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$L(x)$ = the tangent line at $a = -4$.

2. $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 9}$, $a = -4$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 9)^{-1/2} \cdot 2x$$

$$= \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 9}}$$

$$f'(-4) = \frac{-4}{\sqrt{16 + 9}} = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$f(-4) = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$L(x) - 5 = -\frac{4}{5}(x + 4)$$

$$L(x) = -\frac{4}{5}x - \frac{16}{5} + 5$$

$$L(x) = -\frac{4}{5}x + \frac{9}{5}$$

b. $L(-3.9) = -\frac{4}{5} \cdot -3.9 + \frac{9}{5} = 4.92$

$$f(-3.9) = \sqrt{(-3.9)^2 + 9}$$

$$= 4.9204$$

$$|\text{True} - \text{Approx}| = \text{Accuracy}$$

Accuracy of $L(x)$ at $a = -4$

is 0.000365

4. $f(x) = \ln(x+1)$, $a = 0$

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

$$f'(0) = 1$$

$$f(0) = \ln 1 = 0$$

b. $L(0.1) = 0.1$

$$f(0.1) = \ln(1.1)$$

$$= 0.0953$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = 0.0047$$

$$L(x) - 0 = 1(x-0)$$

$$L(x) = x$$

6 $f(x) = \cos^{-1}x$, $a = 0$

$$f'(x) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

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

$$f(0) = \cos^{-1}0 = \pi/2$$

$$L(x) - \frac{\pi}{2} = -1(x-0)$$

$$L(x) = -x + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

12. $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$

$$f(27) \approx L(27) \quad \text{center at } a = 27$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^{-2/3}$$

$$f'(27) = \frac{1}{3}27^{-2/3} = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$f(27) = 3$$

$$L(x) - 3 = \frac{1}{27}(x-27)$$

$$L(x) = 3 + \frac{1}{27}(x-27)$$

b. $L(0.1) = -0.1 + \frac{\pi}{2} = 1.4708$

$$f(0.1) = \cos^{-1}0.1 = 1.4706$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = 0.000167$$

$$f(26) \approx L(26) = 3 + \frac{1}{27} \cdot -1$$
$$= \frac{80}{27}$$

14.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$$

$$f(80) \approx L(80) \quad \text{center at } a = 81$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2}$$

$$f'(81) = \frac{1}{2} 81^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{18}$$

$$f(81) = 9$$

$$L(x) - 9 = \frac{1}{18} (x - 81)$$

$$L(x) = 9 + \frac{1}{18} (x - 81)$$

$$L(80) = 9 + \frac{1}{18} (80 - 81)$$

$$= \frac{161}{18}$$