

cs374-lab1

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1 Basic Plotting Techniques

2 Question 1

With the help of a single code, plot the following functions: A. $y=e^x$ B. $y=x$ C. $y=\ln x$ Use suitable ranges of x for each of the functions and judge their properties on various scales of x . Extending this exercise, plot $e\pm x$ on the same graph and compare them.

```
[ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

x_exp = np.linspace(-5, 5, 400)
x_linear = np.linspace(-10, 10, 400)
x_log = np.linspace(0.1, 10, 400)

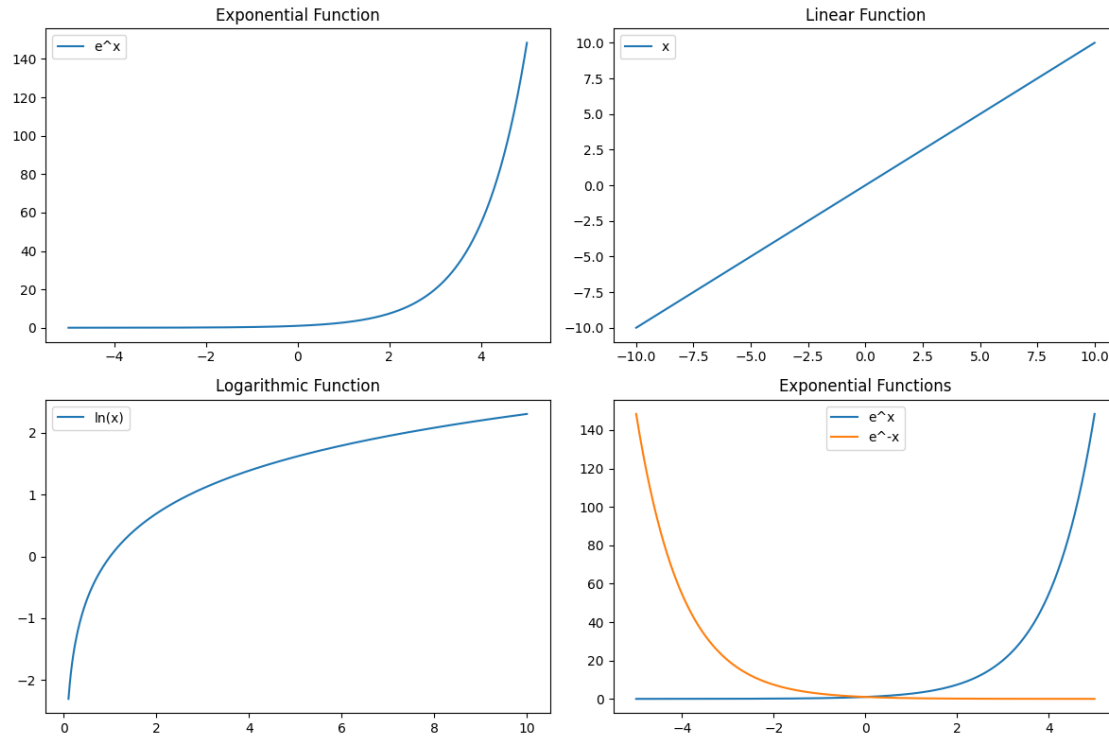
y_exp = np.exp(x_exp)
y_linear = x_linear
y_log = np.log(x_log)

fig, axs = plt.subplots(2, 2, figsize=(12, 8))

axs[0, 0].plot(x_exp, y_exp, label='e^x'); axs[0, 0].legend(); axs[0, 0].
    ↪set_title('Exponential Function')
axs[0, 1].plot(x_linear, y_linear, label='x'); axs[0, 1].legend(); axs[0, 1].
    ↪set_title('Linear Function')
axs[1, 0].plot(x_log, y_log, label='ln(x)'); axs[1, 0].legend(); axs[1, 0].
    ↪set_title('Logarithmic Function')
axs[1, 1].plot(x_exp, np.exp(x_exp), label='e^x'); axs[1, 1].plot(x_exp, np.
    ↪exp(-x_exp), label='e^-x'); axs[1, 1].legend(); axs[1, 1].
    ↪set_title('Exponential Functions')

fig.tight_layout()

plt.show()
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3 Question 2

For a fixed parameter k , plot the function $y = \sin(kx)$ for a few suitably chosen values of k . What is the role of k in determining the profile of the function? Thereafter, for $k = 1$, plot $\sin x$ and $(\sin(x))^2$ on the same graph within $-\pi < x < \pi$. Compare both.

Answer

Role of k is that it determines the frequency of the sine wave. Higher k value results in higher frequency means it will oscillate more rapidly

```
[ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

x = np.linspace(-np.pi, np.pi, 400)

k_values = [0.5, 1, 2, 3, 4]

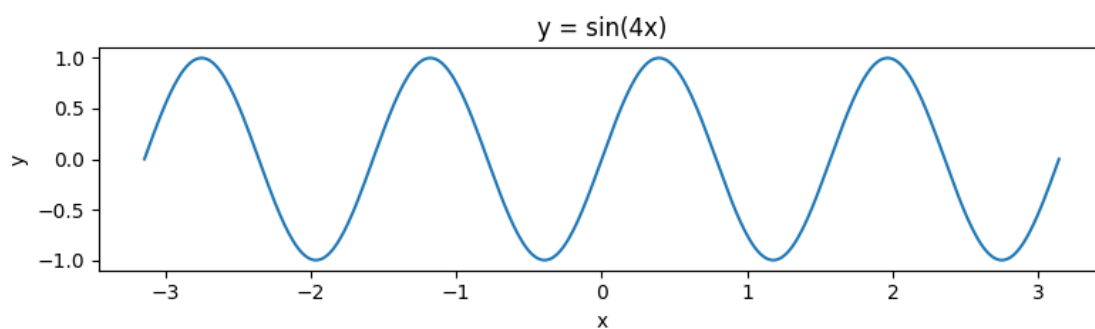
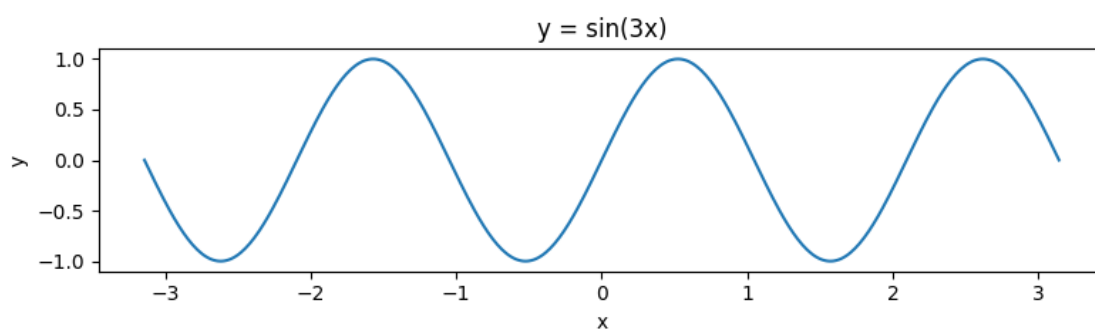
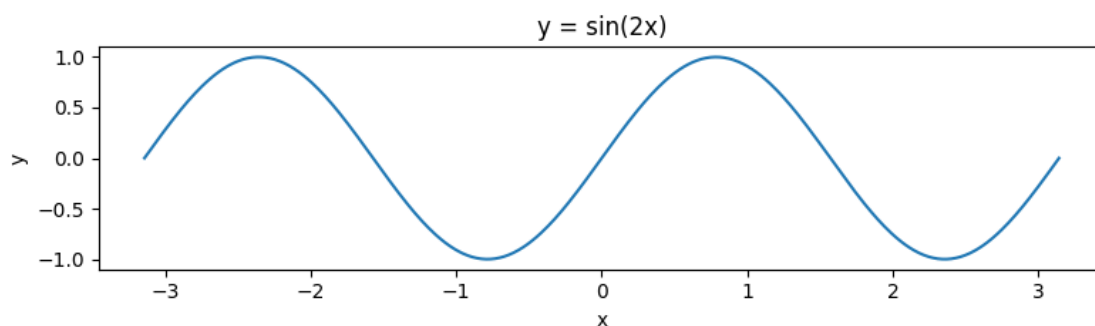
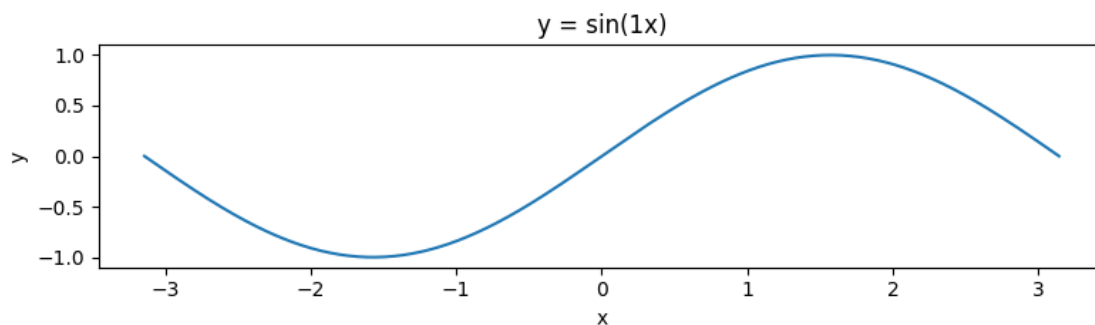
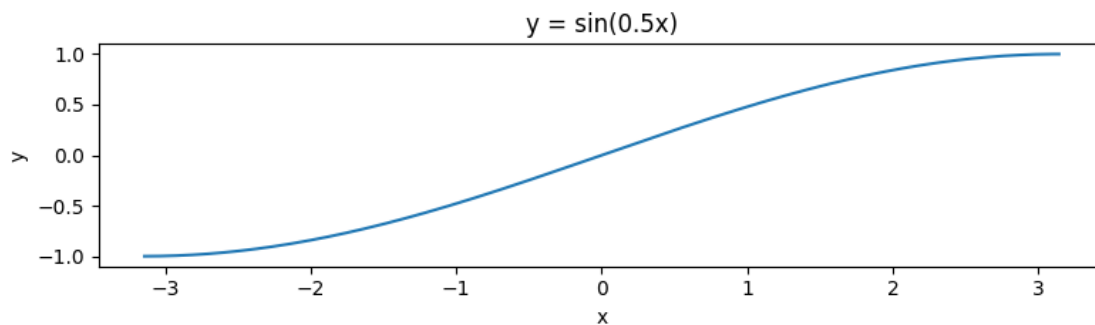
fig, axs = plt.subplots(len(k_values), 1, figsize=(8, 12))

for i, k in enumerate(k_values):
    axs[i].plot(x, np.sin(k*x))
    axs[i].set_title(f"y = sin({k}x)")
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    axs[i].set_xlabel("x")
    axs[i].set_ylabel("y")

fig.tight_layout()

plt.show()
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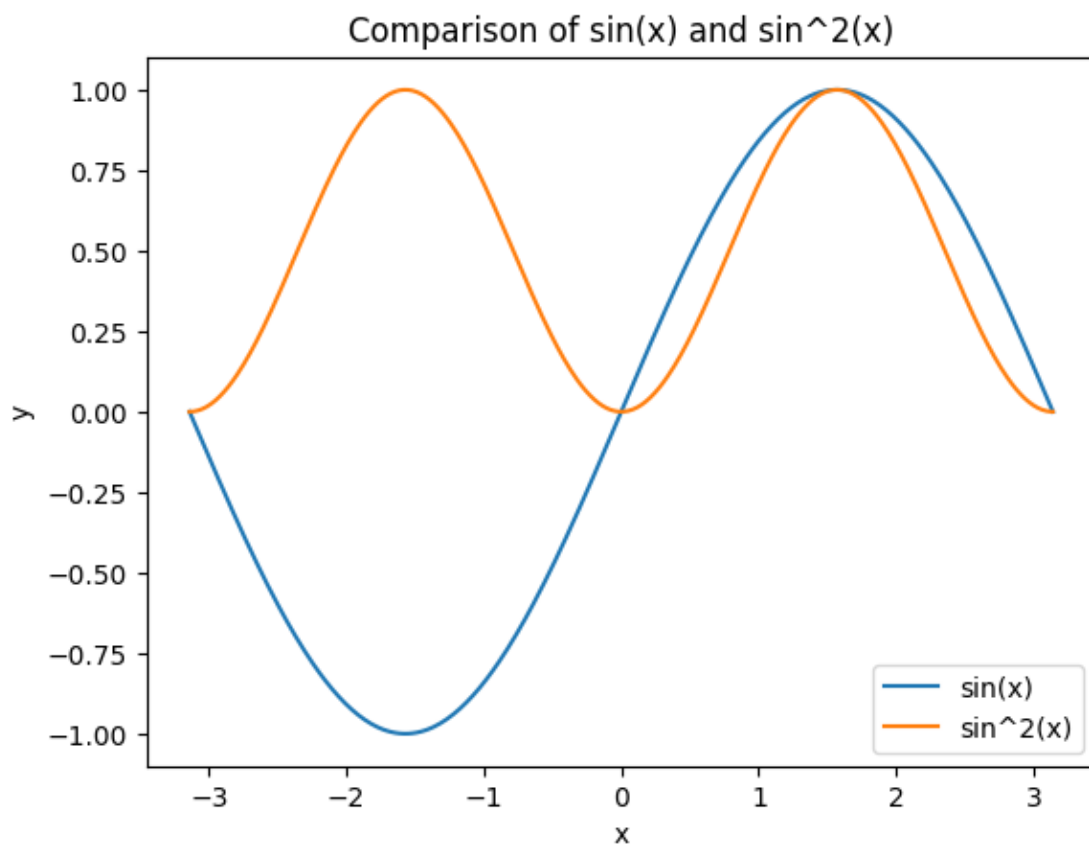


```
[ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

x = np.linspace(-np.pi, np.pi, 400)

plt.plot(x, np.sin(x), label="sin(x)")
plt.plot(x, np.sin(x)**2, label="sin^2(x)")
plt.xlabel("x")
plt.ylabel("y")
plt.title("Comparison of sin(x) and sin^2(x)")
plt.legend()

plt.show()
```



4 Question 3

Plot the Gaussian function $y = y_0 e^{-a(x-\mu)^2}$ for a few suitably chosen values of the fixed parameters y_0 , a and μ . Examine the shifting profile of the function, with changes in the parameters ($\mu = vt$ simulates a single wave pulse, like a tsunami, travelling with a velocity v). Then for $y_0 = a = 1$ and $\mu = 0$, consider a first-order expansion of the Gaussian function to obtain the Lorentz function. Plot both of them together and compare their behaviour. For every value of x take the difference between the two functions and plot it against x over $0 < x < 10$.

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[ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

x = np.linspace(-10, 10, 400)

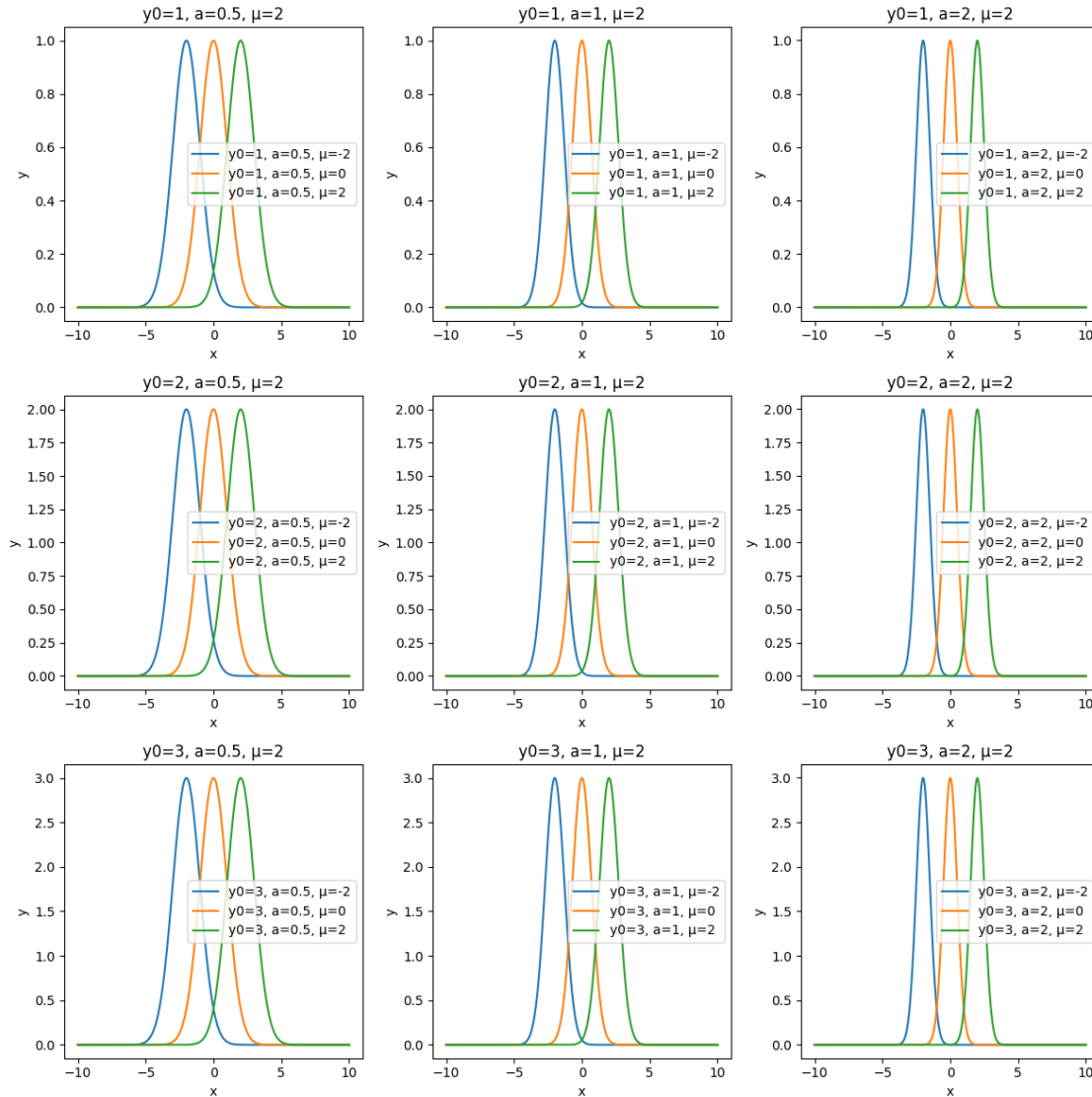
y0_values = [1, 2, 3]
a_values = [0.5, 1, 2]
mu_values = [-2, 0, 2]

fig, axs = plt.subplots(len(y0_values), len(a_values), figsize=(12, 12))

for i, y0 in enumerate(y0_values):
    for j, a in enumerate(a_values):
        for k, mu in enumerate(mu_values):
            axs[i, j].plot(x, y0*np.exp(-a*(x-mu)**2), label=f"y0={y0}, a={a}, μ={mu}")
            axs[i, j].set_title(f"y0={y0}, a={a}, μ={mu}")
            axs[i, j].set_xlabel("x")
            axs[i, j].set_ylabel("y")
            axs[i, j].legend()

fig.tight_layout()

plt.show()
```



The nature of the graphs above can be justified by stating that ‘a’ value is basically the standard deviation term which defines the width of the bell y_0 defines the height and μ basically controls the shifting of the curve

```
[ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def gaussian(x, y0, a, mu):
    return y0 * np.exp(-a * (x - mu)**2)

def lorentz(x, y0, a, mu):
    return y0 / (1 + a * (x - mu)**2)
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y0 = 1
a = 1
mu = 0

x = np.linspace(0, 10, 400)

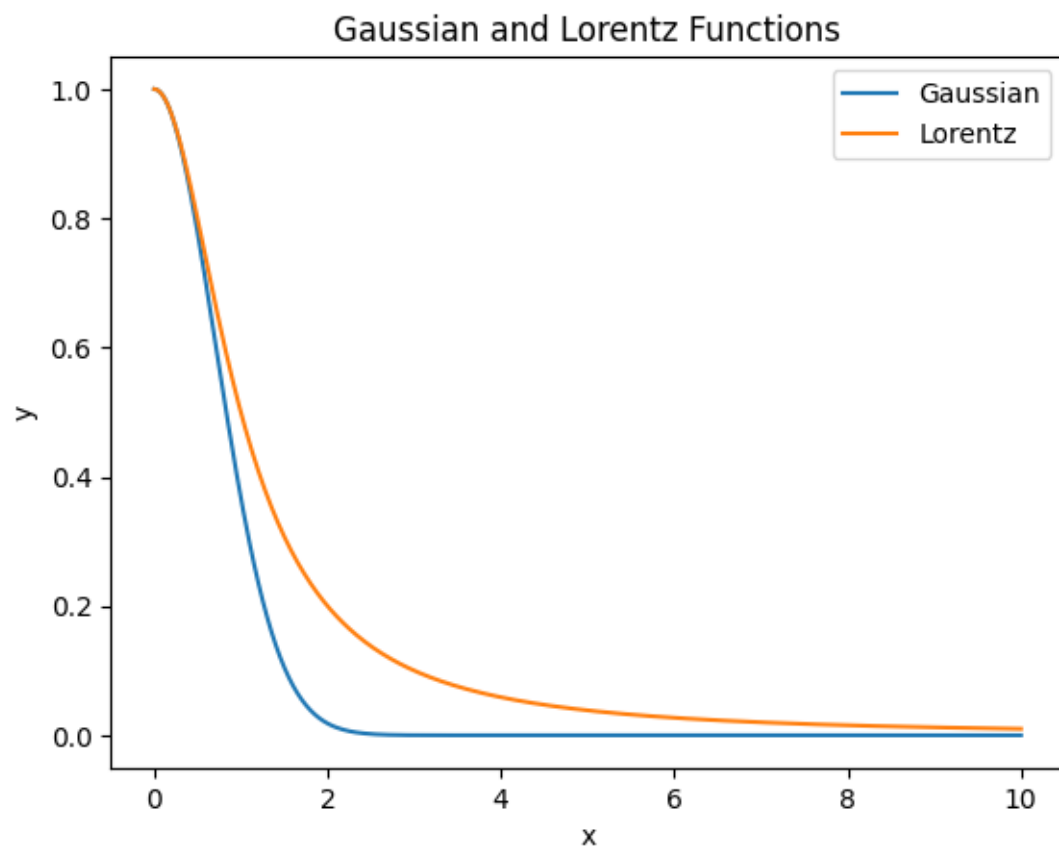
gaussian_values = gaussian(x, y0, a, mu)
lorentz_values = lorentz(x, y0, a, mu)

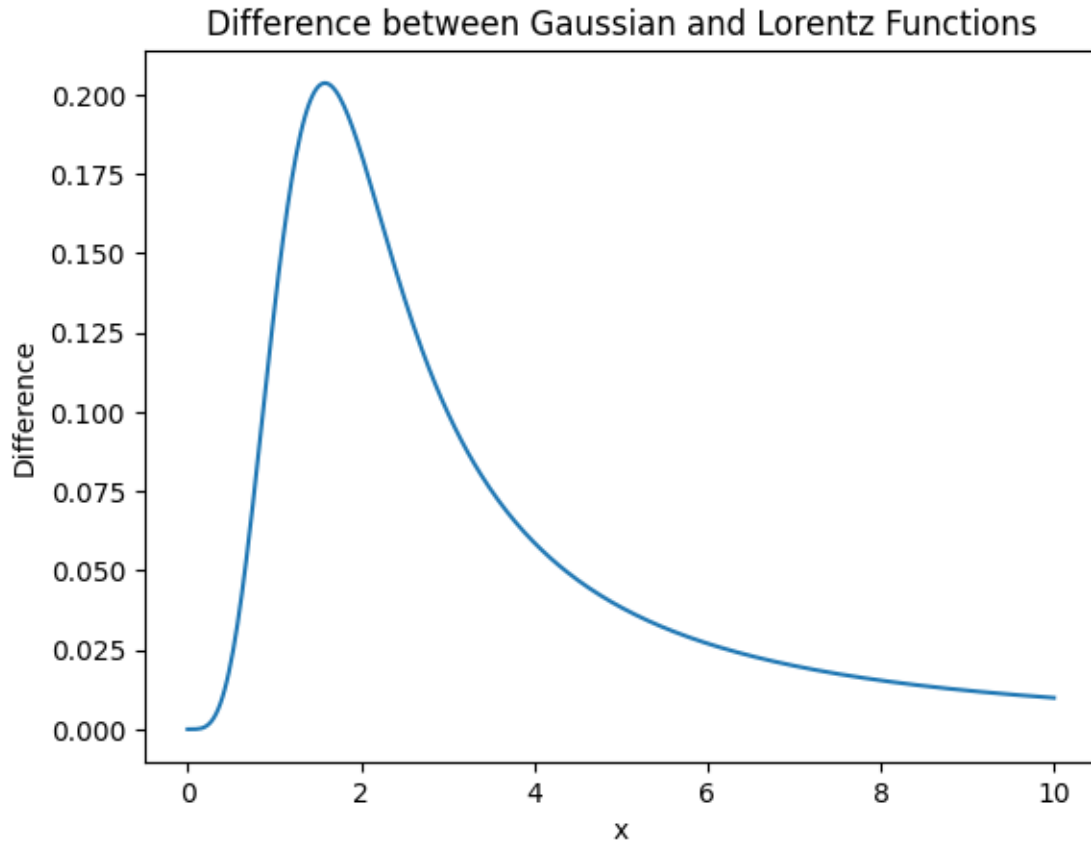
plt.plot(x, gaussian_values, label='Gaussian')
plt.plot(x, lorentz_values, label='Lorentz')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Gaussian and Lorentz Functions')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

# Plot the difference between the two functions
difference = np.abs(gaussian_values - lorentz_values)

plt.plot(x, difference)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Difference')
plt.title('Difference between Gaussian and Lorentz Functions')
plt.show()

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5 Question 4

Plot $y = x \ln x$ and carefully examine it for $0 < x < 2$. Provide an analytical justification for what you observe. Also note the growth of the function for very large x .

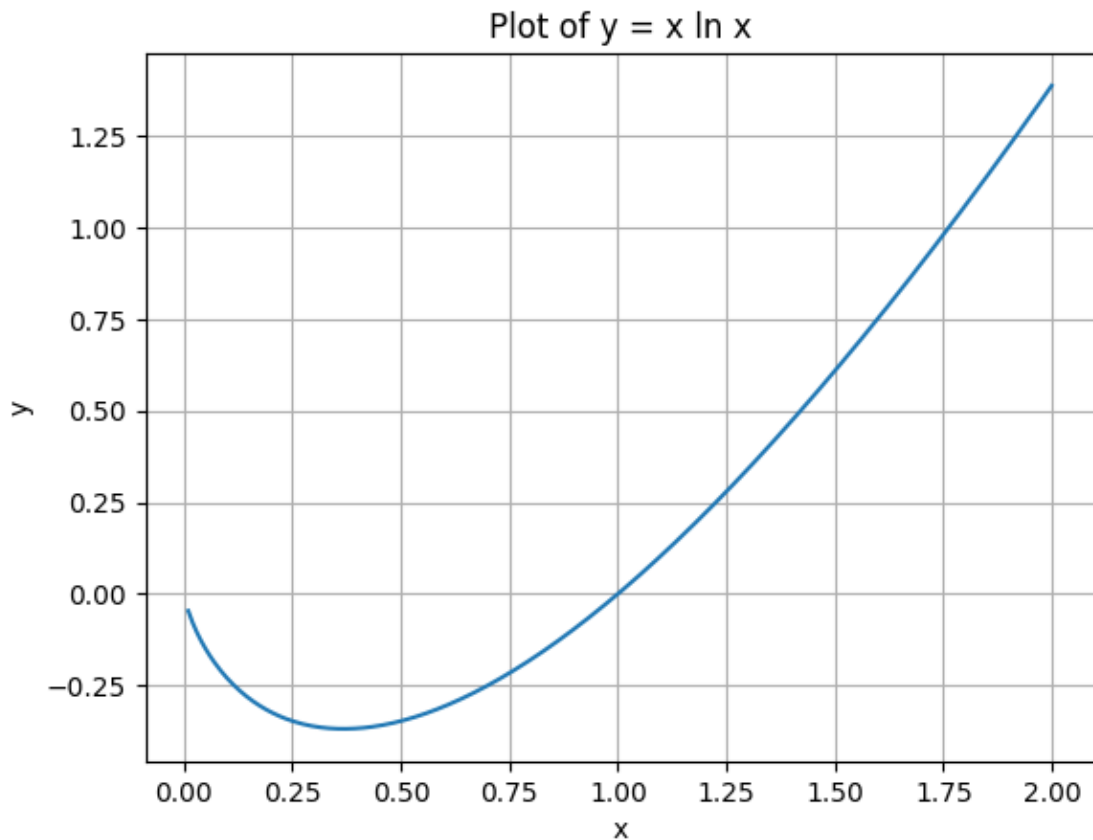
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[ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Define the x range
x = np.linspace(0.01, 2, 400)

y = x * np.log(x)

plt.plot(x, y)
plt.xlabel("x")
plt.ylabel("y")
plt.title("Plot of  $y = x \ln x$ ")
plt.grid(True)
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plt.show()
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We can justify this behaviour by seeing the derivate of the function i.e $1+\ln(x)$.

At $x=0$ $f'(x)$ is negative infinity and remains negative till $x=1/e$ gradually becoming less negative.

Then for $x=1/e$ it is zero and for $x>1/e$ derivate is positive and graph increases rapidly.

As x approaches infinity, $\ln x$ grows logarithmically, but x grows exponentially. Therefore, the product $x \ln x$ grows exponentially, making the function grow very rapidly for very large x .

6 Question 5

Plot $y(x)$, $y'(x)$ and $y''(x)$ for the following polynomial functions:
A. $y=-ax+x^3$
B. $y=-ax^2+x^4$ Change a continuously over a suitable range of values ($a \neq 0$) to observe the shift in the function profiles and their two derivatives. Carefully check all conditions for $a = 0$.

7 1. $y = -ax + x^3$

```
[7]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def y(x, a):
    return -a*x + x**3

def y_prime(x, a):
    return -a + 3*x**2

def y_double_prime(x, a):
    return 6*x

a_vals = np.linspace(0, 5, 3)

fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(15, 5))

for a_val in a_vals:

    x_vals = np.linspace(-10, 10, 400)

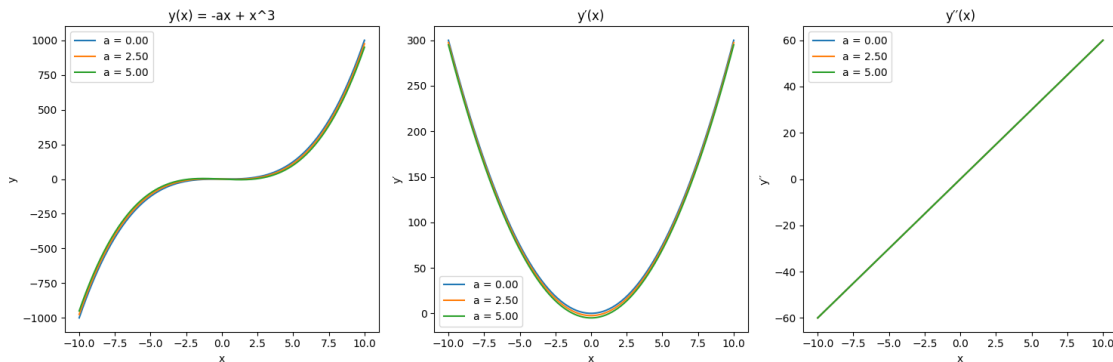
    y_vals = y(x_vals, a_val)
    y_prime_vals = y_prime(x_vals, a_val)
    y_double_prime_vals = y_double_prime(x_vals, a_val)

    axs[0].plot(x_vals, y_vals, label=f"a = {a_val:.2f}")
    axs[1].plot(x_vals, y_prime_vals, label=f"a = {a_val:.2f}")
    axs[2].plot(x_vals, y_double_prime_vals, label=f"a = {a_val:.2f}")

axs[0].set_title("y(x) = -ax + x^3")
axs[0].set_xlabel("x")
axs[0].set_ylabel("y")
axs[1].set_title("y (x)")
axs[1].set_xlabel("x")
axs[1].set_ylabel("y ")
axs[2].set_title("y (x)")
axs[2].set_xlabel("x")
axs[2].set_ylabel("y ")

axs[0].legend()
axs[1].legend()
axs[2].legend()
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plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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8 2. $y = -ax^2 + x^4$

```
[8]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def y(x, a):
    return -a*(x**2) + x**4

def y_prime(x, a):
    return -2*a*x + 4*x**3

def y_double_prime(x, a):
    return -2*a + 12*x**2

a_vals = np.linspace(0, 5, 3)
fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(15, 5))

for a_val in a_vals:

    x_vals = np.linspace(-10, 10, 400)

    y_vals = y(x_vals, a_val)
    y_prime_vals = y_prime(x_vals, a_val)
    y_double_prime_vals = y_double_prime(x_vals, a_val)

    axs[0].plot(x_vals, y_vals, label=f"a = {a_val:.2f}")
    axs[1].plot(x_vals, y_prime_vals, label=f"a = {a_val:.2f}")
    axs[2].plot(x_vals, y_double_prime_vals, label=f"a = {a_val:.2f}")
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axs[0].set_title("y(x) = -ax^2 + x^4")
axs[0].set_xlabel("x")
axs[0].set_ylabel("y")
axs[1].set_title("y (x)")
axs[1].set_xlabel("x")
axs[1].set_ylabel("y ")
axs[2].set_title("y (x)")
axs[2].set_xlabel("x")
axs[2].set_ylabel("y ")

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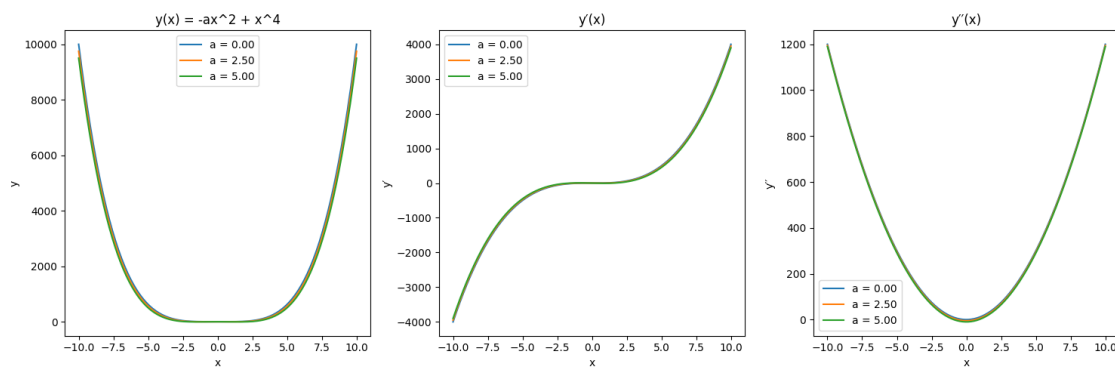
axs[0].legend()
axs[1].legend()
axs[2].legend()

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plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

```



9 Taylor's Polynomial Exercise

10 Question 1

11 e^x

```

[9]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math

def exp_taylor_series(x, a, n):
    result = 0
    for i in range(n+1):
        term = (x-a)**i / math.factorial(i)

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        result += term
    return result

a = 0
x = np.linspace(-1, 2, 400)

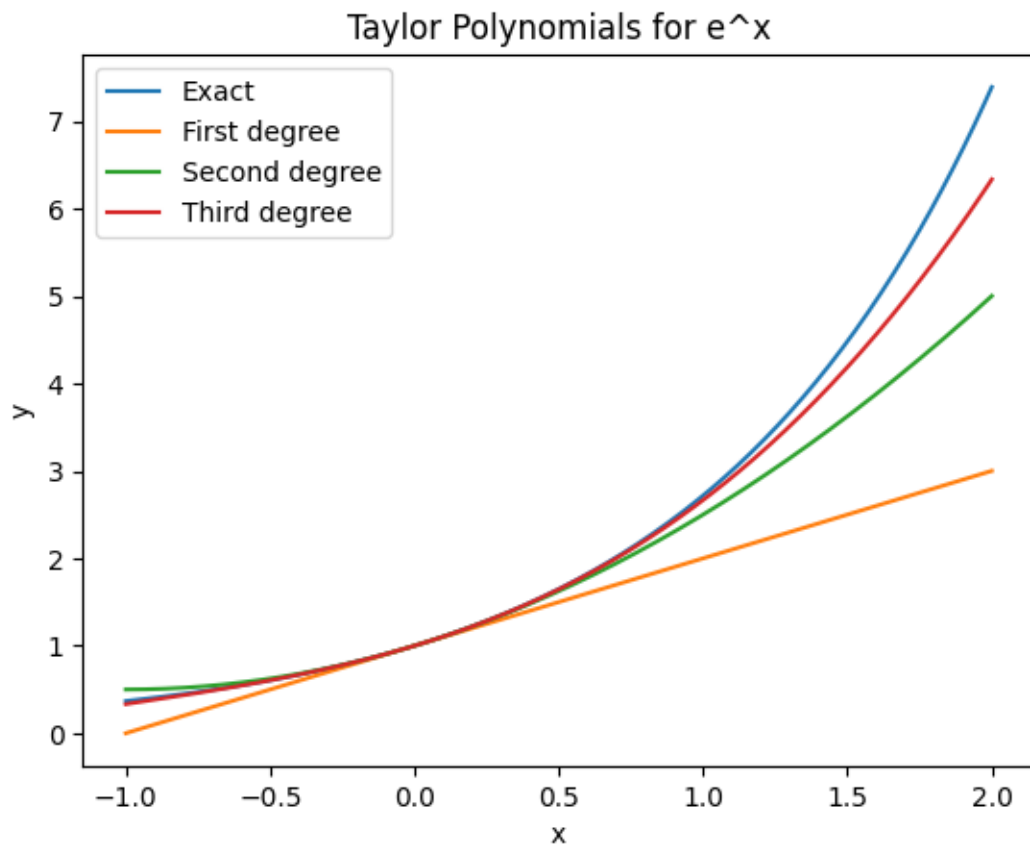
exact_values = np.exp(x)
first_degree = exp_taylor_series(x, a, 1)
second_degree = exp_taylor_series(x, a, 2)
third_degree = exp_taylor_series(x, a, 3)

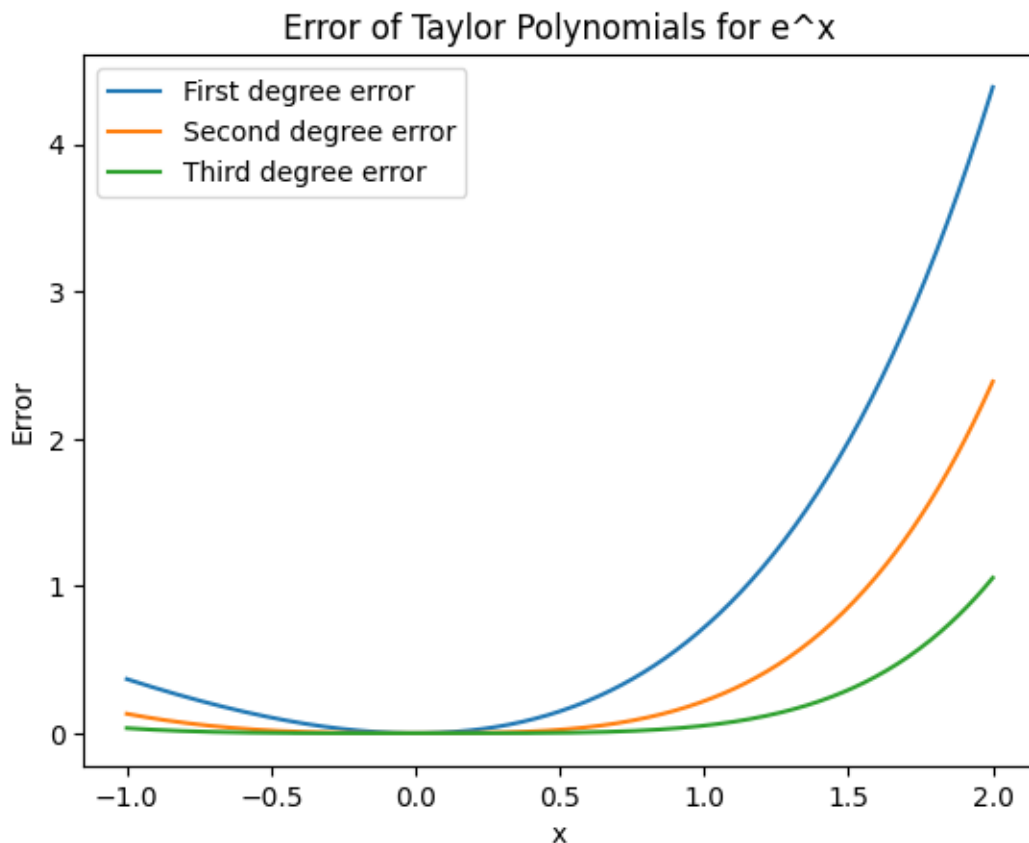
plt.plot(x, exact_values, label='Exact')
plt.plot(x, first_degree, label='First degree')
plt.plot(x, second_degree, label='Second degree')
plt.plot(x, third_degree, label='Third degree')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Taylor Polynomials for e^x')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

x = np.linspace(-1, 2, 400)
exact_values = np.exp(x)
first_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - exp_taylor_series(x, a, 1))
second_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - exp_taylor_series(x, a, 2))
third_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - exp_taylor_series(x, a, 3))

plt.plot(x, first_degree_errors, label='First degree error')
plt.plot(x, second_degree_errors, label='Second degree error')
plt.plot(x, third_degree_errors, label='Third degree error')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor Polynomials for e^x')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

```





12 $\ln(x)$

```
[10]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def ln_taylor_series(x, a, n):
    result = 0
    for i in range(1, n+1):
        sign = (-1)**(i-1)
        term = ((x-a)**i) / (i * (a**i))
        result += sign * term
    return result + np.log(a)

a = 1
x = np.linspace(0.5, 2, 400)

exact_values = np.log(x)
first_degree = ln_taylor_series(x, a, 1)
second_degree = ln_taylor_series(x, a, 2)
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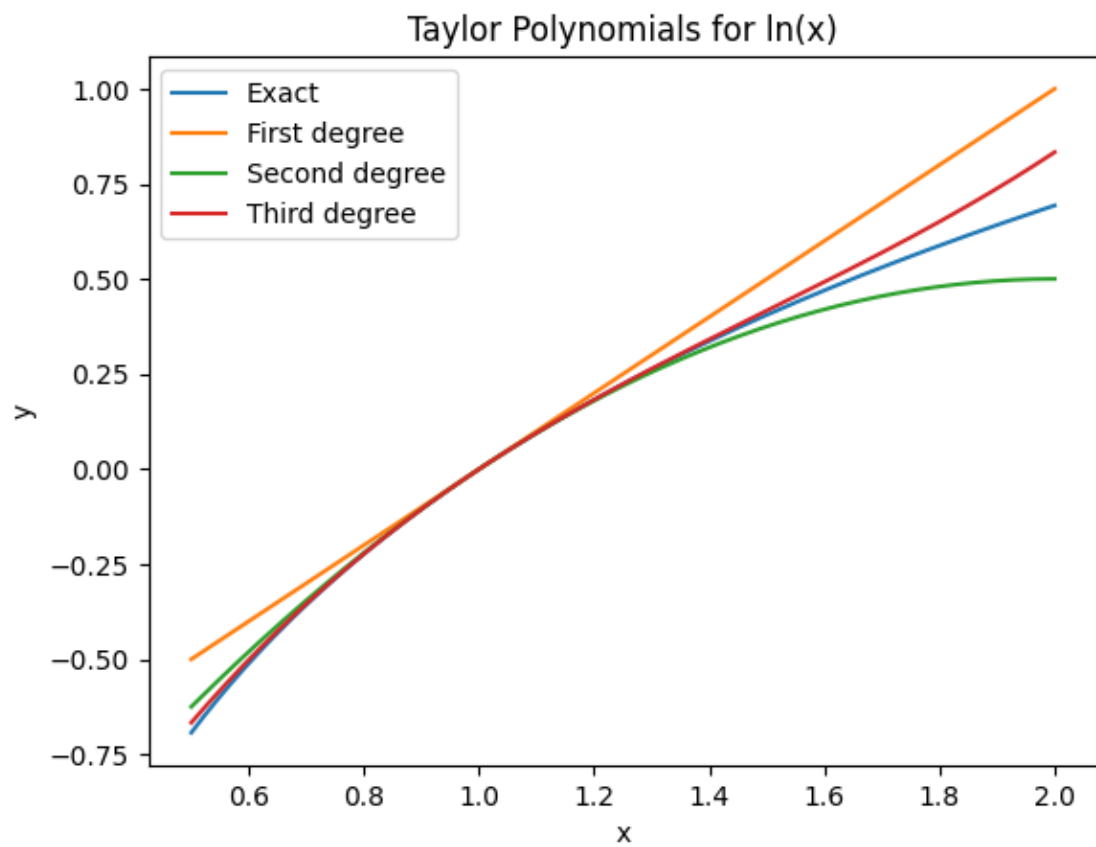
third_degree = ln_taylor_series(x, a, 3)

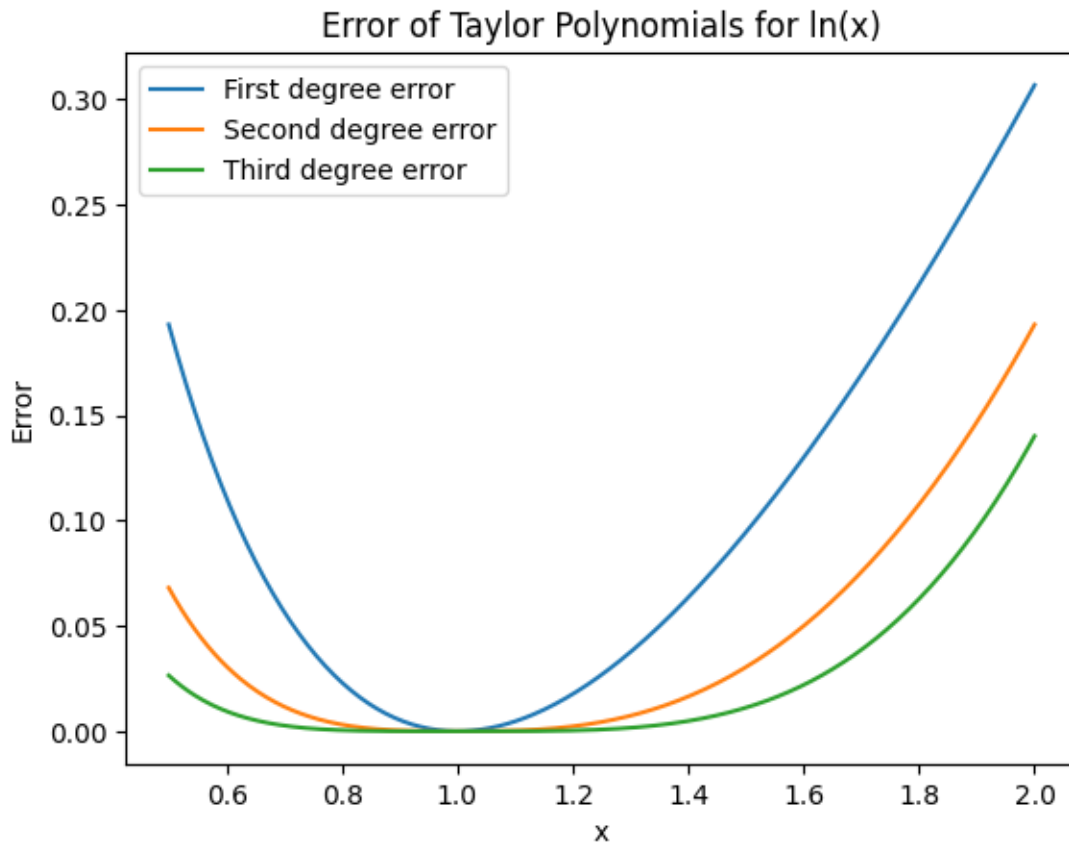
plt.plot(x, exact_values, label='Exact')
plt.plot(x, first_degree, label='First degree')
plt.plot(x, second_degree, label='Second degree')
plt.plot(x, third_degree, label='Third degree')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Taylor Polynomials for ln(x)')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

x = np.linspace(0.5, 2, 400)
exact_values = np.log(x)
first_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - ln_taylor_series(x, a, 1))
second_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - ln_taylor_series(x, a, 2))
third_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - ln_taylor_series(x, a, 3))

plt.plot(x, first_degree_errors, label='First degree error')
plt.plot(x, second_degree_errors, label='Second degree error')
plt.plot(x, third_degree_errors, label='Third degree error')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor Polynomials for ln(x)')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

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13 $\sin(x)$

```
[13]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def sin_taylor_series(x, a, n):
    result = 0
    for i in range(n+1):
        term = ((-1)**i) * (x-a)**(2*i+1) / math.factorial(2*i+1)
        result += term
    return result

a = 0
x = np.linspace(-2*np.pi, 2*np.pi, 400)

exact_values = np.sin(x)
first_degree = sin_taylor_series(x, a, 1)
second_degree = sin_taylor_series(x, a, 2)
third_degree = sin_taylor_series(x, a, 3)
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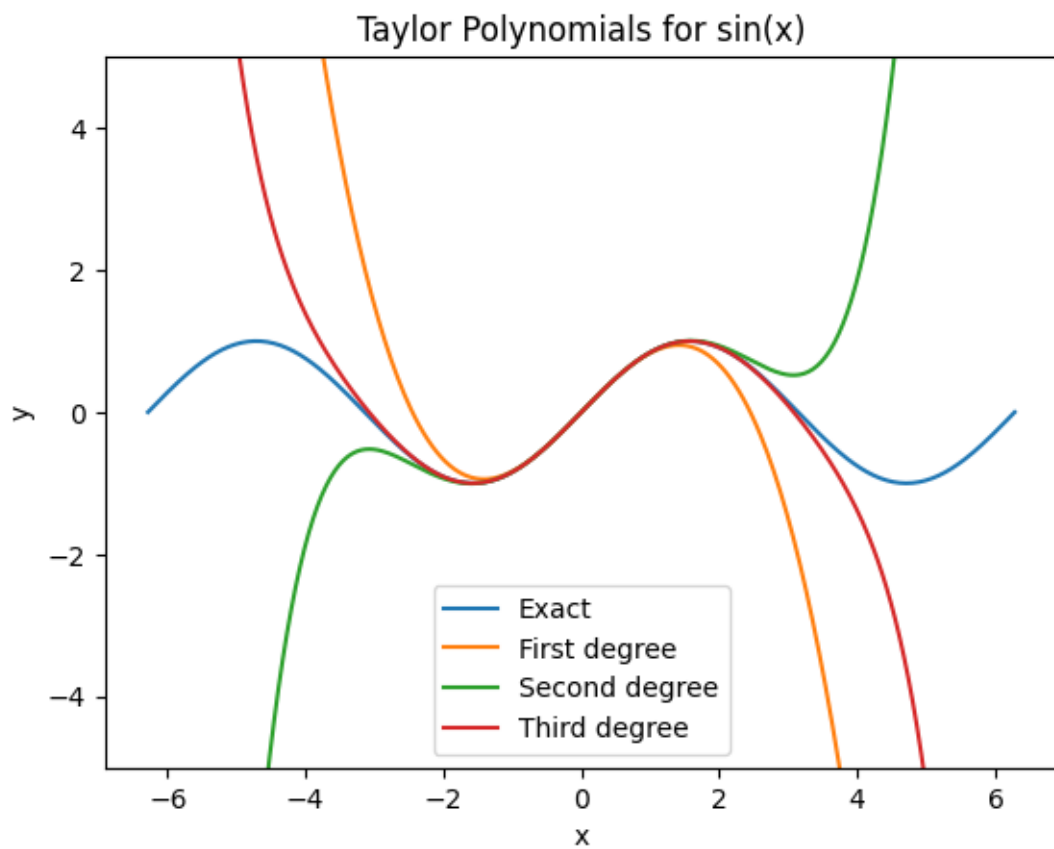
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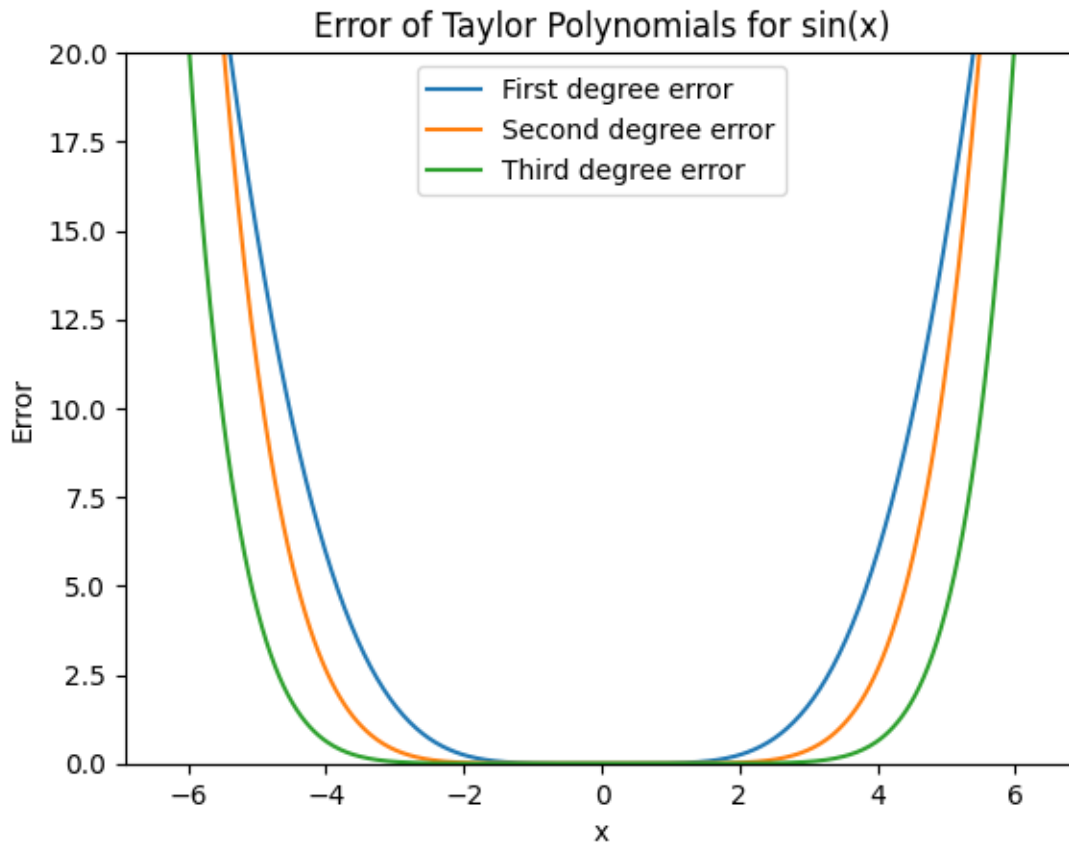
plt.plot(x, exact_values, label='Exact')
plt.plot(x, first_degree, label='First degree')
plt.plot(x, second_degree, label='Second degree')
plt.plot(x, third_degree, label='Third degree')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Taylor Polynomials for sin(x)')
plt.ylim(-5,5)
plt.legend()
plt.show()

x = np.linspace(-2*np.pi, 2*np.pi, 400)
exact_values = np.sin(x)
first_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - sin_taylor_series(x, a, 1))
second_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - sin_taylor_series(x, a, 2))
third_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - sin_taylor_series(x, a, 3))

plt.plot(x, first_degree_errors, label='First degree error')
plt.plot(x, second_degree_errors, label='Second degree error')
plt.plot(x, third_degree_errors, label='Third degree error')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor Polynomials for sin(x)')
plt.legend()
plt.ylim(0,20)
plt.show()

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14 $\cos(x)$

```
[14]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def cos_taylor_series(x, a, n):
    result = 0
    for i in range(n+1):
        term = ((-1)**i) * (x-a)**(2*i) / math.factorial(2*i)
        result += term
    return result

a = 0
x = np.linspace(-2*np.pi, 2*np.pi, 400)

exact_values = np.cos(x)
first_degree = cos_taylor_series(x, a, 1)
second_degree = cos_taylor_series(x, a, 2)
third_degree = cos_taylor_series(x, a, 3)
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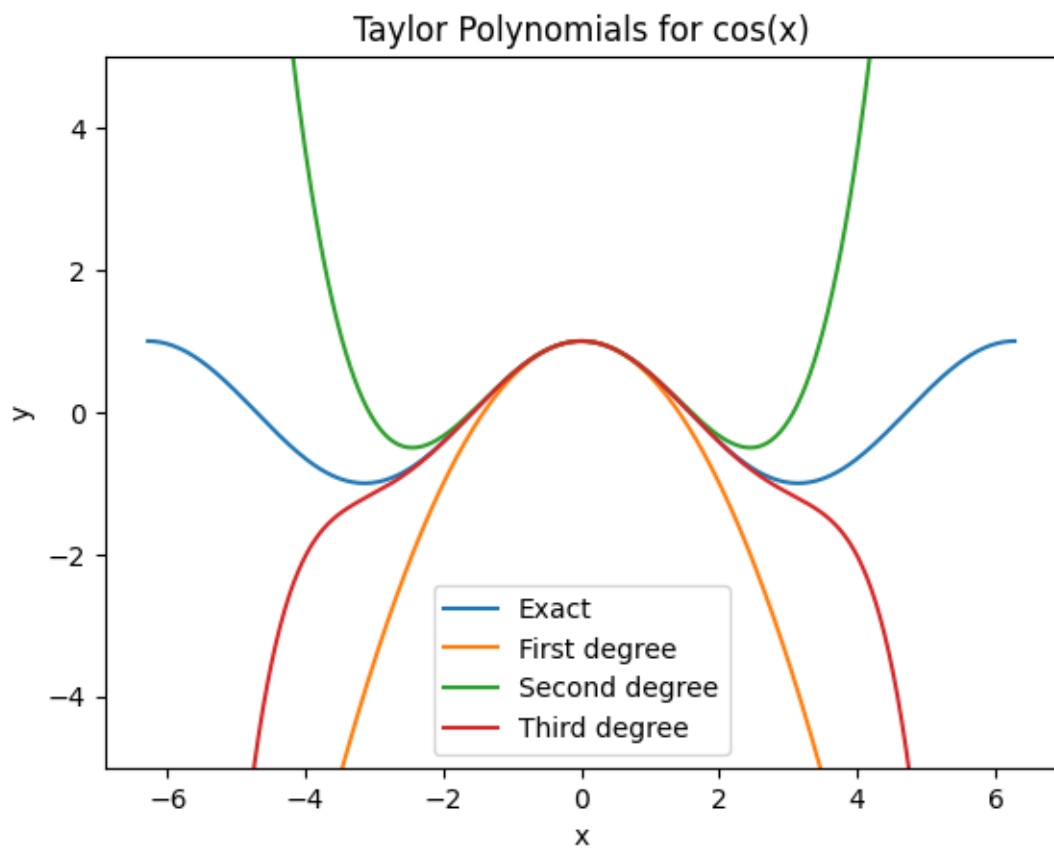
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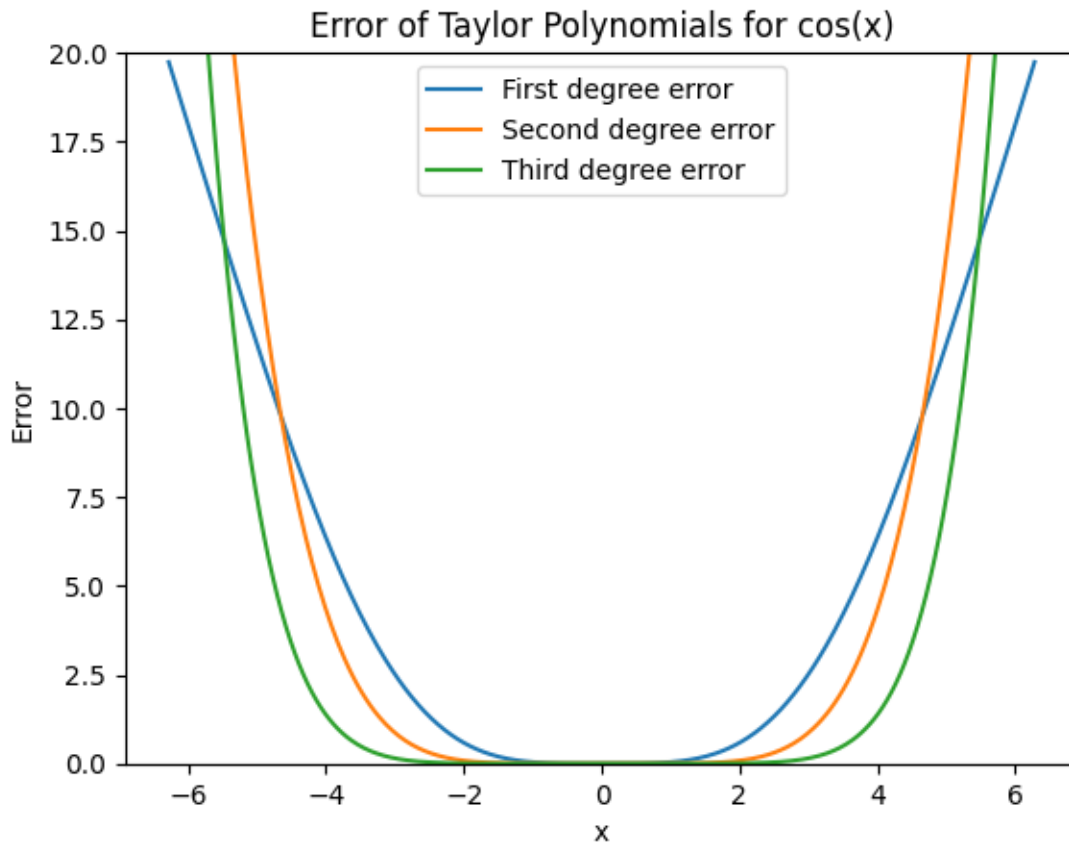
plt.plot(x, exact_values, label='Exact')
plt.plot(x, first_degree, label='First degree')
plt.plot(x, second_degree, label='Second degree')
plt.plot(x, third_degree, label='Third degree')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Taylor Polynomials for cos(x)')
plt.legend()
plt.ylim(-5,5)
plt.show()

x = np.linspace(-2*np.pi, 2*np.pi, 400)
exact_values = np.cos(x)
first_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - cos_taylor_series(x, a, 1))
second_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - cos_taylor_series(x, a, 2))
third_degree_errors = np.abs(exact_values - cos_taylor_series(x, a, 3))

plt.plot(x, first_degree_errors, label='First degree error')
plt.plot(x, second_degree_errors, label='Second degree error')
plt.plot(x, third_degree_errors, label='Third degree error')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor Polynomials for cos(x)')
plt.legend()
plt.ylim(0,20)
plt.show()

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15 Question 2

For the function $y=\ln(x)$, construct the approximate polynomial function with error <0.01 at $x=2$ and $a=1$

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[61]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

x=2
a=1
true_val=np.log(2)
max_error=0.01
i=1
ans=0
cnt=1
while(1):
    sign = (-1)**(i-1)
    term = ((x-a)**i) / (i * (a**i))
    ans += (sign * term)
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ans+=np.log(a)
error=abs(true_val-ans)
print(cnt , "->", error)
cnt=cnt+1
if(error<max_error):
    break
i=i+1

print("Degree at which error is less than 0.01")
print(i)

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1 -> 0.3068528194400547
2 -> 0.1931471805599453
3 -> 0.14018615277338797
4 -> 0.10981384722661203
5 -> 0.09018615277338793
6 -> 0.0764805138932787
7 -> 0.0663766289638642
8 -> 0.058623371036135796
9 -> 0.052487740074975364
10 -> 0.047512259925024614
11 -> 0.043396830984066326
12 -> 0.039936502349267045
13 -> 0.03698657457380994
14 -> 0.03444199685476146
15 -> 0.03222466981190519
16 -> 0.030275330188094807
17 -> 0.028548199223669912
18 -> 0.027007356331885668
19 -> 0.025624222615482695
20 -> 0.02437577738451735
21 -> 0.023243270234530322
22 -> 0.022211275220015092
23 -> 0.021266985649550096
24 -> 0.020399681017116533
25 -> 0.019600318982883502
26 -> 0.018861219478654934
27 -> 0.018175817558382046
28 -> 0.017538468155903653
29 -> 0.01694429046478596
30 -> 0.016389042868547365
31 -> 0.015869021647581638
32 -> 0.015380978352418362
33 -> 0.014922051950611914
34 -> 0.014489712755270445
35 -> 0.014081715816158136
36 -> 0.013696061961619654

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37 -> 0.013330965065407319
38 -> 0.012984824408276863
39 -> 0.012656201232748798
40 -> 0.012343798767251224
41 -> 0.012046445135187822
42 -> 0.011763078674336014
43 -> 0.0114927352791524
44 -> 0.011234537448120308
45 -> 0.010987684774101947
46 -> 0.010751445660680647
47 -> 0.010525150084000234
48 -> 0.010308183249333136
49 -> 0.010099980015973009
50 -> 0.009900019984027009
Degree at which error is less than 0.01
50

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16 Question 3

Plot the degree of the polynomial vs the error at $x=2,3,4$ in a single figure.

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[60]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def ln(x):
    return np.log(x)

def ln_taylor(x, n):
    taylor_sum = 0
    for i in range(n+1):
        taylor_sum += ((-1)**i) * (x-1)**(i+1) / (i+1)
    return taylor_sum

xs = [2,3,4]

exact_values = [ln(x) for x in xs]

degrees = np.arange(1, 50)
errors = np.zeros((len(xs), len(degrees)))
for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    for j, n in enumerate(degrees):
        approx_value = ln_taylor(x, n)
        errors[i, j] = np.abs(approx_value - exact_values[i])

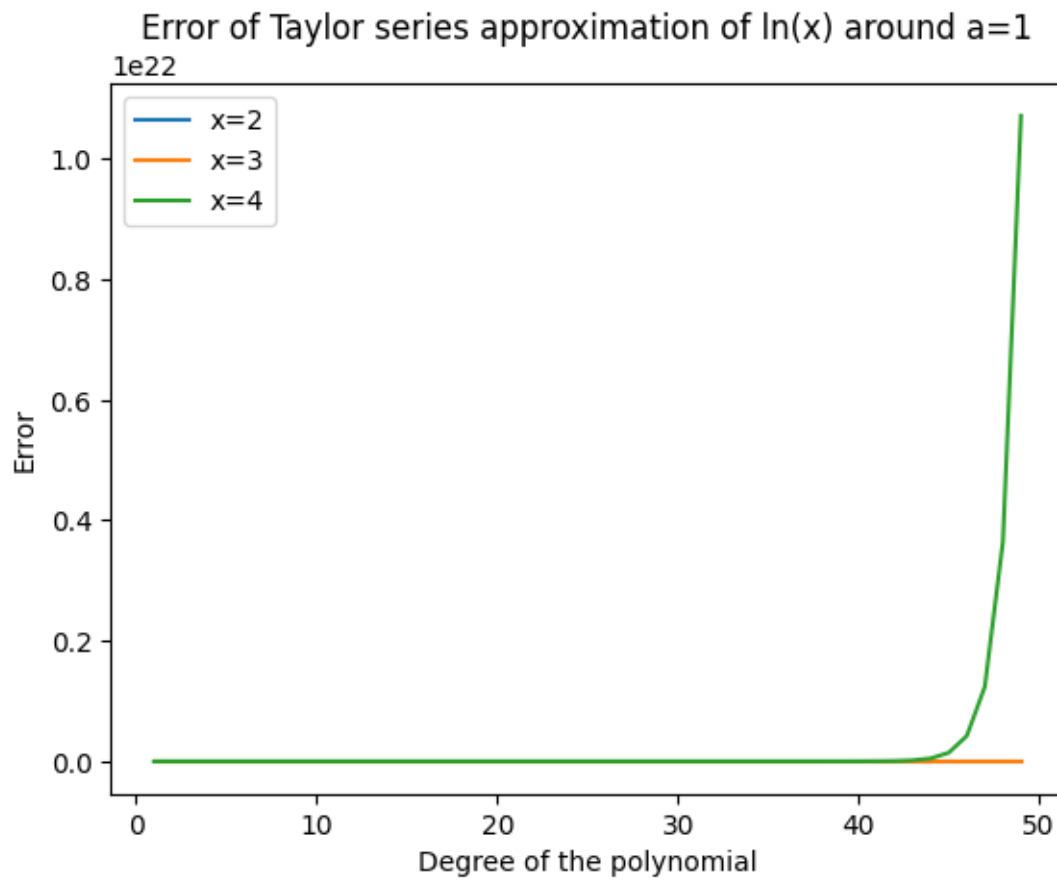
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for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    plt.plot(degrees, errors[i], label=f'x={x}')

plt.xlabel('Degree of the polynomial')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor series approximation of ln(x) around a=1')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

```



```

[59]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def ln(x):
    return np.log(x)

def ln_taylor(x, n):
    taylor_sum = 0

```

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    for i in range(n+1):
        taylor_sum += ((-1)**i) * (x-1)**(i+1) / (i+1)
    return taylor_sum

xs = [2]

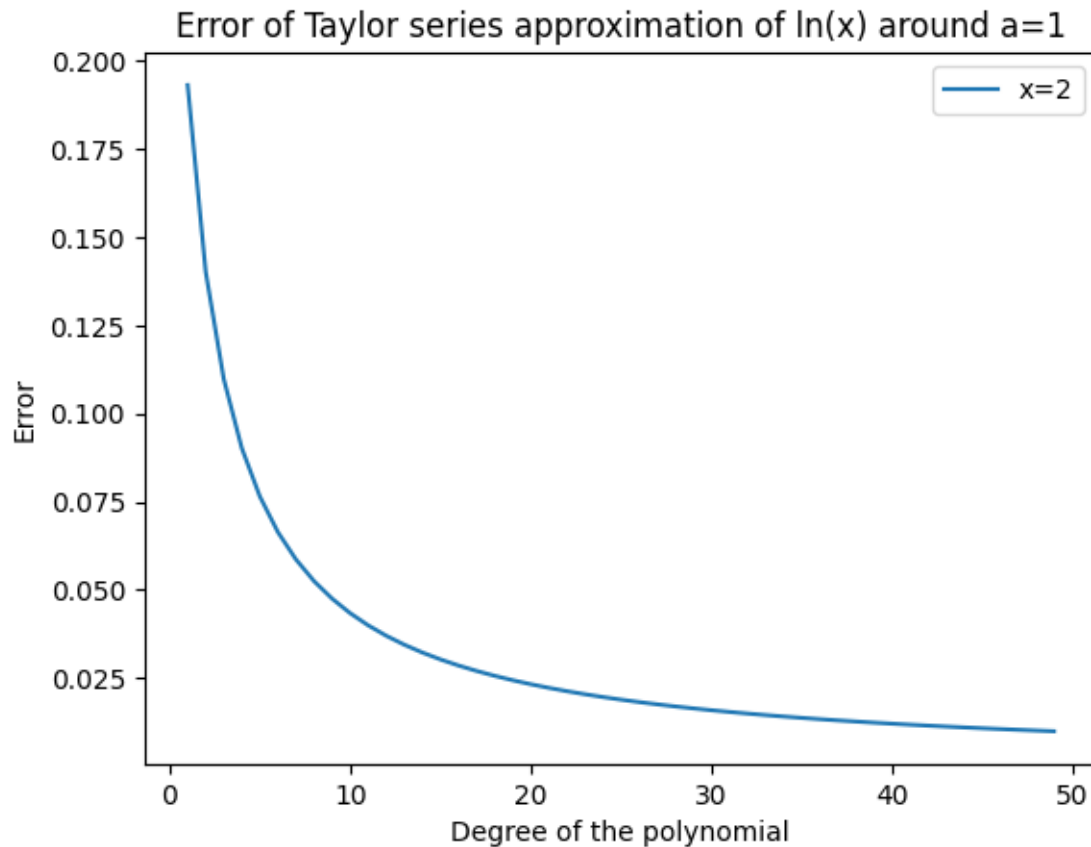
exact_values = [ln(x) for x in xs]

degrees = np.arange(1, 50)
errors = np.zeros((len(xs), len(degrees)))
for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    for j, n in enumerate(degrees):
        approx_value = ln_taylor(x, n)
        errors[i, j] = np.abs(approx_value - exact_values[i])

for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    plt.plot(degrees, errors[i], label=f'x={x}')

plt.xlabel('Degree of the polynomial')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor series approximation of ln(x) around a=1')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

```



```
[58]: # @title
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def ln(x):
    return np.log(x)

def ln_taylor(x, n):
    taylor_sum = 0
    for i in range(n+1):
        taylor_sum += ((-1)**i) * (x-1)**(i+1) / (i+1)
    return taylor_sum

xs = [3]

exact_values = [ln(x) for x in xs]
```

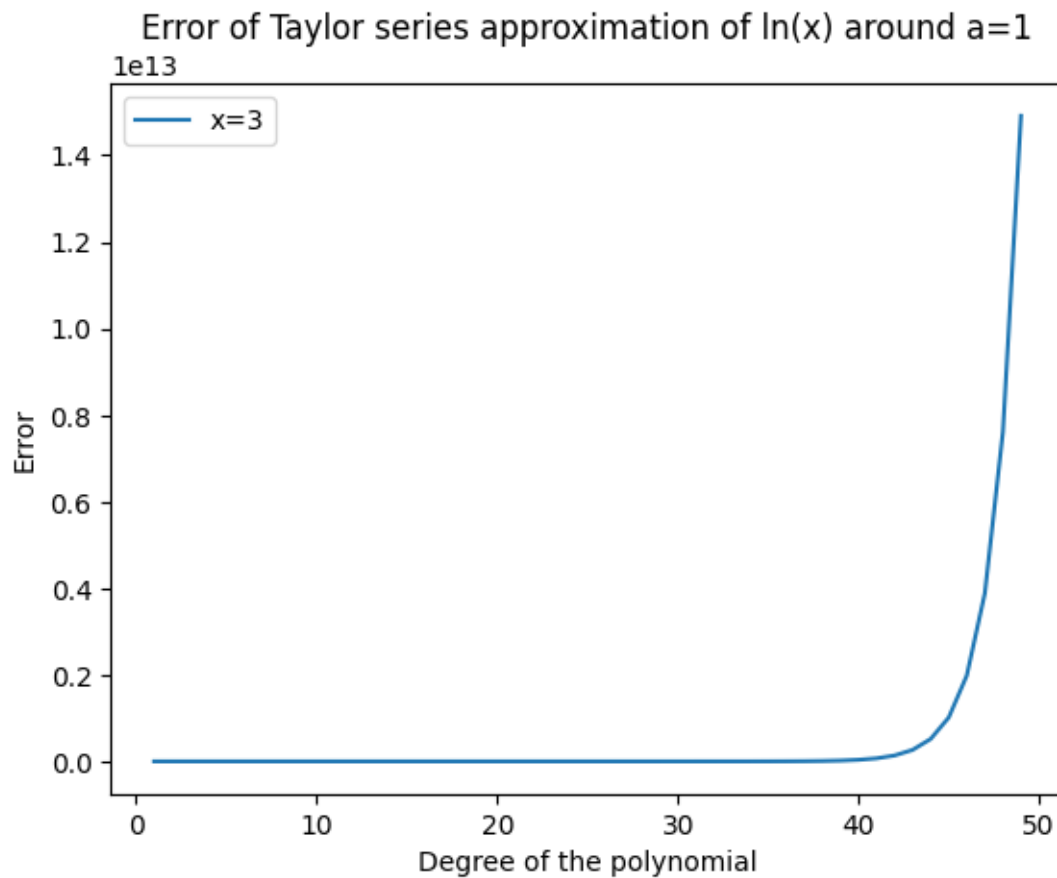
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degrees = np.arange(1, 50)
errors = np.zeros((len(xs), len(degrees)))
for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    for j, n in enumerate(degrees):
        approx_value = ln_taylor(x, n)
        errors[i, j] = np.abs(approx_value - exact_values[i])

for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    plt.plot(degrees, errors[i], label=f'x={x}')

plt.xlabel('Degree of the polynomial')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor series approximation of ln(x) around a=1')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

```



```

[57]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

```



```

def ln(x):
    return np.log(x)

def ln_taylor(x, n):
    taylor_sum = 0
    for i in range(n+1):
        taylor_sum += ((-1)**i) * (x-1)**(i+1) / (i+1)
    return taylor_sum

xs = [4]

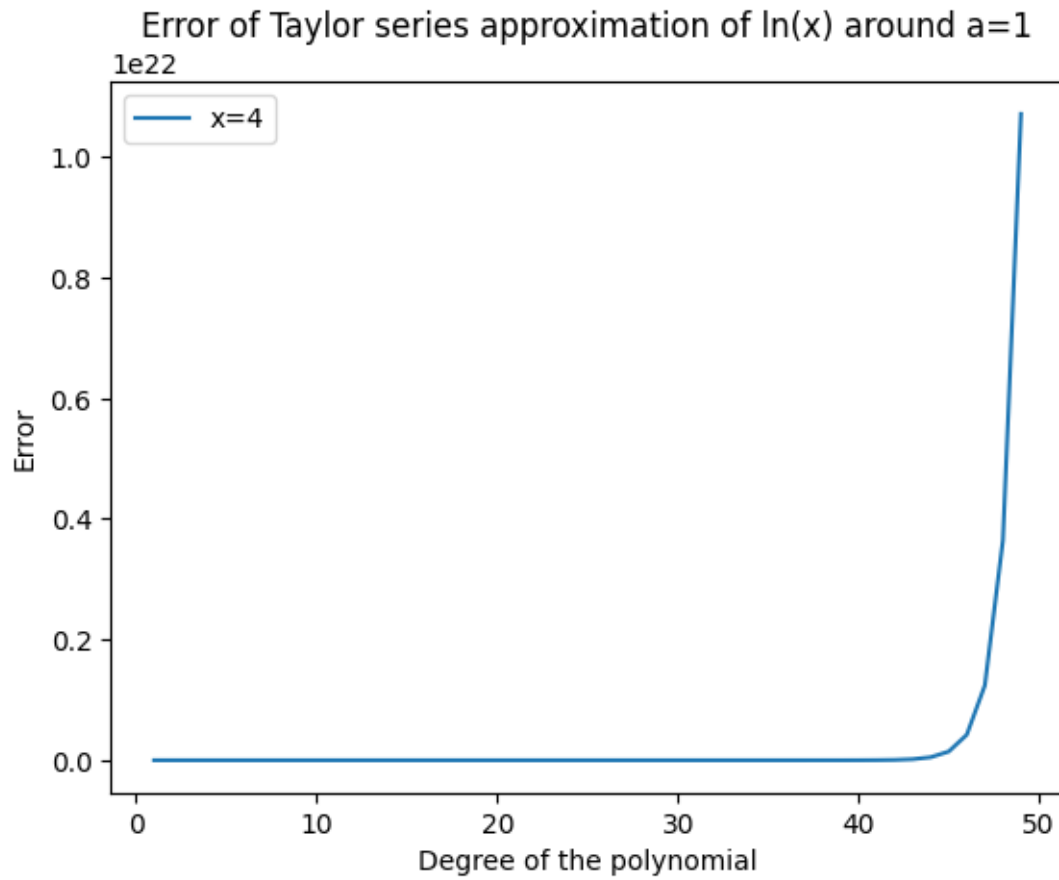
exact_values = [ln(x) for x in xs]

degrees = np.arange(1, 50)
errors = np.zeros((len(xs), len(degrees)))
for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    for j, n in enumerate(degrees):
        approx_value = ln_taylor(x, n)
        errors[i, j] = np.abs(approx_value - exact_values[i])

for i, x in enumerate(xs):
    plt.plot(degrees, errors[i], label=f'x={x}')

plt.xlabel('Degree of the polynomial')
plt.ylabel('Error')
plt.title('Error of Taylor series approximation of ln(x) around a=1')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

```



For $\ln(x)$ till $x=2$ it stays convergent but after 2 it starts diverging that is why the error plot increases rapidly for $x=3$ and $x=4$ that is why we have plotted individual graphs