Worksheet 6: Coursework Assesment

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Chapter 1

Root finding

1.0.1 a

For this question, I actually choosed to write 3 functions, because depending on the use it was

Code

I will give here only the most important function, where there is everything that could be in the other functions. But for some questions, instead of using this function I will use shorter ones (theses are available at the end).

```
function [aerror,rerr,nbsteps, value] = rootfinding2(f,fprime,a,b,n,err,cerr,cm)
   %aerr: absolute error storage
   %rerr : realtive error storage
   \mbox{\ensuremath{\mbox{\sc value}}} : corresponds to the value of the nearest root function
   %f: is the function
   %fprime: derivative of the function
   %a,b : is the bracket
   %n: number maximum of steps used
   %err: relative and/or absolute error tolerances
10 %cerr: corresponds to the choice of the error
11 %cm: correponds to the method we want to use
   %rerru : is the relative error used for the tolerance
12
13
   if(b-a<0)
14
       error("the values for a and be you've entered is not a bracket")
15
16
17
   if(err<0)</pre>
18
       error("The error tolerance can't be negative")
19
20
21
   if(cerr=='a')
22
       rerru=500;
23
       aerru=b-a;
24
   else
       rerru=50;
       aerru=500;
27
   end
  x0=(a+b)/2;
  if(cm=='nr')
```

```
32 x=x0;
33 c=0;
34 x2=x0+2*err;
35 fp=fprime(x);
while(c<n & aerru>err & rerru>err)
       x2=x;
37
       t=x-f(x)./fprime(x);
      if(t>b |t<a)
          error('There is a convergence problem')
40
       end
41
       x=t;
42
       c=c+1;
43
       aerror(c)=abs(x2-x);
44
       rerr(c)=abs((x2-x)/x);
45
       if(cerr=='a')
46
47
          aerru=aerror(c);
48
       else
          rerru=rerr(c);
50
       end
51 end
52 value=x;
nbsteps=c;
54 end
55 if(cm=='se')
c=0;x=a;x2=b;
57 while(c<n & aerru>err & rerru>err)
       t=x-((x-x2)/(f(x)-f(x2)))*f(x);
58
       x2=x;
       if(t>b |t<a)
          error('There is a convergence problem')
62
       end
       x=t;
63
       c=c+1;
64
       aerror(c)=abs(x2-x);
65
       rerr(c)=abs((x2-x)/x);
66
       if(cerr=='a')
67
           aerru=aerror(c);
68
69
          rerru=rerr(c);
71
       end
72 end
value=x;
nbsteps=c;
75 end
76 if(cm=='rd')
       x1=a; x2=b; c=0;
77
       x4=(x1+x2)/2;
78
       xp=x4+2*err;
79
  while(c<n & aerru>err & rerru>err)
      x3=(x1+x2)/2;
81
       xp=x4;
       x4=x3+(x3-x1)*(sign(f(x1)-f(x2))*f(x3))./sqrt(f(x3).^2-f(x1).*f(x2));
       if (x4>x2 | x4<x1)%this is impossible, we don't need it
84
          error('There is a convergence problem')
85
       end
86
       if(f(x1)*f(x4)<0)
87
88
       elseif(f(x2)*f(x4)<0)
```

```
x1=x4;
90
         else
91
             break;
92
         end
93
         if(x1>x2)
94
             t=x1;
95
             x1=x2;
             x2=t;
         end
         c=c+1;
99
         aerror(c)=abs(xp-x4);
         rerr(c) = abs((xp-x4)/x4);
         if(cerr=='a')
102
             aerru=aerror(c);
104
             rerru=rerr(c);
         end
106
107
    end
    x=x4;
    value=x;
    nbsteps=c;
110
    end
111
    end
112
```

comments on the code

We chose to use a loop "while" instead of a loop "for" because the loop while do not loose time in continuing computing values after having found the solution with the tolerance required.

In order to initialize the value relative error tolerance, we can't use the formula because we might divide by zero. So we choose a big value, indeed it will be initialize in the loop "while".

Source for the Ridder Formula : https://www-sop.inria.fr/coprin/logiciels/ALIAS/ALIAS-C++/node65.html

1.0.2 b

i

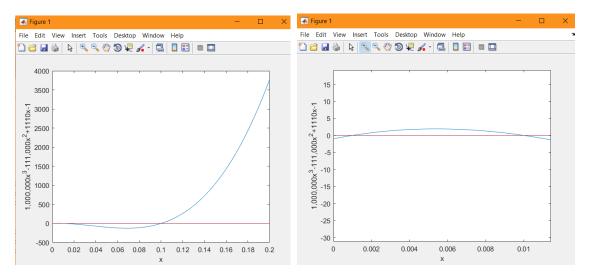


Figure 1.1: Bracket search for finding the roots

We can observe that there is three roots. Each of the roots are between two values that we can evaluate throughout the pictures.

	First root	Second root	Third root
Newton-Raphson	4	1	10
Secant	6	6	error
Ridder's method	5	0	133

Table 1.1: Number of steps

	First root	Second root	Third root	Third root for Ridder's method
Value	$9.999 \cdot 10^{-4}$	0.01	0.1	0.0999991

Table 1.2: Values of the root

As a conclusion, the both most efficient methods are the Newton-Raphson methods and Ridder's.

```
N=1000;
   x=linspace(0,0.2,N);
   y=1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1;
   plot(x,y,x,zeros(N));
   format long
   %first root
   [nbsteps1,value1]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0,0.004,20,1e-8,'nr')
   [nbsteps2, value2] = rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0,0.004,20,1e-8,'se')
   [nbsteps3,value3]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
12
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0,0.004,20,1e-8,'rd')
13
   %second root
   [nbsteps1,value1]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0.008,0.012,20,1e-8,'nr')
   [nbsteps2,value2]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0.008,0.012,20,1e-8,'se')
   [nbsteps3,value3]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
17
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0.008,0.012,5,1e-8,'rd')
18
19
   [nbsteps1,value1]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
20
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0.06,1,50,1e-8,'nr')
   [nbsteps2, value2] = rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x))
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0.06,0.12,50,1e-8,'se')%has a problem of convergence probably
       beacause of the braket
   [nbsteps3,value3]=rootfinding(@(x) 1e6*x.^3-1.11e5*x.^2+1110*x-1,@(x)
       3e6*x.^2-2.22e5*x+1110,0.06,1,500,1e-8,'rd')%takes a very long time to converge
```

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On the first graph, we can observe that the curve cut the horizontal axises but these points aren't always roots. Actually, these are points where the function tends to the infinity. On these different

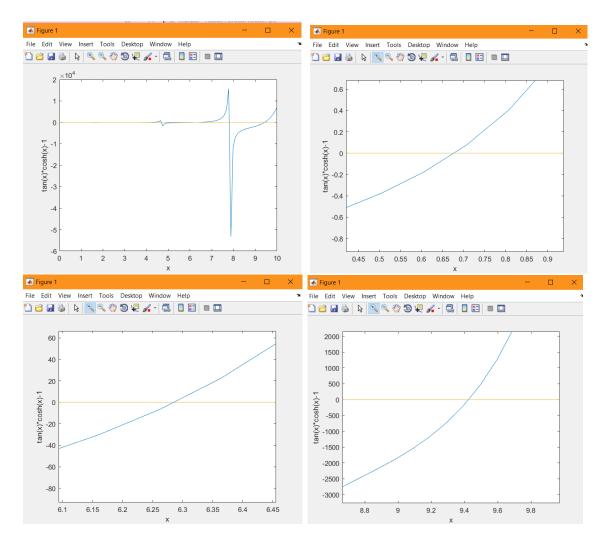


Figure 1.2: Bracket search for finding the roots

graphs, we can also observe the three positive roots, indeed we can find brackets that we are going to use to determine the roots.

So, the three last roots are summarize in this table.

	First root	Second root	Third root
Values	0.67888664	6.28690629	9.42493933
Number of steps	3	4	4

Table 1.3: Values of the root

```
N=100;
x=linspace(0,10,N);
y=tan(x).*cosh(x)-1;
yp=(1+(tan(x).^2)).*cosh(x)+tan(x).*sinh(x);
plot(x,y,x,zeros(N));

format long
first root
[nbsteps3,value3]=rootfinding(@(x) tan(x).*cosh(x)-1,@(x)
```

iii

Here actually, we are looking for a maximum of a function. In order to find this maximum, knowing this isn't this infinity, we have to find the points where the derivative of this function reach zero. So we first compute this derivative.

$$g'(x) = -\frac{-5 \cdot x^4 \cdot (\exp \frac{1}{x} - 1) + x^3 \cdot \exp \frac{1}{x}}{x^5 \cdot (\exp \frac{1}{x} - 1)}$$

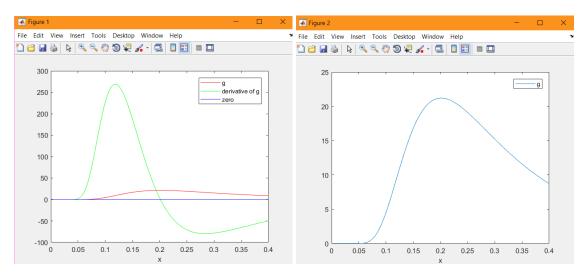


Figure 1.3: Bracket search for finding the roots and the derivative

We can easily find a bracket where the root of the derivative is contained in.

Value	Number of steps for the Ridder's method
0.20128401	2

Table 1.4: Maximum of the function and number of steps required

So we can find the point where the derivative is zero and at this point the function, when we see its shape, is clearly the maximum.

```
N=1000;
x=linspace(0,0.4,N);
y=x.^-5.*((exp(1./x)-1)).^-1;
ypt3=(-5*x.^4.*(exp(1./x)-1)+x.^3.*exp(1./x))./(x.^5.*(exp(1./x)-1)).^2;
ypc=myDiff(x,y,'cd');
plot(x,y,x,ypt,x,zeros(N),'y');
```

1.0.3 c

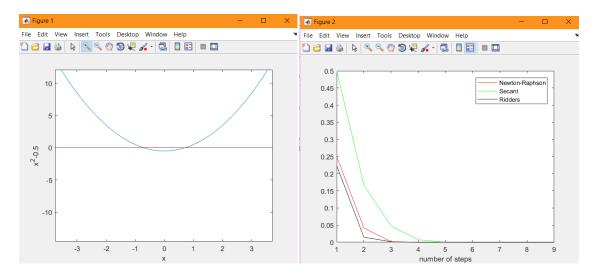


Figure 1.4: Bracket search for finding the root and methods comparison

On the first figure, we observe that the first root is between -1 and 0.

Ridder's	0.2	0.01	0.001	0.0002	0.00001	0.000002	2.10^{7}	3.10^{8}	$3 \cdot 10^9$
Newton-Raphson	0.2	0.04	0.001	0.000001	7.10^{13}				
Secant	0.5	0.1	0.04	0.007	0.0002	0.000001	1.10^{10}		

Table 1.5: Absolute error

We can observe that the most efficient methods are, in decreasing order, Ridder's, Newton-Raphson and Secant. But, there is something strange that Ridder's method finaly takes more steps to find the solution even if it is more efficient (cf the curve).

Chapter 2

Polynomial interpolation revisited

2.0.1 a

For this question, we will use a function done in the previous worksheet using the Vandermonde Matrix. And actually because I didn't understand at first the question, I have also programmed a version with the Hermite Matrix. And so, in this question, we will compare the method using the Vandermonde Matrix and the Hermite one. And moreover, we will also compare the different kind of data points used: between linerally spaced and Chebyshev.

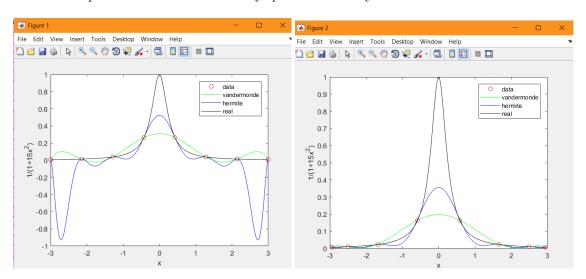


Figure 2.1: Comparison of the Hermite method and the one saw in the course with 3 and 8 data points

We can observe that with a very small amount of data, the Hermite method is more efficient because it uses two times each data point. Bu the downside of the Hermite method is that for a larger amount of data, for example 8, there are much more "'noise". Actually, the reason why we could take Chebyshev point method instead of the linear one is to reduce this noise.

Another solution, in order to improve the Hermite method could be to apply a spline method to it, indeed we would have all the advantages of the Hermite method but without its downsides.

Code

The interpolation method explained in the lecture :

function [E,y]=interb(f,N3,xdata,ydata)

```
2 M=vander(xdata);
a = M\(ydata');
4 N=length(xdata);
5 x=linspace(min(xdata),max(xdata),N3);
6 y=polyval(a,x);
7 E=abs(f(x(1))-y(1));
8 for i=1:N3
      if(E < abs(f(x(i)) - y(i)))
10
          E=abs(f(x(i))-y(i));
11
12 end
plot(xdata,ydata,'ro',x,y,'g-');
14 legend('data','p(x)');
      The hermite function is :
   function [E,y]=hermite(f,N3,xdata,ydata)
   format long
   x=xdata;
   n2=length(xdata);
   t=ones(n2);
6 M1=x'.*t; we put in t one, then we place x in the right direction
_{7} M1=[M1 M1];
 = [M1.^{(2*n2-[1:2*n2])};(2*n2-[1:2*n2-1]).*M1(:,1:end-1).^{(2*n2-[2:2*n2])},zeros(n2,1)]; 
9 a=M\(ydata');
x=linspace(min(xdata),max(xdata),2*N3);
y=polyval(a,x);
12 E=abs(f(x(1))-y(1));
13 end
1 a=-3;b=3;Nv=8;
_{2} N=[1:Nv];
4 xdata=linspace(-3,3,Nv);
   ydata=1./(1+15*xdata.^2);
   ydatader=-(30*xdata)./((1+15*xdata.^2).^2);
   N2=600;
   x=linspace(a,b,N2);
   y=1./(1+15*x.^2);
   [E,y1]=interb(@(x) 1/(1+15*x.^2),N2,xdata,ydata);
[E,y2] = hermite(@(x) 1/(1+15*x.^2), N2, xdata, [ydata, ydatader]);
x2=linspace(a,b,2*N2);
plot(xdata,ydata,'or',x,y1,'g',x2,y2,'b',x,y,'k')
14 legend('data','vandermonde','hermite','real')
15 figure
xdata=(a+b)/2+((b-a)/2)*cos(((2*N-1)*pi)./(2*Nv))
ydata=1./(1+15*xdata.^2);
ydatader=-(30*xdata)./((1+15*xdata.^2).^2);
19 N2=600;
20 x=linspace(a,b,N2);
y=1./(1+15*x.^2);
22 [E,y1]=interb(@(x) 1/(1+15*x.^2),N2,xdata,ydata);
{\tiny 23} \quad \hbox{\tt [E,y2]=hermite(@(x) 1/(1+15*x.^2),N2,xdata,[ydata,ydatader]);}
x2=linspace(a,b,2*N2);
   plot(xdata,ydata,'or',x,y1,'g',x2,y2,'b',x,y,'k')
legend('data','vandermonde','hermite','real')
```

2.0.2 b

2.0.3 c

Lets take the definition of L_i given in the question b, $L_i(x) = \frac{\prod_{j=1,j\neq i}^N (x-x_j)}{\prod_{j=1,j\neq i}^N (x_i-x_j)} = \prod_{j=1,j\neq i}^N \left(\frac{x-x_j}{x_i-x_j}\right)$. So $L_i(x_j) = \frac{(x_j-x_j)}{(x-i-x_j)} \cdot \prod_{k=1,k\neq i,k\neq j}^N \left(\frac{x_j-x_k}{x_i-x_j}\right) = 0$ and $L_i(x_i) = \prod_{j=1,j\neq i}^N \left(\frac{x_i-x_j}{x_i-x_j}\right) = \prod_{j=1}^N 1 = 1$. Indeed, $p(x_k) = \sum_{j=1}^N x_j L_j(x) = y_k L_k + \sum_{j=1,k\neq j}^N x_j L_j(x) = y_k$ Actually, we find the same equality for the interpolant constants saw in the course $p(x_k) = a_{n-1}x_k^{n-1} + a_{n-2}x_k^{n-2} + \dots + a_1x_1 + a_0 = y_k$. And from this equality, we will deduce the matrix of the interpolation explained in the lecture. So this definition of the interpolation is equivalent to the one explained in the lecture.

2.0.4 d

The values of the polynomials $L_i(x)$ depending on the precision of the interpolation. We choose N = 10.

For this precision criteria, we obtain.

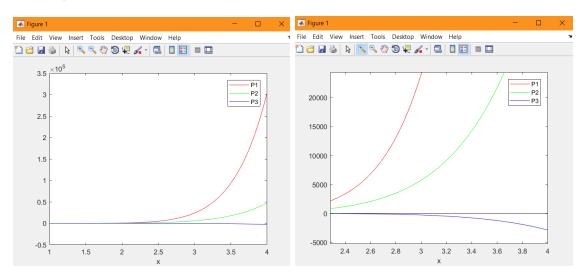


Figure 2.2: Lagrange polynomial for N=10

	x = 1	x=2	x = 4
P_1	0.5556	682	30493.5
P_2	6.6667	342.66	4746.7
P_3	2.7778	-1.6666	-2877.2

Table 2.1: Values of each Lagrange polynomial

\mathbf{Code}

The function lagrange is:

```
function [L,res]=lagrange(nb,x,y)
t=linspace(min(x),max(x),nb);
N=length(x);
n=length(t);
```

```
5 for j=1:n
6 for i=1:N
7 L(i,j)=prod(t(j)*ones(1,N-1)-x([1:i-1,i+1:N]))./prod(x(i)*ones(1,N-1)-x([1:i-1,i+1:N]));
9 end
10 for j=1:n
res(j)=sum(y*L(:,j));
13 end
a=-3;b=3;Nv=9;N=[1:Nv];
2 xdata=[1 2 4];
3 n=length(xdata);
   ydata=1./(1+15*xdata.^2);
   N=10;
   t=linspace(min(xdata),max(xdata),N);
   [L,y1]=lagrange(N,xdata,ydata);
8 P=zeros(n,300);
  x=linspace(min(xdata),max(xdata),300);
10 for i=1:n
      P(i,:)=polyval(L(i,:),x);
11
12 end
plot(x,P(1,:),'r',x,P(2,:),'g',x,P(3,:),'b')
14 legend('P1','P2','P3')
15 format long
  for i=1:3
17
       for j=1:3
          Q(i,j)=polyval(L(i,:),xdata(j));
18
       end
19
20
   end
   Q
21
```

2.0.5 e

We can observe that the Chebyshev points method reduces the noise compared to when the points are linearly spaced.

Code

The function barycentric is:

```
function res=barycentric(nb,x,y,cip)
t=linspace(min(x),max(x),nb);
3 N=length(x);
   n=length(t);
   if(cip=='li')
       for i=1:N
          w(i)=(-1)^(i-1).*nchoosek(N-1,i-1);
       end
   elseif(cip=='ch')
       for i=1:N
10
          w(i)=(-1)^{(i-1)}*sin(((2*i-1)*pi)/(2*N));
11
       end
12
   end
13
   tempo=sum((w./(t'-x)).*y*ones(N,1),2)./sum(w./(t'-x),2);
```

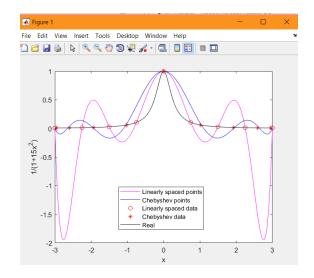


Figure 2.3: Comparison between the Chebyshev method and the linearly spaced points data

```
tempo(1)=y(1);tempo(end)=y(end);%because we know the value of the function at these
       points
   res=tempo';
16
   end
   a=-3;b=3;Nv=9;N=[1:Nv];
   xdata1=linspace(-3,3,Nv);
   ydata1=1./(1+15*xdata1.^2);
   xdata2=(a+b)/2+((b-a)/2)*cos(((2*N-1)*pi)./(2*Nv));
   ydata2=1./(1+15*xdata2.^2);
   n=500;
   t=linspace(min(xdata1(1),xdata2(1)),max(xdata1(end),xdata2(end)),n);
   y1=barycentric(n,xdata1,ydata1,'li');
   y2=barycentric(n,xdata2,ydata2,'ch');
   plot(t,y1,'m',t,y2,'b',xdata1,ydata1,'or',xdata2,ydata2,'*r',t,1./(1+15*t.^2),'k');
   legend('Linearly spaced points','Chebyshev points','data1','data2','Real')
```

2.0.6 f

	Lagrange	Barycentric linear spaced	Barycentric Chebyshev
Absolute error	$3.99 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$3.99 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$2.1 \cdot 10^{-3}$

Table 2.2: Maximum error between g(x) and the different interpolation

We can observe that, in this case, the use of the Chebyshev points do not increase the efficiency of the algorithm. It is actually the opposite, indeed it seems that the Chebyshev allow to reduce the noise, but when there is none, it is better to use the linearly spaced method.

```
xdata1=[-1:1/8:1];
ydata1=1./(1+xdata1.^2);
a=-1;b=1;Nv=17;N=[1:Nv];%the value of N is 17 because the length of xdata is 17
```

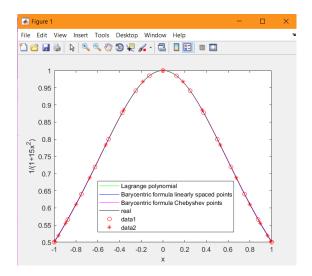


Figure 2.4: The function g(x) and the interpolation with linearly spaced data and Chebyshev against time

```
xdata2=(a+b)/2+((b-a)/2)*cos(((2*N-1)*pi)./(2*Nv));
ydata2=1./(1+xdata2.^2);
n=500;
[L,y1]=lagrange(n,xdata1,ydata1);
y2=barycentric(n,xdata1,ydata1,'li');
y3=barycentric(n,xdata2,ydata2,'ch');
t=linspace(min(xdata1(1),xdata2(1)),max(xdata1(end),xdata2(end)),n);
r=1./(1+t.^2);
plot(t,y1,'g',t,y2,'b',t,y3,'m',t,r,'k',xdata1,ydata1,'or',xdata2,ydata2,'*r');
legend('Lagrange polynomial','Barycentric formula linearly spaced points','Barycentric formula Chebyshev points','real','data1','data2')
m1=max(abs(r-y1))
m2=max(abs(r-y2))
m3=max(abs(r-y3))
```

Chapter 3

Gaussian quadrature

3.0.1 a

In order to compute the Legendre polynomials we need to use this kind of matrix.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & \ddots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

For n=2, we use this one.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P_2(x) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{4-1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot P_1(x) - \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2-1}{2} \end{pmatrix} P_0(x)$$

$$P_2(x) = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Indeed, with this matrix, we can program, in a general case the Lengendre polynomial $P_n(x)$.

```
function P=gaussian(n)

P=zeros(n,n+1);

P(1,end)=1;P(2,end-1)=1;

x=zeros(n+1,n+1);

for i=2:n+1

x(i,i-1)=1;

end

for i=2:n

P(i+1,:)=((2*i-1)/i)*P(i,:)*x-((i-1)/i)*P(i-1,:);%we use i+1, because with matlab we start at 1 and not 0

end
end
end
```

3.0.2 b

So we create a function that will compute the roots (using the function root of matlab) and the weight obtained with the formula given in the course.

	N=2	N=3	N=4
x	$\{-0.6, 0.6\}$	$\{-0.8, 0, 0.8\}$	$\{-0.8, -0.3, 0.3, 0.8\}$
w	$\{1, 1\}$	$\{0.55, 0.8, 0.56\}$	$\{0.35, 0.6, 0.6, 0.35\}$

Table 3.1: Roots and weights of the Gaussian Quadrature

Indeed, these values will be useful to compute the Lagrange polynomial because they remain the same no matter the function.

Code

The function weight

```
function [root,w]=weight(n)
P=gaussian(n+2);
root= roots(P(n+1,:));
%root=sort(root);
for i=1:n
w(i)=2*(1-root(i)^2)/((n+1)^2*(polyval(P(n+2,:),root(i)))^2);
end
end
```

And its application.

```
[root2,w2] = weight(2)
[root3,w3] = weight(3)
[root4,w4] = weight(4)
```

3.0.3

```
We are searching to compute \int_a^b f(t)dt.

Let define t=\frac{b-a}{2}x+\frac{a+b}{2} and then dt=\frac{b-a}{2}dx.

Let also define \phi such like x=\left(t-\frac{a+b}{2}\right)\frac{2}{b-a}=\frac{2t-a-b}{b-a}=\phi(t).

So \phi(a)=\frac{2a-a-b}{b-a}=-1 and \phi(b)=\frac{2b-a-b}{b-a}=1.

Hence \int_a^b f(t)dt=\int_{-1}^1 f(\phi(x))\phi'(x)dx=\left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)\int_{-1}^1 f\left(\left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)x+\frac{a+b}{2}\right)dx.
```

3.0.4 d

So using the roots and the weight computed in the question b and applying the formula discovered in the question c, we can write a function that compute the integral of a function f between a and b with a number of panels n.

```
function res=inte(f,a,b,n)

[x,w]=weight(n);

if(imag(x)~=0)

disp("Some of the roots have an imaginary part")

end
res=((b-a)/2)*sum(w.*f(((b-a)/2)*x'+(a+b)/2));
```

7 end

3.0.5 ϵ

In this question, we will compare the Gaussian's method and the Simpon's method using that the solution is found with erf(0.75).

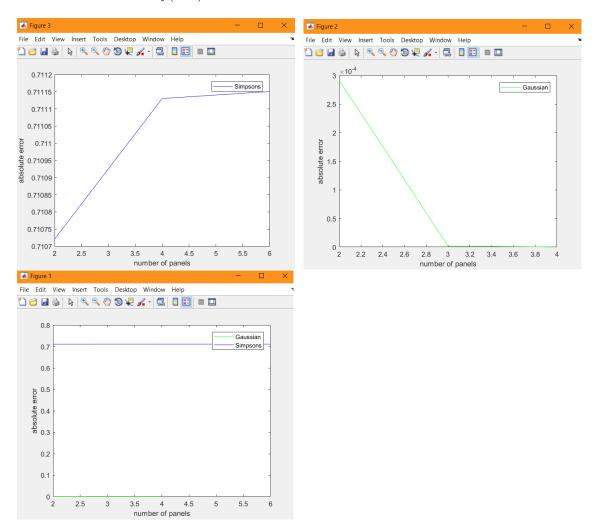


Figure 3.1: Comparison of efficency between the Gaussian's and Simpson's methods

We can observe that the Gaussian's method is more precise and with less panels. Actually the improvements of each method is absolutely not of the same kind. When the Gaussian's method tries to find the best places where to evaluate the function to make the integral most accurate as possible, the Simpson's method tries to use as best as possible the values of the points already given. Indeed, we could try to combinate both methods in order to improve the accuracy of the integral.

- format long
- 2 %Gaussian

```
res(1)=(2/sqrt(pi))*inte(@(x) exp(-x.^2),0,0.75,2);
  res(2)=(2/sqrt(pi))*inte(@(x) exp(-x.^2),0,0.75,3);
  res(3)=(2/sqrt(pi))*inte(@(x) exp(-x.^2),0,0.75,4);
  res(4)=(2/sqrt(pi))*myQuad(0(x) exp(-x.^2),0,0.75,2,'sip');
  res(5)=(2/sqrt(pi))*myQuad(@(x) exp(-x.^2),0,0.75,4,'sip');
  res(6)=(2/sqrt(pi))*myQuad(@(x) exp(-x.^2),0,0.75,6,'sip');
10 err=abs(res-erf(0.75))
plot([2:4],err(1:3),'g',[2:2:6],err(4:6),'b')
12 legend('Gaussian','Simpsons')
xlabel('number of panels')
ylabel('absolute error')
15 figure
plot([2:4],err(1:3),'g')
   legend('Gaussian')
xlabel('number of panels')
   ylabel('absolute error')
19
   figure
   plot([2:2:6],err(4:6),'b')
  xlabel('number of panels')
   ylabel('absolute error')
24 legend('Simpsons')
```

3.0.6 f

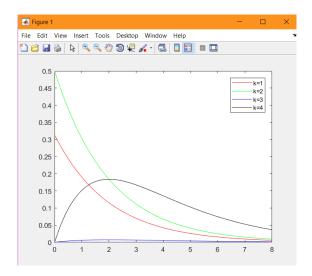


Figure 3.2: Probability density function of χ^2_k against t

```
We can observe that f_1 seems to diverge for x \to 0. \lim_{x\to 0} f_1(x) = \frac{1}{2^{1/2}\Gamma(1/2)} x^{-1/2} \exp^{-x/2} \lim_{x\to 0} f_1(x) = A \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \exp^{-x/2} with A = 1/(\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{\pi} \frac{(2n!)}{2^{2n}n!}). So \lim_{x\to 0} f_1(x) = \infty because \lim_{x\to 0} exp^{-x/2} = 1.
```

```
N=300;
x=linspace(0,8,N);
```

```
3  y=zeros(4,N);
4  y(1,:)=fk(x,1,1e300,30);
5  y(2,:)=fk(x,2,1e300,30);
6  y(3,:)=fk(x,3,1e300,30);
7  y(4,:)=fk(x,4,1e300,30);
8  plot(x,y(1,:),'r',x,y(2,:),'g',x,y(3,:),'b',x,y(4,:),'k')
9  legend('k=1','k=2','k=3','k=4')
```

For this function, we tried to use the definition of Γ with the integral, but it didn't work out, this is why there are the infty and n parameters.

```
function y=fk(x,k,infty,n)
if(x>=0 & mod(k,2)==0)
    y=(1/(2.^(k/2)).*factorial(k/2-1)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
elseif(x>=0 & mod(k,2)==1)
    y=1/(2.^(k/2)).*sqrt(pi)*factorial(k/2-1/2)./(2.^(2*k)*factorial(k/2-1/2)).*x.^(k/2-1/2).*exp(-x/2);
else
    y=0;
end
end
```

3.0.7 g

In order to compute the probability, we use this formula $P(X > \epsilon) = 1 - P(X < \epsilon) = 1 - \int_0^{\epsilon} f(x)$. The problem that have all the methods (except midpoint) is that they use the first born of the bracket, here it is 0 where $f_1 \to \infty$. But the midpoint do not use the same data $x_i = a + (i - \frac{1}{2})h$ (for trapezoid and Simpson's rule the definition of x is $x_i = a + ih$), indeed, when a = 0, the function do not diverge because $x_1 = 0 + \frac{h}{2} = \frac{h}{2}$ (for trapezoid and Simpson's rule $x_1 = 0$). However, even if the probability do not diverge (as it happens with Trapezoid and Simpson's

Number of panels	1	10	100
Midpoint method	0.39	0.6	0.698
Trapezoid rule	$-\infty$	$-\infty$	$-\infty$
Simpson's rule	$-\infty$	$-\infty$	$-\infty$

Table 3.2: Value of P(X > 3.3) computed with Midpoint

rule), the approximation is very bad, and strangely the approximation is better as the number of panels decrease. For example, the better approximation is when there is only one panel. This can be explained by the fact that as the function diverge, more we evaluate the function away from zero, less it is big and then better the value is.

```
p3=1-myQuad(y,0,3.3,n(i),'tra');
p=1-integral(y,0,3.3,'AbsTol',1e-16);
e(1,i)=abs(p1-p);
e(2,i)=abs(p2-p);
e(3,i)=abs(p3-p);
end
```

3.0.8 h

However, the problem we had with the previous methods do not occurs here because. Actually, this can be explained by the fact the value computed by the function f_1 is equal to $\frac{3.3-0}{2}0 + \frac{a+b}{2}$ and not 0 for x = 0 and with 49 panels.

In order to find the value of P(X > 3.3) correct to 6 decimal places, we compare it with the value computed with the function "integral" of matlab. For this comparison we prefer to plot the graph of the error against time because throughout different tries, we have observed that the error can increase over time.

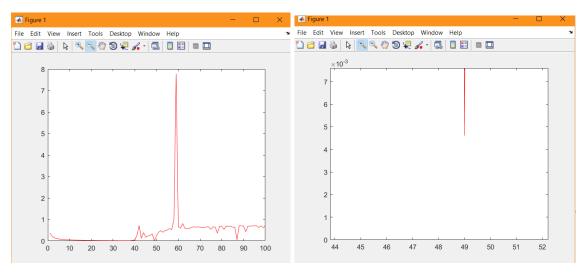


Figure 3.3: Finding the minimum error for P(X > 3.3) with k = 1

We can observe that the minimal error is around 50, and on the second figure, we discover that it is 49. So the best we could find up to a hundred panels is for 49 panels and the error is 10^{-2} .

For k=4, we don't really need to go as far as for the previous one : with only four panels we reached an error around 10^{-7} .

	Value	Absolute error	Number of panels
P(X > 3.3) for k = 1	0.27	10^{-3}	49
P(X > 3.3) for k = 4	0.508932	10^{-7}	4

Table 3.3: Value of P(X > 3.3) for k = 1 and k = 4

```
k=1;infty=1e10;n=30;
if(mod(k,2)==0)
```

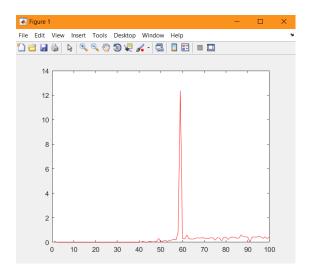


Figure 3.4: Finding the minimum error for P(X > 3.3) with k = 4

```
y=0(x)(1/(2.^(k/2)).*factorial(k/2-1)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
   elseif(mod(k,2)==1)
       y = @(x) 1/(2.^(k/2)).*sqrt(pi)*factorial(k/2-1/2)./(2.^(2*k)*factorial(k/2-1/2)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
   end
   format long
  p1=1-inte(y,0,3.3,49)
   p=1-integral(y,0,3.3,'AbsTol',1e-12)
   e=abs(p-p1)
10
12
   d=1;f=100;
13
   mi=10;
14
   for i=d:f
       pt=1-inte(y,0,3.3,i);
       et(i)=abs(pt-p);
16
       if(et(i)<mi)</pre>
           it=i;
18
           mi=et(i);
19
       end
20
   end
21
   mi% this is the value of the minimum error
22
   it% this is the number of panels where the error is minimal
   plot([1:length(et)],et,'r')
24
25
   k=4;infty=1e10;n=30;
27
   if(mod(k,2)==0)
       y=@(x)(1/(2.^(k/2)).*factorial(k/2-1)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
28
   elseif(mod(k,2)==1)
29
       y = @(x) 1/(2.^(k/2)).*sqrt(pi)*factorial(k/2-1/2)./(2.^(2*k)*factorial(k/2-1/2)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
30
   end
31
   format long
32
   p1=1-inte(y,0,3.3,4)
33
   p=1-integral(y,0,3.3,'AbsTol',1e-12)
34
   e=abs(p-p1)
```

Comments on code

In order to determine, how many panels are the best, we use a loop and searching for the minimum error.

3.0.9 i

The only built-in comand that I know in order to compute the probability for k=4 accurate to 6 decimal. And acutally, this is the one I've used for the last two questions.

```
P(X > 3.3) = 0.508932
```

```
1  k=4;
2  if(mod(k,2)==0)
3    y=0(x)(1/(2.^(k/2)).*factorial(k/2-1)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
4  elseif(mod(k,2)==1)
5   y=0(x)1/(2.^(k/2)).*sqrt(pi)*factorial(k/2-1/2)./(2.^(2*k)*factorial(k/2-1/2)).*x.^(k/2-1).*exp(-x/2);
6  end
7  p=1-integral(y,0,3.3,'AbsTol',1e-6)
```

Chapter 4

Runge-Kutta methods

4.0.1 a

A Butcher tableau allow us to find the coefficients for the different Runge-Kutta methods.

Table 4.1: Butcher Talbeau

But the general tableau have few constrains.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{s} b_i = 1 \sum_{j=1}^{s} a_{i,j} = c_i$$

For example for the RK4, the corresponding tableau is :

Table 4.2: Butcher Talbeau

And we can verify that : $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$, 1 = 0 + 0 + 1 and $\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} = 1$.

4.0.2 b

	RK4	Midpoint method	Heun's	Kutta's $\frac{3}{8} - rule$	Real
y(1)	0.74329	0.7428	0.7439	0.7432939	0.7432941
Error	10^{-7}	10^{-4}	10^{-4}	10^{-6}	

Table 4.3: Approximation of y(1) according to the different mthods of Runge-Kutta

Code

```
a=0;b=1;h=0.1;y0=1;
   N=(b-a)/h;
   [t,yk4]=rk(@(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h,'4');
   [t,ym]=rk(@(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h,'m');
   [t,yH]=rk(@(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h,'H');
   [t,yK]=rk(0(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h,'K');
   yreal=1./sqrt(t.^2+1);
   format long
   yk4(end)
   ym(end)
   yH(end)
   yK(end)
12
   yreal(end)
13
   e=[abs(yreal(end)-yk4(end)) abs(yreal(end)-ym(end)) abs(yreal(end)-yH(end))
        abs(yreal(end)-yK(end))]
```

4.0.3 c

Compute of the real value of y(1)

We have that
$$\frac{y(t)}{y(t)} = -\frac{t}{1+t^2} \Leftrightarrow ln(y(t)) = -\frac{1}{2}ln(1+t^2)$$
. So $y(t) = \exp(ln((1+t^2)^{-1/2})) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+t^2}}$. Hence, $y(1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

Absolute error

The idea to compute the value of y(1) is to look at a bracket and the value we want is at the end of the bracket (we can take [0,1]).

Indeed, as the previous value have been computed in detail thanks to a good value of h, the last value is y(1). A problem if we take a too big bracket is a truncation error that could increase over the number of points studied. So the best to do is to take h as small as possible and the same for the bracket.

With the first figure (absolute error), we can verify that the efficiency of Runge-Kutta 4 is respected: from 10^{-1} to 10^{-3} the absolute error have been improved from 10^{-7} to 10^{-15} , so the global error is around $O(h^4)$ (which is the value maximum in the course). But after 10^{-15} , the error increase instead of decreasing whereas, the less efficient methods (Heun's and Midpoint) continue to improve. This can be explained by the truncation error, because each time we compute m1, m2, m3 and m4, there is a small truncation error that add, and at the end this is why the error increase again. But why this doesn't it happen with Heun's and Midpoint method? This is probably because we don't compute m1, m2, m3 indeed there are many less calculus with truncation error. We can compare this fact with the Hermite Method, which optimize the use of the data, but where the 'noise' (here it is the truncation error) increase.

From the graph we can establish that the most efficient methods in decreasing order are: the fourth Runge-Kutta, Kutta $\frac{3}{8}$, Midpoint method and finally Heun's method. But the good point of the Kutta $\frac{3}{8}$ is that, the error caused by the truncation error increase less fast than the RK4 method.

```
Function Runge-Kutta
function [t,y]=rk(f,a,b,y0,h,cm)
N=(b-a)/h;
y(:,1)=y0;
```

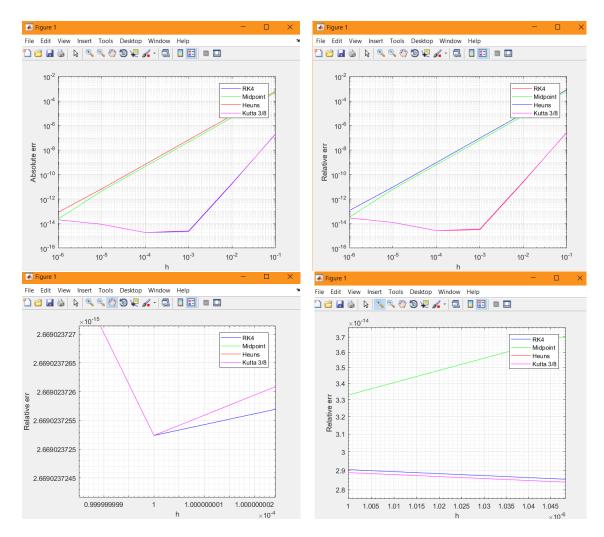


Figure 4.1: Absolute and relative error comparison of efficiency between the fourth method of Runge-Kutta

```
t(1)=a;
   if(cm=='4')
    for k=1:N-1
       m1=f(y(:,k),t(k));
       m2=f(y(:,k)+(h/2)*m1,t(k)+(h/2));
       m3=f(y(:,k)+(h/2)*m2,t(k)+(h/2));
       m4=f(y(:,k)+h*m3,t(k)+h);
10
       y(:,k+1)=y(:,k)+(h/6)*(m1+2*m2+2*m3+m4);
       t(k+1)=a+h*k;
12
    end
13
   end
14
   if(cm=='m')
15
       for k=1:N-1
16
           K=f(y(:,k),t(k));
           m=f(y(:,k)+(h/2)*K,t(k)+(h/2));
18
           y(:,k+1)=y(:,k)+h*m;
19
           t(k+1)=a+h*k;
20
       end
21
   end
22
```

```
if(cm=='H')
    for k=1:N-1
24
       K1=h*f(y(:,k),t(k));
25
       K2=h*f(y(:,k)+K1,t(k)+h);
26
       y(:,k+1)=y(:,k)+(1/2)*(K1+K2);
27
       t(k+1)=a+h*k;
28
    end
   end
30
   if(cm=='K')
31
    for k=1:N-1
32
       k1=h*f(y(:,k),t(k));
33
       k2=h*f(y(:,k)+(k1/3),t(k)+(h/3));
       k3=h*f(y(:,k)-k1/3+k2,t(k)+(2*h/3));
35
       k4=h*f(y(:,k)+k1-k2+k3,t(k)+h);
36
       y(:,k+1)=y(:,k)+(1/8)*(k1+3*k2+3*k3+k4);
37
       t(k+1)=a+h*k;
38
    end
39
   end
```

Figure 4.1 second graph This code is not well optimized, we could have put yreal out of the loop.

```
close all; clear all; path(pathdef); clc;
  p=-1;d=-6;% I can't succed to compute over 10^-6
  h=logspace(p,d,6);
  n=length(h);
   y=0(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2);
   for i=1:n
       a=0;b=1;y0=1;
       N=(b-a)/h(i);
       [t,yk4]=rk(y,a,b,y0,h(i),'4');
9
       [t,ym]=rk(y,a,b,y0,h(i),'m');
       [t,yH]=rk(y,a,b,y0,h(i),'H');
12
       [t,yK]=rk(y,a,b,y0,h(i),'K');
       yreal=1./sqrt(t.^2+1);
       k4(i)=abs(yreal(end)-yk4(end));
       m(i)=abs(yreal(end)-ym(end));
15
       H(i)=abs(yreal(end)-yH(end));
16
       K(i)=abs(yreal(end)-yK(end));
17
   end
18
   loglog(h,k4,'b',h,m,'g',h,H,'r',h,K,'m')
19
   xlabel('h')
20
  ylabel('Absolute err')
21
legend('RK4','Midpoint','Heuns','Kutta 3/8')
23 grid on
24 figure
   plot(t,yk4,'r',t,yreal,'k')
```

Figure 4.1 third graph and fourth

```
close all; clear all; path(pathdef); clc;
p=-1;d=-6;% I can't succed to compute over 10^-6
h=logspace(p,d,6);
n=length(h);
for i=1:n
a=0;b=1;y0=1;
N=(b-a)/h(i);
```

```
[t,yk4]=rk(@(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h(i),'4');
       [t,ym]=rk(0(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h(i),'m');
9
       [t,yH]=rk(0(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h(i),'H');
10
       [t,yK]=rk(0(x,t)-(x*t)/(1+t^2),a,b,y0,h(i),'K');
11
       yreal=1./sqrt(t.^2+1);
12
       k4(i)=abs((yreal(end)-yk4(end))/yreal(end));
13
       m(i)=abs((yreal(end)-ym(end))/yreal(end));
       H(i)=abs((yreal(end)-yH(end))/yreal(end));
       K(i)=abs((yreal(end)-yK(end))/yreal(end));
16
17 end
18 loglog(h,k4,'b',h,m,'g',h,H,'r',h,K,'m')
19 xlabel('h')
ylabel('Relative err')
legend('RK4','Midpoint','Heuns','Kutta 3/8')
   grid on
```

Chapter 5

Rock-scissors-paper

5.0.1 a

$$\frac{d(x+y+z)}{dt} = xy - xz + yz - yx + zx - zy = 0$$

5.0.2 b

$$\frac{d(xyz)}{dt} = yz\frac{d}{t} + xz\frac{dy}{t} + xy\frac{dz}{t}$$

$$\frac{d(xyz)}{dt} = yz(xy - xz) + xz(yz - yx) + xy(zx - zy)$$

$$\frac{d(xyz)}{dt} = xyz(x - z) + xyz(z - x) + xyz(x - y)$$

$$\frac{d(xyz)}{dt} = xyz[x - z + z - x + x - y]$$

$$\frac{d(xyz)}{dt} = 0$$

5.0.3 c

In order to see in detail each function, we will first plot for a small t = 10.

We can observe in the first graph, what we see mainly looks like the theory. First of all, no type is stronger than the other, on the graph we see that x, y and z oscillates with the same period and up to the same value and down to another same value.

But now, in order to see that x, y and z a continue to act like that indefinitely, we will plot this graph ones again but for another value of t = 100. Over the time, it seems that, the amplitude of x, y and z increase a bit abnormally. But the symmetry between x, y and z is conserved, they all increase of the same value.

Let plot for a much bigger t = 1080, in order to determine if this observation that goes against the theory is confirmed.

We see that, over the time, the amplitude of x, y and z definitively increase, then seems to stabilize before to diverge completely. The reason of the increase of the x, y and z amplitude is probably caused by the approximation error that add to itself overt time. Moreover, it makes perfect sens, seeing the definitions of the functions, that if one function diverge then all the derivatives do and indeed the functions also.

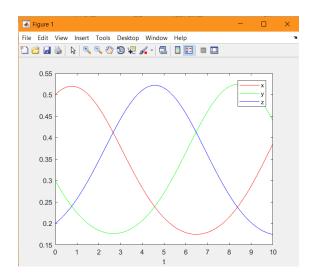


Figure 5.1: x, y and z against t for h=0.02 and up to t=10

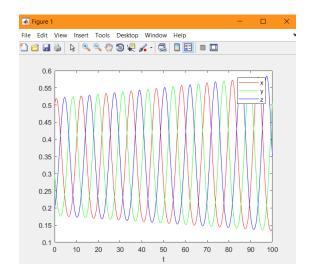


Figure 5.2: x, y and z against t for h=0.02 and up to t=100

```
a=0;b=1080;h1=0.02;y0=[0.5;0.3;0.2];h2=0.2;%with h1, it diverge for 1080, but this is
    because h1 is not enough precise because, when we use h2, it works perfectly

N=(b-a)/h1;

[t,yK]=rk(@(y,t)[y(1)*y(2)-y(1)*y(3),y(2)*y(3)-y(2)*y(1),y(3)*y(1)-y(3)*y(2)],a,b,y0,h1,'K');

plot(t,yK(1,:),'r',t,yK(2,:),'g',t,yK(3,:),'b')

legend('x','y','z')

xlabel('t')
```

5.0.4 d

We can observe, on the first graph, that the function $\frac{d(x+y+z)}{dt}$ is practically constant then start to diverge at t=1080. So on the part that do not diverge the result is consistent with the mathematical theory proved in question (a). And the function start to diverge because it is the sum of 3 divergent functions where, two diverge to $-\infty$, indeed the sum diverges also to $-\infty$. But we can also observe, on the second graph, that the function $\frac{d(xyz)}{dt}$ follows a linear function.

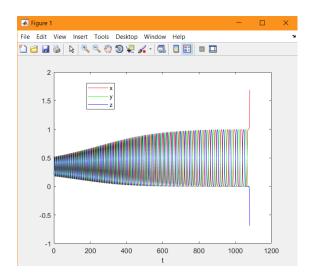


Figure 5.3: x, y and z against t for h = 0.02 and up to t = 100

And this is also confirmed by the third graph, which represents a linear least square curve-fitting method. This last observation is not consistent at all with the question (b). But this can be explained, as the amplitude of x, y and z increase over time, it is logical that the product decrease because we are talking about numbers under 1. This explanation is actually confirmed by the fact that when there is this stabilization in x, y, z, the product becomes almost a constant. Indeed, why this increase of the amplitude do not affect that much the sum, because slight changes of values affect much more a product than a sum. And actually, if we look well, we can see that the sum increase slightly.

Code

We use here the functions programmed in the question 4.

5.0.5 e

With this new value of h=0.002, we can observe that the diverges problems around t=1080 (for x,y,z and t=80 for $\frac{d(x+y+z)}{dt}$, $\frac{d(xyz)}{dt}$) was caused by the value of h not enough precise because this problems disappeared. Moreover, we now see that the predication, confirmed by the curve-fitting method, was good because now we see almost a linear decreasing function. And this do not get into contradiction with the explanation given in the previous question because there are no stabilization in the values of x,y,z.

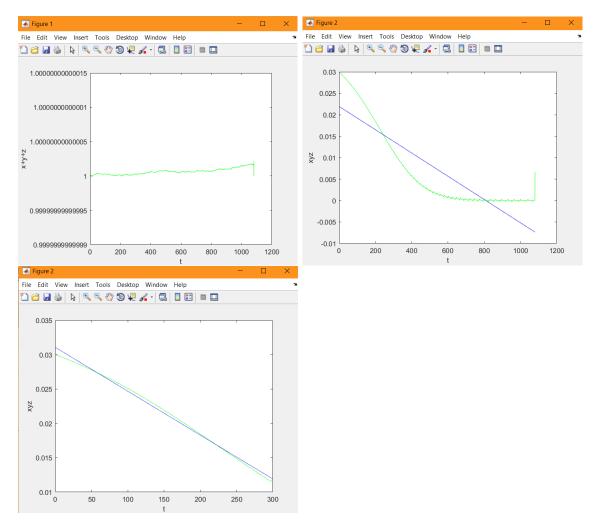


Figure 5.4: $\frac{d(x+y+z)}{dt}$ and $\frac{d(xyz)}{dt}$ against t for h=0.02

Code

We use here the functions programmed in the question 4.

```
a=0;b=3000;h1=0.002;y0=[0.5;0.3;0.2];%with h1, it diverge for 1080, but this is because
       h1 is not enough precise because, when we use h2, it works perfectly
   N=(b-a)/h1;
   t=linspace(a,b,N);
   [t,yK]=rk(@(y,t)[y(1)*y(2)-y(1)*y(3),y(2)*y(3)-y(2)*y(1),y(3)*y(1)-y(3)*y(2)],a,b,y0,h1,'K');
   res=corr(t,yK(1,:).*yK(2,:).*yK(3,:),2);
   plot(t,yK(1,:),'r',t,yK(2,:),'g',t,yK(3,:),'b')
   legend('x','y','z')
   xlabel('t')
   plot(t,yK(1,:)+yK(2,:)+yK(3,:),'g');
   xlabel('t')
   ylabel('x+y+z')
13 figure
   plot(t,yK(1,:).*yK(2,:).*yK(3,:),'g',t,res(1)+res(2)*t,'b')
legend('data','curve-fiting method')
16 xlabel('t')
```

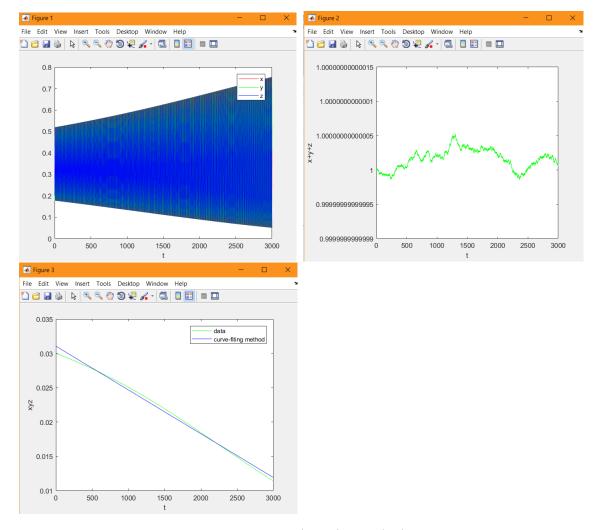


Figure 5.5: Graph of $x, y, z, x+y+z, \frac{d(x+y+z)}{dt}$ and $\frac{d(xyz)}{dt}$ against t for h=0.002

17 ylabel('xyz')

5.0.6 f

If we increase again the time, up to t=5000, we saw that, there are no divergence as when h=0.02. So it seems confirmed that, this divergence was caused by the truncation and approximation error. Let now $t=10^5$, we see that, there is a stabilization and that stay very long (more than $9\cdot 10^4$). So is this because, the approximation with ode45 is very good, and there should be a divergence after a much longer time. I can't give answer to this question, but the most probable is that, the increase of amplitude is normal. And finally, we couldn't observe with Runge-Kutta method programmed in this report this final stabilization of x,y,z that correspond to the fact that no type is stronger than the others.

y0=[0.5;0.3;0.2];

² Tspan=1e5;

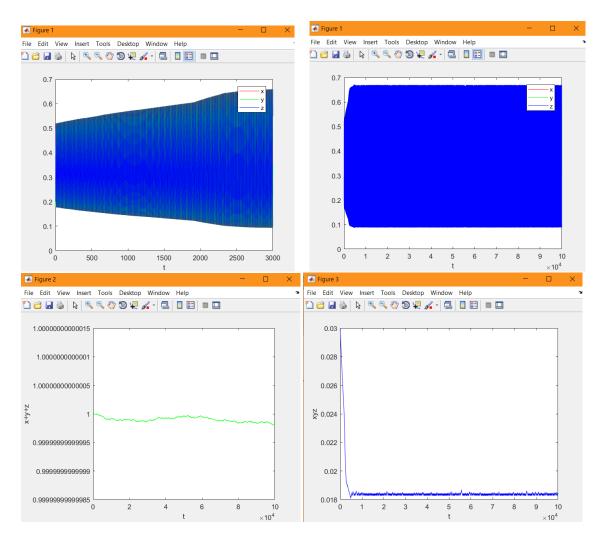


Figure 5.6: Graph of x, y, z, x + y + z, xyz against t comptued with ode45

```
[t,y]=ode45(@(t,y)[y(1)*y(2)-y(1)*y(3);y(2)*y(3)-y(2)*y(1);y(3)*y(1)-y(3)*y(2)],[0]
       Tspan],y0);
   [t,y] = 0.045(@(t,y)2*y,[0 2000],y0);
   tspan = [0 5];
   y0 = 0;
   %[t,y] = ode45(@(t,y) 2*t, [-45,5], y0);
   %plot(t,y)
   plot(t,y(:,1),'r',t,y(:,2),'g',t,y(:,3),'b')
10
   legend('x','y','z')
11
   xlabel('t')
12
   figure
   plot(t,y(:,1)+y(:,2)+y(:,3),'g')
14
   xlabel('t')
   ylabel('x+y+z')
16
   figure
17
   plot(t,y(:,1).*y(:,2).*y(:,3),'b')
   xlabel('t')
19
   ylabel('xyz')
```

Part I

Annexe

Question 1 a

```
function [nbsteps, value]=rootfinding2(f,fprime,a,b,n,err,cm)
2 %aerr: absolute error storage
   %rerr : realtive error storage
   %value : corresponds to the value of the nearest root function
   %f: is the function
   %fprime: derivative of the function
   %a,b : is the bracket
   %n: number maximum of steps used
   %err: absolute error tolerances
_{\rm 10} %cm: correponds to the method we want to use
11
   if(b-a<0)
12
       error("the values for a and be you've entered is not a bracket")
13
14
15
   if(err<0)</pre>
       error("The error tolerance can't be negative")
18
19
20
x0=(a+b)/2;
22 if(cm=='nr')
23 x=x0;
24 c=0;
25 x2=x0+2*err;
   while(c<n & abs(x2-x)>err)
26
27
       x2=x;
       t=x-f(x)./fprime(x);
28
       if(t>b |t<a)
29
          error('There is a convergence problem')
30
       \quad \text{end} \quad
31
       x=t;
32
       c=c+1;
33
34 end
35 value=x;
36 nbsteps=c;
37 end
38 if(cm=='se')
39 c=0; x=a; x2=b;
40 while(c<n & abs(x2-x)>err)
       t=x-((x-x2)/(f(x)-f(x2)))*f(x);
41
       x2=x;
42
       if(t>b |t<a)
43
          error('There is a convergence problem')
44
       end
45
       x=t;
46
       c=c+1;
47
_{48} end
   value=x;
50 nbsteps=c;
51 end
52 if(cm=='rd')
       x1=a; x2=b; c=0;
53
       x4=(x1+x2)/2;
54
```

```
xp=x4+2*err;
55
   while(c<n & abs(xp-x4)>err)
56
       x3=(x1+x2)/2;
57
       xp=x4;
58
       x4=x3+(x3-x1)*(sign(f(x1)-f(x2))*f(x3))./sqrt(f(x3).^2-f(x1).*f(x2));
59
       if(x4>x2 |x4<x1)%this is impossible, we don't need it
60
          error('There is a convergence problem')
       end
       if(f(x1)*f(x4)<0)
63
           x2=x4;
64
       elseif(f(x2)*f(x4)<0)
65
          x1=x4;
66
       else
67
           break;
68
69
70
       if(x1>x2)
71
           x1=x2;
73
           x2=t;
       end
74
       c=c+1;
75
76 end
  x=x4;
77
value=x;
79 nbsteps=c;
80 end
81 end
   function [nbsteps, value]=ridder(f,a,b,n,err)
       x1=a; x2=b; c=0;
       x4=(x1+x2)/2;
       xp=x4+err;
   while(c < n & (xp-x4) > 10^(-err))
       x3=(x1+x2)/2;
6
       xp=x4;
       x4=x3+(x3-x1)*(sign(f(x1)-f(x2))*f(x3))./sqrt(f(x3).^2-f(x1).*f(x2));
       if(f(x1)*f(x4)<0)
           x2=x4;
10
       elseif(f(x2)*f(x4)<0)
11
           x1=x4;
12
       else
13
           break;
14
       end
15
       if(x1>x2)
16
          t=x1;
17
           x1=x2;
19
           x2=t;
       end
20
       c=c+1;
21
22 end
23 x=x4;
value=x;
25 nbsteps=c;
26
```