

chosen to be
closest to 3.5

Question 18.8

x_i	$f(x_i)$	First-order	Second-order
1.8	16.415	$\rightarrow f[5, 1.8]$	$\rightarrow f[6, 5, 1.8]$
5	5.375	$\rightarrow f[6, 5]$	
6	3.5		

$$f[5, 1.8] = \frac{f(5) - f(1.8)}{5 - 1.8} = \frac{5.375 - 16.415}{3.2} = -3.45$$

$$f_1(x) = b_0 + b_1(x - x_0)$$

$$f_1(3.5) = 16.415 - 3.45(3.5 - 1.8)$$

$$f_1(3.5) = 10.55$$

→ For trying out x_2 is chosen to be 6
since it is the next thing closest to 3.5

$$f[6, 5] = \frac{f(6) - f(5)}{6 - 5} = -1.875$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_2(x) &= b_0 + b_1(x - x_0) + b_2(x - x_0)(x - x_1) \\ &= 10.55 + f[6, 5, 1.8](3.5 - 1.8)(3.5 - 5) \\ &= 10.55 + \frac{f[6, 5] - f[5, 1.8]}{6 - 1.8}(1.7)(-1.5) \end{aligned}$$

$$f_2(3.5) = 9.59375$$

→ For the next x let's pick up 0, since it is the next closest to 3.5

x_i	$f(x_i)$	first-order	Second-order	Third-order
0	26	$\rightarrow f[1.8, 0]$	$\rightarrow f[5, 1.8, 0]$	$\rightarrow f[6, 5, 1.8, 0]$
1.8	16.415	$\rightarrow f[5, 1.8]$	$\rightarrow f[6, 5, 1.8]$	
5	5.375	$\rightarrow f[6, 5]$		
6	3.5			

$$f[1.8, 0] = \frac{f(1.8) - f(0)}{1.8 - 0} = \frac{16.415 - 26}{1.8} = -5.325$$

$$f[5, 1.8, 0] = \frac{f[5, 1.8] - f[1.8, 0]}{5 - 0} = \frac{-3.45 + 5.325}{5} = 0.375$$

$$f[6, 5, 1.8, 0] = \frac{f[6, 5, 1.8] - f[5, 1.8, 0]}{6 - 0} = \frac{0.375 - 0.375}{6} = 0$$

$$R_2 = \underbrace{f[6, 5, 1.8, 0]}_0 (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2)$$

$R_2 = 0$ → for next x is chosen as 0

→ If the next one is chosen as 8.2

x_i	$f(x_i)$	First-order	Second-order	Third-order
1.8	16.415	$\rightarrow f[5, 1.8]$	$\rightarrow f[6, 5, 1.8]$	$\rightarrow f[8.2, 6, 5, 1.8]$
5	5.375	$\rightarrow f[6, 5]$	$\rightarrow f[8.2, 6, 5]$	
6	3.5	$\rightarrow f[8.2, 6]$		
8.2	2.015			

$$\begin{aligned}
 f[8.2, 6, 5, 1.8] &= \frac{f[8.2, 6, 5] - f[6, 5, 1.8]}{8.2 - 1.8} && \frac{f[8.2, 6] - f[6, 5]}{8.2 - 5} \\
 &= \frac{0.375 - 0.375}{6.4} && = \frac{-0.675 + 1.875}{3.2} \\
 &= 0 && = 0.375
 \end{aligned}$$

$$R_2 = f[8.2, 6, 5, 1.8] (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2)$$

$$\boxed{R_2 = 0} \rightarrow \text{for next } x \text{ is chosen as } 8.2$$

→ If the next one is chosen as 9.2

$$\begin{aligned}
 f[9.2, 6, 5, 1.8] &= \frac{f[9.2, 6, 5] - f[6, 5, 1.8]}{9.2 - 1.8} && \frac{f[9.2, 6] - f[6, 5]}{9.2 - 5} \\
 &= \frac{0.375 - 0.375}{7.4} = 0 && = \frac{-0.3 + 1.875}{4.2} \\
 &&& = 0.375
 \end{aligned}$$

$$R_2 = f[9.2, 6, 5, 1.8] (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2)$$

$$\boxed{R_2 = 0} \rightarrow \text{for next } x \text{ is chosen as } 9.2.$$

→ If the next one is chosen as 12

$$\begin{aligned} f[12, 6, 5, 1.8] &= \frac{f[12, 6, 5] - f[6, 5, 1.8]}{12 - 1.8} && \frac{f[12, 6] - f[6, 5]}{12 - 5} \\ &= \frac{0.375 - 0.375}{12 - 1.8} && = \frac{0.75 + 1.875}{7} \\ &= 0 && = 0.375 \end{aligned}$$

$$R_2 = f[12, 6, 5, 1.8] (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2)$$

$R_2 = 0$ → for next x is
chosen as 12

→ It is shown that for the next step choosing any value of
0, 8.2, 9.2 or 12 error estimation will be 0
therefore it will make any contribution in both negative or positive
way, then we can stop.

$$f_2(3.5) = 9.59375 \rightarrow \text{is the exact value}$$