

# PATUAKHALI SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY

---

**COURSE CODE CCE 312**  
**Numerical Methods Sessional**

---

## **SUBMITTED TO:**

**Prof. Dr. Md Samsuzzaman**

**Department of Computer and Communication Engineering**  
**Faculty of Computer Science and Engineering**

---

## **SUBMITTED BY:**

**Md. Sharafat Karim**

**ID: 2102024,**

**Registration No: 10151**

**Faculty of Computer Science and Engineering**

---

Assignment 06

Assignment title: False Position Method

Date of submission: 17 Sun, Aug 2025



# Root Finding

SharafatKarim

## CONTENTS

Bisection Method

**False Position Method**

Root finding refers to the process of finding solutions to equations of the form  $f(x) = 0$ . This is a fundamental problem in numerical analysis and has various applications in science and engineering.

```
# First let's import necessary libs
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
import math
```

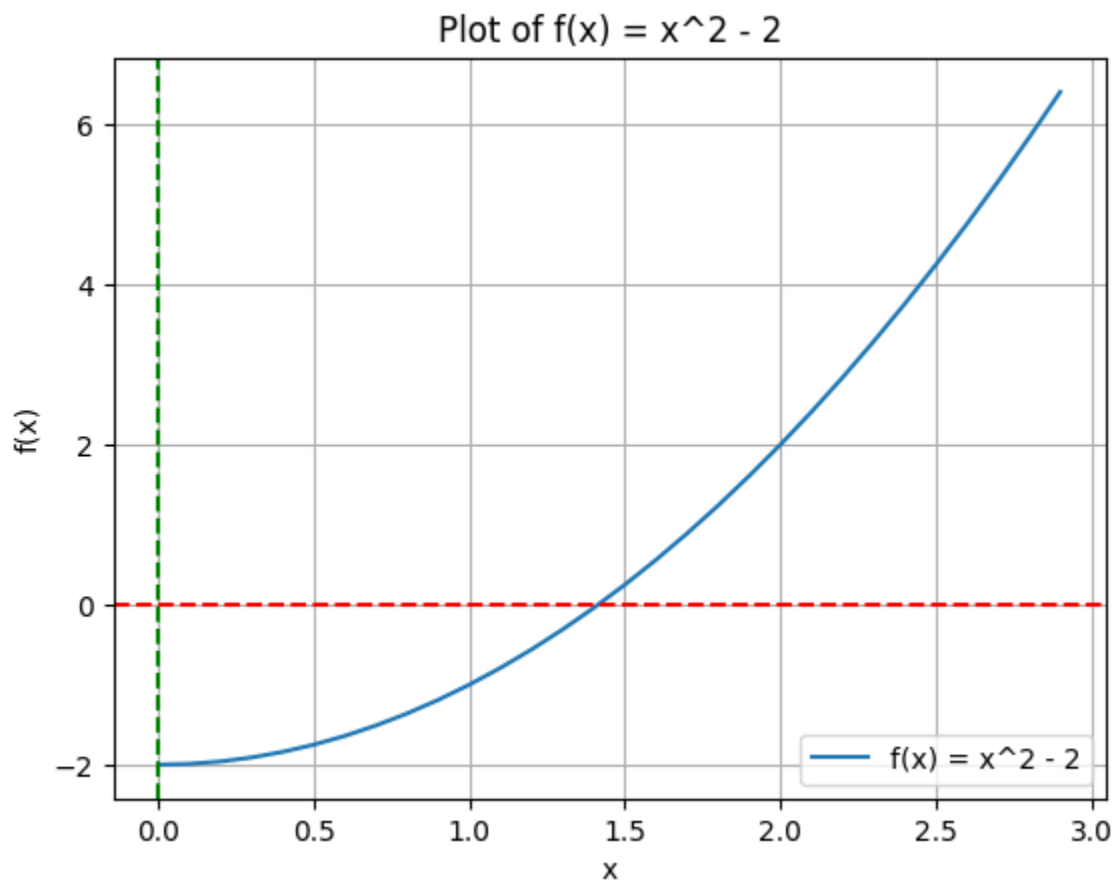
```
# Our first function
def f(x):
    return x**2 - 2

# Let's plot the function
x = np.arange(0, 3, 0.1)
plt.plot(x, f(x), label='f(x) = x^2 - 2')

plt.axhline(0, color='red', linestyle='--')
plt.axvline(0, color='green', linestyle='--')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f(x)')

plt.title('Plot of f(x) = x^2 - 2')
plt.grid()
plt.legend()
```



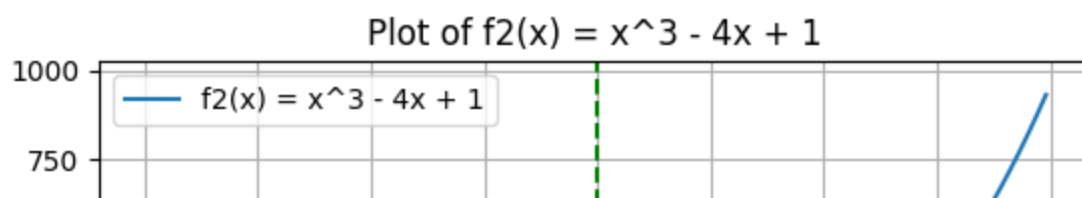
```
# Our second function
def f2(x):
    return x**3 - 4 * x + 1

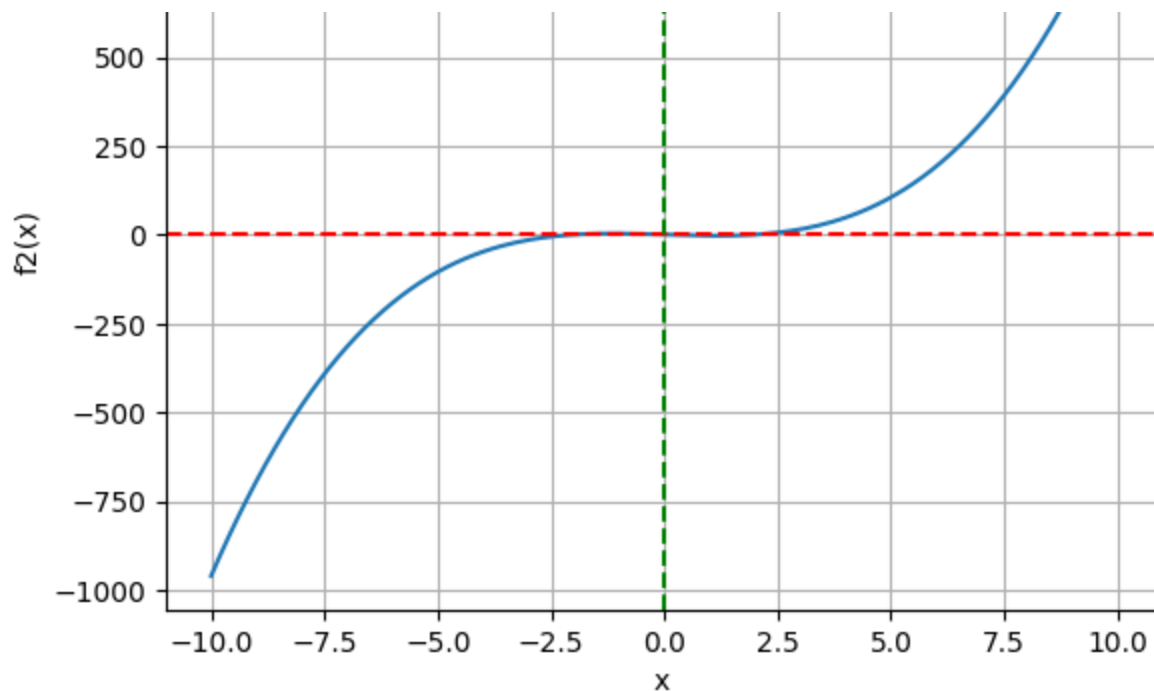
# Let's plot the function
x = np.arange(-10, 10, 0.1)
plt.plot(x, f2(x), label='f2(x) = x^3 - 4x + 1')

plt.axhline(0, color='red', linestyle='--')
plt.axvline(0, color='green', linestyle='--')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f2(x)')

plt.title('Plot of f2(x) = x^3 - 4x + 1')
plt.grid()
plt.legend()
```





## Bisection Method

**Bisection method** finds the root of a function  $f$  in the interval  $[a, b]$ .

Parameters:

- `f` : function  
The function for which we want to find the root.
- `a` : float  
The start of the interval.
- `b` : float  
The end of the interval.
- `tol` : float  
The tolerance for convergence.

Returns:

- float  
The approximate root of the function.

```
def bisection_method(f, a, b, tol=1e-5):  
    if f(a) * f(b) >= 0:  
        raise ValueError("f(a) and f(b) must have opposite signs.")  
  
    mid = (a + b) / 2.0  
  
    if abs(f(mid)) < tol:
```

```

    return mid
elif f(a) * f(mid) < 0:
    return bisection_method(f, a, mid, tol)
else:
    return bisection_method(f, mid, b, tol)

```

```
root = bisection_method(f, 0, 10)
```

```
# Let's plot the result
```

```
x = np.arange(0, 3, 0.1)
```

```
plt.plot(x, f(x), label='f(x) = x^2 - 2')
```

```
plt.scatter(root, f(root), color='blue') # Mark the root on the plot
```

```
plt.axvline(root, color='purple', linestyle='--', label=f'x = root ({root:.5f})')
```

```
plt.axvline(0, color='green', linestyle='--')
```

```
plt.axhline(0, color='red', linestyle='--')
```

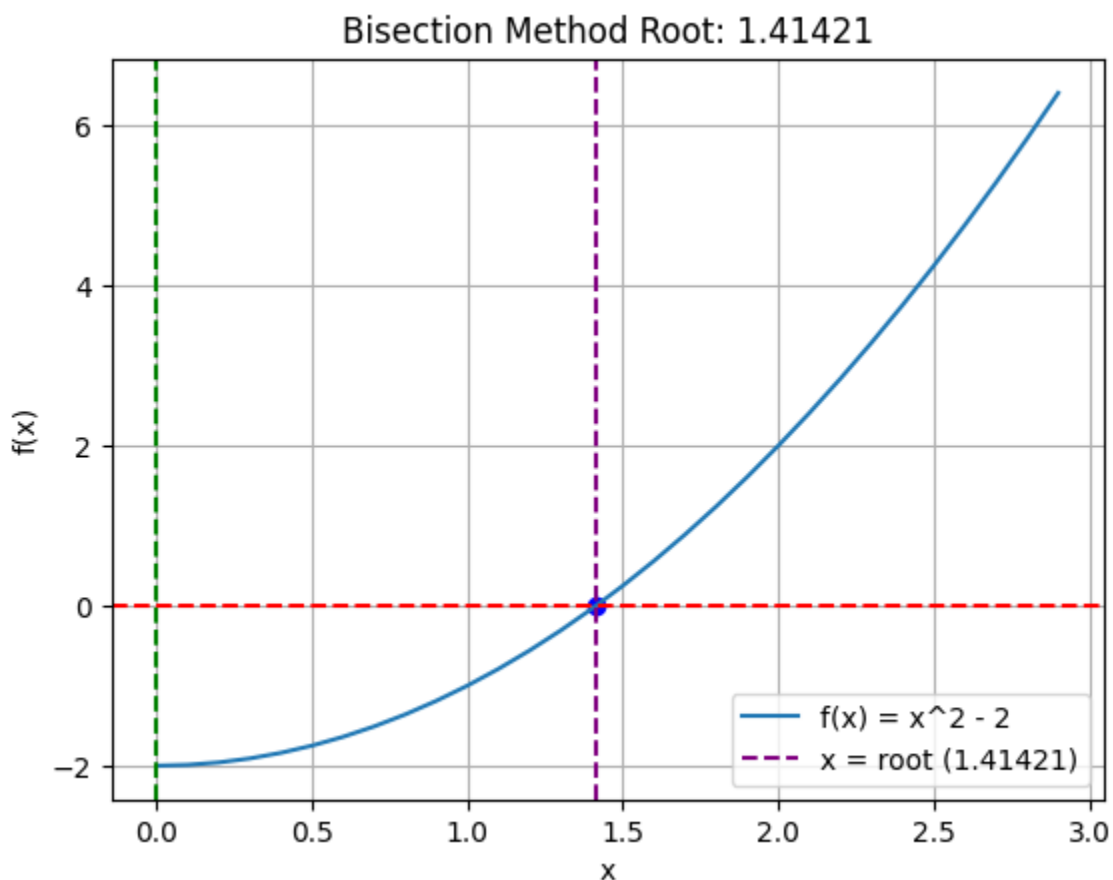
```
plt.xlabel('x')
```

```
plt.ylabel('f(x)')
```

```
plt.title(f"Bisection Method Root: {root:.5f}")
```

```
plt.grid()
```

```
plt.legend()
```



```

root = bisection_method(f2, -1, 1)

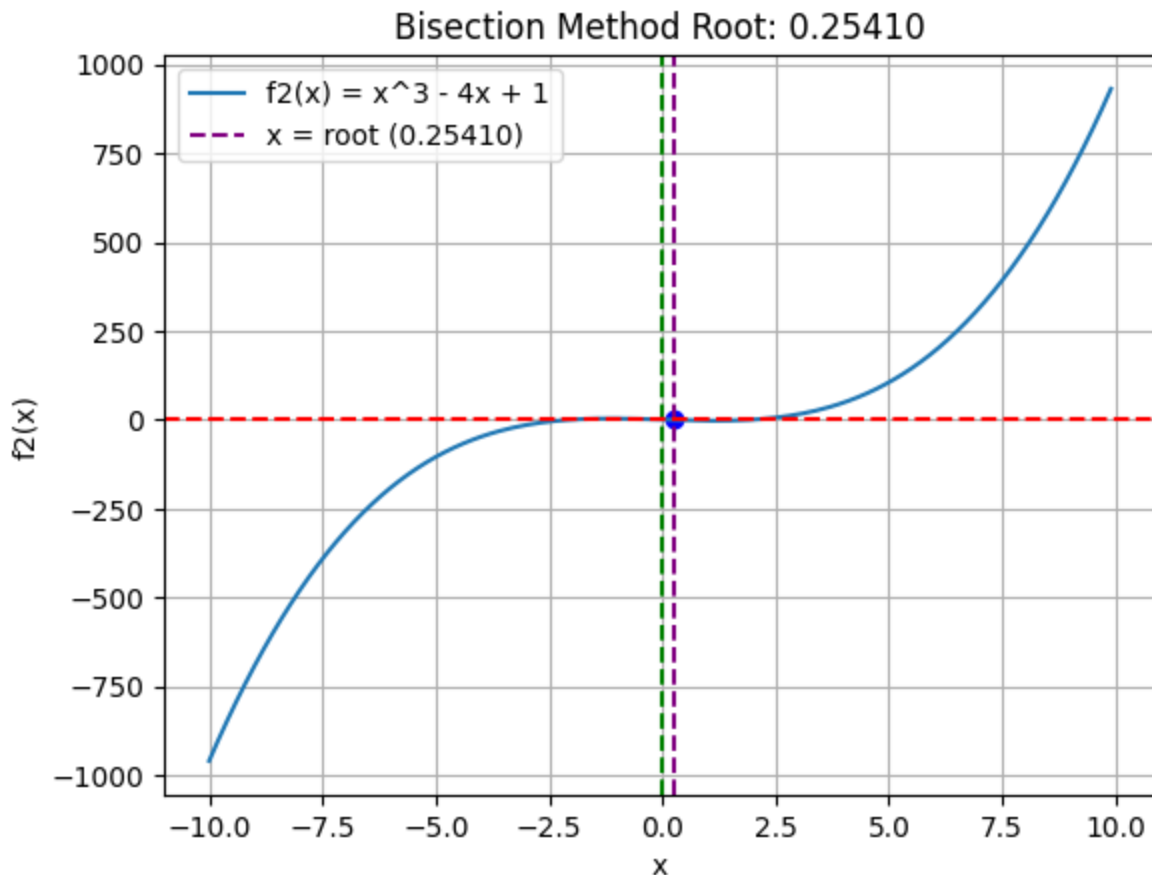
# Let's plot the result
x = np.arange(-10, 10, 0.1)

plt.plot(x, f2(x), label='f2(x) = x^3 - 4x + 1')
plt.scatter(root, f2(root), color='blue') # Mark the root on the plot
plt.axvline(root, color='purple', linestyle='--', label=f'x = root ({root:.5f})')

plt.axvline(0, color='green', linestyle='--')
plt.axhline(0, color='red', linestyle='--')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f2(x)')
plt.title(f"Bisection Method Root: {root:.5f}")
plt.grid()
plt.legend()

```



## False Position Method

```
def false_position_method(f, a, b, tol=1e-5):
    if f(a) * f(b) >= 0:
        raise ValueError("f(a) and f(b) must have opposite signs.")

    c = a - (f(a) * (b - a)) / (f(b) - f(a))

    if abs(f(c)) < tol:
        return c
    elif f(a) * f(c) < 0:
        return false_position_method(f, a, c, tol)
    else:
        return false_position_method(f, c, b, tol)
```

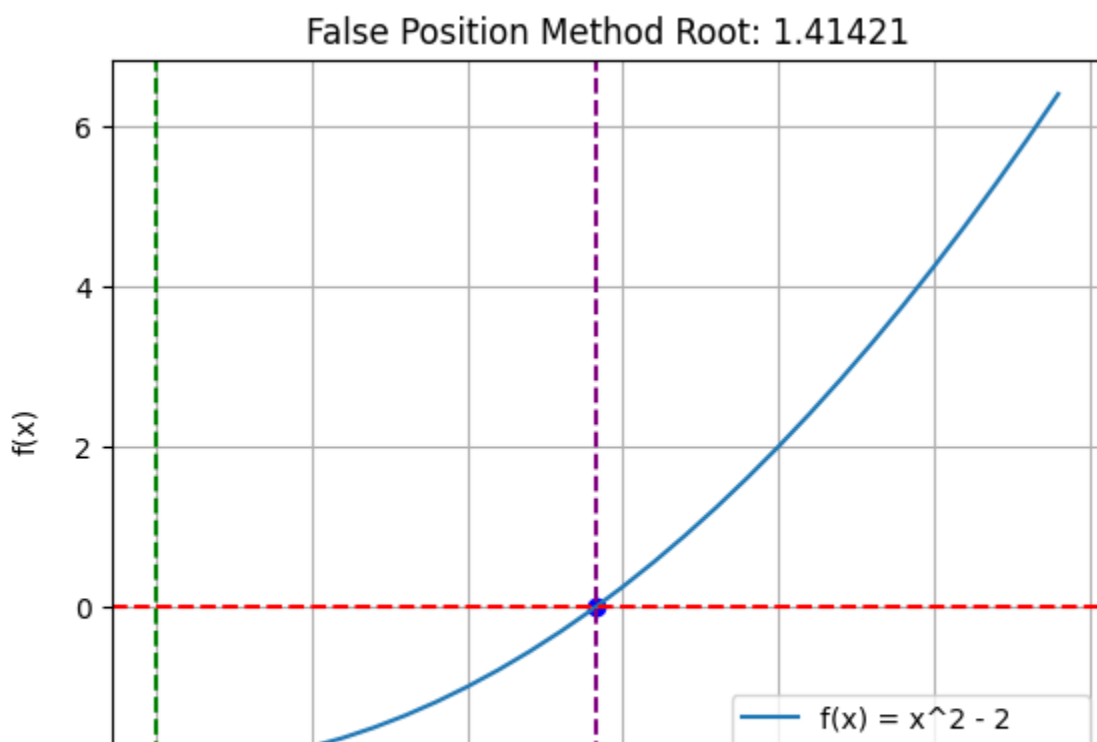
```
root = false_position_method(f, 0, 10)

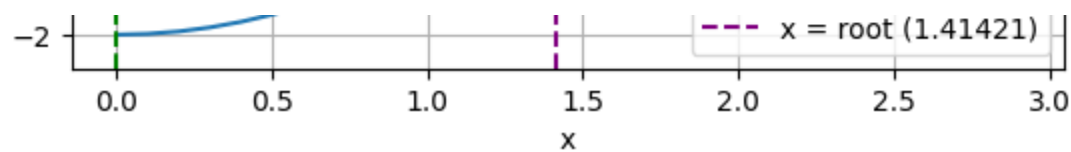
# Let's plot the result
x = np.arange(0, 3, 0.1)

plt.plot(x, f(x), label='f(x) = x^2 - 2')
plt.scatter(root, f(root), color='blue') # Mark the root on the plot
plt.axvline(root, color='purple', linestyle='--', label=f'x = root ({root:.5f})')

plt.axvline(0, color='green', linestyle='--')
plt.axhline(0, color='red', linestyle='--')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f(x)')
plt.title(f"False Position Method Root: {root:.5f}")
plt.grid()
plt.legend()
```





```

root = false_position_method(f2, -1, 1)

# Let's plot the result
x = np.arange(-10, 10, 0.1)

plt.plot(x, f2(x), label='f2(x) = x^3 - 4x + 1')
plt.scatter(root, f2(root), color='blue') # Mark the root on the plot
plt.axvline(root, color='purple', linestyle='--', label=f'x = root ({root:.5f})')

plt.axvline(0, color='green', linestyle='--')
plt.axhline(0, color='red', linestyle='--')

plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('f2(x)')
plt.title(f"False Position Method Root: {root:.5f}")
plt.grid()
plt.legend()

```

