

**Numerical Integration**

- 01.** Apply the Trapezoid Rule to the following integrals.

**a.**  $\int_0^1 x^2 dx$

**b.**  $\int_0^1 e^{-x} dx$

**c.**  $\int_0^{\pi/4} \cos^2(x) dx$

Find a bound for the error for each of the integrals above.

- 02.** Repeat the problem above using the Midpoint Rule, then using Simpson's Rule.

- 03.** Let  $a < c < b$  and  $f(x)$  a function defined in  $[a, b]$ . Using the degree-two Lagrange polynomial that interpolates  $f(x)$  at the nodes  $x_1 = a, x_2 = c, x_3 = b$ , derive a three-point quadrature rule  $\mathcal{Q}_3(f) = w_1 f(x_1) + w_2 f(x_2) + w_3 f(x_3)$  that approximates  $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ .

- 04.** Given an interval  $[a, b]$ , let  $h = \frac{b-a}{3}$ ,  $x_1 = a + h$  and  $x_2 = a + 2h$ . Derive the 2-point open Newton-Cotes quadrature rule  $\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx w_1 f(x_1) + w_2 f(x_2) = \mathcal{Q}_2(f)$ . What is the degree of precision of  $\mathcal{Q}_2(f)$ ?

- 05.** What is the degree of precision of the quadrature rule

$$\int_0^1 g(x) dx \approx \frac{1}{24} \left( 11 f(1/5) + f(2/5) + f(3/5) + 11 f(4/5) \right) = \mathcal{Q}_4(f)$$

Rewrite the above rule for the integral  $\int_1^3 f(t) dt$ .

- 06.** Given the table of values

$x$	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.6
$f(x)$	3.12014	4.42569	6.04241	8.03014	10.46675

List all the rules you know that can be applied to approximate  $\int_{1.8}^{2.6} f(x) dx$ .

- 07.** Write down each of the 3-interval composite rule over  $[0, 3]$  for each of the following rules
- a.** Trapezoid                      **b.** Midpoint                      **c.** Simpson's

- 08.** Suppose the Composite Trapezoid Rule is used to approximate the integral  $\int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx$ .
- How many intervals are needed to guarantee an error within  $10^{-6}$ ?
  - Repeat the question, assuming the Composite Simpson's Rule is used to approximate  $\int_0^1 e^{x^2} dx$ .
- 09.** Use the 4-interval composite Simpson's rule to approximate the length  $L$  of the ellipse  $4x^2 + 9y^2 = 36$ . Compare with the exact value  $L = 15.865439591 \dots$
- Recall that the ellipse can be parametrized with  $\begin{cases} x = 3 \cos(t) \\ y = 2 \sin(t) \end{cases} \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
- Hence the length is given by  $L = \int_0^{2\pi} \sqrt{(x')^2 + (y')^2} dt = 4 \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{4 + 5 \sin^2(t)} dt$