

Lab – 09

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- For the error estimate, I have calculated the actual integral using the inbuilt `int` (f, a, b) function in MATLAB and took its difference with the approximated integral.
- In Ques – 3, we're asked to perform Gaussian Quadrature, so I applied both Gauss-Legendre and Gauss-Lobatto Quadrature.

Ques – 1

Que – 1

(a)

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 2$ is 0.228074

The actual integral = 0.192259

The error in approximation is 3.581477e-02

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 2$ is 0.228074

The actual integral = 0.192259

The error in approximation is 3.581477e-02

(b)

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 2$ is -0.177764

The actual integral = -0.176820

The error in approximation is 9.443255e-04

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 2$ is -0.177764

The actual integral = -0.176820

The error in approximation is 9.443255e-04

Ques – 2

Que – 2

(a)

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 2$ is 4.143260

The actual integral = 2.588629

The error in approximation is 1.554631e+00

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 2$ is 4.143260

The actual integral = 2.588629

The error in approximation is 1.554631e+00

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 3$ is 2.583696
The actual integral = 2.588629
The error in approximation is $4.932229e-03$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 3$ is 2.583696
The actual integral = 2.588629
The error in approximation is $4.932229e-03$

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 4$ is 2.585789
The actual integral = 2.588629
The error in approximation is $2.839581e-03$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 4$ is 2.587786
The actual integral = 2.588629
The error in approximation is $8.425024e-04$

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 5$ is 2.587968
The actual integral = 2.588629
The error in approximation is $6.601757e-04$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 5$ is 2.588623
The actual integral = 2.588629
The error in approximation is $5.134422e-06$

(b)

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 2$ is -0.866667
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $1.326975e-01$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 2$ is -0.866667
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $1.326975e-01$

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 3$ is -0.739105
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $5.136164e-03$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 3$ is -0.739105
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $5.136164e-03$

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 4$ is -0.736428
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $2.458521e-03$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 4$ is -0.734204
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $2.346887e-04$

The approximated integral by Newton-cotes formula for $n = 5$ is -0.734157
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $1.874933e-04$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 5$ is -0.733980
The actual integral = -0.733969
The error in approximation is $1.125727e-05$

We observe that the approximations by Newton-Cotes and Gauss-Lobatto Quadrature are same for $n = 2, 3$ and after that, Gauss-Lobatto Quadrature is giving a better approximation.

Ques – 3

Que – 3

(a)

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 2$ is 0.665844
The actual integral = 0.663494
The error in approximation is $2.350027e-03$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 2$ is 1.977795
The actual integral = 0.663494
The error in approximation is $1.314302e+00$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 4$ is 0.663493
The actual integral = 0.663494
The error in approximation is $2.273214e-07$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 4$ is 0.662818
The actual integral = 0.663494
The error in approximation is $6.759082e-04$

(b)

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 2$ is 1.962973
The actual integral = 1.933421
The error in approximation is $2.955126e-02$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 2$ is 1.667460
The actual integral = 1.933421
The error in approximation is $2.659614e-01$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 4$ is 1.933417
The actual integral = 1.933421
The error in approximation is $4.602032e-06$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Lobatto quadrature for $n = 4$ is 1.933467
The actual integral = 1.933421
The error in approximation is $4.512592e-05$

Here, we observe that Gauss-Legendre Quadrature is giving better approximations than Gauss-Lobatto Quadrature.

Ques – 4

Que – 4

(a)

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 2$ is 0.746595

The actual integral = 0.746824

The error in approximation is $2.294445e-04$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 4$ is 0.746824

The actual integral = 0.746824

The error in approximation is $3.353198e-07$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 6$ is 0.746824

The actual integral = 0.746824

The error in approximation is $7.772834e-11$

(b)

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 2$ is 1.263158

The actual integral = 2.651635

The error in approximation is $1.388477e+00$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 4$ is 2.047285

The actual integral = 2.651635

The error in approximation is $6.043503e-01$

The approximated integral by Gauss-Legendre quadrature for $n = 6$ is 2.411689

The actual integral = 2.651635

The error in approximation is $2.399464e-01$

Here is a reference to the Gaussian Quadrature Rules: -

<https://www.dam.brown.edu/people/alcyew/handouts/GLquad.pdf>