

Assignment 1

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Problem 1 - Solution to non-linear equation

• Problem Statement

Write a program to generate a P-v isotherm for given conditions from van der Waals equation for designing a system to capture and store gaseous CO_2 , at sub surface conditions.

• DESCRIPTION OF METHOD

Since we have to plot a graph, we will need values of P (x-axis) and v (y-axis). And since we are required to get v from given P, we need to solve the non linear equation of the function given, by modified secant method.

$$\left(P + \frac{a}{v^2}\right)(v-b) = RT$$

$$(Pv^2 + a)(v-b) - RTv^2 = 0$$
$$Pv^3 - Pbv^2 + av - ab - RTv^2 = 0$$

$$Pv^3 - (Pb + RT)v^2 + av - ab = 0 \quad \text{[given P]}$$

(we need v to satisfy this equation)

And by modified sec. method, we can calculate v at a given P.

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Modified Secant Method

In secant method, we use two arbitrary values to calculate the derivative and further calculate new closer values.

But in modified secant method, we guess one value initially and the other value is a value fractionally ~~not~~ very near the initial guess.

$$f'(x_i) = \frac{f(x_i + \delta x_i) - f(x_i)}{\delta x_i}$$

and

$$x_{i+1} = x_i - \left(\frac{f(x_i)}{f'(x_i)} \right) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta = \text{small} \\ \text{fraction} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$x_{i+1} = x_i - \left(\frac{f(x_i) \delta x_i}{f(x_i + \delta x_i) - f(x_i)} \right)$$

And repeat till convergence.

• Pseudo Code

Let DELTA = 0.01

Let ERR = 0.001

x_0 is initial guess

P is pressure

$$x_1 = x_0$$

$$F(V) = PV^3 - (Pb + RT)V^2 + aV - ab$$

$$x_1 = x_0 - (\text{DELTA} \times x_0) F(x_0) / (F(x_0 + \text{DELTA} \times x_0) - F(x_0))$$

WHILE $\frac{x_1 - x_0}{x_0}$ less than ERR

Change $x_0 = x_1$

$$x_1 = x_0 - (\delta x_0) F(x_0) / (F(x_0 + \delta x_0) - F(x_0))$$

END

RETURN x_1

~~END~~

• Iteration

$$f(V) = PV^3 - (bP + RT)V^2 + aV - ab = 0$$

$$R = 0.082 ; a = 3.592 ; b = 0.04267 ; T = 345 ;$$

let $P = 2.8$ atm

and $x_0 = V = 5$ l

$$\delta = 0.01$$

$$x_0 = 5$$

$$x_1 = x_0 - \frac{\delta x_0 f(x_0)}{f(x_0 + \delta x_0) - f(x_0)}$$

$$x_1 = 5 - \frac{(0.01 \times 5) + f(5)}{f(5.05) - f(5)}$$

$$x_1 = 5 - 4.8980$$

$$x_1 = 0.1020$$

1. $x_0 = 5$; $x_1 = 0.1020$

2. $x_0 = 0.1020$; $x_1 = 0.0649$

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% clearing console
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clear
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% Taking user input for initial guess for the modified secant method
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initial_guess = input("Initial Guess = ");
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% Array containing values for pressure from 1 atm to 100 atm
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P = linspace(1, 100, 1000);
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% Volume array (initially zero)
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V = zeros(1, 1000);
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i = 1;
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% Calculating V for every value of P (find_V() is the function for find V at a given P) ✓
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for p = P
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    V(i) = findVolume(initial_guess, p);
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    i = i+1;
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end
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plot(P, V, 'LineWidth', 1.5);
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title("PV Isotherm (T = 345K)");
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xlabel("Pressure (P)");
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ylabel("Volume (V)");
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% Non-Linear equation solver function for a particular P and starting guess

```
function y = findVolume(x0, P)
    i = 1;
    delta = 0.01;
    error = 0.001;
    x1 = x0 - (((delta*x0)*(func(x0, P)))/(func(x0 + (delta*x0), P) - func(x0, P)));
    while abs(x1 - x0)/abs(x1) > error
        x0 = x1;
        x1 = x0 - (((delta*x0)*(func(x0, P)))/(func(x0 + (delta*x0), P) - func(x0, P)));
    end
    i = i+1;
    y = x1;
    return
end
```

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% Code of function f(V, P)
function y = func(V, P)
    a = 3.592;
    b = 0.04267;
    R = 0.082056;
    T = 345;

    % rearranged van der Waal's equation
    y = (P*(V^3)) - ((V^2)*((P*b) + (R*T))) + (a*V) - (a*b);
    return
end
```

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findVolume.m
func.m

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1 % Non-Linear equation solver function for a particular P and starting guess
2 function y = findVolume(x0, P)
3     i = 1;
4     delta = 0.01;
5     error = 0.001;
6     x1 = x0 - (((delta*x0)*(func(x0, P)))/(func(x0 + (delta*x0), P) - func(x0, P)));
7     while abs(x1 - x0)/abs(x1) > error
8         x0 = x1;
9         x1 = x0 - (((delta*x0)*(func(x0, P)))/(func(x0 + (delta*x0), P) - func(x0, P)));
10        i = i+1;
11    end
12    y = x1;
13    return
14 end
    
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Algorithm Execution

Workspace

Name	Value
i	1001
initial_guess	40
p	100
P	1x1000 double
V	1x1000 double

Assignment1.m (Script)

clearing console

Command Window

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Initial Guess = 40
fx >>
    
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Input Provided

Figure 1

File Edit View Insert Tools Desktop Window Help

