

## § 5.2 拉格朗日 (Lagrange) 插值

### § 5.2.1 Lagrange 插值多项式


采用解线性方程组的方法确定系数每次都要重新求解，使用不方便。

$$\text{设 } p_{n+1}(x) = \prod_{i=0}^n (x - x_i), \quad \text{有 } p'_{n+1}(x_j) = \prod_{i=0, i \neq j}^n (x_j - x_i)$$

记  $n$  次多项式：

$$l_j(x) = \frac{(x - x_0)(x - x_1) \dots (x - x_{j-1})(x - x_{j+1}) \dots (x - x_n)}{(x_j - x_0)(x_j - x_1) \dots (x_j - x_{j-1})(x_j - x_{j+1}) \dots (x_j - x_n)}$$

$$l_j(x) = \frac{p_{n+1}(x)}{(x - x_j)p'_{n+1}(x_j)}, \quad j = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$$



显然有：  $l_j(x_k) = \delta_{j,k} = \begin{cases} 1, & j = k \\ 0, & j \neq k \end{cases}$

满足插值条件  $y(x_i) = f(x_i)$  的形如

$y(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n$  的 *Lagrange* 插值多项式为：

$$y(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n f(x_j) l_j(x)$$

$l_j(x)$  称为插值基函数

被插值函数可表示为：

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n f(x_j) l_j(x) + E(x)$$

$E(x)$  为余项

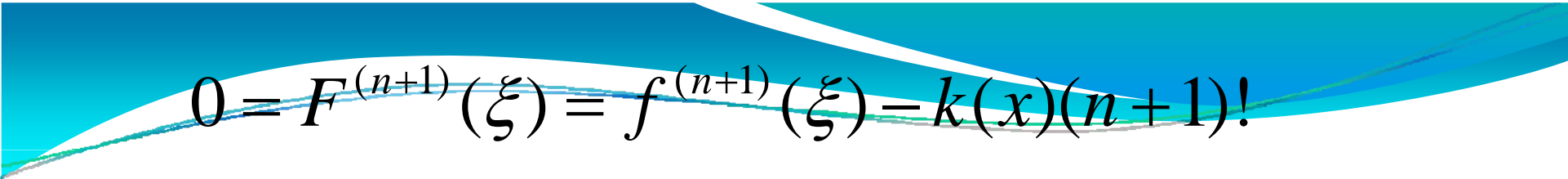
**定理5.2** 设 $f(x)$ 在 $[a,b]$ 上存在 $n$ 阶连续导数，在 $(a,b)$ 上存在 $n+1$ 阶导数， $y(x)$ 是满足插值条件的Lagrange插值多项式，对任意 $a < x < b$ ，插值余项 **$E(x)$** 为：

$$E(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!} p_{n+1}(x)$$

设 $E(x) = f(x) - y(x) = k(x)p_{n+1}(x)$

构造函数 $F(z) = f(z) - y(z) - k(x)p_{n+1}(z)$

当 $z = x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n$ 及 $z = x$ 时有 $F(z) = 0$ ，即 $F(z)$ 在 $[a,b]$ 上存在 $n+2$ 个零点。递推利用Rolle定理，可知 $F^{(n+1)}(z)$ 在 $(a,b)$ 上至少存在一个零点。


$$0 = F^{(n+1)}(\xi) = f^{(n+1)}(\xi) - k(x)(n+1)!$$

$$k(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!}$$

$$E(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!} p_{n+1}(x)$$

$$\text{令 } \overline{M}_{n+1} = \max_{a \leq x \leq b} |f^{(n+1)}(x)|$$

$$\text{则 } |E(x)| \leq \frac{\overline{M}_{n+1}}{(n+1)!} |p_{n+1}(x)|$$



结论:

(1) 当 $f(x)$ 为次数不超过 $n$ 的多项式时, 有

$$y(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n f(x_j) l_j(x) \equiv f(x)$$

(2) 由 $f(x) \equiv 1$ 可得

$$\sum_{j=0}^n l_j(x) \equiv 1$$

(1) 当  $n=1$  时

$$l_0(x) = \frac{x - x_1}{x_0 - x_1} \quad l_1(x) = \frac{x - x_0}{x_1 - x_0}$$

$$\text{满足: } l_j(x_k) = \begin{cases} 1, & i = k \\ 0, & i \neq k \end{cases}$$

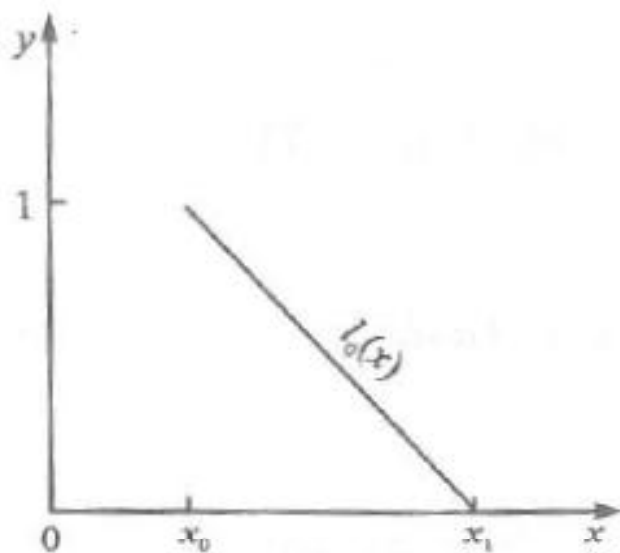


图 5.3 过  $(x_0, f(x_0))$  的直线

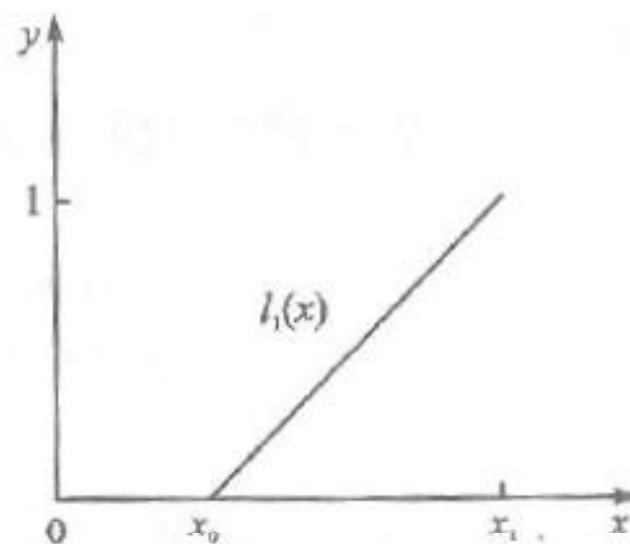


图 5.4 过  $(x_1, f(x_1))$  的直线

(2) 当  $n=2$  时,

$$l_0(x) = \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)}$$

$$l_1(x) = \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)}$$

$$l_2(x) = \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)}$$

$$\text{满足: } l_j(x_k) = \begin{cases} 1, & i = k \\ 0, & i \neq k \end{cases}$$

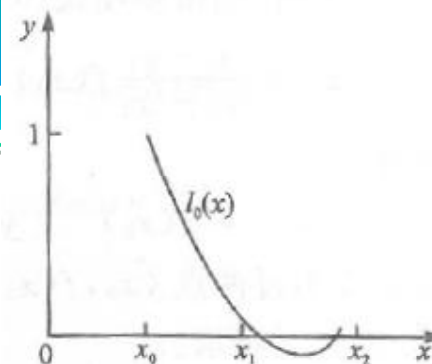


图 5.5 基函数  $l_0(x)$

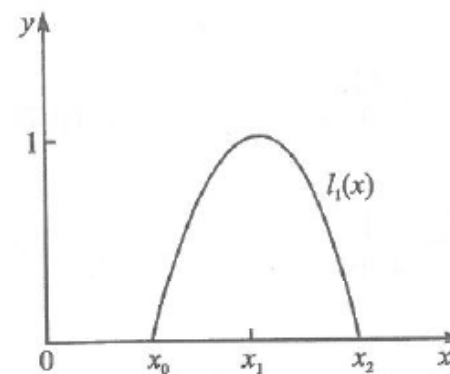


图 5.6 基函数  $l_1(x)$

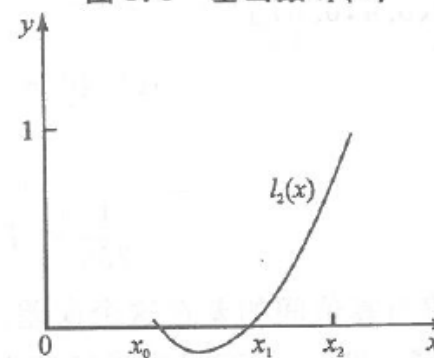


图 5.7 基函数  $l_2(x)$

**例5.1** 已知3个节点的观察数据，求拉格朗日插值多项式。

x	-1	0	1
f(x)	1.0	-2.0	1.0

$$\begin{aligned}y(x) &= \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)} f(x_0) \\&+ \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)} f(x_1) \\&+ \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)} f(x_2) \\&= 3x^2 - 2\end{aligned}$$



例5.2 设 $f(x)=\ln(x)$ ，且已知4个节点值，试估计 $\ln(0.6)$ 的值。

x	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.8
$\ln(x)$	-0.91629	-0.693147	-0.356675	-0.223144

$$l_0(0.6) = -1/6, \quad l_1(0.6) = 2/3,$$

$$l_2(0.6) = 2/3, \quad l_3(0.6) = 0.8$$

$$\ln(0.6) = \sum_{i=0}^3 f(x_i)l_i(0.6) = -0.509975$$

$$\text{真值 } \ln(0.6) = -0.510826$$

**例5.3** 设 $x_j$ 是互异的插值节点 $j=(0,1,2,\dots,n)$ , 求证:


$$(1) \sum_{j=0}^n x_j^k l_j(x) \equiv x^k \quad (2) \sum_{j=0}^n (x_j - x)^k l_j(x) \equiv 0$$

(1) 设 $f(x) = x^k$ , 拉格朗日插值多项式为:

$$y(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n x_j^k l_j(x) \quad E(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!} p_{n+1}(x)$$

$$\because f^{(n+1)}(x) \equiv 0$$

$$\therefore E(x) = 0, \quad \sum_{j=0}^n x_j^k l_j(x) \equiv x^k$$



$$(2)(x_j - x)^k = \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{k-1} \binom{k}{i} x_j^i x^{k-i}$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^n (x_j - x)^k l_j(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n \left[ \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{k-1} \binom{k}{i} x_j^i x^{k-i} \right] l_j(x)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{k-1} \binom{k}{i} x^{k-i} \sum_{j=0}^n x_j^i l_j(x) = \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{k-1} \binom{k}{i} x^{k-i} x^i$$

$$= (x - x)^k \equiv 0$$

拉格朗日插值公式:

$$y(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n \frac{p_{n+1}(x)}{(x-x_j)p'_{n+1}(x_j)} f(x_j)$$

$$y(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n \left[ \prod_{\substack{k=0 \\ k \neq j}}^n \frac{x-x_k}{x_j-x_k} \right] f(x_j)$$

## § 5.2.2 高次插值多项式的问题

插值多项式的阶数是否越高越好？

Runge对函数 $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$  ( $-5 \leq x \leq 5$ )取等距差值节点

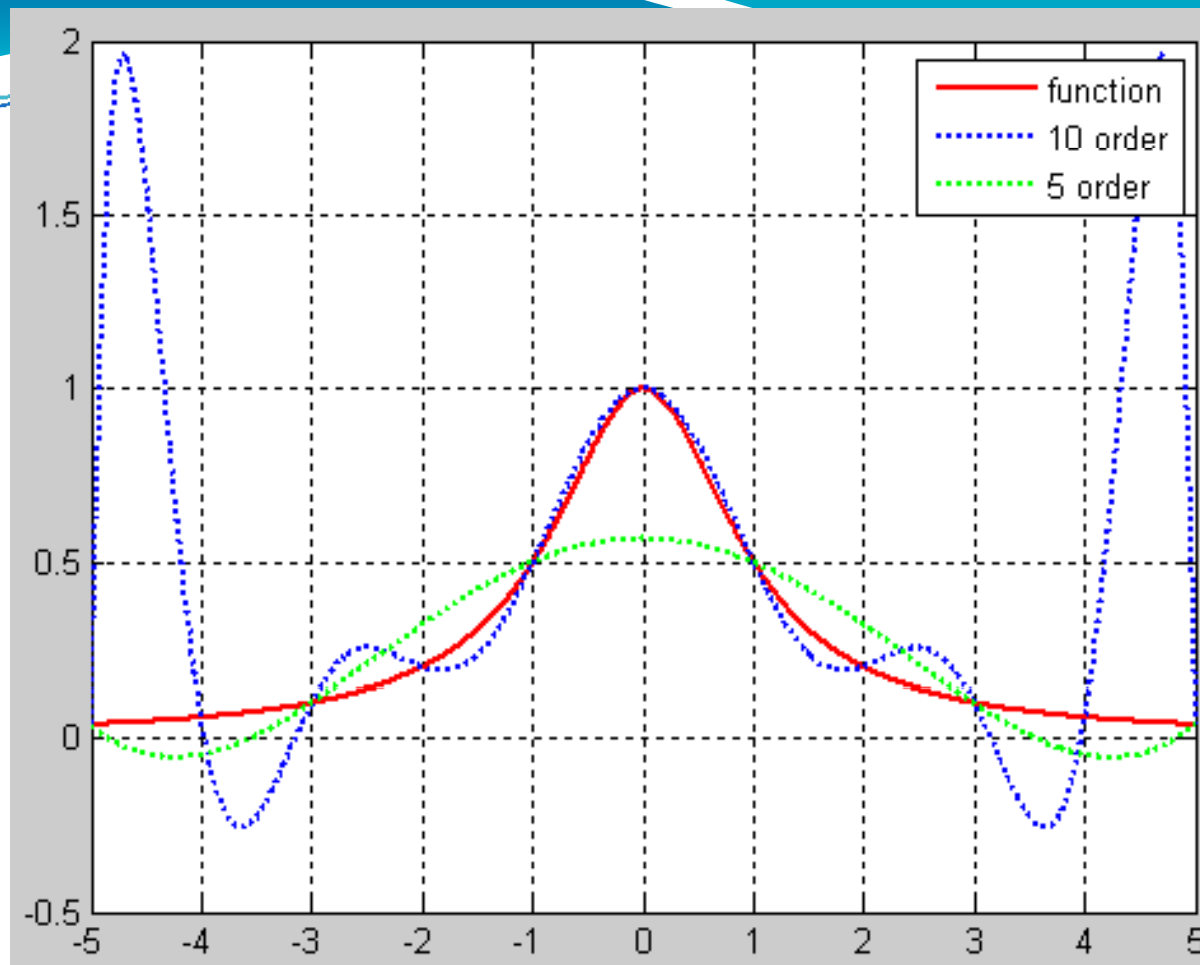
$$x_k = -5 + kh \quad (h = \frac{10}{n}, k = 0, 1, \dots, n)$$

作Lagrange插值多项式：

$$L_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \left( \prod_{i=0, i \neq k}^n \frac{x - x_i}{x_k - x_i} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{1+x_k^2}$$

在接近区间端点时， $L_{10}(x)$ 与 $f(x)$ 偏离很大！

$$L_{10}(\pm 4.8) = 1.80438$$



$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \max_{3.63 < |x| \leq 5} |f(x) - L_n(x)| = \infty$$

插值多项式不收敛现象称为**Runge现象**

解决方法之一：**分段插值**。

## § 5.3 分段插值法

### § 5.3.1 分段线性Lagrange插值

相邻节点分段线性插值:

$$L_h^{(k)}(x) = y_k \frac{x - x_{k+1}}{x_k - x_{k+1}} + y_{k+1} \frac{x - x_k}{x_{k+1} - x_k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_l(x) &= f(x) - L_h(x) = f(x) - L_h^{(k)}(x) \\ &= f''(\xi) / 2 \cdot (x - x_k)(x - x_{k+1}) \end{aligned}$$


$$M_2 = \max_{a \leq x \leq b} |f''(x)|, \quad h = \max_{0 \leq k \leq n-1} (x_{k+1} - x_k)$$

不失一般性，以 $x_k=0, h=1$ 为例：

$$(x - x_k)(x - x_{k+1}) = x^2 - x < 0$$

$$\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow x^2 - x \geq -\frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow |x^2 - x| \leq \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\max_{a \leq x \leq b} |R_1(x)| \leq \frac{M_2}{2} \max_{a \leq x \leq b} |(x - x_k)(x - x_{k+1})| \leq \frac{M_2}{8} h^2$$



## § 5.3.2 分段二次Lagrange插值

$$u \in [x_k, x_{k+1}]$$

当  $|u - x_k| \leq |u - x_{k+1}|$  时, 取  $x_{k-1}$ , 否则取  $x_{k+2}$

$$L_h^{(k)}(u) = \sum_{j=k}^{k+2} y_j \left( \prod_{\substack{r=k \\ r \neq j}}^{k+2} \frac{u - x_r}{x_j - x_r} \right)$$

例5.4 给出 $y=f(x)$ 的数据如下:

I	0	1	2	3	4	5
$x_i$	0.30	0.40	0.55	0.65	0.80	1.05
$y_i$	0.30163	0.41075	0.57815	0.69675	0.87335	1.18885

用分段二次插值多项式计算 $f(x)$ 在 $x=0.36, 0.42, 0.75, 0.98$ 处的近似值。

(1)  $x=0.36, 0.42$ 时选择前三个点:

$$L_h(u) = \sum_{j=0}^2 y_j \left( \prod_{\substack{r=0 \\ r \neq j}}^2 \frac{u - x_r}{x_j - x_r} \right)$$

$$f(0.36) = 0.3669, \quad f(0.42) = 0.4328$$



$x=0.75, 0.98$ 时选择后三个点:

$$L_h(u) = \sum_{j=3}^5 y_j \left( \prod_{\substack{r=3 \\ r \neq j}}^5 \frac{u - x_r}{x_j - x_r} \right)$$

$$f(0.75) = 0.8134, \quad f(0.98) = 1.0978$$

## § 5.4 牛顿插值法

设已知函数 $f(x)$ 在 $n+1$ 个节点 $x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n$ 的函数值,  
牛顿插值基函数为:

$$\begin{cases} \varphi_0(x) = 1 \\ \varphi_j(x) = (x - x_0)(x - x_1) \dots (x - x_{j-1}) = \prod_{i=0}^{j-1} (x - x_i) \end{cases}$$

$$p_n(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n a_j \varphi_j(x) = a_0 + \sum_{j=1}^n a_j \prod_{k=0}^{j-1} (x - x_k)$$

$$a_0 = f_0, \quad a_1 = \frac{f_1 - f_0}{x_1 - x_0}, \quad a_2 = \left( \frac{f_2 - f_0}{x_2 - x_0} - \frac{f_1 - f_0}{x_1 - x_0} \right) / (x_2 - x_1)$$

## § 5.4.1 均差

定义5.1 设 $f(x)$ 在互异的节点 $x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n$ 的函数值为 $f_0, f_1, \dots, f_n$ , 则 $f(x)$ 关于 $x_k, x_i$ 的一阶均差(差商)定义为:

$$f[x_i, x_k] = \frac{f_k - f_i}{x_k - x_i} \quad (k \neq i)$$

二阶均差:

$$f[x_i, x_j, x_k] = \frac{f[x_i, x_k] - f[x_i, x_j]}{x_k - x_j}$$

**k**阶均差:

$$f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}, x_k] = \frac{f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-2}, x_k] - f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}]}{x_k - x_{k-1}}$$

数学归纳法可证明:

$$f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k] = \sum_{j=0}^k f(x_j) \prod_{\substack{i=0 \\ i \neq j}}^k \frac{1}{x_j - x_i}$$

对称性:

$$f[x_0, \dots, x_i, \dots, x_j, \dots, x_k] = f[x_0, \dots, x_j, \dots, x_i, \dots, x_k]$$

递推计算公式:

$$f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k] = \frac{f[x_1, \dots, x_k] - f[x_0, \dots, x_{k-1}]}{x_k - x_0}$$

表 5-1 均差表

$x_k$	$f(x_k)$	$f[x_k, x_{k+1}]$	$f[x_k, x_{k+1}, x_{k+2}]$	$f[x_k, x_{k+1}, x_{k+2}, x_{k+3}]$	$f[x_k, x_{k+1}, x_{k+2}, x_{k+3}, x_{k+4}]$
$x_0$	$f_0$	$f[x_0, x_1]$			
$x_1$	$f_1$		$f[x_0, x_1, x_2]$		
$x_2$	$f_2$	$f[x_1, x_2]$		$f[x_0, x_1, x_2, x_3]$	
$x_3$	$f_3$	$f[x_2, x_3]$	$f[x_1, x_2, x_3]$		$f[x_0, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4]$
$x_4$	$f_4$	$f[x_3, x_4]$	$f[x_2, x_3, x_4]$	$f[x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4]$	

## § 5.4.2 牛顿插值公式及其余项

由一阶均差定义可得：

$$f(x) = f(x_0) + f[x, x_0](x - x_0)$$

由**k+1**阶均差可得：

$$f[x, x_0, \dots, x_k] = \frac{f[x, x_0, \dots, x_{k-1}] - f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k]}{x - x_k}$$

$$f[x, x_0, \dots, x_{k-1}] = f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k] + f[x, x_0, \dots, x_k](x - x_k)$$



递推可得:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= f(x_0) + \{f[x_0, x_1] + f[x, x_0, x_1](x - x_1)\}(x - x_0) \\ &= f(x_0) + f[x_0, x_1](x - x_0) + f[x, x_0, x_1](x - x_1)(x - x_0) \\ &= f(x_0) + f[x_0, x_1](x - x_0) + f[x_0, x_1, x_2] \prod_{j=0}^1 (x - x_j) + \dots \\ &\quad + f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n] \prod_{j=0}^{n-1} (x - x_j) + f[x, x_0, \dots, x_n] \prod_{j=0}^n (x - x_j) \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = f(x_0) + \sum_{k=1}^n f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k] \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} (x - x_j)$$

$$+ f[x, x_0, \dots, x_n] \prod_{j=0}^n (x - x_j) = N_n(x) + R_n(x)$$



插值多项式:

$$N_n(x) = f(x_0) + \sum_{k=1}^n f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k] \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} (x - x_j)$$

插值余项:

$$R_n(x) = f[x, x_0, \dots, x_n] \prod_{j=0}^n (x - x_j)$$

由于:

$$R_n(x_i) = f[x_i, x_0, \dots, x_n] \prod_{j=0}^n (x_i - x_j) = 0$$

$$i = 0, 1, \dots, n \text{ 时有: } N_n(x_i) = f(x_i)$$



由于插值多项式的唯一性，因此：

$$N_n(x) = L_n(x)$$

$$R_n(x) = E(x)$$

若 $f(x)$ 在 $[a, b]$ 存在 $n+1$ 阶导数，则余项：

$$R_n(x) = f[x, x_0, \dots, x_n] p_{n+1}(x) = E(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!} p_{n+1}(x)$$

均差与导数关系：

$$f[x, x_0, \dots, x_n] = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!} \quad \xi \in (a, b)$$

考虑到 $\mathbf{x}$ 的任意性，有：

$$f[x_0, \dots, x_k] = \frac{f^{(k)}(\xi)}{k!} \quad \xi \in (a, b)$$

当 $k$ 阶均差接过于常数时，近似误差估计：


$$R_k(x) = f(x) - N_k(x) \approx f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k+1}] \prod_{j=0}^k (x - x_j)$$

例5.5 给出 $y=f(x)$ 的数据如下:

$x_i$	1	2	4	6	7
$f(x_i)$	4	1	0	1	1

i	$x_i$	$f(x_i)$	$f[x_0, x_i]$	$f[x_0, x_1, x_i]$	$f[x_0, x_1, x_2, x_i]$	...
0	1	4				
1	2	1	-3			
2	4	0	$-4/3$	$5/6$		
3	6	1	$-3/5$	$3/5$	$-7/60$	
4	7	1	$-1/2$	$1/2$	$-1/9$	$1/180$

$$f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}, x_k] = \frac{f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-2}, x_k] - f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}]}{x_k - x_{k-1}}$$



$$N_n(x) = f(x_0) + \sum_{k=1}^n f[x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k] \prod_{j=0}^{k-1} (x - x_j)$$

插值多项式:

$$N_4(x) = 4 - 3(x-1) + \frac{5}{6}(x-1)(x-2) - \frac{7}{60}(x-1)(x-2)(x-4) + \frac{1}{180}(x-1)(x-2)(x-4)(x-6)$$

插值余项:

$$f(x) - N_4(x) = \frac{f^{(5)}(\xi)}{5!} (x-1)(x-2)(x-4)(x-6)(x-7)$$

$$\xi \in (\min(x, 1), \max(x, 7))$$