

# Practice 1: Python Numerical Method

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# 1.1 Python Numerical computing program

- Features of Python:
  - Simple and efficient expression ability
  - Equipped with various modules

- This course uses software :



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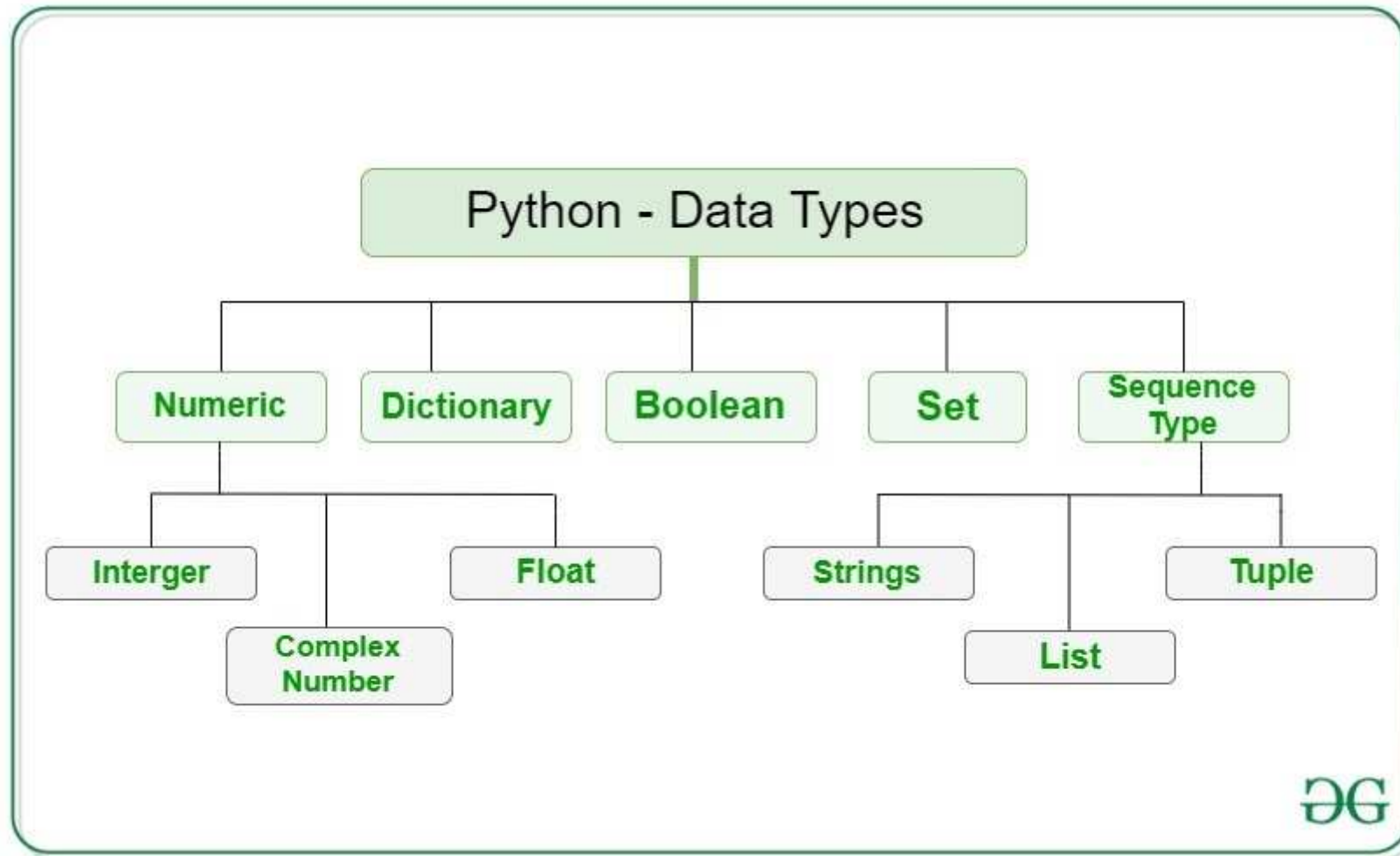


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# Python Build-in Core Data Type





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- Numbers
- Strings
- List
- Tuple
- Dictionary
- Set



# Numerical Types

- int (signed int type)
- long ( Long integer, It can also represent octal and hexadecimal)
- float ( float type)
- complex ( complex type)



# Python Number(1)

- int: positive or negative whole numbers (without a fractional part) e.g. -10, 10, 456, 4654654.
- float: any real number with a floating-point representation in which a fractional component is denoted by a decimal symbol or scientific notation e.g. 1.23, 3.4556789e2.
- complex: a number with a real and imaginary component represented as  $x + 2y$ .



# Python Number Types

- 1234, -24, 0, 999999999999999 integer (No size limit)
- 1.23, 1., 3.14e-10, 4E210, 4.0e+210 float number
- 0o177, 0x9ff, 0b101010 Two octal, hexadecimal and  
■ binary literals in Python 3.X
- 0177, 0o177, 0x9ff, 0b101010 Two octal, hexadecimal and binary literals  
in Python 2.X
- 3+4j, 3.0+4.0j, 3j complex number
- set('spam'), {1, 2, 3, 4} Sets: Constructions in 2. X and 3. X
- Decimal('1.0'), Fraction(1, 3) Decimal and fraction extension types
- bool(X), True, False Boolean types and literals





# Python Integer

- A string written as a decimal number
- Hexadecimal, octal, binary in the code corresponds to integer objects, but different syntax representations of specific values
- build-in functions `hex(I)`, `oct(I)` and `bin(I)` convert a integer to a string of hex/oct/binary
- `int(str, base)` convert a string to a integer base on giving base



# Python Float

- Floating point object in the expression will use **float number** (not integer)。
- Floating-point numbers are implemented in standard Cpython using the "**double precision**" of C language, Its precision is the same as the double precision given by the C compiler used to construct the Python interpreter.



# Python Expression Operators

operators	
x if y else z	Ternary selection expression
x or y	local or
x and y	logic and
not x	logic not
x in y,x not in y	member relationship
x is y,x is not y	Object identity test
x<y,x<=y, x > y, x >= y	Size comparison
x == y,x != y	Value equivalence operator



# Python Expression Operators

operators	
<code>x   y</code>	bitwise or
<code>x ^ y</code>	Bitwise XOR
<code>x &amp; y</code>	bitwise and
<code>x &lt;&lt; y, X &gt;&gt; y</code>	Move x left or right by y bit



# Python Expression Operators

operator	meaning	priority	Associativity
+	addition	These operators have the same priority, but lower priority than the following operators	Left commissure
-	subtraction		
*	multiplication		
/	division		
//	Divide by integer	These operators have the same priority, but higher priority than the above operators	
**	exponentiation		
%	Modular		



# Python Operators

- $X / Y$  execute true division (keep the fractional part of the quotient)
- $X // Y$  execute round-down division (remove fractional part of the quotient)



# Python Operators

example:

```
>>> 6 / 2.5
```

```
2.4
```

```
>>> 6 // 2.5
```

```
2.0
```



# Python Operators

- Comparison operators can be used in chain, for example:
- $X < Y < Z$  Equivalent to  $X < Y$  and  $Y < X$
- In Python3.X, Comparing the relative size of non-numeric mixed types is not allowed, and an exception will be thrown.





# Display Format of Numerical Value

- Display of decimal places

```
>>> num = 1 / 3.0  
>>> num  
  
0.3333333333333333
```

- using print() display

```
>>> print("num = ",num)  
  
num = 0.3333333333333333
```



# Display Format of Numerical Value

- Formatted display of decimals

```
>>> '%e' % num
```

```
'3.333333e-01'
```

```
>>> '%.2f' % num      #Display 2 decimal places
```

```
'0.33'
```



# Convert to operations based on complex data types

- Adding integer and floating point numbers  
Automatically convert to operations based on complex data types

```
>>> 40 + 3.14
```

```
43.14
```



# Convert to operations based on complex data types

Call built-in function to cast type **Python** - generally not required

```
>>> int(3.1415)
3
>>> float(3)
3.0
```

- Automatic conversion is limited to numeric types.
- Adding strings and integers will produce errors unless you manually convert the type.



# Very large integer (Unlimited precision long integer)

■  $2^{100}$

```
>>> 2 ** 100
```

```
1267650600228229401496703205376
```

■  $2^{1000000}$

```
>>> 2 ** 1000000 #Wait, are you sure you want to  
output this value? ?
```

```
>>> len(str(2 ** 1000000)) #Let's take a look how  
many numbers there are.
```

```
301030
```



# PI and Square Root

## ■ Pi (圆周率)

```
>>> import math
```

```
>>> math.pi
```

```
3.141592653589793
```

## ■ Square root

```
>>> import math
```

```
>>> math.sqrt(2) # Equivalent to 2**0.5
```

```
1.4142135623730951
```



# Differences in division between Python 3 and Python 2

## ■ Python3. X

```
C:\Python33\python
```

```
>>> 10 / 4
```

```
2.5
```

```
>>> 10 / 4.0
```

```
2.5
```

```
>>> 10 // 4 #Round-down  
division
```

```
2
```

```
>>> 10 // 4.0
```

```
2.0
```

## ■ Python2. X

```
C:\Python27\python
```

```
>>> 10 / 4
```

```
2
```

```
>>> 10 / 4.0
```

```
2.5
```

```
>>> 10 // 4 #Round-down  
division
```

```
2
```

```
>>> 10 // 4.0
```

```
2.0
```



# Differences in division between Python 3 and Python 2

- In Python 2.X, “/” like integer division in C language
- In Python3.X change to true division, i.e. floating point number





# Differences in division between Python3 and Python2

- **Aftermath:** In Python3.X, Non-truncated behavior may affect a large number of Python 2.X programs.
- **Solution:** If your program depends on truncating integer division, use `//` operation in Python both 2.X and 3.X



# Strange Calculation Result

- What's wrong with addition? ?

```
>>> 1.1 + 2.2
```

```
3.3000000000000003
```

- Rounding error is the basic problem of numerical programming, not only in Python
- In Python, decimal numbers (fixed precision floating point numbers) and fractions are used to deal with this problem

```
>>> from decimal import *
```

```
>>> Decimal("1.1") + Decimal("2.1")
```

```
Decimal('3.2')
```



# Python's Variables

- The variables is created at the first assignment
- When variables are used in an expression, they are replaced with their values
- Variables must be assigned before being used in an expression
- Variables refer to objects and never need to be declared beforehand



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## 1.2 Python Example1- Significant bit loss

- Numerical error analysis1 - significant bit loss

$$\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x}$$

When goes wrong?

```
# program 1.1 using module math to take a square root
import math

x = float(input("input the number: "))    #input

print("sqrt(", x, ") = ", math.sqrt(x))  #output
```



## 1.2 Python Example 1

$$\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x}$$

```
result1 = math.sqrt(x+1) - math.sqrt(x)  
print("general calculation method", result1)    #output
```

■ when  $x = 1e15$

output: 1.862645149230957e-08

■ when  $x = 1e16$

output: 0.0

The approximate value should be 5e-09 ! ! ?



## 1.2 Python Example 1

- Solution: avoid subtraction of numbers with nearly identical values

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x} &= (\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x}) \frac{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x}}\end{aligned}$$

```
result2 = 1 / (math.sqrt(x+1) + math.sqrt(x))  
  
print("method of transformation formula", result2)  
#output
```

- When  $x = 1e16$ , output:  $5e-09$



## 1.3 Python Example 2 - Rounding error

- Example analysis of numerical error2 –  
**rounding error**
- **Add 0.1 million times**

```
# program 1.2
x = 0.0

for i in range (1000000):
    x = x + 0.1

print("sum result = ", x)    #output
```

output: 100000.000000133288

**Why not 100000?**





## 1.3 Python Example 2 - Rounding error

- Rounding error
  - If numeric values are stored in a computer with binary significant digits, the real number has rounding error inevitable



## 1.3 Python Example 2 - Rounding error

### ■ Rounding error

Decimal 0.1 converts to binary, it becomes infinite loop decimals.

■  $(0.1)_{10} = (0.0001100110011\dots)_2$

■ It is rounded, and slightly larger than 0.1.

□ In the calculation process, algorithms can generate the rounding error above should not be used.



## 1.3 Python Example 3 – mantissa loss

- Example analysis 3 – mantissa loss

$$10^{10} + \underbrace{10^{-8} + \dots + 10^{-8}}_{\text{Add 10,000,000 times}} = 10^{10} + 0.1$$

Add 10,000,000 times

```
# program 1.3
```

```
x = 1e10
```

```
y = 1e-8
```

```
for i in range (10000000):
```

```
    x = x + y
```

Why not 10000000000.1 ?

```
print(x)    #output 10000000000.0
```



## 1.3 Python Example 3 – mantissa loss

- Example analysis 3 – mantissa loss

$$10^{10} + \underbrace{10^{-8} + \dots + 10^{-8}}_{\text{Add 10,000,000 times}} = 10^{10} + 0.1$$

Add 10,000,000 times



## 1.3 Python Example3 – mantissa loss

### ■ Example analysis 3 – mantissa loss

**# Add the small values first, and then add them to the large ones**

```
x = 1e10
```

```
y = 1e-8
```

```
temp = 0
```

```
for i in range (100000000):
```

```
    temp += y
```

```
x += temp
```

```
print(x)    #output
```

It is important to think  
method before coding

output is 100000000000.1



## 1.4 Python Example4 – module to resolve errors

- Decimal module – Efficient management of binary floating-point numbers
- Add 0.1 one million times

```
# program 1.4
from decimal import *

x = Decimal("0.0")

for i in range (1000000):
    x = x + Decimal("0.1")    #decimal 's 0.1

print("sum result = ", x)    #output
```

result is 100000.0  
Not affected by  
rounding error



## 1.5 Python Example5–module fractions

- Fractions module– Direct fractions calculation

$$\frac{1}{3} \rightarrow \text{Fraction}(1,3) \quad \frac{5}{4} \rightarrow \text{Fraction}(5,4)$$

```
# program 1.5
from fractions import Fraction

#out put 5/10 and 3/15
print(Fraction(5, 10), Fraction(3, 15))

# 1/3 + 1/7
print(Fraction(1, 3) + Fraction(1, 7))

# 5/3 * 6/7 * 3/2
print(Fraction(5, 3) * Fraction(6, 7) * Fraction(3, 2))
```



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## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations

### ■ Purpose:

Compare the polynomial operation numbers and times among different algorithms.

```
from time import *           #import time lib
startT = time()              #record starting time
# your code is here . . .
endT = time()                #record ending time
print("time = %.2g secs\n" % (endT - startT))

countMul = 0                 #Statistical multiplication times
countAdd = 0                 #Statistical addition times

print("multiplication times",countMul)
print("addition times",countAdd)
```



## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations

**Example: Calculate function value ( $x=0.1$ , 1, 2)**

$$f_n(x) = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + 100001x^{100000}$$

■ **Algorithm1:**  
  
**direct method**

```
#program 1.6
x = 1      #variable x
f = 1      #the value of f

for i in range (100000): # i start from 0
    f = f + your code here      #function

print("result = ", f)      #output
```



## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations

**Example: Calculate function value ( $x=0.1, 1, 2$ )**

$$f_n(x) = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + 100001x^{100000}$$

**Fill in the following form in your report**

## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations



$x$	algorithm	result of $f$	Multiplications	Additions	Time(secs)
0.1	algorithm1				
	algorithm2				
1	algorithm1				
	algorithm2				
2	algorithm1				
	algorithm2				



## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations

**Example: Calculate function value ( $x=0.1, 1, 2$ )**

$$f_n(x) = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + 100001x^{100000}$$

■ **Algorithm2 (秦九韶法) :**

$$f_n(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \cdots + a_nx^n$$

$$\begin{cases} S_n = a_n \\ S_k = xS_{k+1} + a_k, & k = n-1, n-2, \cdots, 1, 0 \\ f_n(x) = S_0 \end{cases}$$

## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations



### ■ `range()` in for-loop

```
for i in range (10):
```

#here range (10) as range(0, 10, 1), Generate a sequence from 0 to (10-1) in steps of 1, using list(range(0, 10)) can output:  
[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]

```
for i in range (4,0,-1):
```

#Generate a sequence of numbers starting from 4 and ending at 0 - (- 1) in steps of - 1  
using list(range(4,0,-1)) can output:  
[4, 3, 2, 1]



## 2 Practice 2: Reduce the Number of Operations

### ■ Algorithm 2 (秦九韶法) :

#program 1.7

$$f_n(x) = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + 100001x^{100000}$$

```
from time import *    #时间统计库

x = 1                #自变量 x
powN = 100000        #最后一个数的幂次
aN = powN + 1        #最后一个系数值
countMul = 0         #统计乘法次数
countAdd = 0         #统计加法次数

startT = time()      #记录起始时间

S = aN               #函数值
for i in range(1, powN + 1):
    S = S * x + aN    #迭代函数
    countAdd += 1      #此处只统计算法的加法，忽略i的计数
    countMul += 1      #每次增加的乘法次数

endT = time()        #记录结束时间

print("result = ", S)    #输出
print("乘法次数", countMul)
print("加法次数", countAdd)
print("time = %.2g 秒\n" % (endT - startT))
```



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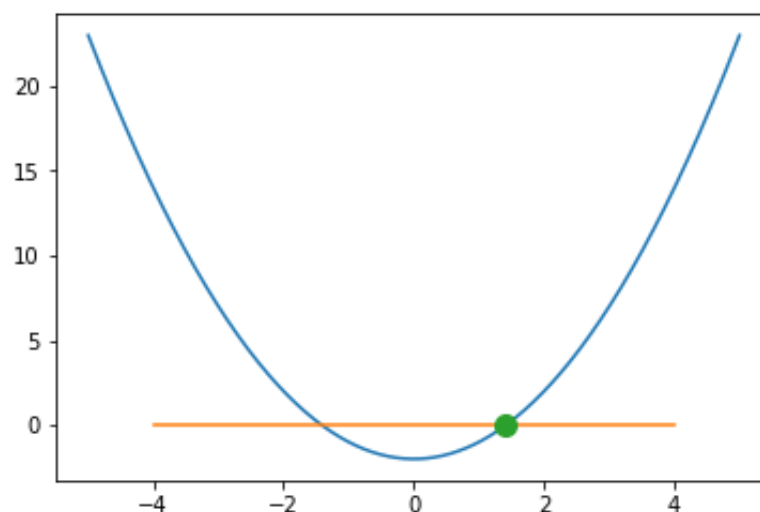


### 3 Practice 3: Bisection algorithm for nonlinear equations

- **Example:** bisection method applied to  $f(x)$  on  $[1.3, 1.5]$

$$f(x) = x^2 - 2 = 0$$

- step1 : draw the graph of  $f(x)$





## ■ Drawing:

- ❑ call drawing lib: matplotlib
- ❑ call numerical computing lib: NumPy

### #program 1.8

```
#使用NumPy科学计算程序包
import numpy as np
#用plt输入matplotlib的pyplot
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

#设定x轴的范围和精度,生成一组等间距的数据
x = linspace(-5,5,100)          #获得x坐标数组
#step = 0.01                    #画图点之间的步长距离
#x = np.arange(-5,5+step,step)  #获得x坐标数组

y = x * x - 2                   #函数y = f(x)值

plt.figure()                   #创建figure对象

#设定为1个图表表示
#plt.subplot(1,1,1)

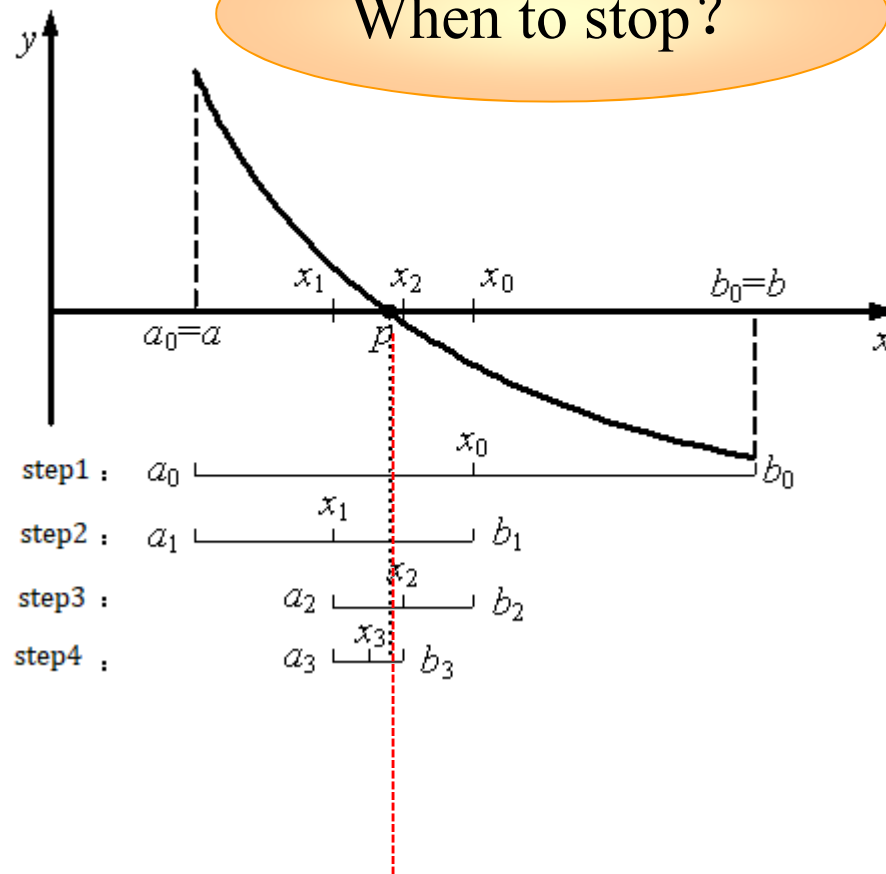
#线形图
plt.plot(x, y, label = 'line')  #绘制关于x和y的折线图
plt.plot([-4,4], [0,0])         #绘制点(-4,0)到点(4,0)的直线
#绘制符合要求的方程解
plt.plot(2 ** 0.5, 0, marker = 'o', markersize = 10)
```



# Bisection method

- Assume  $f \in C[a, b]$ , with  $f(a) \cdot f(b) < 0$ , then it follows that there exists a root  $\alpha \in (a, b)$ .

When to stop?



**Step1**, let  $[a_0, b_0] = [a, b]$ ,  $x_0 = (a_0 + b_0)/2$ , if  $f(x_0) = 0$ , then  $p = x_0$  is the root, stops.

Otherwise, if  $f(a_0)f(x_0) < 0$ , let  $a_1 = a_0$ ,  $b_1 = x_0$ ; if  $f(x_0)f(b_0) < 0$ , let  $a_1 = x_0$ ,  $b_1 = b_0$ , the interval becomes  $[a_1, b_1]$

**Step2**, midpoint of  $[a_1, b_1]$  is  $x_1 = (a_1 + b_1)/2$ , if  $f(x_1) = 0$ , then  $p = x_1$  is the root, stops. Otherwise, if  $f(a_1)f(x_1) < 0$ , let  $a_2 = a_1$ ,  $b_2 = x_1$ ; if  $f(x_1)f(b_1) < 0$ , let  $a_2 = x_1$ ,  $b_2 = b_1$ , the interval becomes  $[a_2, b_2]$

Repeat above steps, the interval will be scaled down until the root satisfied the accuracy (left figure)



# Program of bisection algorithm

## #program 1.9

```
a = 2          #  $f(x) = x^2 - a$ 
LIMIT = 1e-20  # 终止条件

# 方程函数f() 定义
def f(x):
    """函数值的计算"""
    return x * x - a
# f() 函数结束

# ----- 主执行部分 -----
# 初始设置
xlow = float(input("请输入x值下限:"))
xup = float(input("请输入x值上限:"))

# 循环处理
iter = 0      # 迭代计数
while (xup - xlow) * (xup - xlow) > LIMIT: # 满足终止条件前循环
    # 计算新的中值点
    # 迭代计数加1
    # 中点函数值为正
    # 更新xup
    # 中点函数值为负
    # 更新xlow
    print("{:.15g} {:.15g} {:.15g}".format(iter, xlow, xup))
```

**Fill in your code**



### 3 Practice 3: Bisection algorithm for nonlinear equations

- **Fill out the following form in your report**

Iterations	Lower limit $x_{\text{low}}$	upper limit $x_{\text{up}}$	$(x_{\text{up}} - x_{\text{low}})/2$	Sign of $f((x_{\text{up}} - x_{\text{low}})/2)$
0	1.3	1.5	1.4	$< 0$



## Practise:

- Perform program 1.1-1.9
- Complete document “Practice 1.docx”,  
submit it to CG in pdf format



## Appendix: keys to practice 2

**Example: calculate the value of the function**  
**( $x=0.1, 1, 10$ )**

$$f_n(x) = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \cdots + 100001x^{100000}$$

**computer configuration**

Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-7920HQ CPU @ 3.10GHz 3.10 GHz  
4.00 GB  
64 位操作系统



## Appendix : keys to practice 2

### Keys

$x$	Algorithm	Value of $f$	Multiplications	additions	time(secs)
0.1	Algorithm 1	1.23456790123456 8	5000050000	100000	0.062
	Algorithm 2	1.23456790123456 8	100000	100000	0.034
1	Algorithm 1	5000150001	5000050000	100000	0.084
	Algorithm 2	5000150001	100000	100000	0.034
2	Algorithm 1	长度30109	5000050000	100000	13
	Algorithm 2	长度30109	100000	100000	0.36





# Appendix: keys to practice 2

## Source Code 1.6:

```
from time import *    #时间统计库

x = 1                #自变量 x
f = 1                #函数值 f
countMul = 0         #统计乘法次数
countAdd = 0         #统计加法次数

startT = time()      #记录起始时间

for i in range (100000):    # i从0开始
    f = f + (i+2) * x**(i+1)    #函数
    countAdd += 1                #此处只统计算法的加法, 不含i+1
    countMul += i+1              #每次增加的乘法次数

endT = time()          #记录结束时间

print("result = ", f)    #输出
print("乘法次数",countMul)
print("加法次数",countAdd)
print("time = %.2g 秒\n" % (endT - startT))
```



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```
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x = 1                #自变量 x
powN = 100000        #最后一个数的幂次
aN = powN + 1        #最后一个系数值
countMul = 0         #统计乘法次数
countAdd = 0         #统计加法次数

startT = time()      #记录起始时间

S = aN               #函数值
for i in range (powN,0,-1): # i从powN开始到1
    S = x * S + i      #迭代函数
    countAdd += 1       #此处只统计算法的加法，忽略i的计数
    countMul += 1       #每次增加的乘法次数

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