

第四次作业

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First, we need write a function to realize the Lagrange interpolation.

Code lagran.m

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function C=lagran(X,Y)
%Input: X and Y are corresponding dataset.
%Output:
% C is a vector that contains the Lagrang coefficients from n-1 to zero
order.
w=length(X);%the number of data points.
n=w-1;% the max order of polynomial.
L=zeros(w,w);
%Form the Lagrange coefficient polynomials
for i=1:n+1
    V=1;
    for j=1:n+1
        if i~=j
            V=conv(V,poly(X(j)))/(X(i)-X(j));
        end
    end
    L(i,:)=V;%V is a vector
end
%Determine the coefficients of the Lagrange interpolator
C=Y*L;% the coefficients of simplified polynomials.
```

Now, let me explain the for-loop in the code. According to theory, $L_i(x) = \prod_{k=1, k \neq i}^{n+1} \frac{x-x_i}{x_i-x_k}$
 $P(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} f_i l_i(x)$ 【conv(u,v)】 means polynomials multiply polynomials. for
 example, if we want to calculate $(s^2 + 2s + 2) * (s + 4) * (s + 1)$

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>> w=conv([1, 2, 2], conv([1, 4], [1, 1]))
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w =
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1      7     16     18     8
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>> P=poly2str(w, 's')
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So in the code, for each i,

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P =
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' s^4 + 7 s^3 + 16 s^2 + 18 s + 8'
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>> |
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$L(i,:)=V$ means the coefficients of L_i from high order to low order.

Now, let's solve this question;

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%% (1)
clear all;clc;
X=[1,2,2.5];
Y=X+2./X;
C=lagran(X,Y);
f11=polyval(C,1.5);
f12=polyval(C,1.2);

%% (2)
X=[0.5 1 2 2.5];
Y=X+2./X;
C=lagran(X,Y);
f21=polyval(C,1.5);
f22=polyval(C,1.2);

f1=1.5+2/(1.5);
r11=(f11-f1)/f1;
r21=(f21-f1)/f1;

f2=1.2+2/(1.2);
r12=(f12-f2)/f2;
r22=(f22-f2)/f2;
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$\begin{array}{c|c} x & \text{f(x)} \\ \hline 1.5 & 2.8333 \\ 2.9000 & 2.7000 \\ 0.0235 & -0.0471 \\ 1.2 & 2.8667 \\ 2.9360 & 2.7696 \\ 0.0242 & -0.0339 \end{array}$
'rrq' means relative error of quadratic; 'rrc' means relative error of cubic; So we can see that in this question, quadratic Lagrange interpolation has a better approximation. I think this results from the function $f(x) = x + \frac{2}{x}$, for the interval between [1.2,1.5], it seems like quadratic function than the cubic function.

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(a)

according to the formula of up-limit of error $|\Delta f(x)| \leq \frac{\gamma}{4(n+1)} h^{n+1}$ $\gamma = \max |f^{n+1}(x)|$
 $h = \max(x_{i+1} - x_i)$ here $n = 1$, $\gamma = \max(\sin(x) \leq \sin(1))$ we calculate $h = 0.00218$ Since it's a sufficient condition, larger h may also allow $|\Delta f(x)|$ to smaller than the requirement, we decide to search for h in a more accurate way:

Since in each segment we have $|\Delta f(x)| \leq \frac{\gamma}{8} h^2$, where the second derivative of $\sin(x)$ is $-\sin(x)$, it's reasonable to **assume that largest error always occur at segment [1-h,1]**, so we firstly set h, and then calculate 1000 points in segment [1-h,1] both for $\sin(x)$ and Lagrange interpolation and find the largest error among them. If the largest error is still smaller than the requirement, we increase h further, until some h result in a out-of-requirement error(here we just increase h by hand for simplicity, without any iteration method).

Code 1: for Lagrange interpolation

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function yi = LagrangeInterp(x,y,xi)
n = length(x);
L = zeros(1,n);
for i = 1:n,
    L(i) = 1;
    for j = 1:n,
        if j ~= i,
            L(i) = L(i)* (xi - x(j))/(x(i) - x(j));
        end
    end
end
yi = sum(y.* L);

```

Code 2: search for a more accurate h

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X=[1-h,1];
Y=[sin(1-h),sin(1)];
Err=zeros(1,1000);
for i=1:1000
    Err(i)=sin(1-h+i/1000*h)-LagrangeInterp(X,Y,1-h+i/1000*h);
end
Errmax=max(abs(Err))

```

And we find h is in **somewhere between 0.002181 and 0.002182** (the Errmax of 0.002181 is 4.9998e-07, and of 0.002182 is 5.0044e-07). So it seems that the estimation from the formula is already good in this case.

(b)

In this case $n = 2$, $\gamma = \max(\cos(x)) \leq 1$, we calculate $h = 0.018171$. Again we apply the same method to search for a more accurate h (only with difference that we assume the largest error always occur at $[0, 2h]$)

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%Lagrange Interpolation of sin(x) in [0,1] to 2th order
h=0.0198;
X=[0,h,2*h];
Y=[0,sin(h),sin(2*h)];
Err=zeros(1,1000);
for i=1:1000
    Err(i)=sin(i/1000*2*h)-LagrangeInterp(X,Y,i/1000*2*h);
end
Errmax=max(abs(Err))

```

And we find h is in **somewhere between 0.0198 and 0.0199** (the Errmax of 0.0198 is 4.9787e-07, and of 0.0199 is 5.0546e-07). In this case the accurate h is more larger than estimation.

(c)

In this case $n = 3$, $\gamma = \max(\sin(x)) \leq \sin(1)$, we calculate $h = 0.05528$. Again we apply the same method to search for a more accurate h (only with difference that we assume the largest error always occur at $[1-3h, 1]$)

```

%Lagrange Interpolation of sin(x) in [0,1] to 3th order
h=0.062;
X=[1-3*h,1-2*h,1-h,1];
Y=[sin(1-3*h),sin(1-2*h),sin(1-h),sin(1)];
Err=zeros(1,1000);
for i=1:1000
    Err(i)=sin(1-3*h+i/1000*3*h)-LagrangeInterp(X,Y,1-3*h+i/1000*3*h);
end
Errmax=max(abs(Err))

```

And we find h is in **somewhere between 0.062 and 0.063** (the Errmax of 0.062 is 4.8997e-07, and of 0.063 is 5.2184e-07). In this case the accurate h is more larger than estimation.

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We write a general code applying Newton divided difference method.

```
%Newton divided difference n order
%X, Y should be row
function [P,D]=Newtondivdif(X,Y,x)
n=length(X)-1;
D=zeros(n+1,n+1);
D(:,1)=Y';
for i=1:n
    for k=i:n
        D(k+1,i+1)=(D(k,i)-D(k+1,i))/(X(k-i+1)-X(k+1));
    end
end
XX=ones(1,n);
for p=1:n
    for q=p:n
        XX(1,q)=XX(1,q)*(x-X(p));
    end
end

P=D(1,1);
for j=1:n
    P=P+D(j+1,j+1)*XX(j);
end
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Divided difference table:

0.6900	0	0	0	0
1.1000	0.4100	0	0	0
1.3900	0.2900	-0.0600	0	0
1.6100	0.2200	-0.0350	0.0083	0
1.9500	0.1700	-0.0167	0.0046	-0.0008

$$P_4(2.4) = 1.2272 \quad P_4(4.2) = 1.6487$$

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(a)

First, we use Lagrange polynomial interpolation to find $I(1)$, the function has given before.

```

L = zeros(1,n);
for i = 1:n,
    L(i) = 1;
    for j = 1:n,
        if j ~= i,
            L(i) = L(i)* (xi - x(j))/(x(i) - x(j));
        end
    end
end
yi = sum(y.* L);

```

Through Lagrange polynomial interpolation we find $I(2)= 1.571274720000000$

Then, we use Newton Interpolating Polynomials and we also find $I(2)=1.571274720000000$

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%Newton divided difference n order
%X, Y should be row
function [P,D]=Newtondivdif(X,Y,x)
n=length(X)-1;
D=zeros(n+1,n+1);
D(:,1)=Y';
for i=1:n
    for k=i:n
        D(k+1,i+1)=(D(k,i)-D(k+1,i))/(X(k-i+1)-X(k+1));
    end
end
XX=ones(1,n);
for p=1:n
    for q=p:n
        XX(1,q)=XX(1,q)*(x-X(p));
    end
end
end

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(b)

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From the table we know that $I = 1.58$ lies between $\alpha = [5, 10]$, so we set the step size = 0.01, error = $1e-5$ when we find $abs(y(\alpha) - 1.58) \leq 1e - 5$, we return α and I

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% 计算物理 第四次作业 5 (b)
alpha = [0,5,10,15,20,25];
I = [1.57080,1.57379,1.58284,1.59814,1.62003,1.64900];

error = 1e-5;

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        a
      yi
    break
  end
end
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Result:

alpha = 8.750000000000000 I = 1.580001547851562