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1. Use the IEEE Single Precision formate and calculate the followings.

- (i) $21 + 5$
- (ii) $30 - 26$
- (iii) 12×5
- (iv) $100 \div 2$

2. (I) Considering first six terms in the series expansion of $\cos x$, calculate the approximate value of the $\cos x$, centered at $x=0$.
Discuss the types of errors are in this calculation.
- (II) Suppose 3.141 is used as an approximation to π . Find the absolute error, relative error and percentage error when π is 3.1415926 .
- (III) Round-off the numbers 819946204 to four significant figures and compute the absolute error, relative error and percentage error.

3. (I) Obtain the error propagation for two numbers under the following operations.

- (i) Addition
- (ii) Subtraction
- (iii) Multiplication
- (iv) Division

(II) Find the absolute errors for the followings formula at $x=0.960$, $y=1.036$, where the values are corrected to the given decimal places.

- (i) $x + \cos(x)$
- (ii) $(x + y)^2$
