



Dating 101

Assignment 1

1. Question Number 1

Solution.

Let $f(x) = z^3 - z^2 + z - 1, z \in \mathbb{C}$. The derivative of f is $f'(z) = 3z^2 - 2z + 1$

By Newton's method,

$$z_{n+1} = z_n - \frac{f(z_n)}{f'(z_n)} = z_n - \frac{z_n^3 - z_n^2 + z_n - 1}{3z_n^2 - 2z_n + 1}$$

where $z_0 \in R := [-2, 2] \times [-2, 2]$

The following python code solves this one.

```
1 def newton_iteration(z0):
2     zn = z0 # z_{n}
3     zn_1 = z0 + 1 # z_{n-1}
4     tolerance = 10 ** -6
5     max_iteration = 20
6     while abs(zn_1 - zn) > tolerance and max_iteration > 0:
7         numerator = (zn ** 3) - (zn ** 2) + zn - 1
8         denominator = 3 * (zn ** 2) - 2 * zn + 1
9         zn_1 = zn
10        zn -= numerator/denominator
11        max_iteration -= 1
12    return (zn, 20 - max_iteration)
13
14 def solving_equation(): # question (a)
15     chunk = 4 / 401
16     X = []
17     Y = []
18     Z = []
19     color = []
20     for i in range(401):
21         for j in range(401):
22
23             px = random.uniform(-2 + chunk * i, -2 + chunk * (i + 1))
24             py = random.uniform(-2 + chunk * j, -2 + chunk * (j + 1))
25
26             (z, N) = newton_iteration(complex(px, py))
27             X.append(px)
28             Y.append(py)
29             color.append(N)
30             Z.append(z)
31
32     return (X, Y, color, Z)
33
```

2. Question Number 2

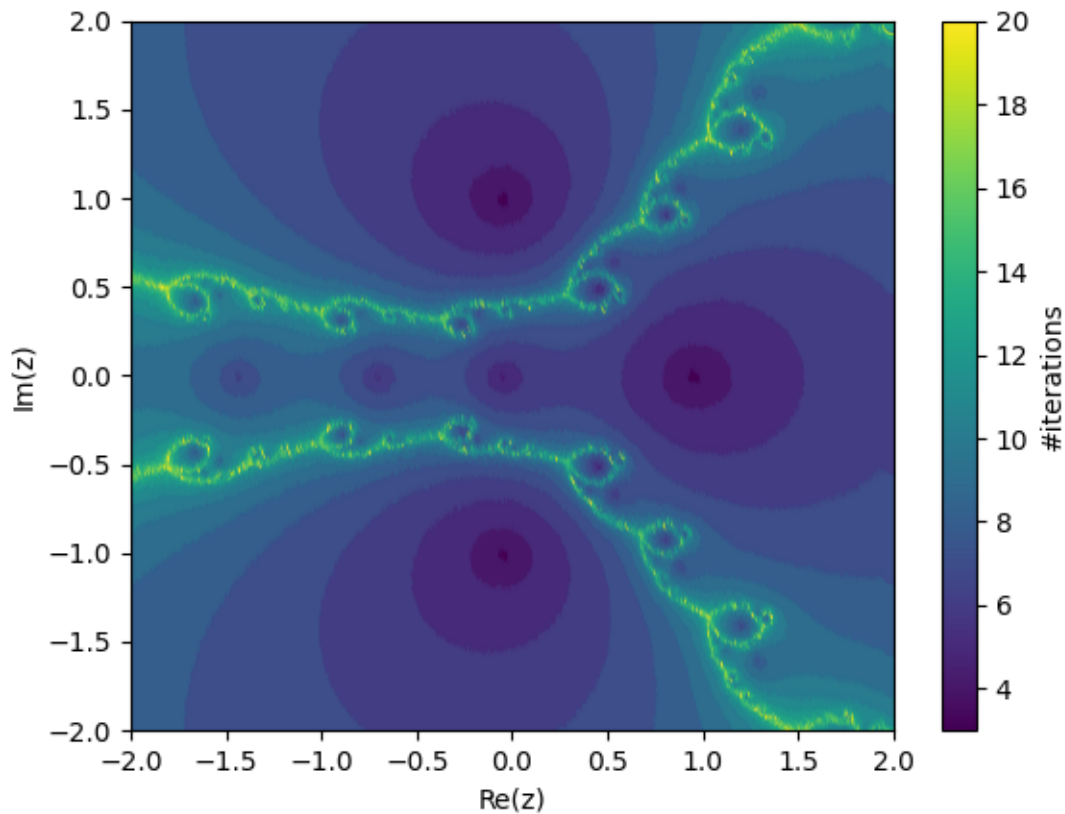
Roots are $1, i, -i$. Python code:

```

1 def plot_num_iter_converge(): # question (b)
2     plt.subplot()
3     plt.ylabel("Im(z)")
4     plt.xlabel("Re(z)")
5     plt.xlim((-2, 2))
6     plt.ylim((-2, 2))
7
8     (X, Y, color, Z) = solving_equation()
9     sc = plt.scatter(X, Y, c=color, label="# Iterations required to converge")
10    plt.colorbar(sc, label="#iterations")
11    plt.show()

```

Result:



3. Question Number 3

Python code:

```

1 def plot_root_reach():
2     plt.subplot()
3     plt.ylabel("Im(z)")
4     plt.xlabel("Re(z)")
5     plt.xlim((-2, 2))
6     plt.ylim((-2, 2))
7
8     roots = [1, 1j, -1j]
9     colors = [0, 1, 2]
10    root_labels = ['1', 'i', '-i']
11
12    (X, Y, color, Z) = solving_equation()
13
14    root_color = []
15    for z in Z:
16        norm = [abs(z - root) for root in roots]
17        index, _ = min(enumerate(norm), key=itemgetter(1))
18        root_color.append(colors[index])
19
20    sc = plt.scatter(X, Y, c=root_color, label="#Root converge plot")
21    plt.colorbar(sc, label="#root converge", format=ticker.FuncFormatter(lambda x, y:
22        root_labels[floor(x)]))
23    plt.show()

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