

# Homework 1

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```
clear, clc
```

## Problem #1 - Charge on capacitor: measured vs. theoretical

### a) Set up measured data (No output)

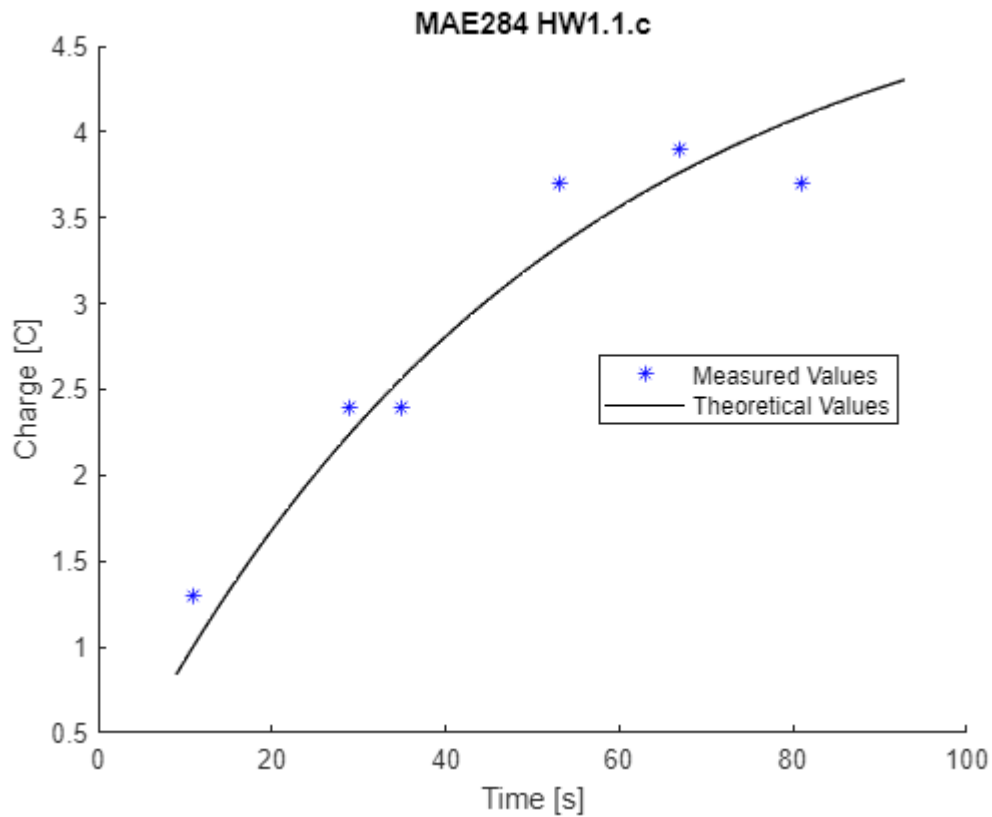
```
t_m = [11,29,35,53,67,81];  
Q_m = [1.3,2.4,2.4,3.7,3.9,3.7];
```

### b) Set up theoretical values (No output)

```
t_t = 9:1:93;  
Q_t = 5.1 .* (1-(exp((-t_t)./50)));
```

### c) Plot

```
hold on  
xlabel("Time [s]");  
ylabel("Charge [C]");  
plot(t_m,Q_m,"b*",t_t,Q_t,"k-")  
title("MAE284 HW1.1.c")  
legend("Measured Values","Theoretical Values","location","best")  
hold off
```



## Problem #2 - Uniform beam with distributed load

**% Set up variables**

```
L=2000;
E=10000;
I=13000;
w0=170;
x=0:16:L;
```

**a) Displacement,  $y(x)$**

Formula:  $y = \frac{w_0}{120EI} (2L^2x^3 - xL^4 - x^5)$

**% Displacement code**

```
y=((w0)./(120.*E.*I.*L)).*((2*(L^2).*(x.^3))-(x.*(L^4))-(x.^5));
```

**b) Slope,  $\theta(x) = \frac{dy}{dx}$**

Formula:  $\theta = \frac{w_0}{120EI} (6L^2x^2 - L^4 - 5x^4)$

**% Slope code**

```
dy=((w0)./(120.*E.*I.*L).*((6*(L^2).*(x.^2))-(L^4)-(5.*(x.^4))));
```

**c) Moment,**  $M(x) = EI \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$

Formula:  $M = \left( \frac{w_0}{120L} (12L^2x - 20x^3) \right)$

```
% Moment code
```

```
M=(w0/(120*L))*(((12*(L^2))*x)-(20*(x.^3)));
```

**d) Shear,**  $V(x) = EI \frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$

Formula:  $V = \left( \frac{w_0}{120IL} (12L^2 - 60x^2) \right)$

```
% Shear code
```

```
V=((w0)/(120*L))*((12*(L^2))-(60*(x.^2)));
```

**e) Plot a-d versus distance along the beam**

```
subplot(2,2,1);
plot(x,y,"k.-")
title("Displacement")
xlabel("Distance, x [cm]")
ylabel("Deflection, y(x) [cm]")

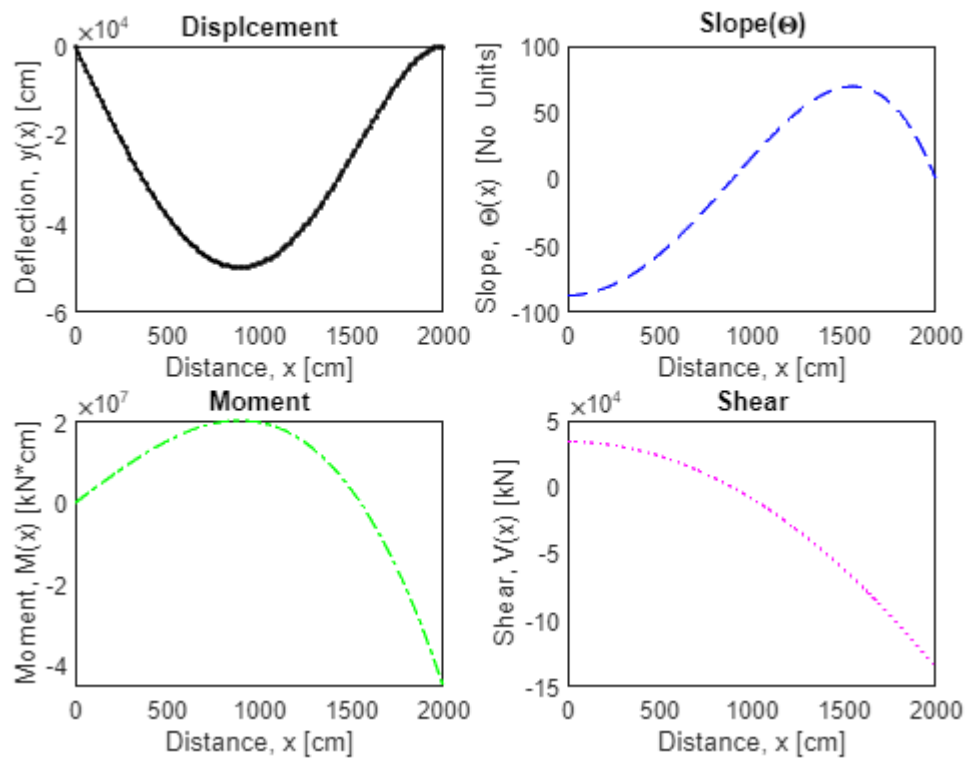
subplot(2,2,2);
plot(x,dy,"b--")
title("Slope(\Theta)")
xlabel("Distance, x [cm]")
ylabel("Slope, \Theta(x) [No Units]")

subplot(2,2,3);
plot(x,M,"g-.")
title("Moment")
xlabel("Distance, x [cm]")
ylabel("Moment, M(x) [kN*cm]")

subplot(2,2,4);
plot(x,V,"m:")
title("Shear")
xlabel("Distance, x [cm]")
ylabel("Shear, V(x) [kN]")

sgtitle("MAE284 HW1.2.e")
```

## MAE284 HW1.2.e

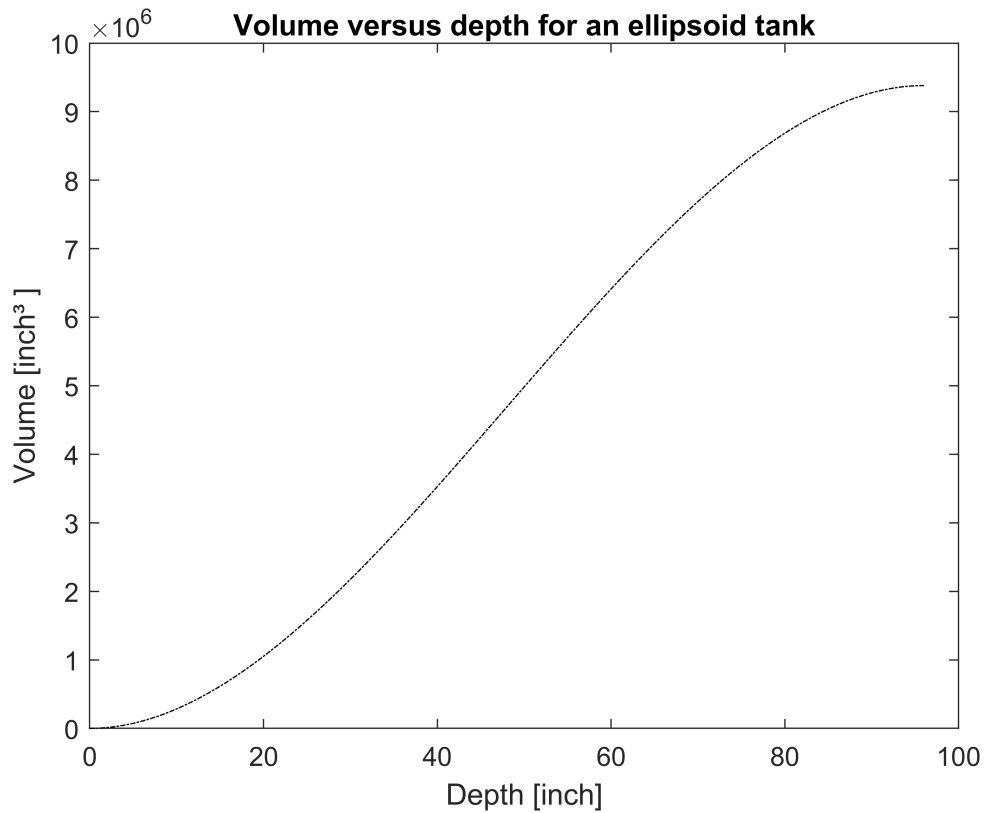


figure()

## Problem #3 - Ellipsoid tank

a) Test #1 - Provide title and units, no return value

```
% Test #1 code
plot_title = 'Volume versus depth for an ellipsoid tank';
ellipsoid_volume(48,216,plot_title,'inch')
```



#### b) Test #2 - Use defaults, return volume

```
% Test #2 code
V = ellipsoid_volume(10,2);
fprintf("The volume of the tank is %.4f m³", V)
```

The volume of the tank is 167.5516 m³

## Problem #4 - Manning's equation

#### a) Display D matrix

```
D = [.028, .0011, 21, 6.4;
     .033, .0001, 9, 3.3;
     .031, .0004, 20, 16.1;
     .021, .0006, 22, 12.6;
     .017, .0004, 14, 7.7;
     .022, .0008, 7, 14.9];
D(:,5) = (D(:,3) .* D(:,4)) ./ (D(:,3) + 2 * D(:,4))
```

```
D = 6x5
    0.0280    0.0011    21.0000    6.4000    3.9763
    0.0330    0.0001     9.0000    3.3000    1.9038
    0.0310    0.0004    20.0000   16.1000    6.1686
    0.0210    0.0006    22.0000   12.6000    5.8729
    0.0170    0.0004    14.0000    7.7000    3.6667
    0.0220    0.0008     7.0000   14.9000    2.8342
```

## b) Calculations for V using single line of code and display V vector

```
V = ((1./D(:,1)).*sqrt(D(:,2)).*(D(:,5).^(2/3)))
```

```
V = 6x1
    2.9730
    0.4655
    2.1700
    3.7969
    2.7974
    2.5748
```

## c) Calculations for V using single line of code in a loop

```
for n = 1:length(D(:,1))
    v = (1/D(n,1))*sqrt(D(n,2))*(D(n,5)^(2/3));
    fprintf("Channel %1.0f velocity = %.5f m/s\n", n, v)
end
```

```
Channel 1 velocity = 2.97299 m/s
Channel 2 velocity = 0.46549 m/s
Channel 3 velocity = 2.16999 m/s
Channel 4 velocity = 3.79685 m/s
Channel 5 velocity = 2.79745 m/s
Channel 6 velocity = 2.57482 m/s
```

## Problem #5 - Approximation and error

```
% Code for problem #5 here
termEst = zeros(1,7);
x = pi/3;

for k = 1:7
    if k == 1
        fprintf("# of terms      Estimate      True Error      MAPRE\n" + ...
            "-----\n")
        %10 13 14 14
    end

    termEst(k) = ((-1)^(k-1))*((x^(2*k-1))/factorial(2*k-1));
    currentEst = sum(termEst(1:k));
    MAPRE = abs((currentEst-sum(termEst(1:(k-1))))/currentEst)*100;
    if k == 1
        fprintf("%10d %13.10f %14.10f %14s\n", k, currentEst, (sin(x)-currentEst), "N/A")
    else
        fprintf("%10d %13.10f %14.10f %14.10f\n", k, currentEst, (sin(x)-currentEst), MAPRE)
    end
end
```

# of terms	Estimate	True Error	MAPRE
-----	-----	-----	-----
1	1.0471975512	-0.1811721474	N/A

2	0.8558007816	0.0102246222	22.3646406681
3	0.8662952838	-0.0002698800	1.2114232200
4	0.8660212717	0.0000041321	0.0316403464
5	0.8660254451	-0.0000000413	0.0004819077
6	0.8660254035	0.0000000003	0.0000048043
7	0.8660254038	-0.0000000000	0.0000000338

## Problem #6 - Taylor series

a) Calculate  $f_a(x)$  display in fprintf statement

```
f = @(x) 5*x.^4 - 3*x - 7;
df_dx = @(x) 20*x.^3 - 3;
df2_d2x = @(x) 60*x.^2;

a = 1;

n_1 = df2_d2x(a)/factorial(2);
n_2 = (df_dx(a) - 2*a*(df2_d2x(a)/factorial(2)));
n_3 = f(a)-a*df_dx(a) +a^2*(df2_d2x(a)/factorial(2));

f_a = @(x) n_1*x.^2 + n_2*x + n_3;

fprintf("f_a(x) = %.4fx^2 + %.4fx + %.4f", n_1, n_2, n_3)
```

$f_a(x) = 30.0000x^2 + -43.0000x + 8.0000$

b) Display exact answer and estimate the value of the function at the new value of x

```
x = 2.5;
f_app = f_a(x);
f_ex = f(x);
fprintf("The exact value of f(%.1f) is %7.4f", x, f_ex)
```

The exact value of  $f(2.5)$  is 180.8125

```
fprintf("The approximate value of f(%.1f) if %7.4f", x, f_app)
```

The approximate value of  $f(2.5)$  if 88.0000

Calculating Error

```
MTPRE = abs(((f_ex-f_app)/f_ex)*100)
```

MTPRE = 51.3308

```
n = 2;
maxErr = 0.5*10.^(2-n)
```

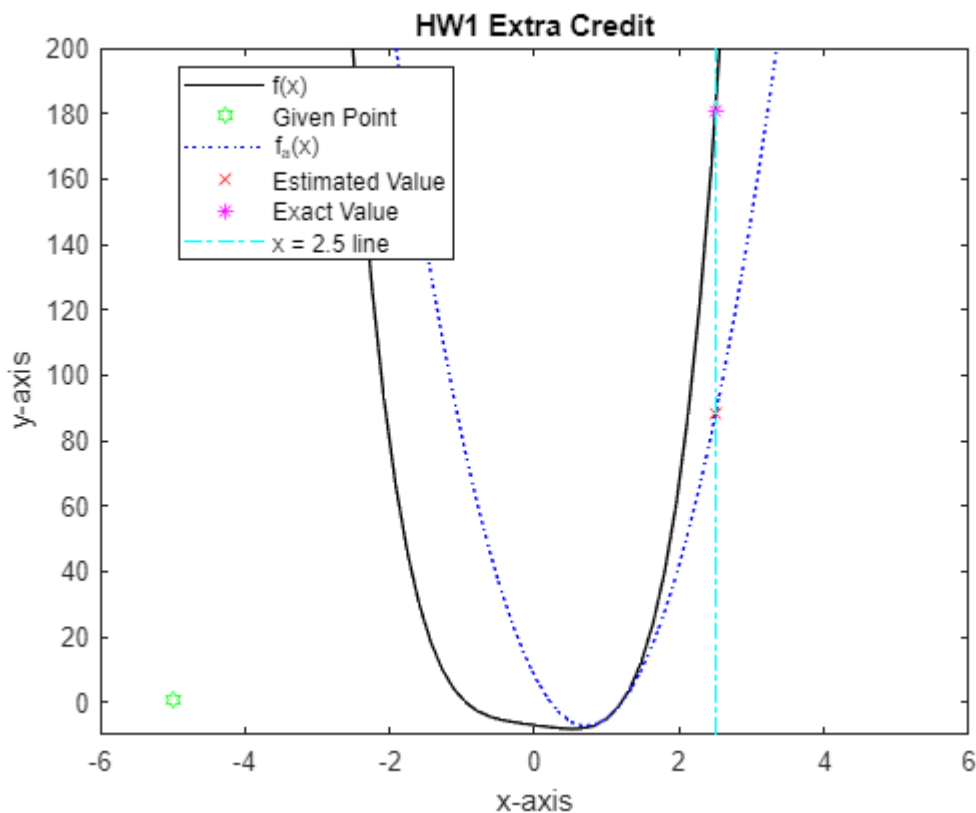
maxErr = 0.5000

c) Is this a reasonable approximation? Why or why not?

No, because the MTPRE is 51.33%, and we defined in class using the Scarborough tolerance that with 2 significant digits the acceptable error tolerance would be 0.5%, which is over 2 orders of magnitude less than the error in this estimation.

#### d) (Extra Credit)

```
x_ = linspace(-10,6);
figure()
plot(x_,f(x_), "k-", -5, 1, "gh", x_, f_a(x_), "b:", x, f_app, "rx", x, f_ex, "m*", linspace(2.5, 2.5, 1000), "c-")
xlim([-6,6])
ylim([-10, 200])
legend('f(x)', 'Given Point', 'f_a(x)', 'Estimated Value', 'Exact Value', 'x = 2.5 line', 'location')
xlabel("x-axis")
ylabel("y-axis")
title("HW1 Extra Credit")
```



### ellipsoid\_volume function from problem 3

```
function V = ellipsoid_volume(a,b,plot_title,units)
% Calculate the volume of horizontal ellipsoidal tank
%
% Syntax:
%   ellipsoid_volume(a,b,plot_title,units) - creates plot
%   V = ellipsoid_volume(a,b) - calculates total tank volume
```



```

%     V = ellipsoid_volume(a,b,plot_title,units) - does both
%
% Inputs:
%     a          - vertical semi-axis
%     b          - horizontal radius
%     plot_title - string holding plot title
%     units      - optional units string, default = 'm'.
%
% Output:
%     V - total volume of the tank

if nargin == 2
    V = (4/3)*pi*a*b^2;
elseif nargin > 2
    h = linspace(0,2*a);
    volume = (pi/3).*(3*a-h).*((b^2.*h.^2)./a^2);
    plot(h,volume,"k-.")
    title(plot_title)

    if nargin == 4
        xstr = strcat("Depth [",units,"]");
        ystr = strcat("Volume [",units,"^3 ]");

        ylabel(ystr)
        xlabel(xstr)
    else
        ylabel("Volume [m^3 ]")
        xlabel("Depth [m]")
    end
else
    error("Please input a Valid Command")
end
end

```