

NUMERICAL ANALYSIS : ASSIGNMENT 10

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Exercise 1.

Let f be 5 times continuously differentiable. Consider the samples $f(-h)$, $f(0)$, $f(h)$.

- (1) Find the interpolating polynomial of f based on the samples $0, h$. Find a formula for the interpolation error.
- (2) Find an approximation of $f'(0)$ based on part 1. Find an error formula for the interpolation error.
- (3) Find the interpolating polynomial of f based on the samples $-h, 0, h$. Find a formula for the interpolation error.
- (4) Find an approximation of $f'(0)$ based on part 3. Find an error formula for your approximation.
- (5) Find an approximation of $f''(0)$ based on part 3. Find an error formula for your approximation.

Solution 1.

(1)

$$f[x_0] = f(0)$$

$$f[x_1] = f(h)$$

Therefore,

$$f[x_0, x_1] = \frac{f(0) - f(h)}{-h}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} p_1(x) &= f[x_0] + f[x_0, x_1](x - x_0) \\ &= f(0) + \frac{f(0) - f(h)}{-h}x \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(x) &= \prod (x - x_i) \\ &= (x)(x - h) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= p_2(x) + f[x_0, x_1, x_2, x]\psi(x) \\ &= p_2(x) + f[0, h, x](x)(x - h) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$e(x) = f[0, h, x](x)(x - h)$$

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(2)

$$f'(x) \approx p_1'(x)$$

$$\therefore f'(0) = \frac{f(0) - f(h)}{-h}$$

Therefore,

$$e'(x) = f[0, h, x, x]\psi(x) + f[0, h, x]\psi'(x)$$

$$= f[0, h, x, x](x)(x - h) + f[0, h, x](2x - h)$$

(3)

$$f[x_0] = f(-h)$$

$$f[x_1] = f(0)$$

$$f[x_2] = f(h)$$

Therefore,

$$f[x_0, x_1] = \frac{f(-h) - f(0)}{-h}$$

$$f[x_1, x_2] = \frac{f(0) - f(h)}{-h}$$

Therefore,

$$f[x_0, x_1, x_2] = \frac{f(-h) - 2f(0) + f(h)}{2h^2}$$

Therefore,

$$p_2(x) = f[x_0] + f[x_0, x_1](x - x_0) + f[x_0, x_1, x_2](x - x_0)(x - x_1)$$

$$= f(-h) + \frac{f(-h) - f(0)}{-h}(x + h) + \frac{f(-h) - 2f(0) + f(h)}{2h^2}(x + h)x$$

Therefore,

$$\psi(x) = \prod (x - x_i)$$

$$= (x + h)(x)(x - h)$$

Therefore,

$$f(x) = p_2(x) + f[x_0, x_1, x_2, x]\psi(x)$$

$$= p_2(x) + f[-h, 0, h, x](x + h)(x)(x - h)$$

Therefore,

$$e(x) = f[-h, 0, h, x](x + h)(x)(x - h)$$

(4)

$$f'(x) \approx p_2'(x)$$

$$= \frac{f(-h) - f(0)}{-h} + \frac{f(-h) - 2f(0) + f(h)}{2h^2}(2x + h)$$

$$\therefore f'(0) = \frac{f(-h) - f(0)}{-h} - \frac{f(-h) - 2f(0) + f(h)}{2h^2}h$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 e'(x) &= f[-h, 0, h, x, x]\psi(x) + f[-h, 0, h, x]\psi'(x) \\
 &= f[-h, 0, h, x, x](x+h)(x-h) + f[-h, 0, h, x](3x^2 - h^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

(5)

$$\begin{aligned}
 f''(x) &\approx p_2''(x) \\
 &= 2 \frac{f(-h) - 2f(0) + f(h)}{2h^2} \\
 \therefore f''(0) &= \frac{f(-h) - 2f(0) + f(h)}{h^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$e''(x) = f[-h, 0, h, x, x, x](x+h)(x-h) + f[-h, 0, h, x, x](6x)$$

Exercise 2.

Let f be 5 times continuously differentiable. Consider the samples $f(-h)$, $f'(-h)$, $f(2h)$.

- (1) Find the interpolating polynomial of f based on these samples. Find a formula for the interpolation error.
- (2) Find an approximation of $f''(0)$ based on part 1. Find an error formula for the interpolation error.
- (3) Find an approximation of $f''(2h)$ based on part 1. Find an error formula for the interpolation error.

Solution 2.

(1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 f[x_0] &= f(-h) \\
 f[x_1] &= f(-h) \\
 f[x_2] &= f(2h)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 f[x_0, x_1] &= f'(-h) \\
 f[x_1, x_2] &= \frac{f(2h) - f(-h)}{3h}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$f[x_0, x_1, x_2] = \frac{f(2h) - f(-h) - 3hf'(-h)}{9h^2}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_2(x) &= f[x_0] + f[x_0, x_1](x - x_0) + f[x_0, x_1, x_2](x - x_0)(x - x_1) \\
 &= f(-h) + f'(-h)(x + h) + \frac{f(2h) - f(-h) - 3hf'(-h)}{9h^2}(x + h)^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}\psi(x) &= \prod (x - x_i) \\ &= (x + h)^2(x - 2h)\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= p_2(x) + f[x_0, x_1, x_2, x]\psi(x) \\ &= p_2(x) + f[-h, -h, 2h, x](x + h)^2(x - 2h)\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$e(x) = f[-h, -h, 2h, x](x + h)^2(x - 2h)$$

(2)

$$\begin{aligned}f''(x) &\approx p_2''(x) \\ &= \frac{f(2h) - f(-h) - 3hf'(-h)}{9h^2}(2)\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$f''(0) = 2 \frac{f(2h) - f(-h) - 3hf'(-h)}{9h^2}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}e''(x) &= f[-h, -h, 2h, x, x, x](x + h)^2(x - 2h) \\ &\quad + 2f[-h, -h, 2h, x, x] \left(3x^2 - 3h^2 \right) \\ &\quad + f[-h, -h, 2h, x](6x)\end{aligned}$$

(3)

$$\begin{aligned}f''(x) &\approx p_2''(x) \\ &= \frac{f(2h) - f(-h) - 3hf'(-h)}{9h^2}(2)\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$f''(2h) = 2 \frac{f(2h) - f(-h) - 3hf'(-h)}{9h^2}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}e''(x) &= f[-h, -h, 2h, x, x, x](x + h)^2(x - 2h) \\ &\quad + 2f[-h, -h, 2h, x, x] \left(3x^2 - 3h^2 \right) \\ &\quad + f[-h, -h, 2h, x](6x)\end{aligned}$$