Problem: Give an equation  $x^3 - 5x + 3 = 0$ :

- 1. Determine the two positive roots to 4 decimal places by using the bisection method.
- 2.Determine the two roots to more accurate (14) decimal places by using the Newton-Raphson method.
- 3. Determine the two positive roots to 14 decimal places by using the hybrid method.

We firstly define the function of bisection method. The function needs 2 inputs, the first  $x_1$  refers to the lower bound and the second  $x_2$  refers to the upper bound. In this question, we need to select and input the  $x_1, x_2$  by ourselves. And roughly we can estimate that the first root is between [0,1] and the second root is between [1,2]. Inside the function, we define  $x_3 = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$ . And then, we use a while-loop, the while-loop continues when  $f(x_3) > 1 \times 10^{-4}$ . Inside the while-loop, we use an if-else structure: if  $f(x_1) * f(x_3) < 0$  (which means the root is in  $[x_1, x_3]$ ), then  $x_2 \leftarrow x_3, x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$ ; else (which means the root is in  $[x_3, x_2]$ )  $x_1 \leftarrow x_3, x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$ . This function will finally return a rough solution x of the equation, which satisfies  $f(x) < 1 \times 10^{-4}$ .

Then we define the function of Newton method. The function takes 1 parameter t as input, which is the original value of the iteration. In this question, we can use the rough solution returned from the bisection method as the input. Inside the function, we use a while-loop. We define a = f(t), b = f'(t). If  $|a| > 1 \times 10^{-14}$ ,  $x \leftarrow x - \frac{a}{b}$ ; else (which means  $|a| \le 1 \times 10^{-14}$ ) return x and break the while-loop. In this way, we get an accurate solution of the equation.

Finally, we define the function of hybrid method. The function needs 3 inputs: the first  $x_1$  refers to the lower bound, the second  $x_2$  refers to the upper bound, and the third t refers to the original value we set for Newton method. In program, we set 3 parameters in advance. Roughly, we can estimate that the first root is between [0,1] and the second root is between [1,2]. So, for the first time we use hybrid method, we set  $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 1, t = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} = 0.5$ . And for the second time we use hybrid method,

we set 
$$x_1 = 1, x_2 = 2, t = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} = 1.5.$$

The basic structure of hybrid method is similar to bisection method and Newton method, and we also use while-loop inside the function. However, in each loop, before we use Newton method and set  $x \leftarrow x - \frac{f(t)}{f'(t)}$ , we firstly check whether the new value  $x - \frac{f(t)}{f'(t)}$  sits in the interval which is given by bisection method. If it sits in the interval  $[x_1, x_2]$ , then  $x \leftarrow x - \frac{f(t)}{f'(t)}$ . If not,  $x \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$ .

## Pseudo-code of Bisection Method & Newton Method

Input:  $f(x) = x^3 - 5x + 3$ , lower bound  $x_1$ , upper bound  $x_2$ 

Output: The solution x of the equation  $f(x) = x^3 - 5x + 3 = 0$ 

1. 
$$x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

2. While 
$$f(x_3) > 1 \times 10^{-4}$$
 Do

3. If 
$$f(x_1) * f(x_3) < 0$$
 Then

$$4. x_2 \leftarrow x_3, x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

5. Else

$$6. x_1 \leftarrow x_3, x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

7. **Return**  $x_3$ 

8. 
$$x \leftarrow x_3$$

9. While True Do

10. 
$$a \leftarrow f(x)$$

11. 
$$b \leftarrow f'(x)$$

12. If 
$$|a| > 1 \times 10^{-14}$$
 Then

13. 
$$x \leftarrow x - \frac{a}{b}$$

14. **Else** 

15. Return 
$$x$$

16. **Break** 

## Pseudo-code of Hybrid Method

Input:  $f(x) = x^3 - 5x + 3$ , lower bound  $x_1$ , upper bound  $x_2$ , original value t

Output: The solution sol of the equation  $f(x) = x^3 - 5x + 3 = 0$ 

1. 
$$x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, a \leftarrow f(t), b \leftarrow f'(t)$$

2. While 
$$|a| > 1 \times 10^{-14}$$
 and  $f(x_3) > 1 \times 10^{-14}$  Do

3. If 
$$f(x_1) * f(x_3) < 0$$
 Then

$$4. x_2 \leftarrow x_3, \ x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

5. If 
$$x_1 < t - \frac{a}{b} < x_2$$
 Then

$$6. t \leftarrow t - \frac{a}{b}$$

8. 
$$t \leftarrow x_3$$

10. 
$$x_1 \leftarrow x_3, \ x_3 \leftarrow \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

11. If 
$$x_1 < t - \frac{a}{b} < x_2$$
 Then

12. 
$$t \leftarrow t - \frac{a}{h}$$

14. 
$$t \leftarrow x_3$$

15. 
$$a \leftarrow f(t), b \leftarrow f'(t)$$

16. /\*In the end of the loop, we need to update the value of a and  $b^*/$ 

17. 
$$sol \leftarrow t$$

18. Return sol

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2_1_17307110134.py > ...
      import sympy as sp
      def main():
          global Roots
          Roots = []
          print('Bisection Method:')
          if type(Bisection()) == 'list':
             print('We find 2 roots.\n')
              Bisection()
              print('We find 2 roots.\n')
          print('Newton Method:')
          Newton(Roots[0])
          Newton(Roots[1])
    问题 輸出 调试控制台
终端
Windows PowerShell
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尝试新的跨平台 PowerShell https://aka.ms/pscore6
PS C:\Users\11765\Desktop\学习\物理\计算物理\作业\homework2> & 'C:\Users\11765\AppData\Local\Progr
ython.python-2020.9.111407\pythonFiles\lib\python\debugpy\launcher' '58207' '--' 'c:\Users\11765\De
Bisection Method:
Please input the lower bound x1:
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As we've discussed before, for the first root, we input  $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 1$ . And for the second root, we input  $x_1 = 1, x_2 = 2$ . If you input  $x_1, x_2$  which makes  $f(x_1) * f(x_2) > 0$ , the program will need you to input again.

The picture showed below is the result of the program.

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2 2_1_17307110134.py > ...
        import sympy as sp
        def main():
             global Roots
             Roots = []
             # We need a list to store the roots we've fonud, and it needs to be a global variable.
             print('Bisection Method:')
             if type(Bisection()) == 'list':
    # Bisection() will return a list when it finds 2 roots.
                  print('We find 2 roots.\n')
                  Bisection()
      问题 输出 调试控制台
终端
PS C:\Users\11765\Desktop\学习\物理\计算物理\作业\homework2> & 'C:\Users\11765\AppData\Local\Progr.
Bisection Method:
Please input the lower bound x1:0
Please input the upper bound x2:1
0.6566 is a root of the equation.
Please input the lower bound x1:1
Please input the upper bound x2:2
1.8342 is a root of the equation.
We find 2 roots.
Newton Method:
f(x)=0.00001564207741, f'(x)=-3.70656545460224, the times of iteration is 0. f(x)=0.000000000003508, f'(x)=-3.70654882863164, the times of iteration is 1. f(x)=0.000000000000000, f'(x)=-3.70654882860254, the times of iteration is 2.
0.65662043104711 is a root of the equation.
f(x)=-0.00007471149729, f'(x)=5.09318274259567, the times of iteration is 0. f(x)=0.000000000118406, f'(x)=5.09334418014623, the times of iteration is 1.
f(x) = -0.000000000000000, f'(x) = 5.09334417758510, the times of iteration is 2.
1.83424318431392 is a root of the equation.
Hybrid Method:
0.65662043104711 is a root of the equation.
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1.83424318431392 is a root of the equation.