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SymPy

Lecture 7



Agenda

- Exercise recap
- SymPy
- Mandatory review



Exercise review - 2

- System of linear equations

$$3x + 2y - z = 1$$

$$2x - 2y + 4z = -2$$

$$-x + 0.5y - z = 0$$

Exercise review - 3

Download the file `exercise_5_numbers.txt` from Canvas.

- Use the file to generate a numpy array.
- Find the row with the highest sum (adding all the numbers).
What is the value of this sum?
- Find the column with the highest sum. What is the value of this sum?
- What is the single highest value in the array?
- What is the sum of the two last rows?

Exercise review - 4

Download the file `roman_emperors.csv` from Canvas.

- Use the file to generate a numpy array.
- How many emperors were born in Rome?
- What was the most common way of rising to power? How many rose to power this way?
- Which emperors committed suicide?

SymPy

- SymPy is a library for symbolic mathematics in Python
- Derivatives
- Integrals
- Limits
- Differential equations
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- Free and open source

SymPy

- Derivative
- Integration
- Limits

SymPy - Derivation

- Let's say we want to derivate:

$$5x^5 - 3x^4 + 6x$$

- Solution:

$$25x^4 - 12x^3 + 6$$

SymPy - Integrals

- Let's say we want to integrate:

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^2 x^2 + 1 \, dx &= \left(\frac{1}{3}x^3 + x \right) \Big|_0^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(2)^3 + 2 - \left(\frac{1}{3}(0)^3 + 0 \right) \\ &= \frac{14}{3}\end{aligned}$$

SymPy - Integrals

- Let's say we want to integrate:

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} dx,$$

SymPy - Limits

- Limits
- $f(x) = \sin(x) / x$
- $x_0 = 0$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x)$$

SymPy - Limits

- Limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 + 4x - 12}{x^2 - 2x}$$

SymPy - Limits

- Limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x - 1}$$

SymPy - Limits

- Limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{(x - 1)(x + 1)}{x - 1}$$