

# Lecture 22 Activity: Newton's Method and Antiderivatives

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1. Use Newton's Method and a calculator to estimate  $\sqrt[4]{2}$  correct to 4 decimal places. (Hint: Use  $f(x) = x^4 - 2$  with starting approximation 1.)
2. Find general antiderivatives of the following functions.
  - 2.1  $x^4$
  - 2.2  $3x^2 + \sin x$
  - 2.3  $\frac{5}{1+x^2}$
3. Find the antiderivative of  $2x + 1$  that passes through the point  $(1, 4)$ .