

MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS-2

ASSIGNMENT-3

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Question-1

To approximate the elementary functions

- 1) $\exp(x)$
- 2) $\sin(x)$
- 3) $\cos(x)$
- 4) $\ln(1+x)$

by a finite number of Taylor's series and discuss the truncation error. To plot the function as well as the n th partial sum of its series for various values of n on the same graph and visualize the convergence of the series.

Program Code :

1) $\exp(x)$

```
import numpy as np
import math
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
def taylor_exexp(x,n):
```

```
result=0
for i in range(n):
    result+=x**i/math.factorial(i)
return result
```

```
def truncation_error(x,a):
    error = np.exp(x) - taylor_exexp(x,a+1)
    return error
```

```
n=int(input("Upto which term of taylor series do you wish the function
e^x to be approximated : "))
x=float(input("For which value of x do you want the function e^x to be
estimated : "))
a=int(input("Upto which order do you wish to calculate the truncation
error : "))
```

```
print(f'The Taylor expansion of e^x upto {n} terms of Taylor series for
x={x} is {taylor_exexp(x,n):.8f} .')
print("")
print(f'The {a} order Truncation error is {truncation_error(x,a):.8f} .')
```

```
x_values=np.linspace(-4,4,100)
n_values=[1,2,4,6,10]
y_actual=np.exp(x_values)
for n in n_values:
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y_approx = [taylor_exexp(x, n) for x in x_values]

plt.plot(x_values, y_approx, label=f'n={n}')

plt.plot(x_values, y_actual, 'k--', lw=2.5, label='exp(x)')

plt.xlabel('x')

plt.ylabel('f(x)')

plt.title("Taylor Series Approximation of exp(x)")

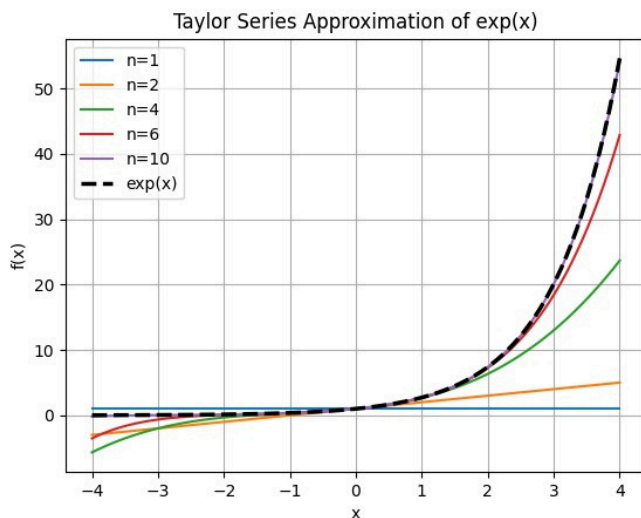
plt.legend()

plt.grid()

plt.show()

```

Output :



Upto which term of taylor series do you wish the function e^x to be approximated : 6

For which value of x do you want the function e^x to be estimated : 1

Upto which order do you wish to calculate the truncation error : 4

The Taylor expansion of e^x upto 6 terms of Taylor series for $x=1.0$ is 2.7166667 .

The 4 order Truncation error is 0.00994850 .

2)sin(x)

```
import numpy as np

import math

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def taylor_sinexp(x, a, n):

    expansion = 0

    for k in range(n):

        term = ((-1)**k * (x - a)**(2*k + 1)) / math.factorial(2*k + 1)

        expansion += term

    return expansion

def truncation_error(x, a, b):

    error = np.sin(x) - taylor_sinexp(x, a, b)

    return error

n = int(input("Up to which term of the Taylor series do you want to approximate sin(x)? "))

x = float(input("For which value of x do you want to estimate sin(x)? "))

a = 0

b = int(input("Up to which order do you wish to calculate the truncation error? "))

print(f'The Taylor expansion of sin(x) up to {n} terms for x={x} is {taylor_sinexp(x, a, n):.8f}.')

print("")

print(f'The {b}th order truncation error is {truncation_error(x, a, b):.8f}.')

x_values = np.linspace(-4, 4, 100)
```

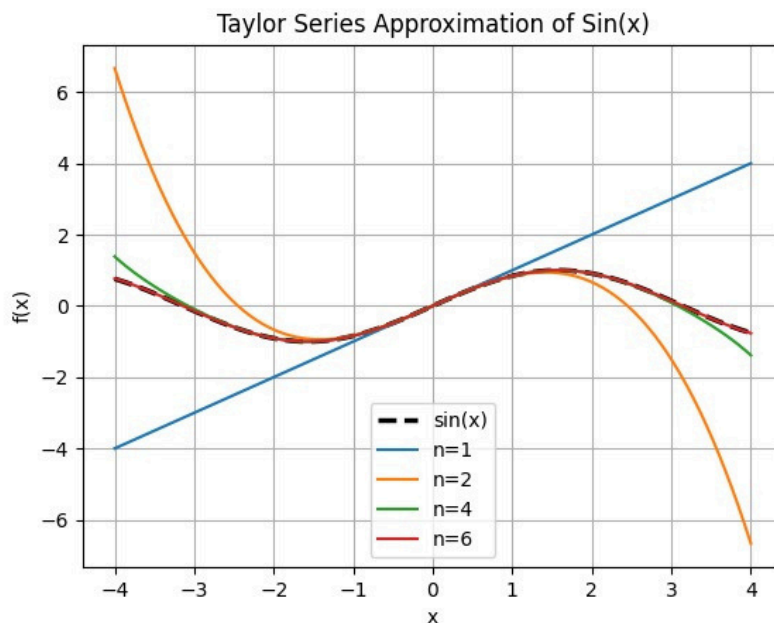
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n_values = [1, 2, 4, 6]
y_actual = np.sin(x_values)
plt.plot(x_values, y_actual, 'k--', lw= 2.5, label='sin(x)')
for n in n_values:
    y_approx = [taylor_sinexp(x, a, n) for x in x_values]
    plt.plot(x_values, y_approx, label=f'n={n}')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f(x)')
plt.title("Taylor Series Approximation of Sin(x)")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
plt.show()

```

Output :



Up to which term of the Taylor series do you want to approximate $\sin(x)$? 6

For which value of x do you want to estimate $\sin(x)$? 1

Up to which order do you wish to calculate the truncation error? 4

The Taylor expansion of $\sin(x)$ up to 6 terms for $x=1.0$ is 0.84147098.

The 4th order truncation error is 0.00000273.

3)cos(x)

```
import numpy as np
```

```
import math
```

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
def taylor_cosexp(x, a, n):
```

```
    expansion = 0
```

```
    for k in range(n):
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        term = ((-1)**k * (x - a)**(2*k)) / math.factorial(2*k)
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        expansion += term
```

```
    return expansion
```

```
def truncation_error(x, a, b):
```

```
    error = np.sin(x) - taylor_cosexp(x, a, b)
```

```
    return error
```

```
n = int(input("Up to which term of the Taylor series do you want to  
approximate cos(x)? "))
```

```
x = float(input("For which value of x do you want to estimate cos(x)? "))
```

```
a = 0
```

```

b = int(input("Up to which order do you wish to calculate the truncation
error? "))

print(f'The Taylor expansion of cos(x) up to {n} terms for x={x} is
{taylor_cosexp(x, a, n):.8f}.')
print("")

print(f'The {b}th order truncation error is {truncation_error(x, a, b):.8f}.')

x_values = np.linspace(-4, 4, 100)
n_values = [1, 2, 4, 6]
y_actual = np.cos(x_values)
plt.plot(x_values, y_actual, 'k--', lw=2.5, label='cos(x)')

for n in n_values:

    y_approx = [taylor_cosexp(x, a, n) for x in x_values]
    plt.plot(x_values, y_approx, label=f'n={n}')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f(x)')
plt.title("Taylor Series Approximation of Cos(x)")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
plt.show()

```

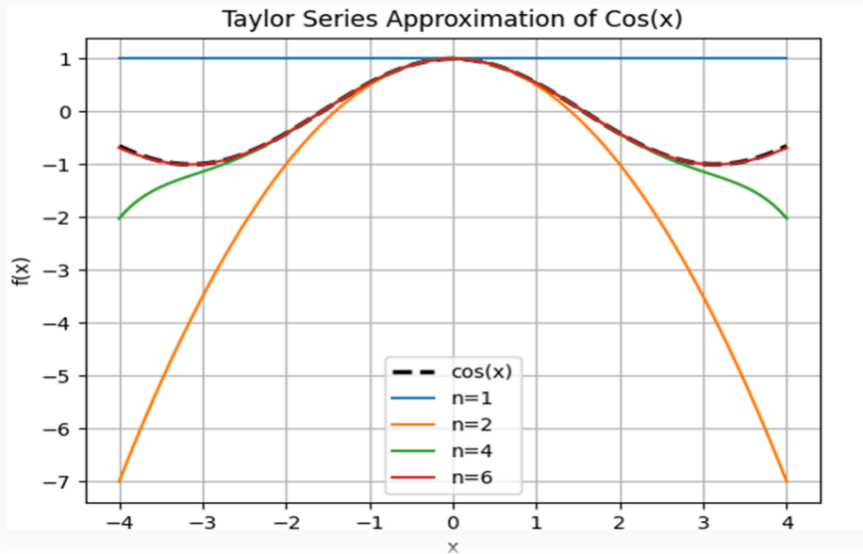
Output :

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Up to which term of the Taylor series do you want to approximate cos(x)? 6
For which value of x do you want to estimate cos(x)? 1
Up to which order do you wish to calculate the truncation error? 4
The Taylor expansion of cos(x) up to 6 terms for x=1.0 is 0.54030230.

The 4th order truncation error is 0.30119321.

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4) $\ln(1+x)$ OR $\log(1+x)$

```
import numpy as np
```

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
def taylor_log1p(x, a, n):
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```
    if 1 + a <= 0:
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```
        raise ValueError("The function log(1+a) is undefined for a ≤ -1.")
```

```
    expansion = np.log(1+a)
```

```
    for k in range(1, n+1):
```

```
        term = ((-1) ** (k+1) * (x - a) ** k) / (k * (1 + a) ** k)
```

```
        expansion += term
```

```
    return expansion
```

```
def truncation_error(x, a, n):
```



```
if x <= -1:
    raise ValueError("log(1+x) is undefined for  $x \leq -1$ ." )
return np.log(1+x) - taylor_log1p(x, a, n)
```

```
n = int(input("Up to which term of the Taylor series do you want to
approximate log(1+x)? "))
x = float(input("For which value of x do you want to estimate log(1+x)?
"))
a = float(input("Around which point a do you want to expand the Taylor
series? "))
```

```
print(f'The Taylor expansion of log(1+x) up to {n} terms for x={x} is
{taylor_log1p(x, a, n):.8f}.')
print("")
print(f'The {n}th order truncation error is {truncation_error(x, a, n):.8f}.')
```

```
x_values = np.linspace(-0.9, 5, 100)
n_values = [1, 2, 4, 6, 10]
y_actual = np.log(1+(x_values))
```

```
plt.plot(x_values, y_actual, 'k--',lw=2.5, label='log(1+x)')
```

```
for n in n_values:
    y_approx = [taylor_log1p(x, x+1, n) for x in x_values]
    plt.plot(x_values, y_approx, label=f'n={n}')
```

```
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f(x)')
plt.title("Taylor Series Approximation of Log(1+x)")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
plt.show()
```

```
print(f"Actual log(1+{x}): {np.log1p(x):.8f}")
```

output :

Up to which term of the Taylor series do you want to approximate $\log(1+x)$? 6

For which value of x do you want to estimate $\log(1+x)$? 1

Around which point a do you want to expand the Taylor series? 0

The Taylor expansion of $\log(1+x)$ up to 6 terms for $x=1.0$ is 0.61666667.

The 6th order truncation error is 0.07648051.

