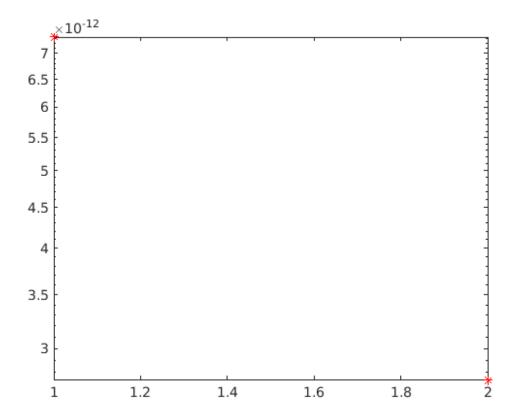
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% Q3
% Matlab script to calculate
% partial derivative of f(x) = \sin(x1)\exp(-x2)
a = [0.5; 1];
h = [10e-6; 10e-6];
trueVal = [\cos(a(1))*\exp(-a(2)); -\sin(a(1))*\exp(-a(2))];
% Central diff.
% Partial derivative wrt x
\mathtt{cntDiff}(1) \ = \ (\mathtt{f}(\mathtt{a}(1) \ + \ \mathtt{h}(1) \ , \ \mathtt{a}(2)) \ - \ \mathtt{f}(\mathtt{a}(1) \ - \ \mathtt{h}(1) \ , \ \mathtt{a}(2))) \ . / (2.*\mathtt{h}(1));
% Partial derivative wrt y
cntDiff(2) = (f(a(1), a(2) + h(2)) - f(a(1), a(2) - h(2)))./(2.*h(2));
errCnt = abs(trueVal - cntDiff.');
disp('Error in cntDiff is:');
disp(errCnt)
% The errCnt has two values: The first one is the derivative wrt x
% and second is derivative wrt y
% Plot
semilogy(errCnt, 'r*')
% Function def.
function fx = f(x1, x2)
  fx = sin(x1)*exp(-x2);
end
Error in cntDiff is:
   1.0e-11 *
    0.7339
    0.2744
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