

## Unit - I

### NUMERICAL SOLUTIONS OF EQUATIONS AND

#### INTERPOLATION

##### Polynomial function :-

A function  $f(x)$  is said to be a polynomial

function, if  $f(x)$  is a polynomial in  $x$ .

$$f(x) = a_0 x^n + a_1 x^{n-1} + a_2 x^{n-2} + \dots + a_{n-1} x + a_n.$$

##### Algebraic & Transcendental Equations:- The equation

$f(x)=0$  is said to be algebraic if  $f(x)$  is purely polynomial in  $x$  and if  $f(x)$  contains trigonometric, logarithmic, exponential etc, then the equation

$f(x)=0$  is called a transcendental equation.

Ex:- (i)  $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 8 = 0$ ,  $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 8x - 2 = 0$   
are algebraic equations.

(ii)  $f(x) = C_1 e^x + C_2 e^x = 0$ ,  $f(x) = 2 \log x - \frac{11}{4} = 0$   
are transcendental equations

## Intermediate Value Theorem:-

If  $f(x)$  is continuous in the  $[a, b]$  and  $f(a), f(b)$  are of opposite signs, then the equation  $f(x)=0$  has at least one root between  $x=a$  and  $x=b$

## Regula Falsi method (or) False position method:-

Let  $f(x)=0$  be the given equation. Let  $a$  and  $b$  are the two initial approximate values. So that  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$  have opposite signs, then a root lies between  $a$  and  $b$ .

Step 1:- First order expression is

$$x_1 = \frac{a f(b) - b f(a)}{f(b) - f(a)}$$

calculate  $f(x_1)$ .

Step 2:- If  $f(x_1)$  is negative and  $f(a)$  is positive then the root lies between  $x_1$  and  $a$ .

$$\text{Then } x_2 = \frac{a f(x_1) - x_1 f(a)}{f(x_1) - f(a)}.$$

This process is continued until, we get the desired accuracy.

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Q) By using Regula-Fabii method find an approximate root of the equation

$$x^4 - x - 10 = 0 \text{ that lies between } 1.8 \text{ and } 2.7$$

Carryout three approximations.

Sol:- Given equation

$$f(x) = x^4 - x - 10$$

and given that  $x_0 = 1.8$  and  $x_1 = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x_0) &= f(1.8) = (1.8)^4 - (1.8) - 10 \\ &= -1.3024 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x_1) = 2^4 - 2 - 10$$

$$= 4 > 0$$

$\therefore f(x_0)$  and  $f(x_1)$  have opposite signs.

$\therefore$  The root lies between 1.8 and 2.

The first order approximation

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}$$

$$= \frac{1.8(4) - 2(-1.3024)}{4 - (-1.3024)}$$

$$x_2 = 1.849$$

$$f(x_2) = f(1.849)$$

$$= (1.849)^4 - (1.849) - 10$$

$$= -0.161 < 0$$

$\therefore f(x_2)$  has the negative sign.

$\therefore$  The root lies between 1.849 and 2.

∴ The second order approximation

$$x_3 = \frac{x_1 f(x_2) - x_2 f(x_1)}{f(x_2) - f(x_1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here } x_1 &= 2 \text{ and } x_2 = 1.849 \\ &= \frac{2 f(1.849) - 1.849 f(2)}{f(1.849) - f(2)} \\ &= \frac{2(-0.161) - 1.849(4)}{-0.161 - 4} \end{aligned}$$

$$x_3 = 1.8549.$$

$$f(x_3) = f(1.8549) = (1.8549)^4 - (1.8549) - 10$$
$$f(x_3) = -0.019 < 0$$

∴  $f(x_3)$  has the negative sign.

∴ The root lies between 1.8549 and 2.  
Here  $x_1 = 2$  and  $x_3 = 1.8549$ .

∴ The third order approximation

The Third order approximation

$$\begin{aligned}x_4 &= \frac{x_1 f(x_3) - x_3 f(x_1)}{f(x_3) - f(x_1)} \\&= \frac{2 f(1.8549) - 1.8549 f(2)}{f(1.8549) - f(2)} \\&= \frac{2 \times (-0.019) - 1.8549(4)}{-0.019 - 4} \\&= 1.8557 > 0\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  By using Regula-Falsi method the root of the given equation is 1.8557.



2) Find the root of the equation  $x \log_{10} x = 1.2$  by using Regula-Falsi (or) False-position method? Carry out three approximations.

Soln:- Given equation

$$f(x) = x \log_{10} x - 1.2$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= 0 \times \log_{10} 0 - 1.2 \\ &= -1.2 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(1) &= 1 \log_{10} 1 - 1.2 \\ &= -1.2 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(2) &= 2 \log_{10} 2 - 1.2 \\ &= -0.5979 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(3) &= 3 \log_{10} 3 - 1.2 \\ &= 0.23136 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(2)$  and  $f(3)$  have the opposite signs.

$\therefore$  The root lies between 2 and 3.



∴ The first order approximation

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}$$

Here  $x_0 = 2$  and  $x_1 = 3$ .

$$= \frac{2 f(3) - 3 f(2)}{f(3) - f(2)}$$

$$= \frac{2 (0.23136) - 3 (-0.5979)}{0.23136 - (-0.5979)}$$

$$x_2 = 2.7210$$

$$f(x_2) = (2.7210) \log_{10} (2.7210) - 1.2$$
$$= -0.0171 < 0$$

∴  $f(x_2)$  has the negative sign.

∴ The root lies between 2.7210 and 3.

∴ The second order approximation

$$x_3 = \frac{x_1 f(x_2) - x_2 f(x_1)}{f(x_2) - f(x_1)}$$

Here  $x_1 = 3$ ;  $x_2 = 2.7210$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x_3 &= \frac{3 f(2.7210) - 2.7210 f(3)}{f(2.7210) - f(3)} \\
 &= \frac{3(-0.0171) - (2.7210)(0.23136)}{-0.0171 - 0.23136} \\
 &= \cancel{2.7410} \quad 2.7406
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x_3) &= f(2.7406) = 2.7406 \log_{10}(2.7406) - 1.2 \\
 &= -0.00056 < 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(x_3)$  has the negative sign.

$\therefore$  The root lies between 2.7406 and 3.

$\therefore$  The third order approximation

$$x_4 = \frac{x_1 f(x_3) - x_3 f(x_1)}{f(x_3) - f(x_1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Here } x_1 &= 3 \text{ and } x_3 = 2.7406 \\
 &= \frac{3(-0.00056) - 2.7406(0.23136)}{-0.00056 - 0.23136} \\
 &= 2.74122
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  By using ~~the~~ Regula-Falsi method, the root of the given equation is 2.74122

P) Find the real root of  $xe^x = 2$  using

Regula-Falsi method?

Sol<sup>n</sup> Let  $f(x) = xe^x - 2 = 0$ .

Then  $f(0) = -2 < 0$ ,  $f(1) = e - 2 = 2.7183 - 2 = 0.7183 > 0$ .

$f(0)$  and  $f(1)$  have the opposite signs.

$\therefore$  The root lies between 0 and 1.

Here  $x_0 = 0$  and  $x_1 = 1$ .

By Regula-Falsi method-

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)} = \frac{0 - (-2)}{0.7183 - (-2)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2.7183} = 0.73575$$

$$f(x_2) = (0.73575)^{0.73575} - 2 = -0.46445 < 0$$

$f(x_2)$  have the negative sign.

The root  $(x_3)$  lies between  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ .

$$x_3 = \frac{x_2 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_2)}{f(x_1) - f(x_2)} = \frac{(0.73575)(0.7183) - (1)(-0.46445)}{0.7183 + 0.46445}$$

$$= \frac{0.992939}{1.18275} = 0.83951$$

$$f(x_3) = (0.83951)^{0.83951} e^{-2} = -0.056339 < 0.$$

$f(x_3)$  has negative sign

$\therefore$  the root lies between  $x_1$  and  $x_3$

$$\begin{aligned} x_4 &= \frac{x_3 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_3)}{f(x_1) - f(x_3)} \\ &= \frac{(0.83951)(0.7183) + 0.056339}{0.7183 + 0.056339} \\ &= 0.851171 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x_4) &= f(0.851171) = (0.851171)^{0.851171} e^{-2} \\ &= -0.0062278 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$f(x_4)$  has negative sign.

Now the root lies between  $x_1$  and  $x_4$

$$\begin{aligned} x_5 &= \frac{x_4 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_4)}{f(x_1) - f(x_4)} \\ &= \frac{(0.851171)(0.7183) + 0.006227}{0.7183 + 0.006227} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{0.617623}{0.724527} = 0.85245$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x_5) &= f(0.85245) = (0.85245)^{0.85245} e^{-2} \\ &= -0.0006756 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$f(x_5)$  has the negative sign.

$\therefore$  the root lies between  $x_1$  and  $x_5$ .

$$\begin{aligned}x_6 &= \frac{x_5 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_5)}{f(x_1) - f(x_5)} \\&= \frac{(0.85245)(0.7183) + 0.0006756}{0.7183 + 0.0006756} \\&= \frac{0.612990}{0.71897} = 0.85260\end{aligned}$$

$$f(x_6) = -(0.85260)e^{0.85260} - 2 = -0.85260$$

$\therefore$  the root of  $x e^x - 2 = 0$  is  $0.85260$

## Newton - Raphson method:-

(i) Let  $f(x)=0$  be the given equation.

Let  $f(a)$  and  $f(b)$  have the opposite signs for  $x=a, x=b$ .

(ii) Then find  $x_0 = \frac{a+b}{2}$ .

(iii) Then by using Newton-Raphson method, we can find the approximate root by using the following formula.

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

By putting  $n=0, 1, 2, \dots$  we get the approximate roots of the given equation.

P) Find a real root of  $x^3 - x - 2 = 0$  by using Newton-Raphson method?



Ex<sup>n</sup>:- Given equation

$$f(x) = x^3 - x - 2$$

$$f(0) = 0^3 - 0 - 2 = -2 < 0$$

$$f(1) = 1^3 - 1 - 2 = -2 < 0$$

$$f(2) = 2^3 - 2 - 2 = 8 - 2 - 2 = 4 > 0$$

$\therefore f(1)$  and  $f(2)$  have opposite signs.

$\therefore$  The root lies between 1 and 2.

$$\therefore x_0 = \frac{a+b}{2} = \frac{1+2}{2} = 1.5$$

$\therefore$  By using Newton-Raphson method, the formula for approximate root is given by

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$f(x) = x^3 - x - 2$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 1$$

Put  $n=0$  in eq (1)  $\Rightarrow$

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

~~$$f(0) = 0^3 - 0 - 2$$~~

~~$$f'(0) = 3(0)^2 - 1 = -1$$~~



$$f(x_0) = f(1.5) = (1.5)^3 - (1.5) - 2 = -0.125$$

$$f'(x_0) = f'(1.5) = 3(1.5)^2 - 1 = 5.75$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x_1 &= x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} \\ &= 1.5 - \frac{(-0.125)}{5.75} \\ &= 1.5 + \frac{0.125}{5.75} \end{aligned}$$

$$x_1 = 1.5217$$

Put  $n=1$  in eq (1).

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

$$f(x_1) = f(1.5217) = (1.5217)^3 - (1.5217) - 2 = 0.0019$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x_1) &= 3(1.5217)^2 - 1 \\ &= 5.9467 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_2 &= x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} \\ &= 1.5217 - \frac{0.0019}{5.9467} \end{aligned}$$

$$x_2 = 1.5213$$

$\therefore$  The approximate root of the given  
Equation is 1.581

2) Find a root of  $e^x \sin x = 1$  by using Newton-Raphson method?

Soln:- Given  $f(x) = e^x \sin x - 1$ .

$$f(0) = e^0 \sin 0 - 1 = -1 < 0$$

$$f(1) = e^1 \sin(1) - 1$$

$$f(1) = 1.2873 > 0$$

$\therefore$  the root lies between 0 and 1.

$$\therefore x_0 = \frac{a+b}{2} = \frac{0+1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

By using Newton-Raphson method, the formula for approximate is given by.

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

$$f(x) = e^x \sin x - 1$$

$$f'(x) = e^x \sin x + e^x \cos x$$

$$\text{put } n=0$$

$$x_{0+1} \stackrel{!}{=} x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

$$f(x_0) = e^{0.5} \sin(0.5) - 1 = -0.2095$$

$$f'(x_0) = e^{0.5} \sin(0.5) + e^{0.5} \cos(0.5) = 2.2373$$

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

$$x_1 = 0.5 - \frac{(-0.2095)}{2.2373}$$

$$= 0.5 + \frac{0.2095}{2.2373}$$

$$x_1 = 0.5936$$

put  $n=1$

$$x_{1+1} = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

~~$$f(x) = e^{\sin(x)} - 1 = 0.0126$$~~

~~$$f'(x) = e^{\sin(x)} + e^{\cos(x)} = 2.5134$$~~

~~$$x_{1+1} =$$~~

$$f(x_1) = e^{\sin(0.5936)} - 1 = 0.0126$$

$$f'(x_1) = e^{\sin(0.5936)} + e^{\cos(0.5936)}$$

$$= 2.5134$$

$$x_{1+1} = 0.5936 - \frac{0.0126}{2.5134}$$

$$x_{2+1} = 0.5936 - 0.005013$$

$$x_2 = 0.5886$$

Put  $n=2$ .

$$x_{2+1} = x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.588}}$$

$$f(x_2) = e^{0.5886} \cdot \sin(0.5886) - 1 = \underline{\underline{-0.000081}}$$

$$f'(x_2) = e^{0.5886} \sin(0.5886) + e^{0.5886} \cos(0.5886) \\ = 2.4982$$

$$x_{2+1} = x_3 = 0.5886 + \frac{0.000081}{2.4982} \\ = 0.5886.$$

$\therefore$  The approximate root of the given equation is 0.5886.

1) Find the approximate root of eq by using Newton-Raphson method?

Let us take the approximate root of eq  
 $f(x) = x^2 - 14 = 0$

$$f(0) = 0^2 - 14 = -14 < 0$$

$$f(1) = 1^2 - 14 = -13 < 0$$

$$f(2) = 2^2 - 14 = -10 < 0$$

$$f(3) = 3^2 - 14 = -5 < 0$$

$$f(4) = 4^2 - 14 = 2 > 0$$

∴ The root lies between 3 and 4

∴ By using Newton-Raphson method, the approximate root is given by

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$f(x) = x^2 - 14$$

$$f'(x) = 2x$$

Put  $n = 0$  in eq (1)  
 The first approximation is

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

$$f(x_0) = 0^2 - 14 = -14 < 0$$

$$f'(x_0) = 0$$

$$f(x_0) = f(4.5) = x_0^2 - 24 = (4.5)^2 - 24 = -3.75$$

$$f'(x_0) = f'(4.5) = 2x_0 = 2(4.5) = 9.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x_{0+1} &= x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} \\ &= 4.5 - \frac{(-3.75)}{9} \\ &= 4.9166. \end{aligned}$$

The second order approximation is

put  $n=1$  in eq (1)  $\Rightarrow$

$$x_{1+1} = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{---} \\ f(x_1) &= f(4.9166) = x_1^2 - 24 = (4.9166)^2 - 24 = 4.8991 \end{aligned}$$

$$f'(x_1) = 2x_1 = 2(4.9166) = \text{---} 9.8332$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_2 &= x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} \\ &= 4.9166 - \frac{4.8991}{9.8332} \\ &= 4.8989. \end{aligned}$$



Put  $n=2$  in eq (1)  $\Rightarrow$

$$x_{2+1} = x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)}$$

$$f(x_2) = x_2^2 - 24 = (4.8989)^2 - 24 = -0.00078$$

$$f'(x_2) = 2x_2 = 2(4.8989) = 9.7978$$

$$x_3 = x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)}$$

$$= 4.8989 - \frac{(-0.00078)}{9.7978}$$

$$= 4.8989$$

$\therefore$  The approximate square root of 24 by using Newton-Raphson method is

$$\underline{\underline{4.8989}}$$

# Interpolation

Def:- The method of computing the value of the function  $y = f(x)$  for any given value of  $x$  when a set of value of  $y = f(x)$  for certain value of  $x$  are given.

(e.g.)  $x: x_0 \quad x_1 \quad x_2 \quad \dots \quad x_n$   
 $y: y_0 \quad y_1 \quad y_2 \quad \dots \quad y_n$   
is the <sup>given</sup> values for  $y = f(x)$ .

The process of finding the value of  $y = f(x)$  for any ~~value~~ value between  $[x_0, x_n]$  is known as "interpolation".

In this technique, we discuss two types of differences of a function  $y = f(x)$ .

They are

- (i) Forward differences.
- (ii) Backward differences.

## i) Forward differences :-

Consider  $y = f(x)$  is a function.

Let  $y_0, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  be the values of  $y$

corresponding to  $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  of  $x$

respectively. Then  $y_1 - y_0, y_2 - y_1, y_3 - y_2, \dots$

$y_n - y_{n-1}$  are the forward differences of  $y$ ,

denoted by  $\Delta y_0, \Delta y_1, \Delta y_2, \dots, \Delta y_n$ .

$$\therefore \Delta y_0 = y_1 - y_0, \Delta y_1 = y_2 - y_1, \Delta y_2 = y_3 - y_2, \dots$$

$$\dots \Delta y_n = y_n - y_{n-1}$$

The symbol  $\Delta$  is called the forward difference operator.

The differences of the first <sup>order</sup> differences are called <sub>second order</sub> forward differences and are denoted by  $\Delta^2 y_0, \Delta^2 y_1, \dots$

i) Forward difference table:- The forward differences are arranged in a tabular column is called a forward difference table.

| $x$   | $y$   | $\Delta y$               | $\Delta^2 y$                             | $\Delta^3 y$                                 | $\Delta^4 y$                                 |
|-------|-------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| $x_0$ | $y_0$ |                          |  |  |  |
| $x_1$ | $y_1$ | $\Delta y_0 = y_1 - y_0$ | $\Delta^2 y_0 = \Delta y_1 - \Delta y_0$ | $\Delta^3 y_0 = \Delta^2 y_1 - \Delta^2 y_0$ | $\Delta^4 y_0 = \Delta^3 y_1 - \Delta^3 y_0$ |
| $x_2$ | $y_2$ | $\Delta y_1 = y_2 - y_1$ | $\Delta^2 y_1 = \Delta y_2 - \Delta y_1$ | $\Delta^3 y_1 = \Delta^2 y_2 - \Delta^2 y_1$ | $\Delta^4 y_1 = \Delta^3 y_2 - \Delta^3 y_1$ |
| $x_3$ | $y_3$ | $\Delta y_2 = y_3 - y_2$ | $\Delta^2 y_2 = \Delta y_3 - \Delta y_2$ | $\Delta^3 y_2 = \Delta^2 y_3 - \Delta^2 y_2$ | $\Delta^4 y_2 = \Delta^3 y_3 - \Delta^3 y_2$ |
| $x_4$ | $y_4$ | $\Delta y_3 = y_4 - y_3$ |  |  |  |

ii) Backward difference:-

The first order backward difference are denoted by  $\nabla y_1, \nabla y_2, \nabla y_3, \dots$

$$\nabla y_1 = y_1 - y_0, \quad \nabla y_2 = y_2 - y_1, \quad \nabla y_3 = y_3 - y_2, \dots$$

The symbol  $\nabla$  is called the backward difference operator.

The second order backward differences are denoted by  $\nabla^2 y_2, \nabla^2 y_3, \nabla^2 y_4, \dots$

$$\nabla^2 y_2 = \nabla y_2 - \nabla y_1, \quad \nabla^2 y_3 = \nabla y_3 - \nabla y_2, \quad \nabla^2 y_4 = \nabla y_4 - \nabla y_3, \dots$$

Backward difference table:-

The backward differences are arranged in tabular column is called a backward difference table.

| $x$   | $y$   | $\nabla y$               | $\nabla^2 y$                             | $\nabla^3 y$                                 |
|-------|-------|--------------------------|--|--|
| $x_0$ | $y_0$ |                          |  |  |
| $x_1$ | $y_1$ | $y_1 - y_0 = \nabla y_1$ | $\nabla y_2 - \nabla y_1 = \nabla^2 y_2$ | $\nabla^2 y_3 - \nabla^2 y_2 = \nabla^3 y_3$ |
| $x_2$ | $y_2$ | $y_2 - y_1 = \nabla y_2$ | $\nabla y_3 - \nabla y_2 = \nabla^2 y_3$ |  |
| $x_3$ | $y_3$ | $y_3 - y_2 = \nabla y_3$ |  |  |

Newton's forward Interpolation formula:-

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + p(\Delta y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} \Delta^2 y_0 + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} \Delta^3 y_0 + \dots + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)\dots(p-n)}{n!} \Delta^n y_0$$

where  $p = \frac{x - x_0}{h}$

Newton's Backward Interpolation formula:-

$$y = f(x) = y_n + p(\nabla y_n) + \frac{p(p+1)}{2!} \nabla^2 y_n + \frac{p(p+1)(p+2)}{3!} \nabla^3 y_n + \dots + \frac{p(p+1)(p+2)\dots(p+n-1)}{n!} \nabla^n y_n$$

where  $p = \frac{x - x_n}{h}$

① For  $x = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$ ,  $f(x) = 1, 14, 15, 5, 6$  find  $f(3)$  using forward difference table.

Sol:- Given

| $x$ | $y = f(x)$ | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ |
|-----|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0   | 1          |            |              |              |              |
| 1   | 14         | 13         |              |              |              |
| 2   | 15         | 1          | -12          |              |              |
| 3   | 5          | -10        | -11          | 1            |              |
| 4   | 6          | 1          | 11           | 2            | 1            |

$$p = \frac{x - x_0}{h}$$

$$x = 3, x_0 = 0, h = 1$$



$$y = f(x) = y_0 + P(\Delta y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)}{2!} \Delta^2 y_0 + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)}{3!} \Delta^3 y_0$$

$$y = f(x) = 1 + 3(13) + \frac{3(2)(-12)}{2} + \frac{3(2)(1)}{6} + \frac{3(2)(1)(6)}{4!} \times (2)$$

a) Applying Newton's forward Interpolation formula compute the value of  $\sqrt{5.5}$ . Given that  $\sqrt{5} = 2.236$ ,  $\sqrt{6} = 2.449$ ,  $\sqrt{7} = 2.646$ ,  $\sqrt{8} = 2.828$  correct upto three places of decimal.

Given

| x | y     | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\frac{\Delta^3 y}{6}$ |
|---|-------|------------|--------------|------------------------|
| 5 | 2.236 | 0.213      |              |                        |
| 6 | 2.449 | 0.197      | -0.016       |                        |
| 7 | 2.646 | 0.182      | -0.015       | 0.001                  |
| 8 | 2.828 |            |              |                        |

$$P = \frac{x - x_0}{h}$$

$$P = \frac{5.5 - 5}{1} = 0.5$$

$$h = 1$$

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + P(\Delta y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)}{2!} (\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)}{3!} \Delta^3 y_0$$

$$y = f(x) = 2.236 + (0.5)(0.213) + \frac{(0.5)(-0.5)}{2} (-0.016) + \frac{(0.5)(-0.5)(-1.5)}{6} (0.001) + \dots$$

$$= 2.345$$



2) Given  $\sin 45^\circ = 0.7071$ ,  $\sin 50^\circ = 0.7660$ ,  $\sin 55^\circ = 0.8192$  and  $\sin 60^\circ = 0.8660$ , find  $\sin 52^\circ$  using Newton's interpolation formula.

Sol: Given

| $x$ | $y$    | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ |
|-----|--------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| 45  | 0.7071 |            |              |              |
| 50  | 0.7660 | 0.0589     |              |              |
| 55  | 0.8192 | 0.0532     | -0.0057      |              |
| 60  | 0.8660 | 0.0468     | -0.0064      | -0.0007      |

$$f(x) = y = \sin x$$

$$p = \frac{x - x_0}{h}$$

$$x = 52$$

$$x_0 = 45$$

$$p = \frac{52 - 45}{5} = 1.4$$

$$h = 5$$

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + p(\Delta y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!}(\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!}(\Delta^3 y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)(p-3)}{4!}(\Delta^4 y_0) + \dots$$

$$y = f(x) = 0.7071 + (1.4)(0.0589) + \frac{(1.4)(0.4)}{2}(-0.0057)$$

$$+ \frac{(1.4)(0.4)(-0.6)}{6}(-0.0007) + \dots$$

$$= 0.7071 + 0.08246 + -0.001596 + 0.0000392$$

$$= 0.788032$$

$$\therefore \sin 52^\circ = 0.788032$$

3) State appropriate interpolation formula which is to be used to calculate the value of  $\exp(1.75)$  from the following data

| $x$       | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 2.0   |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| $y = e^x$ | 5.474 | 6.050 | 6.686 | 7.389 |

Sol: Given  $x = 1.7, 1.9, 2.0, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 2.9, 3.0, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.8, 3.9, 4.0, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.7, 4.8, 4.9, 5.0, 5.1, 5.2, 5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 5.7, 5.8, 5.9, 6.0, 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4, 6.5, 6.6, 6.7, 6.8, 6.9, 7.0, 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, 7.5, 7.6, 7.7, 7.8, 7.9, 8.0, 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.6, 8.7, 8.8, 8.9, 9.0, 9.1, 9.2, 9.3, 9.4, 9.5, 9.6, 9.7, 9.8, 9.9, 10.0$

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.7 | 5.474 | 0.576      | 0.06         | 0.007        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

Given  $x = 1.7, 1.9, 2.0, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 2.9, 3.0, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.8, 3.9, 4.0, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.7, 4.8, 4.9, 5.0, 5.1, 5.2, 5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 5.7, 5.8, 5.9, 6.0, 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4, 6.5, 6.6, 6.7, 6.8, 6.9, 7.0, 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, 7.4, 7.5, 7.6, 7.7, 7.8, 7.9, 8.0, 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5, 8.6, 8.7, 8.8, 8.9, 9.0, 9.1, 9.2, 9.3, 9.4, 9.5, 9.6, 9.7, 9.8, 9.9, 10.0$

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.9 | 6.686 | 0.703      | 0.067        | 0.007        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2.0 | 7.389 | 0.703      | 0.067        | 0.007        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

$$P = \frac{x - x_0}{h} = \frac{1.75 - 1.7}{0.1} = 0.5$$

$$h = 0.1$$

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + P(\Delta y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)}{2!}(\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)}{3!}(\Delta^3 y_0) + \dots$$

$$= 5.474 + (0.5)(0.576) + \frac{(0.5)(-0.5)}{2!}(0.06) + \frac{(0.5)(-0.5)(-1.5)}{3!}(0.007) + \dots$$

$$= 5.474 + 0.288 - 0.0075 + 0.0004375 - \dots$$

$$= 5.75493$$

$$e^{1.75} = 5.75493$$

Construct difference table for the following data

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0.1 | 0.003 | 0.064      | 0.017        | 0.002        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0.3 | 0.067 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0.5 | 0.148 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0.7 | 0.248 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0.9 | 0.370 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.1 | 0.518 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.3 | 0.697 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.5 | 0.897 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.7 | 1.118 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.9 | 1.369 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2.1 | 1.650 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2.3 | 1.961 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2.5 | 2.302 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2.7 | 2.673 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2.9 | 3.074 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 3.1 | 3.505 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 3.3 | 3.966 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

| $x$ | $y$   | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ | $\Delta^5 y$ | $\Delta^6 y$ |
|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 3.5 | 4.457 | 0.081      | 0.019        | 0.003        | 0.001        | 0.000        | 0.000        |

$P = \frac{x - x_0}{h} = \frac{0.6 - 0}{0.1} = 6$

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$$y = f(x) = y_0 + P(\Delta y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)}{2!}(\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)}{3!}(\Delta^3 y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)(P-3)}{4!}(\Delta^4 y_0)$$

$$y = f(x) = 0.003 + (6)(0.064) + \frac{(6)(5)}{2} (0.017) + \frac{(6)(5)(4)}{6} (0.001)$$

$$= 0.003 + 0.384 + 0.204 + 0.00625 + 0.000039$$

$$= 0.1954$$

$f(0.6) = 0.1954$

Find Newton's forward difference interpolating polynomial for the data

| $x$ | $y$ | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ |
|-----|-----|------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0   | 1   |            |              |              |
| 1   | 3   | 2          |              |              |
| 2   | 7   | 4          | 2            |              |
| 3   | 13  | 6          | 2            | 0            |

$P = \frac{x - x_0}{h} = \frac{x - 0}{1} = x$

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + P(\Delta y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)}{2!}(\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)}{3!}(\Delta^3 y_0)$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{x(x-1)}{2} (2)$$

$$= 1 + x + (x^2 - x)$$

$$= x^2 + 2x + 1$$



10) The following table gives corresponding values of  $x$  &  $y$ . Construct the difference table and then express  $y$  as a function of  $x$ .

| $x$ | 0 | 1 | 2  | 3  | 4  |
|-----|---|---|----|----|----|
| $y$ | 3 | 6 | 11 | 18 | 27 |

Sol:-

| $x$ | $y$ | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ |
|-----|-----|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 0   | 3   |            |              |              |              |
| 1   | 6   | 3          |              |              |              |
| 2   | 11  | 5          | 2            |              |              |
| 3   | 18  | 7          | 2            | 0            |              |
| 4   | 27  | 9          |              |              |              |

$$P = \frac{x - x_0}{h} = \frac{x - 0}{1} = x$$

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + P(\Delta y) + \frac{P(P-1)}{2!}(\Delta^2 y) + \frac{P(P-1)(P-2)}{3!}(\Delta^3 y)$$

$$y = f(x) = 3 + 3x + \frac{x(x-1)}{2}(2)$$

$$= 6 + 6x + 2x^2 - 2x$$

$$= 2x^2 + 4x + 6$$

$$= x^2 + 2x + 3$$

Q) The population of a town in the decimal census was given below. Estimate the population for the given year 1895 and 1925

|                        |      |      |      |      |      |
|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Year                   | 1891 | 1901 | 1911 | 1921 | 1931 |
| Population (thousands) | 46   | 66   | 81   | 93   | 101  |

Sol: (i) Given

| $x$  | $y$ | $\Delta y$ | $\Delta^2 y$ | $\Delta^3 y$ | $\Delta^4 y$ |
|------|-----|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1891 | 46  |            |              |              |              |
| 1901 | 66  | 20         |              |              |              |
| 1911 | 81  | 15         | -5           |              |              |
| 1921 | 93  | 12         | -3           | -2           |              |
| 1931 | 101 | 8          | -4           | -1           | -3           |

$$p = \frac{x - x_0}{h} = \frac{1895 - 1891}{10} = 0.4$$

$x = 1895$   
 $x_0 = 1891$   
 $h = 10$

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + p(\Delta y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} (\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} (\Delta^3 y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)(p-3)}{4!} (\Delta^4 y_0)$$

$$= 46 + (0.4)(20) + \frac{(0.4)(-0.6)}{2} (-5) + \frac{(0.4)(-0.6)(-1.6)}{6} (-2) + \frac{(0.4)(-0.6)(-1.6)(-2.6)}{24} (-3)$$

$$= 46 + 8 + 0.6 + 0.128 + 0.1248$$

$$= 54.8528 \text{ thousands}$$

∴ Estimated Population for the year 1895 is

54.8528 thousands

$$y = f(x) = y_0 + p(\Delta y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} (\Delta^2 y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} (\Delta^3 y_0) + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)(p-3)}{4!} (\Delta^4 y_0)$$

(ii) Estimate the population of the year 1925:-

Here interpolation is desired at the end of the table. Thus we use Newton's backward interpolation formula.

∴ Here  $x = 1925$ ,  $x_n = 1931$

$$p = \frac{x - x_n}{h}$$

$$= \frac{1925 - 1931}{10} = -0.6$$

∴ The Newton's Backward interpolation formula is given by

$$y = f(x) = y_n + p(\nabla y_n) + \frac{p(p+1)}{2!} (\nabla^2 y_n) +$$

$$\frac{p(p+1)(p+2)}{3!} (\nabla^3 y_n) + \frac{p(p+1)(p+2)(p+3)}{4!} (\nabla^4 y_n)$$

+ ...

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \overset{f(1925)}{y = \overset{f(x)}{f(2)}} = 101 + (-0.6)(8) + \frac{(-0.6)((-0.6)+1)}{2!}(-4) \\
 & + \frac{(-0.6)(-0.6+1)(0.6+2)}{3!}(-1) + \\
 & \frac{(-0.6)(-0.6+1)(-0.6+2)(-0.6+3)}{4!}(-3)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= 101 - 4.8 + 0.48 + 0.056 + 0.1008$$

$$\therefore y = \overset{f(1925)}{\overset{f(x)}{f(2)}} = 96.84$$

$\therefore$  Estimated population for the year  
1925 is 96.84 thousands.



## Interpolation with Unevenly spaced Points:-

In the previous section, we have derived interpolation formula which are of great importance.

But in those formulas, the disadvantage is that the values of the independent variables are to be equally spaced. We desire to have interpolation formula with unequally spaced values of the independent variables. We discuss Lagrange's interpolation formula which uses unevenly spaced points and also for function values.

### Lagrange's Interpolation Formula:-

Let  $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be  $(n+1)$  values of  $x$  which are not necessarily equally spaced.

Let  $y_0, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  be the corresponding values of  $y = f(x)$ . Then

$$y = f(x) = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)\dots(x-x_n)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)\dots(x_0-x_n)} f(x_0) +$$

$$\frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)\dots(x-x_n)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)\dots(x_1-x_n)} f(x_1) +$$

$$\frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_3)\dots(x-x_n)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)(x_2-x_3)\dots(x_2-x_n)} f(x_2) +$$

$$+ \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_2)\dots(x-x_{n-1})}{(x_n-x_0)(x_n-x_1)(x_n-x_2)\dots(x_n-x_{n-1})} f(x_n)$$

This is known as Lagrange's Interpolation  
Formula.

1) Evaluate  $f(10)$  given  $f(x) \approx 168, 192, 336$  at  $x = 1, 7, 15$  use Lagrange's Interpolation formula.

Sol: Given  $x_0 = 1$   $x_1 = 7$   $x_2 = 15$

$y_0 = 168$   $y_1 = 192$   $y_2 = 336$   $x = 10$

by Lagrange's Interpolation formula

$$y = f(x) = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)} f(x_0) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)} f(x_1) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)} f(x_2)$$

$$f(10) = \frac{(10-7)(10-15)}{(1-7)(1-15)} (168) + \frac{(10-1)(10-15)}{(7-1)(7-15)} (192) + \frac{(10-1)(10-7)}{(15-1)(15-7)} (336)$$

$$= \frac{3 \times (-5)}{(-6)(-14)} (168) + \frac{9 \times (-5)}{6(-8)} (192) + \frac{(9)(3)}{14 \times 8} (336)$$

$$= -30 + 180 + 81$$

2) Using Lagrange's Interpolation formula find the value of  $f(10)$  by following table

|     |    |    |    |    |
|-----|----|----|----|----|
| $x$ | 5  | 6  | 9  | 11 |
| $y$ | 12 | 13 | 14 | 16 |

Sol: Given  $x_0 = 5$   $x_1 = 6$   $x_2 = 9$   $x_3 = 11$   $x = 10$

$y_0 = 12$   $y_1 = 13$   $y_2 = 14$   $y_3 = 16$

by Lagrange's Interpolation formula

$$y = f(x) = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)(x-x_3)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)(x_0-x_3)} f(x_0) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)(x-x_3)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)(x_1-x_3)} f(x_1) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_3)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)(x_2-x_3)} f(x_2) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_3-x_0)(x_3-x_1)(x_3-x_2)} f(x_3)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_3)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)(x_2-x_3)} f(x_2) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_3-x_0)(x_3-x_1)(x_3-x_2)} f(x_3)$$

$$g(x) = \frac{4 \times 4(-1)}{-1(-4)(-6)} (12) + \frac{15(4)(-1)}{1(-3)(-5)} (13) + \frac{5(4)(-1)}{4(3)(-2)} (14)$$

$$+ \frac{5(4)(+1)}{4(3)(-2)} (16)$$

$$= \frac{-4}{-24} (12) - \frac{20}{15} (13) + \frac{20}{24} (14) + \frac{20}{60} (16)$$

$$= \frac{-4}{-24} (12) - \frac{20}{15} (13) + \frac{20}{24} (14) + \frac{20}{60} (16)$$

$$= 2 - 4.3333 + 11.666 + 5.3333$$

$$\therefore g(10) = 14.6666$$

P) Find the unique polynomial  $P(x)$  of degree 2  
 (or) less such that  $P(1)=1$ ,  $P(3)=27$ ,  
 $P(4)=64$  using Lagrange's interpolation  
 formula.

Sol<sup>n</sup>:- Given

$$x_0 = 1, \quad x_1 = 3, \quad x_2 = 4$$

$$y_0 = f(x_0) = 1, \quad y_1 = f(x_1) = 27, \quad y_2 = f(x_2) = 64$$

by Lagrange's interpolation formula.

$$y = f(x) = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)} f(x_0) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)} f(x_1) \\ + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)} f(x_2)$$



$$y = f(x) = \frac{(x-3)(x-4)}{(1-3)(1-4)} (1) + \frac{(x-1)(x-4)}{(3-1)(3-4)} (27)$$

$$+ \frac{(x-1)(x-3)}{(4-1)(4-3)} (64)$$

$$y = f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 7x + 12}{(-2 \times -3)} + \frac{x^2 - 4x - x + 4}{(2 \times -1)} + \frac{x^2 - 3x - x + 3}{(3 \times 1)}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - 7x + 12}{6} + \frac{x^2 - 5x + 4}{-2} + \frac{x^2 - 4x + 3}{3}$$

$$= x^2 \left( \frac{1}{6} - \frac{27}{2} + \frac{64}{3} \right) + x \left( -\frac{7}{6} + \frac{135}{2} - \frac{256}{3} \right) + \left( \frac{12}{6} - \frac{108}{2} + \frac{112}{3} \right)$$

$$(6) \Rightarrow x^2(8) + x(-19) + 12$$

$$= 8x^2 - 19x + 12$$



P) A Curve Passes through the points  $(0, 18)$ ,  $(1, 10)$ ,  $(3, -18)$  and  $(6, 90)$ . Find the slope of the curve at  $x = 2$ ?

Sol<sup>n</sup>:- we are given

| $x$ | 0  | 1  | 3   | 6  |
|-----|----|----|-----|----|
| $y$ | 18 | 10 | -18 | 90 |

Here  $x_0 = 0$ ,  $x_1 = 1$ ,  $x_2 = 3$ ,  $x_3 = 6$   
 $y_0 = f(x_0) = 18$ ;  $y_1 = f(x_1) = 10$ ;  $y_2 = f(x_2) = -18$ ;  $y_3 = f(x_3) = 90$   
 Since the arguments ( $x$  values) are not

equally spaced, we will use Lagrange's formula.

By Lagrange's interpolation formula, we have

$$y = f(x) = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)(x-x_3)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)(x_0-x_3)} f(x_0) +$$

$$\frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)(x-x_3)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)(x_1-x_3)} f(x_1) + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_3)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)(x_2-x_3)} f(x_2)$$

$$+ \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_3-x_0)(x_3-x_1)(x_3-x_2)} f(x_3)$$

$$= \frac{(x-1)(x-3)(x-6)}{(0-1)(0-3)(0-6)} (18) + \frac{(x-0)(x-3)(x-6)}{(1-0)(1-3)(1-6)} (10) \\ + \frac{(x-0)(x-1)(x-6)}{(3-0)(3-1)(3-6)} (-18) + \frac{(x-0)(x-1)(x-3)}{(6-0)(6-1)(6-3)} (90)$$

$$\text{i.e., } f(x) = (x^2 - 4x + 3)(x - 6) + (-1) + x(x^2 - 9x + 18) +$$

$$x(x^2 - 7x + 6) + x(x^2 - 4x + 3)$$

$$= (-x^3 + 10x^2 - 27x + 18) + (x^3 - 9x^2 + 18x) +$$

$$(x^3 - 7x^2 + 6x) + (x^3 - 4x^2 + 3x)$$

$$= 2x^3 - 10x^2 + 18x$$

$$\therefore f(x) = 2x^3 - 10x^2 + 18x$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)) = 6x^2 - 20x$$

Thus the slope of the curve at  $x=2$  is given by.

$$f'(2) = 6(2)^2 - 20(2) \\ = 6(4) - 20(2) = 24 - 40 \\ = -16$$

P.

Partial Fractions using

Lagrange's interpolation Formula

Prob - Using Lagrange's formula, Express the function (45)

$$\frac{3x^2 + x + 1}{(x-1)(x-2)(x-3)} \text{ as a sum of partial fractions.}$$

Sol Let  $y = 3x^2 + x + 1$  for  $x=1, x=2, x=3$

Let

|       |           |            |            |
|-------|-----------|------------|------------|
| $x :$ | 1 (no)    | $x_1 = 2$  | $x_2 = 3$  |
| $y :$ | $y_0 = 5$ | $y_1 = 15$ | $y_2 = 31$ |

The Lagrange's formula is

$$y = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)} y_0 + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)} y_1 + \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)} y_2$$

$$= \frac{(x-1)(x-2)}{(0-1)(0-2)} (5) + \frac{(x-1)(x-3)}{(2-1)(2-3)} (15) + \frac{(x-1)(x-2)}{(3-1)(3-1)} (31)$$

Substituting the above values we get,

$$= \frac{(x-2)(x-3)}{(1-2)(1-3)} (5) + \frac{(x-1)(x-3)}{(2-1)(2-3)} (15) + \frac{(x-1)(x-2)}{(3-1)(3-2)} (31)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus } \frac{3x^2 + x + 1}{(x-1)(x-2)(x-3)} &= \frac{2.5(x-2)(x-3) - 15(x-1)(x-3) + 15.5(x-1)(x-2)}{(x-1)(x-2)(x-3)} \\ &= \frac{2.5}{x-1} - \frac{15}{x-2} + \frac{15.5}{x-3} // \end{aligned}$$