neighbourhood of root on which

it converges



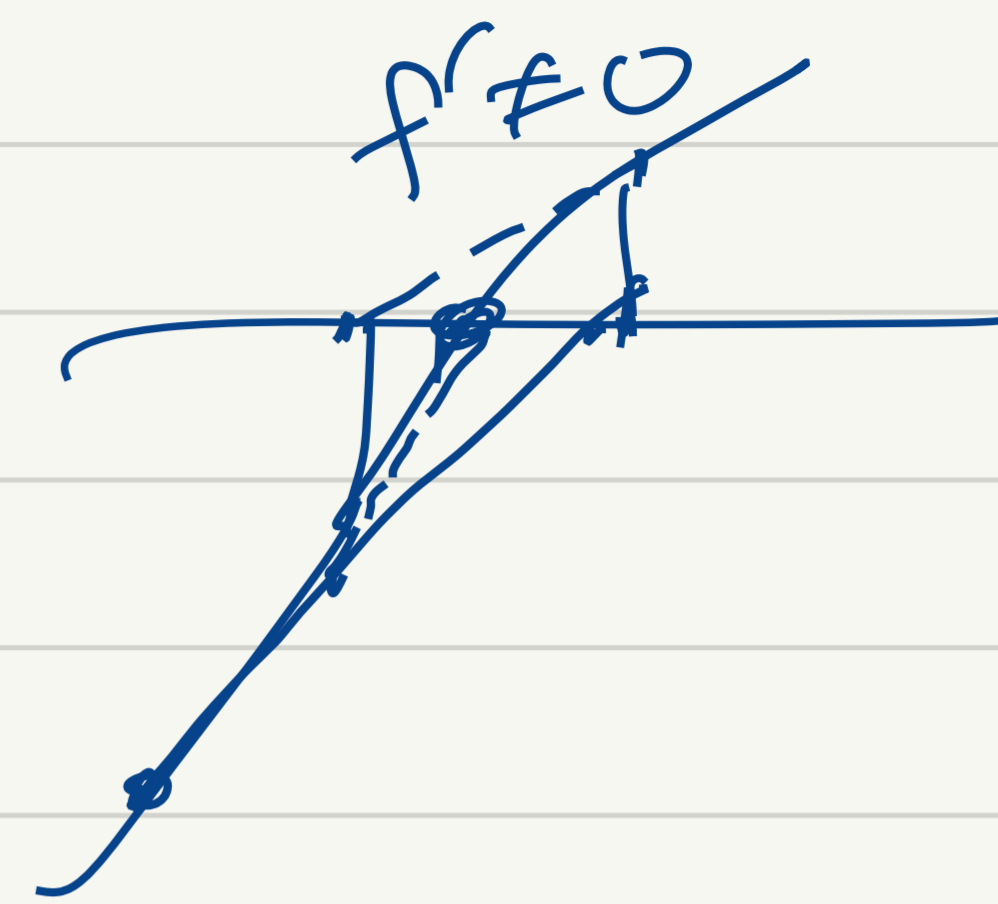
$$g(x) = x - \frac{f(x)}{f'(x)}$$

Convergence rate: $g'(x^*) = \frac{f(x^*) f''(x^*)}{f'(x^*)^2}$

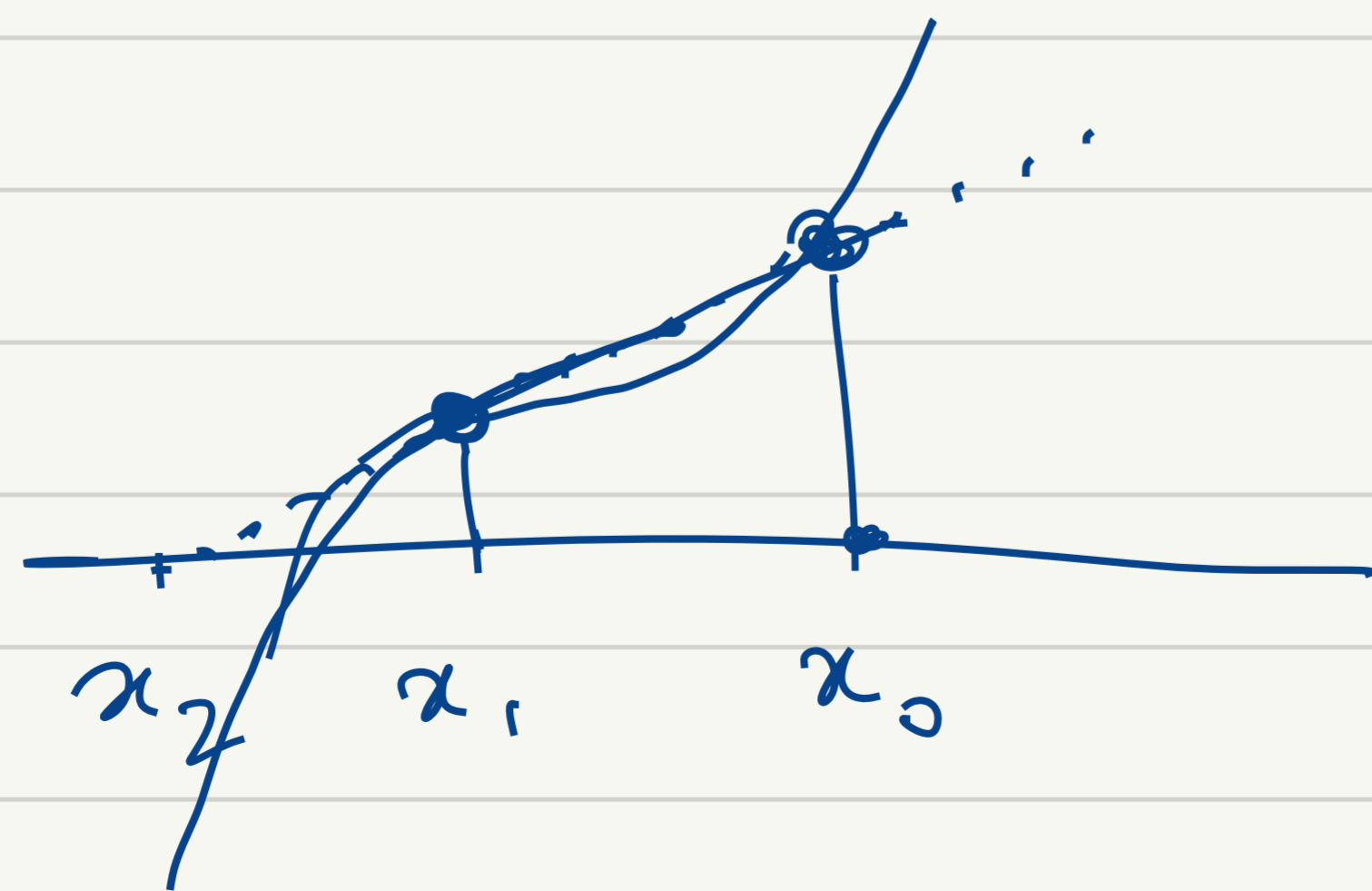
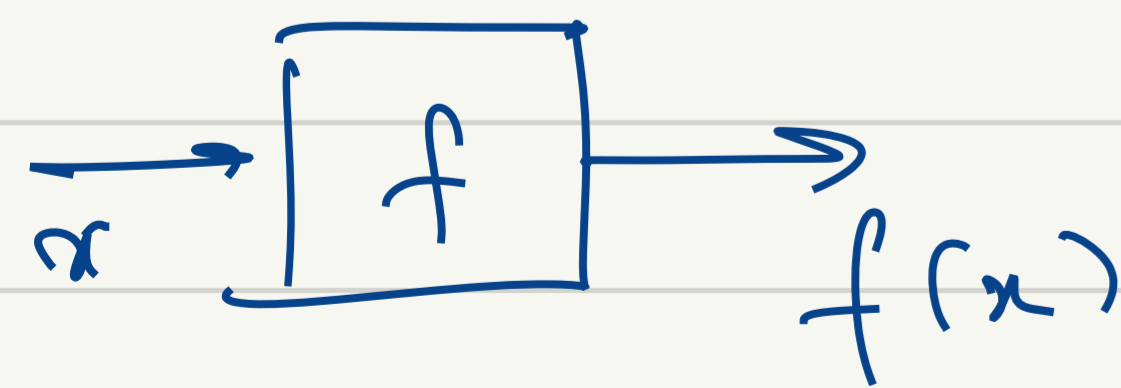
If $f'(x^*) \neq 0$, then $g'(x^*) = 0$

\Rightarrow Newton's method has quadratic convergence

If $f'(x^*) = 0$ then.. linear convergence



Secant method



$$f'(x_k) \approx \frac{f(x_k) - f(x_{k-1})}{x_k - x_{k-1}}$$

plug into Newton's method

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - f(x_k) \cdot \frac{x_k - x_{k-1}}{f(x_k) - f(x_{k-1})}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{15em}}_{g(x_k, x_{k-1})}$

Convergence rate:

$$e_{k+1} = M e_{k-1} e_k + o(\dots)$$

\uparrow
 third order

Assume $e_{k+1} \approx c |e_k|^r$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \approx 1.618 \dots \quad \text{Super-linear}$$

If evaluating f, f' is slow

then secant method can converge faster!



1D:

nD:

$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

- bisection \rightarrow
- fixed pt iter \rightarrow - fixed point
- Newton's \rightarrow - Newton
- secant \rightarrow - secant updating

$$\vec{f}(\vec{x}) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} f_1(x_1, x_2, \dots) = 0 \\ f_2(x_1, x_2, \dots) = 0 \\ \vdots \end{cases}$$

$$J(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} \partial f_1 / \partial x_1 & \partial f_1 / \partial x_2 & \dots \\ \partial f_2 / \partial x_1 & \partial f_2 / \partial x_2 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{f}(\vec{x} + \Delta \vec{x}) = \vec{f}(\vec{x}) + J(\vec{x}) \cdot \Delta \vec{x} + o(\|\Delta \vec{x}\|^2)$$

$$G(\vec{x}) = \left[\partial g_i / \partial x_j \right]$$

fixed point iterations:

$$\vec{x}_{k+1} = \vec{g}(\vec{x}_k)$$

$$\vec{x}_k = \vec{x}_* + \vec{e}_k \quad \vec{g}(\vec{x}_k) = \vec{x}_* + J(\vec{x}_*) \vec{e}_k$$

$$\vec{e}_{k+1} = G(\vec{x}_*) \vec{e}_k + o(\|\vec{e}_k\|^2)$$

g is a contraction for some norm \Rightarrow fixed point iter converges

\Downarrow

\exists induced norm $\|G(x^*)\| < 1 \iff \rho(G(x^*)) < 1$

$\rho(G) \leq \|G\|$ for any induced norm

Sufficient condition: $\|G(x^*)\| < 1$ for some norm

Newton's method

Choose x_{k+1} s.t. $\tilde{f}(x_{k+1}) = \underbrace{f(x_k)} + \underbrace{J(x_k)(x_{k+1} - x_k)} = 0$

$$x_{k+1} = x_k + \Delta x$$

$$J(x_k) \Delta x = -f(x_k)$$

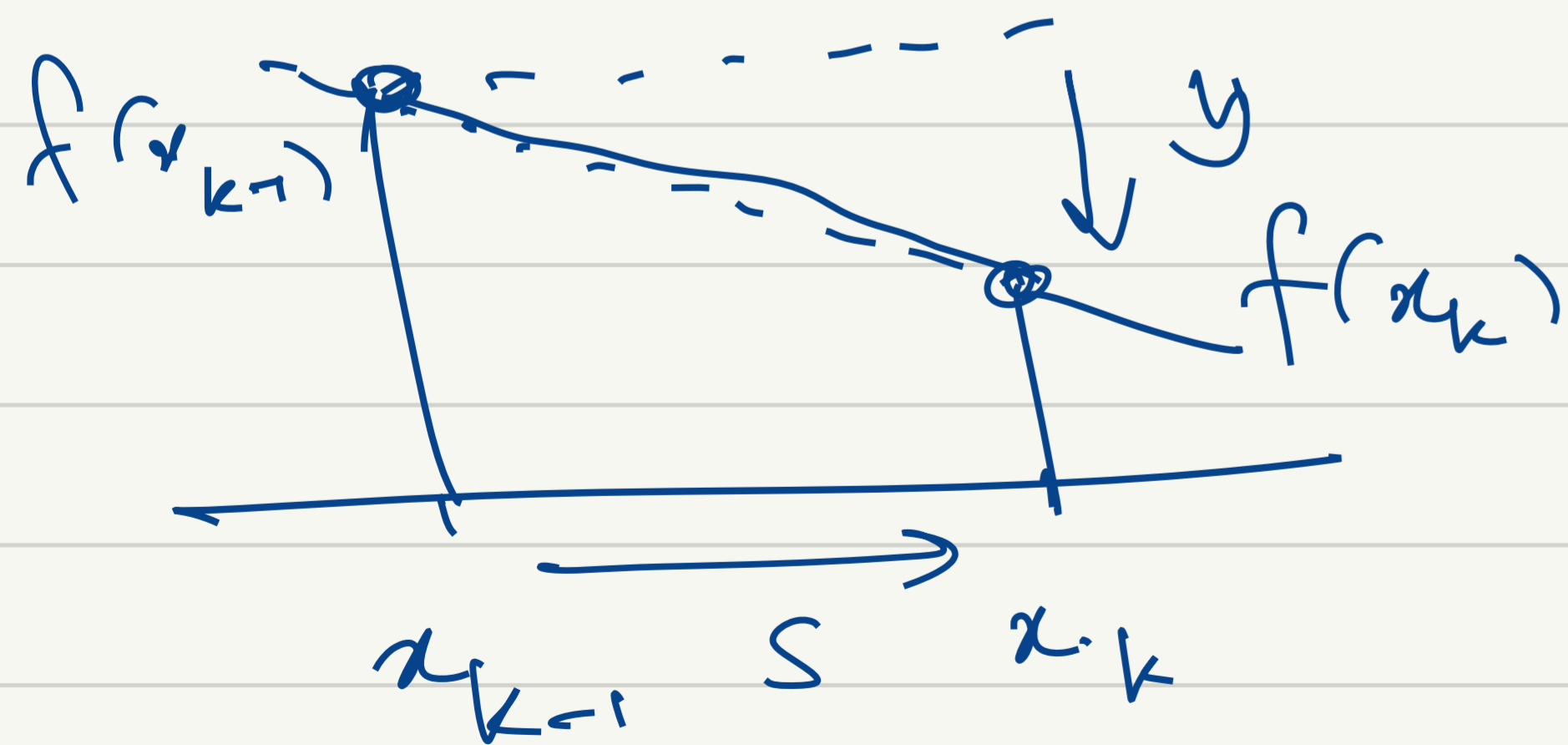
then $x_{k+1} = x_k + \Delta x$

Convergence: quadratic unless $J(x^*)$ is singular

Cost: $O(n^2)$ to form $J(x_k) + O(n^2)$ to solve $J(x_k) \Delta x = -f(x_k)$

(Also verify $f(\bar{x} + \Delta x) - (f(\bar{x}) + J(\bar{x}) \Delta x) = O(\|\Delta x\|^2)$)
(unless J is sparse)

Secant updating methods



$$x_{k-1}, x_k, \quad s = x_k - x_{k-1}$$

$$f(x_{k-1}), f(x_k), \quad y = f(x_k) - f(x_{k-1})$$

$$f'(x_k) \approx \frac{y}{s}$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad \vec{s} = x_k - x_{k-1} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\vec{y} = f(x_k) - f(x_{k-1}) \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$J(x_k) \vec{s} \approx \vec{y}$$

Approximation of J : B_k

$$B_k = B_{k-1} + \underbrace{\Delta B}$$

$$B_k \vec{s} = \vec{y}$$

make ΔB as small as possible:

$$\Delta B = uv^T, \quad \min \|\Delta B\|_F \Rightarrow$$

$$B_k = B_{k-1} + \frac{\vec{r} \vec{s}^T}{\vec{s}^T \vec{s}}$$

$$\text{where } \vec{r} = \vec{y} - B_{k-1} \vec{s}$$

$$\text{Then } \vec{x}_{k+1} = \vec{x}_k - B_k^{-1} f(x_k)$$

Broyden's first method

$$B_k = B_{k-1} + \Delta B \quad \text{where } \dots$$

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - \underbrace{B_k^{-1} f(x_k)}$$

~~$O(n^3)$ time?~~

$$B_{k-1} = QR \text{ or } LU$$

$$B_k = B_{k-1} + \underbrace{uv^T} \quad \rightarrow \quad QR \text{ or } LU \text{ of } B_k \text{ in } O(n^2) \text{ time}$$

rank-1 update

or... Instead of $B_k \approx J$, let's update $H_k \approx J^{-1}$

$$J s \approx y \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad J^{-1} y \approx s \quad \Rightarrow \quad H_k y = s \quad \Rightarrow \quad H_k = H_{k-1} +$$

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - H_k f(x_k)$$

Broyden's
Second method

$$\frac{(s - H_{k-1} y) y^T}{y^T y}$$