

Numerical Methods

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Bisection Method

Question 1. Perform five iterations of the bisection method to obtain a root of the equation $f(x) = \cos x - x$. Also, plot the function in the interval $[0, 3]$.

```
Bisection[a0_, b0_, m_] := Module[{a = N[a0], b = N[b0], c, k}, c = (a + b) / 2;  
  k = 1;  
  While[k < m, If[Sign[f[b]] == Sign[f[c]], b = c, a = c];  
    c = (a + b) / 2;  
    Print[k, "th iteration is ", NumberForm[c, 16]];  
    k = k + 1];  
  Print["Root after ", k, " iterations is = ", NumberForm[c, 16]];  
  Print["f[c] = ", NumberForm[f[c], 16]];  
];
```

```
f[x_] := Cos[x] - x;
```

```
Bisection[0, 1, 5];
```

```
Plot[f[x], {x, 0, 3}]
```

```
1th iteration is 0.75
```

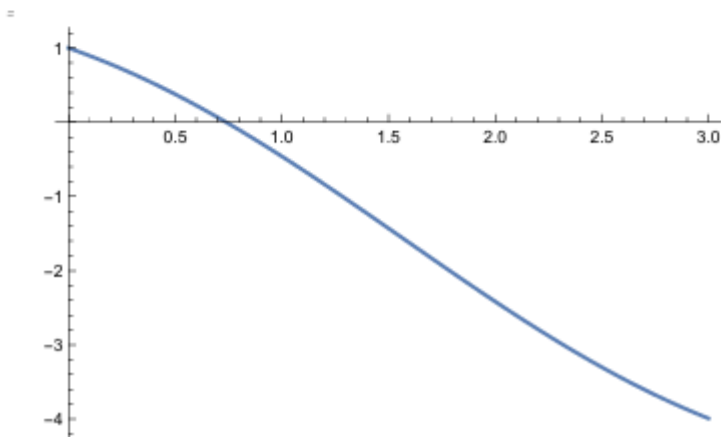
```
2th iteration is 0.625
```

```
3th iteration is 0.6875
```

```
4th iteration is 0.71875
```

```
Root after 5 iterations is = 0.71875
```

```
f[c] = 0.03387937241806649
```



Question 2. Using the Bisection method find the root of the function $f(x) = x^3 - 2$ in the interval $[1, 2]$ with an error tolerance of 10^{-4} .

```
ClearAll;
```

```
f[x_] := x^3 - 2;
```

```
Bisection[a0_, b0_, error_, f_] := Module[{a = N[a0], b = N[b0], c, k = 1}, c = (a + b) / 2;  
  While[Abs[b - a] > 2 * error, If[Sign[f[b]] == Sign[f[c]], b = c, a = c];  
    c = (a + b) / 2;  
    Print[k, "th iteration is = ", NumberForm[c, 16]];  
    k++;];  
  Print["Root after ", k, " iterations is = ", NumberForm[c, 16]];  
  Print["f[c] = ", NumberForm[f[c], 16]];  
];
```

```
error = 10^-4;
```

```
a = 1;
```

```
b = 2;
```

```
Bisection[a, b, error, f];
```

```
1th iteration is = 1.25
```

```
2th iteration is = 1.375
```

```
3th iteration is = 1.3125
```

```
4th iteration is = 1.28125
```

```
5th iteration is = 1.265625
```

```
6th iteration is = 1.2578125
```

```
7th iteration is = 1.26171875
```

```
8th iteration is = 1.259765625
```

```
9th iteration is = 1.2607421875
```

```
10th iteration is = 1.26025390625
```

```
11th iteration is = 1.260009765625
```

```
12th iteration is = 1.2598876953125
```

```
13th iteration is = 1.25994873046875
```

```
Root after 14 iterations is = 1.25994873046875
```

```
f[c] = 0.0001318234124028095
```

Secant Method

Question 3. Perform ten iterations of the secant method to obtain a root of the equation $f(x) = x^3 + x - 1$. Also, plot the function in the interval $[0, 2]$

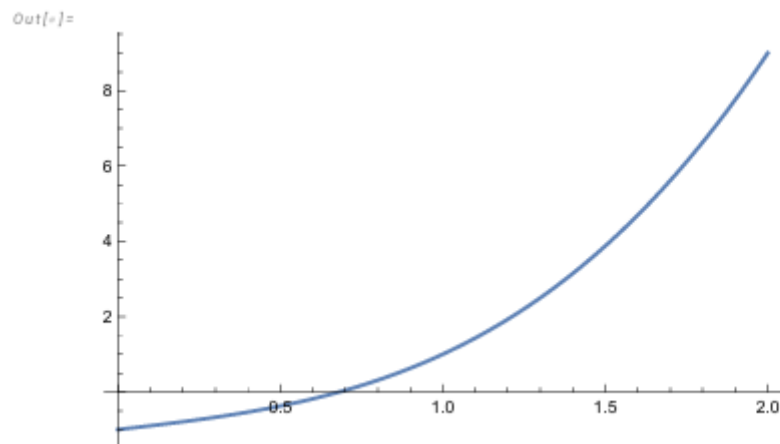
```
ClearAll;
f[x_] := x^3 + x - 1;

SecantMethod[x0_, x1_, max_] := Module[{p0 = N[x0], p1 = N[x1], p2, k = 0}, While[k < max,
  If[f[p1] == f[p0],
    Print["Division by zero - Secant method cannot proceed."];
    Return[];
  ];
  p2 = p1 - f[p1] (p1 - p0) / (f[p1] - f[p0]);
  Print["Root after ", k, " iteration is = ", NumberForm[p2, 16]];
  p0 = p1;
  p1 = p2;
  k++;];
Print["Final approximation c = ", NumberForm[p2, 16]];
];
Print["f[c] = ", NumberForm[f[p2], 16]];
];

SecantMethod[0, 1, 9];

Plot[f[x], {x, 0, 2}]
```

```
Root after 0 iteration is = 0.5
Root after 1 iteration is = 0.6363636363636363
Root after 2 iteration is = 0.6900523560209423
Root after 3 iteration is = 0.6820204196481856
Root after 4 iteration is = 0.6823257814098928
Root after 5 iteration is = 0.6823278043590257
Root after 6 iteration is = 0.6823278038280184
Root after 7 iteration is = 0.6823278038280193
Root after 8 iteration is = 0.6823278038280193
Final approximation c = 0.6823278038280193
f[c] = -1.110223024625157×10-16
```



Question 4. Find a real root of the equation $f(x) = x^3 - 2$ using secant method with absolute error tolerance 10^{-8} .

```
ClearAll;
```

```
SecantMethod[x0_, x1_, error_, f_] := Module[{p0 = N[x0], p1 = N[x1], p2, k = 1},  
  While[Abs[(f[p1] (p1 - p0)) / (f[p1] - f[p0])] > error,  
    p2 = p1 - (f[p1] (p1 - p0)) / (f[p1] - f[p0]);  
    Print["root after ", k, " iteration is ", NumberForm[p2, 16]];  
    p0 = p1;  
    p1 = p2;  
    k++;];  
  Print["Final Root = ", NumberForm[p1, 16]];  
  Print["f[root] = ", NumberForm[f[p1], 16]];]  
SecantMethod[x0, x1, error, f];
```

```
root after 1 iteration is 0.4871416534984858
```

```
root after 2 iteration is 0.5837796851369866
```

```
root after 3 iteration is 0.5673864490804865
```

```
root after 4 iteration is 0.5671425603070896
```

```
root after 5 iteration is 0.5671432904419066
```

```
Final Root = 0.5671432904419066
```

```
f[root] = 5.034095362788094  $\times 10^{-11}$ 
```

Regula Falsi Method

Question 5. Write a program to find the real root of the following equation using regula falsi method with tolerance of 10^{-6}

$$f(x) = x^3 - x - 1$$

```
ClearAll[RegulaFalsi];

RegulaFalsi[f_, a0_, b0_, error_, max_] :=
Module[{a = N[a0], b = N[b0], c, fa, fb, fc, k = 1}, fa = f[a];
fb = f[b];
If[fa fb > 0,
Print["The function has the same sign at the endpoints. Choose another interval."];
Return[];
];
While[k ≤ max, c = b - fb (b - a) / (fb - fa);
fc = f[c];
Print["Iteration ", k, ": c = ", NumberForm[c, 16], " f(c) = ", NumberForm[fc, 16]
];
If[Abs[fc] < error, Print["Converged to root at iteration ", k];
Return[c];
];
If[fa fc < 0, b = c; fb = fc, a = c; fa = fc];
k++;];
Print["Stopped after max iterations. Final approximation = ", NumberForm[c, 16]
];
Return[c];
]
f[x_] := x^3 - x - 1;
RegulaFalsi[f, 1, 2, 10^-6, 20]
```

```

Iteration 1: c = 1.166666666666667 f(c) = -0.5787037037037033
Iteration 2: c = 1.253112033195021 f(c) = -0.2853630296393199
Iteration 3: c = 1.293437401918683 f(c) = -0.1295420928219719
Iteration 4: c = 1.311281021487234 f(c) = -0.05658848726924948
Iteration 5: c = 1.318988503566463 f(c) = -0.02430374718359696
Iteration 6: c = 1.322282717465796 f(c) = -0.01036185006965229
Iteration 7: c = 1.323684293855161 f(c) = -0.004403949880785074
Iteration 8: c = 1.324279461731951 f(c) = -0.001869258374370908
Iteration 9: c = 1.324531986580092 f(c) = -0.0007929591932531732
Iteration 10: c = 1.324639093308037 f(c) = -0.0003363010300609925
Iteration 11: c = 1.32468451516667 f(c) = -0.0001426137451630005
Iteration 12: c = 1.324703776471376 f(c) = -0.00006047499488426311
Iteration 13: c = 1.324711944079721 f(c) = -0.00002564379829328445
Iteration 14: c = 1.324715407452098 f(c) = -0.00001087390403009536
Iteration 15: c = 1.324716876044874 f(c) = -4.610916005676202 × 10-6
Iteration 16: c = 1.324717498779053 f(c) = -1.955187088675814 × 10-6
Iteration 17: c = 1.324717762839675 f(c) = -8.29066130414446 × 10-7
Converged to root at iteration 17

```

Out[8]= 1.32472

Newton Raphson Method

Question 6. Find a root of the equation $f(x) = x^3 - 4x + 2$ using the Newton-Raphson method with absolute error tolerance 10^{-8}

```
ClearAll[NewtonRaphson];
```

```
NewtonRaphson[f_, x0_, error_, max_] := Module[{x = N[x0], xnew, k = 1, df},
  df[x_] := D[f[t], t] /. t -> x;
  While[k ≤ max, xnew = x - f[x] / df[x];
    Print["Iteration ", k, ": x = ", NumberForm[xnew, 16]];
    If[Abs[xnew - x] < error, Print["Converged to root at iteration ", k];
      Return[xnew];];
  x = xnew;
  k++;];
Print["Stopped after max iterations. Final approximation = ", NumberForm[x, 16]];
Return[x];]
f[x_] := x^3 - 4 x + 2;
NewtonRaphson[f, 0.5, 10^-8, 20]
```

```
Iteration 1: x = 0.5384615384615384
```

```
Iteration 2: x = 0.539188599680093
```

```
Iteration 3: x = 0.5391888728108506
```

```
Iteration 4: x = 0.5391888728108891
```

```
Converged to root at iteration 4
```

```
Out[14]=
```

```
0.539189
```

Question 7. Write a program to show LU Decomposition for

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

ClearAll;

```
MyLUDecomposition[A0_, n_] := Module[{A = A0, i, p, m, L, U}, U = A0;
  L = IdentityMatrix[n];
  Print[MatrixForm[L], MatrixForm[U], " = ", MatrixForm[A0]];
  For[p = 1, p ≤ n - 1, p++,
    For[i = p + 1, i ≤ n, i++, m = A[[i, p]] / A[[p, p]];
      L[[i, p]] = m;
      A[[i]] = A[[i]] - m A[[p]];
      U = A;
      Print[MatrixForm[L], MatrixForm[U], " = ", MatrixForm[A0]];
    ];
  ];
  Print["L = ", MatrixForm[L]];
  Print["U = ", MatrixForm[U]];
];
```

A = {{2, 1, 4}, {3, 4, -1}, {1, 2, 3}};

MyLUDecomposition[A, 3];

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & -7 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & -7 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{2} & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{5} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{26}{5} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{5} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{26}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$

Question 8. Use the Gauss Jacobi iteration method to solve the system of equations

$$2x_1 - x_2 = 7$$

$$-x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 1$$

$$-x_2 + 2x_3 = 1$$

using 12 iterations and with initial guess $X_0 = (0, 0, 0)^T$

ClearAll;

```
GaussJacobi[A0_, B0_, X0_, max_] :=
Module[{A = N[A0], B = N[B0], i, j, k = 0, n = Length[X0],
  X = X0, Xk = X0},
Print[Subscript["X", 0], " = ", MatrixForm[X]
];
While[k < max,
  For[i = 1, i ≤ n, i++, X[[i]] = (B[[i]] - Sum[A[[i, j]] × Xk[[j]], {j, 1, n}]) / A[[i, i]] + Xk[[i]];
];
Print[Subscript["X", k + 1], " = ", MatrixForm[X]
];
Xk = X;
k++;
];
Print["Number of iterations performed = ", max];
Return[X];
];
```

```
A = {{2, -1, 0}, {-1, 2, -1}, {0, -1, 2}};
```

```
B = {{7}, {1}, {1}};
```

```
X0 = {{0}, {0}, {0}};
```

```
GaussJacobi[A, B, X0, 12]
```

$$X_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3.5 \\ 0.5 \\ 0.5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3.75 \\ 2.5 \\ 0.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 4.75 \\ 2.75 \\ 1.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 4.875 \\ 3.75 \\ 1.875 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_5 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.375 \\ 3.875 \\ 2.375 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_6 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.4375 \\ 4.375 \\ 2.4375 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_7 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.6875 \\ 4.4375 \\ 2.6875 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_8 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.71875 \\ 4.6875 \\ 2.71875 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_9 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.84375 \\ 4.71875 \\ 2.84375 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_{10} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.85938 \\ 4.84375 \\ 2.85938 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_{11} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.92188 \\ 4.85938 \\ 2.92188 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.92969 \\ 4.92188 \\ 2.92969 \end{pmatrix}$$

Number of iterations performed = 12

Out[]=*

$\{ \{5.92969\}, \{4.92188\}, \{2.92969\} \}$

Question 9. Write a program to solve a system of linear equations using the Gauss-Seidel iterative method

$$2x_1 - x_2 = 7$$

$$-x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 1$$

$$-x_2 + 2x_3 = 1$$

```
ClearAll;
```

```
GaussSeidel[A_, B_, X0_, max_] := Module[{n = Length[X0], X = X0, Xold, i, k},  
  Print[Subscript["X", 0], " = ", MatrixForm[X]];  
  For[k = 1, k ≤ max, k++, Xold = X;  
    For[i = 1, i ≤ n, i++,  
      X[[i]] = (B[[i]] - Sum[A[[i, j]] × X[[j]], {j, 1, i - 1}] -  
        Sum[A[[i, j]] × Xold[[j]], {j, i + 1, n}]) / A[[i, i]];  
    ];  
    Print[Subscript["X", k], " = ", MatrixForm[X]];  
  ];  
  Print["Number of iterations performed = ", max];  
  Return[X];  
];
```

```
A = {{2, -1, 0}, {-1, 2, -1}, {0, -1, 2}};
```

```
B = {7, 1, 1};
```

```
X0 = {0, 0, 0};
```

```
GaussSeidel[A, B, X0, 10]
```

$$X_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3.5 \\ 0.5 \\ 0.5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3.75 \\ 2.5 \\ 0.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 4.75 \\ 2.75 \\ 1.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 4.875 \\ 3.75 \\ 1.875 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_5 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.375 \\ 3.875 \\ 2.375 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_6 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.4375 \\ 4.375 \\ 2.4375 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_7 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.6875 \\ 4.4375 \\ 2.6875 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_8 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.71875 \\ 4.6875 \\ 2.71875 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_9 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.84375 \\ 4.71875 \\ 2.84375 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_{10} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.85938 \\ 4.84375 \\ 2.85938 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_{11} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.92188 \\ 4.85938 \\ 2.92188 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.92969 \\ 4.92188 \\ 2.92969 \end{pmatrix}$$

Number of iterations performed = 12

Out[] =

{{5.92969}, {4.92188}, {2.92969}}

Question 10. Find the unique polynomial of degree 2 or less such that
 $f(0) = 1$, $f(2) = 5$, $f(3) = 10$
 using Lagrange interpolation.

ClearAll;

```
Lagrange[x0_, f0_] := Module[{xi = x0, fi = f0, n, m, polynomial}, n = Length[xi];
  m = Length[fi];
  If[n ≠ m, Print["List of points and function values are not of same size"];
  Return[]];
  For[i = 1, i ≤ n, i++,
    L[i, x_] = (Product[(x - xi[[j]]) / (xi[[i]] - xi[[j]]), {j, 1, i - 1}]) *
      (Product[(x - xi[[j]]) / (xi[[i]] - xi[[j]]), {j, i + 1, n}]);
  ];
  polynomial[x_] = Sum[L[k, x] * fi[[k]], {k, 1, n}];
  Return[polynomial[x]];
];
```

```
nodes = {0, 2, 3};
values = {1, 5, 10};
```

```
lagrangepolynomial[x_] = Lagrange[nodes, values];
lagrangepolynomial[x_] = Simplify[lagrangepolynomial[x]]
];
```

```
Print["Lagrange Polynomial = ", lagrangepolynomial[x]];
```

```
Lagrange Polynomial = 1 + x2
```

Question 11. Using Newton's interpolation formula,
find the polynomial of degree 2 or less that satisfies $f(1) = 2$, $f(2) = 5$, $f(3) = 7$.

```
ClearAll[NewtonInterp];
```

```
NewtonInterp[x0_List, f0_List] := Module[{n = Length[x0], dd, poly},
  (*Create a divided difference table*) dd = Table[0, {n}, {n}];
  Do[dd[[i, 1]] = f0[[i]], {i, 1, n}];
  Do[dd[[i, j]] = (dd[[i + 1, j - 1]] - dd[[i, j - 1]]) / (x0[[i + j - 1]] - x0[[i]]),
    {j, 2, n}, {i, 1, n - j + 1}];
  poly[x_] := Sum[dd[[1, k]] * Product[(x - x0[[m]]), {m, 1, k - 1}], {k, 1, n}];
  Simplify[poly[x]]
];
nodes = {1, 2, 3};
values = {2, 5, 7};
```

```
P[x_] = NewtonInterp[nodes, values];
Print["Newton Interpolating Polynomial = ", P[x]];
```

Newton Interpolating Polynomial = $\frac{1}{2} (-4 + 9x - x^2)$

Question 12. Evaluate the definite integral

$\int_0^2 (x^2 + 1) dx$ using the Trapezoidal Rule with 4 subintervals

```
ClearAll[TrapezoidalRule];
```

```
TrapezoidalRule[f_, a_, b_, n_] :=  
  Module[{h, sum = 0, x, i},  
    h = (b - a) / n;  
    For[i = 1, i ≤ n - 1, i++, x = a + i h;  
      sum = sum + f[x];  
    ];  
    Return[(h / 2) (f[a] + 2 sum + f[b])];  
  ];  
f[x_] := x^2 + 1;
```

```
TrapezoidalRule[f, 0, 2, 4]
```

Out[69]=

$$\frac{19}{4}$$

Question 13. Evaluate the definite integral

$$\int_0^4 (x^3 + \sin x) dx \quad \text{usig Simpsons rule with 8 subintervals}$$

```
ClearAll[SimpsonsRule];
```

```
SimpsonsRule[f_, a_, b_, n_] := Module[{h, sum1 = 0, sum2 = 0, x, i},  
  If[OddQ[n], Print["n must be even for Simpson's Rule"];  
    Return[];  
  ];  
  h = (b - a) / n;  
  For[i = 1, i ≤ n - 1, i += 2, x = a + i h;  
    sum1 = sum1 + f[x];  
  ];  
  For[i = 2, i ≤ n - 2, i += 2, x = a + i h;  
    sum2 = sum2 + f[x];  
  ];  
  Return[(h / 3) (f[a] + 4 sum1 + 2 sum2 + f[b])];  
];
```

```
f[x_] := x^3 + Sin[x];
```

```
SimpsonsRule[f, 0, 4, 8]
```

Out[73]=

$$\frac{1}{6} \left(64 + 2 (36 + \sin[1] + \sin[2] + \sin[3]) + 4 \left(62 + \sin\left[\frac{1}{2}\right] + \sin\left[\frac{3}{2}\right] + \sin\left[\frac{5}{2}\right] + \sin\left[\frac{7}{2}\right] \right) + \sin[4] \right)$$

Question 14. Use Euler's method to approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$dx/dy = x + y$, $y(0) = 1$ on the interval $0 \leq x \leq 1$ using a step size $h = 0.1$.

```
ClearAll[EulerMethod];
```

```
EulerMethod[f_, x0_, y0_, h_, n_] := Module[
  {x = x0, y = y0, i}, Print["Iteration 0:  x = ", x, "    y = ", y];
  For[i = 1, i ≤ n, i++, y = y + h * f[x, y];
    x = x + h;
    Print["Iteration ", i, ":  x = ", x, "    y = ", y];
  ];
  Return[y];
]
f[x_, y_] := x + y;
```

```
EulerMethod[f, 0, 1, 0.1, 10]
```

```
Iteration 0:  x = 0    y = 1
Iteration 1:  x = 0.1  y = 1.1
Iteration 2:  x = 0.2  y = 1.22
Iteration 3:  x = 0.3  y = 1.362
Iteration 4:  x = 0.4  y = 1.5282
Iteration 5:  x = 0.5  y = 1.72102
Iteration 6:  x = 0.6  y = 1.94312
Iteration 7:  x = 0.7  y = 2.19743
Iteration 8:  x = 0.8  y = 2.48718
Iteration 9:  x = 0.9  y = 2.8159
Iteration 10: x = 1.   y = 3.18748
```

```
Out[79]=
```

```
3.18748
```

Question 15. Use the fourth - order Runge-

Kutta (RK4) method to approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$dx / dy = x^2 - y$, $y(1) = 2$ on the interval $1 \leq x \leq 2$ using a step size $h = 0.1$.

```
ClearAll[RK4];
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RK4[f_, x0_, y0_, h_, n_] := Module[{x = x0, y = y0, k1, k2, k3, k4, i},
  Print["Iteration 0:  x = ", x, "    y = ", y];
  For[i = 1, i ≤ n, i++,
    k1 = h * f[x, y];
    k2 = h * f[x + h / 2, y + k1 / 2];
    k3 = h * f[x + h / 2, y + k2 / 2];
    k4 = h * f[x + h, y + k3];
    y = y + (k1 + 2 k2 + 2 k3 + k4) / 6;
    x = x + h;
    Print["Iteration ", i, ":  x = ", x, "    y = ", y];];
  Return[y];
];
f[x_, y_] := x^2 - y;
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RK4[f, 1, 2, 0.1, 10]
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Iteration 0:  x = 1    y = 2
Iteration 1:  x = 1.1  y = 1.91484
Iteration 2:  x = 1.2  y = 1.85873
Iteration 3:  x = 1.3  y = 1.83082
Iteration 4:  x = 1.4  y = 1.83032
Iteration 5:  x = 1.5  y = 1.85653
Iteration 6:  x = 1.6  y = 1.90881
Iteration 7:  x = 1.7  y = 1.98659
Iteration 8:  x = 1.8  y = 2.08933
Iteration 9:  x = 1.9  y = 2.21657
Iteration 10: x = 2.   y = 2.36788
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Out[83]=

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2.36788
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