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1 Continued fraction expansion

This code gives the continued fraction expansion of any number. I.e for $x \in \mathbb{R}$ of the form

$$x = a_0 + \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{a_2 + \frac{1}{a_3 + \dots}}}$$

it gives the $[a_0, a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n]$

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[6]: function cfexp(x::Union{Irrational, Float32, Float64}, n::Int64, trace::Bool =
      →false)
         A = Vector{Int}(undef, n + 1)
         m = 1
         a = floor(x)
         x -= a
         A[1] = a
         while m < n + 1
             a = (x != 0 ? floor(1 / x) : 0)
             x = (x == .0 ? .0 : (1 / x - floor(1 / x)))
             trace ? println(x) :
             m += 1
             A[m] = a ## In julia indexing begins with 1
         end
         return transpose(A)
     end
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[6]: cfexp (generic function with 2 methods)

This function basically checks if the result of the first is what it should be.

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[7]: function check(z)
    s = 0
    a = length(z)

while a > 0
    s += z[a]
    s = (s == 0 ? 0 : a == 1 ? s : 1 / s)
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a -= 1
end

return(s)
end
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[7]: check (generic function with 1 method)

Notice this function for any $x \in \mathbb{Q}$ the continued fraction expansion is not unique but this function only returns one vector.

Continued fraction expansion for $\frac{1}{2}$ first 3 digits

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[8]: z = cfexp(.5, 3) println(z)
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[0 2 0 0]

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[9]: check(z) - 1 / 2
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[9]: 0.0

For π , julia has an incredible precision so this should be should be somewhat accurate (first 1000 digits)

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[10]: @time begin
    z = cfexp(pi, 1000)
    println(z)
end
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[3 7 15 1 292 1 1 1 2 1 3 1 14 3 3 23 1 1 7 4 35 1 1 1 2 3 3 3 3 1 1 14 6 4 5 1 7 1 5 1 1 3 18 2 1 2 4 2 96 2 3 2 1 1 6 1 6 2 5 64 1 2 3 1 17 5 1 12 3 2 1 1 1 1 2 2 1 4 1 1 2 2 22 1 2 1 6 1 16 1 2 3 2 4 2 5 2 3 1 1 3 2 1 7 6 4 4 3 1 61 20 11 4 1 1 4 3 1 1 3 2 1 2 1 13 2 12 2 1 1 1 1 3 1 1 1 5 10 8 9 4 1 5 1 1 2 4 1 7 3 5 4 66 13 3 1 1 6 32 1 5 4 4 6 1 2 4 1 1 1 1 2 2 1 1 1 7 2 1 2 92 2 1 5 4 2 13 2 1 1 22 2 1 3 4 6 1 22 11 3 1 1 2 2 5 1 14 8 10 3 2 1 5 8 4 7 2 4 2 1 2 1 2 1 1 5 1 3 1 2 2 2 1 1 4 2 14 1 1 6 2 2 1 1 2 1 15 2 3 2 3 53 56 4 2 1 7 1 55 1 2 7 2 9 1 46 2 15 37 7 34 1 2 1 5 1 1 2 2 4 1 2 4 1 1 2 1 9 5 3 3 4 2 6 2 2 2 3 5 1 1 4 2 21 1 1 1 1 1 1 3 1 1 1 3 1 33 1 10 2 1 8 4 3 1 1 1 6 1 1 1 15 1 2 4 264 4 1 2 1 27 1 10 1 23 1 4 7 1 4 2 5 4 4 6 4 2 1 2 8 1 6 6 1 1 6 4 3 1 2 151 1 1 22 1 4 2 2 2 1 72 1 1 6 85 3 1 1 1 3 4 2 3 4 7 3 16 1 1 5 1 1 3 1 1 3 2 2 3 5 24 3 2 1 6 22 1 259 5 4 2 1 1 3 3 13 1 4 1 47 31 1 6 5 95 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 4 2 2 5 1 7 1 2 26 1 2 593 27 5 2 7 1 1 1 2 9 1 2 2 1 2 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 1 4 1 1 1 7 3 51 1 3 1 7 1 $6 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 5 \ 1 \ 1 \ 129 \ 1 \ 6 \ 1 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \ 1 \ 2 \ 1 \ 2 \ 31 \ 1 \ 6 \ 30 \ 2 \ 1 \ 87 \ 1 \ 53 \ 2 \ 1 \ 1 \ 2 \ 1 \ 3 \ 2 \ 3$ $1\ 28\ 1\ 7\ 1\ 3\ 1\ 1\ 2\ 2\ 8\ 2\ 9\ 1\ 2\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 3\ 1\ 1\ 2\ 2\ 1\ 6\ 3\ 35\ 11\ 1\ 1\ 3\ 1\ 2\ 1\ 2\ 1\ 6\ 1\ 2$ 2 5 5 1 3 2 1 1 4 1 1 5 1 1 1 2 1 13 2 680 2 2 3 1 2 4 1 1 3 1 12 5 1 11 1 6 2 1 2 2 28 2 1 3 2 9 1 1 4 3 1 1 4 1 2 1 1 21 4 2 9 2 6 1 12 26 1 2 77 13 1 1 16 5 2 1 3 1 1 1 1 1 34 1 203 78 1 6 1 2 5 3 2 1 3 3 2 14 2 3 1 1 1 5 9 8 15 211 3 1 159 11 1 11 1 8 5 1 2 1 1 3 436 141 3 66 3 1 9 21 1 1 6 1 1 2 2 1 1 1 1 4 28 1 2 Quite accurate

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[11]: check(z) - pi
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[11]: 0.0

First 100000 digits (they'll be printed as the last chunk of the notebook):

For $\sqrt{2}$, first 1000 digits:

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[12]: @time begin
    z = cfexp(sqrt(2), 1000)
    println(z)
end
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[13]: check(z) - sqrt(2)
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[13]: 0.0

For e, first 1000 digits:

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[14]: @time begin
    z = cfexp(MathConstants.e, 1000)
    println(z)
end
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[15]: check(z) - MathConstants.e
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[15]: 0.0
     For \varphi = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}:
[16]: Otime begin
          z = cfexp(MathConstants.golden, 1000)
          println(z)
      end
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     The errors in this is due to imperfect representation for numbers \notin \mathbb{Q}
[17]: check(z) - MathConstants.golden
[17]: 0.0
[18]: Otime begin
          z = cfexp(pi, 100000)
      end
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[18]: 1×100001 transpose(::Vector{Int64}) with eltype Int64:
3 7 15 1 292 1 1 1 2 1 3 ... 2 2 1 1 14 3 2 1 1 1 4 3

[19]: println(z)

Since $\varphi = [1, 1, \dots]$ the error of approximations should just be:

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[30]: z = cfexp(MathConstants.golden, 100)
s = 0
for k in 1:length(z)
    s += (z[k] != 1)
end
s / 100
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[30]: 0.34