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Assignment 3

Q1 (a)

$$f_1(\cos x) = f_1(\cos(3.154)) = f_1(-0.999923029) = -0.9999$$

$$f_1(1+\cos x) = f_1(1+\cos(3.154)) = f_1(1-0.9999) = f_1(0.0001) = 0.0001$$

$$f_1(\pi) = 3.142$$

$$f_1(x - \pi) = f_1(3.154 - 3.142) = f_1(0.012) = 0.012$$

$$f_1(x - \pi)^2 = f_1(0.012^2) = f_1(0.000144) = 1.440 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$f_1\left(\frac{1+\cos x}{(x-\pi)^2}\right) = f_1\left(\frac{0.0001}{0.000144}\right) = f_1(0.694444444) = 0.6945$$

$$|E_t| = \left| \frac{0.49999359 - 0.6945}{0.49999359} \right| = 0.389017807 \approx 38\%$$

Q1 (b)

$\cos x$	
$f(x) = \cos x$	$f(\pi) = \cos(\pi) = -1$
$f'(x) = -\sin x$	$f'(\pi) = -\sin(\pi) = 0$
$f''(x) = -\cos x$	$f''(\pi) = -\cos(\pi) = 1$
$f'''(x) = \sin x$	$f'''(\pi) = \sin(\pi) = 0$
$f''''(x) = \cos x$	$f''''(\pi) = \cos(\pi) = -1$

$$f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!}(x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x-a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x-a)^3 + \frac{f''''(a)}{4!}(x-a)^4$$

$$\cos x \approx -1 + 0 + \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{2!} + 0 - \frac{(x-\pi)^4}{4!}$$

$$\cos x \approx -1 + \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{2!} - \frac{(x-\pi)^4}{4!}$$

Q1 (c)

$$f(x) \approx \frac{1 + \left(-1 + \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{2} - \frac{(x-\pi)^4}{24}\right)}{(x-\pi)^2} = \frac{\left(\frac{(x-\pi)^2}{2} - \frac{(x-\pi)^4}{24}\right)}{(x-\pi)^2} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{24}$$

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Q1(d)

Find exact value when  $x = 3.154$  using polynomial approximation from (c).

$$f(3.154) \approx \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(3.154 - \pi)^2}{24} = 0.499993585$$

Consider perturb with  $\hat{x} = 3.154 + \varepsilon$  with  $\varepsilon = 0.01$

$$f(3.155) \approx \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(3.155 - \pi)^2}{24} = 0.49999251$$

Relative error input:

$$|E_t| = \left| \frac{3.154 - 3.155}{3.154} \right| = 0.003170577 \approx 0.03\%$$

Relative error output:

$$|E_t| = \left| \frac{0.499993585 - 0.49999251}{0.499993585} \right| = 0.00000215 \approx 0.0002\%$$

Therefore,  $f(3.154)$  is well-conditioned since the exact value of  $f(3.154 + \varepsilon)$  is approximately equal to the exact value of  $f(3.154)$  whenever  $\left| \frac{\varepsilon}{3.154} \right|$  is small.

Q1(e)

From (a), we found that our floating-point computation with rounding:

$$x = 3.154 \longrightarrow 1$$

Consider perturbed exact computation:

$$\hat{x} = 3.154 + \varepsilon \longrightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(3.154 + \varepsilon - \pi)^2}{24}$$

with  $\left| \frac{\varepsilon}{3.154} \right|$  small

$$0.5 - \frac{(3.154 + \varepsilon - \pi)^2}{24}$$

$$0.5 - \frac{(3.154 + \varepsilon - \pi)(3.154 + \varepsilon - \pi)}{24}$$

$$0.5 - \frac{(9.94716 + 6.308\varepsilon - 6.308\pi - 2\varepsilon\pi + \pi^2)}{24}$$

$$0.5 - \frac{(-0.000402057 + 6.308\varepsilon - 2\varepsilon\pi)}{24}$$

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We see that  $0.5 - \frac{(-0.000402057 + 6.308\varepsilon - 2\varepsilon\pi)}{24}$  is approximately equal to 0.4989... for all values of  $\varepsilon$  such that  $\left|\frac{\varepsilon}{3.154}\right|$  is small. This value is not close to our floating-point approximation 0.6945. Thus, the computation is unstable.

## Q2(a)

```
function root = Bisect ( xl , xu , eps , imax, f, enablePlot )
i = 1;
fl = feval(f, xl);

fprintf ( ' iteration approximation \n' )
while (i <= imax)
    xr = (xl+xu/2);
    fprintf ( ' %6.0f %18.8f \n', i, xr )
    fr = feval(f, xr);

    %when enablePlot is 1 it shows each iteration of the bisection method
    if (enablePlot && (i == 1) || (i == 2) || (i == 4) || (i == 6))
        hold on;
        x = [xl:0.001:xu];
        fx = feval(f, x);

        y = [xl:xr:xu];
        fy = feval(f, y);
        plot(x, fx)
        plot(y, fy)
        hold off;
    end

    if (fr == 0 || (xu-xl/abs(xu+xl)) < eps)
        root = xr;
        return;
    end
    i = i + 1;
    if (fl*fr < 0)
        xu = xr;
    else
        xl = xr;
        fl = fr;
    end
end
fprintf ( ' failed to converge in %g iterations\n', imax )
end
```

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Q2 (b)

$$0 = 1 - \frac{Q^2}{gA_c^3} B \quad A_c = 3y + \frac{y^2}{2} \quad B = 3 + y$$

$$\frac{Q^2}{gA_c^3} B = 1 \rightarrow \left( \frac{Q^2}{g} \right) B = A_c^3$$

$$\left( \frac{Q^2}{g} \right) (3 + y) = \left( 3y + \frac{y^2}{2} \right)^3$$

$$\left( \frac{Q^2}{g} \right) (3 + y) = \left( 3y + \frac{y^2}{2} \right) \left( 3y + \frac{y^2}{2} \right) \left( 3y + \frac{y^2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{Q^2}{g} \right) (3 + y) = 27y^3 + \frac{27}{2}y^4 + \frac{9y^5}{4} + \frac{y^6}{8}$$

$$\left( \frac{20^2}{9.81} \right) (3 + y) = \frac{y^6}{8} + \frac{9}{4}y^5 + \frac{27}{2}y^4 + 27y^3$$

$$\frac{400}{9.81} (3 + y) = \frac{y^6}{8} + \frac{9}{4}y^5 + \frac{27}{2}y^4 + 27y^3$$

$$\frac{1200}{9.81} + \frac{400}{9.81}y = \frac{y^6}{8} + \frac{9}{4}y^5 + \frac{27}{2}y^4 + 27y^3$$

$$\frac{1}{8}y^6 + \frac{9}{4}y^5 + \frac{27}{2}y^4 + 27y^3 - \frac{400}{9.81}y - \frac{1200}{9.81} = 0$$

$$f(y) = \frac{1}{8}y^6 + \frac{9}{4}y^5 + \frac{27}{2}y^4 + 27y^3 - \frac{400}{9.81}y - \frac{1200}{9.81}$$

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Q2(c)

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%critical depth function
function [ fy ] = depth( y )

fy = 1 - 20.^2./(9.81.*(3.*y+y.^2./2).^3).*(3+y);

end
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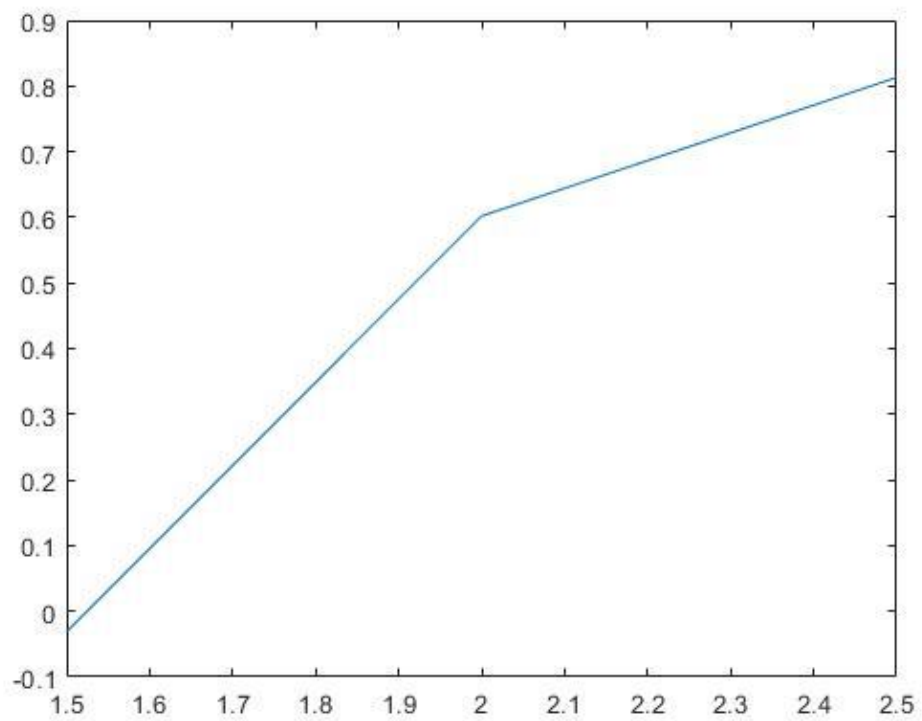
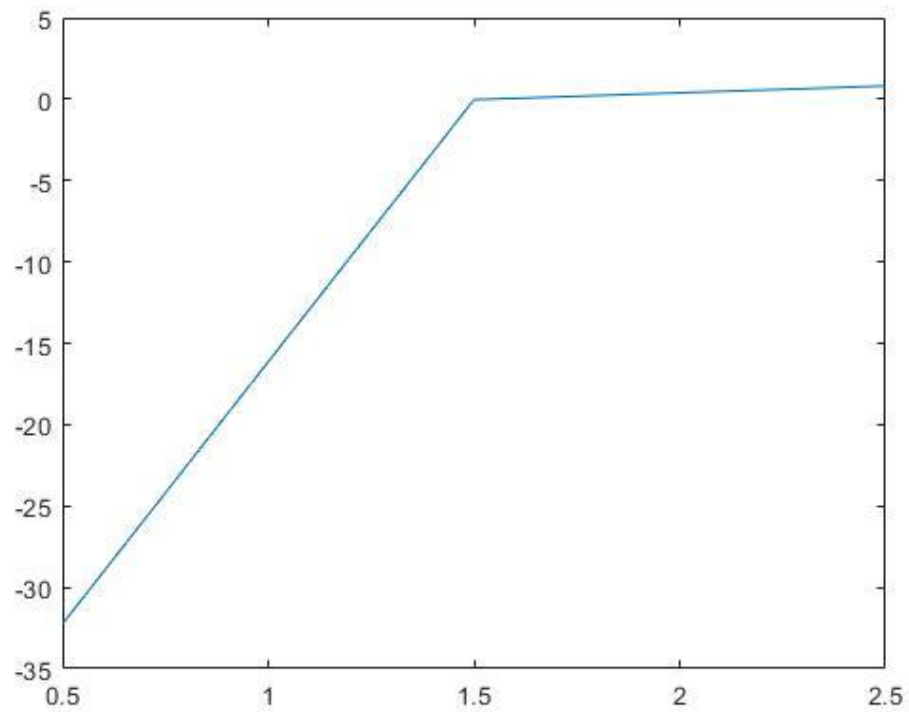
```
>> xl = 0.5;
>> xu = 2.5;
>> eps = 0.01;
>> imax = 10;
>> Bisect(xl, xu, eps, imax, @depth, 1);
iteration    approximation
      1         1.50000000
      2         2.00000000
      3         1.75000000
      4         1.62500000
      5         1.56250000
      6         1.53125000
      7         1.51562500
      8         1.50781250
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root =

1.5078

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Plots for  $i = 1, 2, 4, 6$



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