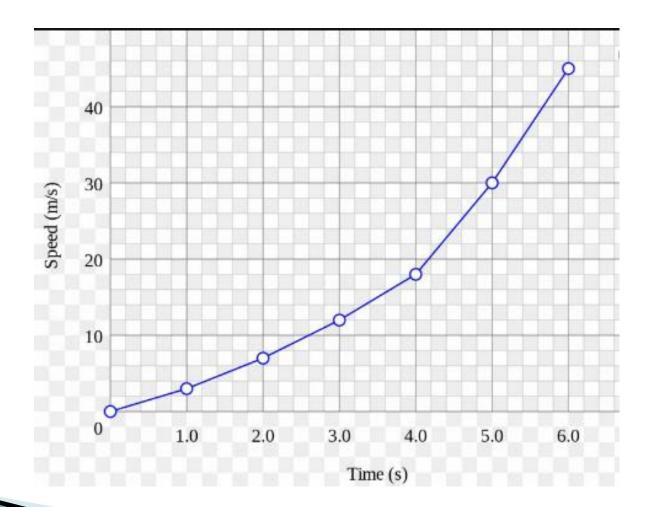
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Gregory Newton Formula or Newton's formula for interpolation

$$f(x) = f \left[x_0 + \left(\frac{x - x_0}{h} \right) h \right]$$

$$Let...: u = \left(\frac{x - x_0}{h} \right)$$

$$f(x) = f(x_0 + uh)$$

$$f(x) = E^u f(x_0)$$

$$f(x) = (1 + \Delta)^u f(x_0)$$

$$f(x) = f(x_0) + u \frac{\Delta f(x_0)}{1!} + u(u - 1) \frac{\Delta^2 f(x_0)}{2!} + ... u(u - 1) ... (u - (n - 1)) \frac{\Delta^n f(x_0)}{n!}$$

2. Newton's Backward Difference Formula: For equal interval, we consider the more simpler formula. Let for equal spaced (h) data, We have x_0 , $x_0 + h$, $x_0 + 2h$, $x_0 + nh$, Or $x_n = x_0 + nh$, n = 0,1,2...

$$f(x) = f\left[x_n + \left(\frac{x - x_n}{h}\right)h\right]$$

$$let....u = \left(\frac{x - x_n}{h}\right)$$

$$f(x) = f(x_n + uh)$$

$$f(x) = E^u f(x_n)$$

$$f(x) = (1 - \nabla)^{-u} f(x_n)$$

$$f(x) = \left[1 + u \frac{\nabla}{1!} - u(-u - 1) \frac{\nabla^2}{2!} + ... u(u + 1) ... (u + n - 1) \frac{\nabla^n}{n!}\right] f(x_n)$$

$$f(x) = f(x_n) + u \frac{\nabla f(x_n)}{1!} + u(u+1) \frac{\nabla^2 f(x_n)}{2!} + \dots + u(u+1) \dots + (u+n-1) \frac{\nabla^n f(x_n)}{n!}$$

Let f(x) be given for certain data points (x_0,y_0) , (x_1,y_1) (x_n,y_n) , where f(x) is not known explicitly.

It is required to compute the value of integral

$$I = \int_{a}^{b} y dx$$

Let the interval [a,b] be divided into n equal subintervals

$$a=x_0< x_1< \ldots x_n=b,$$

Clearly, $x_n = x_0 + nh$

Hence the integral becomes,

$$I = \int_{x_0}^{x_n} y dx$$

Approximating y by Newton's forward difference formula

$$I = \int_{x_0}^{x_n} y dx$$

$$I = \int_{x_0}^{x_n} \left[y_0 + u \frac{\Delta y_0}{1!} + u(u-1) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + u(u-1)(u-2) \frac{\Delta^3 y_0}{3!} + \dots \right] du$$

$$x = x_0 + uh, dx = h du$$

$$atx = x_0, u = 0$$

$$atx = x_n, u = \frac{x_n - x_0}{h}$$

$$Let...say...u = \frac{x_n - x_0}{h} = n(no.ofsub int ervals)$$

$$Hence,$$

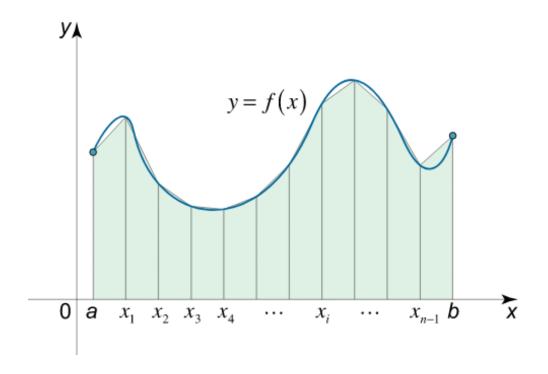
$$\int_{x_0}^{x_n} \left[u^2 \Delta y - \left(u^3 - u^2 \right) \Delta^2 y \right]^n$$

$$I = h \left[y_0 u + \frac{u^2}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{1!} + \left(\frac{u^3}{3} - \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + \dots \right]_0^n$$

$$\int_{x_0 + nh}^{x_0 + nh} y dx = nh \left[y_0 + \frac{n}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{2!} + \left(\frac{n(2n - 3)}{12} \right) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + \dots \right]$$
(1)

Trapezoidal rule

Put n=1 in eq (1) and neglect second and higher differences



$$I = h \left[y_0 u + \frac{u^2}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{1!} + \left(\frac{u^3}{3} - \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + \dots \right]_0^n$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0 + nh} y dx = nh \left[y_0 + \frac{n}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{2!} + \left(\frac{n(2n - 3)}{12} \right) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + \dots \right]$$
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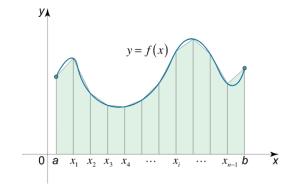
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$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+h} y dx = h \left[y_0 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{2} \right] = h \left[\frac{y_0 + y_1}{2} \right]^{-h}$$

similarly

$$\int_{x_0+h}^{x_0+2h} y dx = h \left[\frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \right]$$



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$$\int_{x_0 + (n-1)h}^{x_0 + nh} y dx = h \left[\frac{y_{n-1} + y_n}{2} \right]$$

on, combining

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_n} y dx = \frac{h}{2} [y_0 + 2(y_1 + y_2 + \dots y_{n-1}) + y_n]$$

$$I = h \left[y_0 u + \frac{u^2}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{1!} + \left(\frac{u^3}{3} - \frac{u^2}{2} \right) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + \dots \right]_0^n$$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0 + nh} y dx = nh \left[y_0 + \frac{n}{2} \frac{\Delta y_0}{2!} + \left(\frac{n(2n - 3)}{12} \right) \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{2!} + \dots \right]$$
(1)

Simpson's 1/3 rule

Put n=2 in eq (1) and neglect third and higher differences In Simpson's 1/3 rule approximate the given curve by a polynomial of degree 2. Due to which it gives better result.

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+2h} y dx = 2h \left[y_0 + \Delta y_0 + \frac{1}{6} \frac{\Delta^2 y_0}{6} \right] = 2h \left[y_0 + (y_1 - y_0) + \frac{(y_2 - y_1 + y_0)}{6} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2h}{6} \left[6y_1 + y_2 - 2y_1 + y_0 \right] = \frac{h}{3} \left[y_0 + 4y_1 + y_2 \right]$$

similarly

$$\int_{x_0+2h}^{x_0+4h} y dx = \frac{h}{3} [y_2 + 4y_3 + y_4]$$

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$$\int_{x_0 + (n-2)h}^{x_0 + nh} y dx = \frac{h}{3} [y_{n-2} + 4y_{n-1} + y_n]$$

on, combining

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_n} y dx = \frac{h}{3} \left[y_0 + 4(y_1 + y_3 + \dots + y_{n-1}) + 2(y_2 + y_4 + \dots + y_{n-2}) + y_n \right]$$

Simpson's 3/8 rule

Put n=3 in eq (1) and neglect higher differences

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_n} y dx = \frac{3h}{8} \left[(y_0 + y_n) + 3(y_1 + y_2 + y_2 + \dots + y_{n-1}) + 2(y_3 + y_6 + \dots + y_{n-3}) \right]$$

Example

Evaluate
$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$$
 using trapezoidal and simpson's 1/3 rule

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
f(x)	1	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0588	0.0385	0.622

Divide the interval into 6 parts each of width 1.

Solution

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
f(x)	1	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0588	0.0385	0.622

By trapezoidal rule

$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{h}{2} \left[y_0 + y_6 + 2(y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 + y_5) \right]$$

$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{1}{2} \left[1 + 0.622 + 2(0.5 + 0.2 + 0.1 + 0.0588 + 0.0385) \right]$$

$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = 1.4108$$

Solution

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
f(x)	1	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0588	0.0385	0.622

By Simpson's 1/3 rule

$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{h}{3} \left[y_0 + y_6 + 4(y_1 + y_3 + y_5) + 2(y_2 + y_4) \right]$$

$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{1}{2} \left[1 + 0.622 + 4(0.5 + 0.1 + 0.0385) + 2(0.2 + 0.0588) \right]$$

$$\int_0^6 \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = 1.3662$$

Practice Problems

Evaluate $\int_0^4 e^x dx$ using trapezoidal and simpson's 1/3 rule and compare with the actual value.

Suggested books

1. Numerical Methods by S.R.K Lyenger & R.K. Jain.

2. Numerical Analysis by Richard L. Burden.

3. Introductory methods of Numerical analysis by **S.S. Sastry**.

Thank you