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1 A4-Q1: MySpline

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[1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
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1.1 MySpline

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[2]: def MySpline(x, y):
    '''
    S = MySpline(x, y)

    Input:
    x and y are arrays (or lists) of corresponding x- and y-values,
    specifying the points in the x-y plane. The x-values
    must be in increasing order.

    Output:
    S is a function that takes x or an array (or list) of x-values
    It evaluates the cubic spline and returns the interpolated value.

    Implementation:
    Note that there is one more "a" than "b" or "c". I would suggest
    the following mapping:

    a[0] = a_0          b[0] = b_1          c[0] = c_1
    a[1] = a_1          b[1] = b_2          c[1] = c_2
    :                  :                  :
    a[n-2] = a_(n-2)    b[n-2] = b_(n-1)    c[n-2] = c_(n-1)
    a[n-1] = a_(n-1)

    The polynomial piece is evaluated at xx using

    p_i(xx) = a[i]*(x[i+1]-xx)**3/(6*hi) + a[i+1]*(xx-x[i])**3/(6*hi) +
              b[i]*(x[i+1]-xx) + c[i]*(xx-x[i])

    where hk = x[k+1] - x[k] for k = 0, ... , n-1
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'''
n = len(x)
h = np.zeros(n-1)
a = np.zeros(n)
b = np.zeros(n-1)
c = np.zeros(n-1)

M = np.zeros((n,n))
r = np.zeros(n)

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# make h
for i in range(0,n-1):
    h[i] = x[i+1] - x[i]
# make r
for i in range(1,n-1):
    r[i] = (y[i+1] - y[i]) / h[i] - (y[i] - y[i-1]) / h[i-1]
# make M
for m in range(1,n-1):
    M[m][m-1] = h[m-1] / 6
    M[m][m] = (h[m-1] + h[m]) / 3
    M[m][m+1] = h[m] / 6
M[0][0] = 1
M[n-1][n-1] = 1

# make a
a = np.linalg.solve(M,r)

# make b and c
for i in range(0,n-1):
    b[i] = y[i] / h[i] - a[i] * h[i] / 6
    c[i] = y[i+1] / h[i] - a[i+1] * h[i] / 6

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#
# This is the function that gets returned.
# It evaluates the cubic spline at xvals.
#
def spline(xvals, x=x, a=a, b=b, c=c):
    '''
        S = spline(xvals)

        Evaluates the cubic spline at xvals.

        Inputs:

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        xvals can be list-like, or a scalar (**must be in ascending order**)

    Output:
    S is a list of values with the same number of elements as x
    '''
    # Turn non-list-like input into list-like
    if type(xvals) not in (list, np.ndarray,):
        xvals = [xvals]

    S = [] # The return list of values

    #
    k = 0 # this is the current polynomial piece
    hk = x[k+1] - x[k]

    for xx in xvals:

        # If the next x-value is not on the current piece...
        if xx > x[k+1]:
            # ... Go to next piece
            k += 1
            hk = x[k+1] - x[k]

        S_of_x = a[k]*(x[k+1]-xx)**3/(6*hk) + a[k+1]*(xx-x[k])**3/(6*hk) +
        ↪ b[k]*(x[k+1]-xx) + c[k]*(xx-x[k])

        S.append(S_of_x)

    return S

    #=====

    return spline

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1.2 Test MySpline

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[3]: # Simple data points to interpolate
y = [1, 3, 4, 2, -1, 1]
t = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

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[8]: # Call the function
sp = MySpline(t,y)

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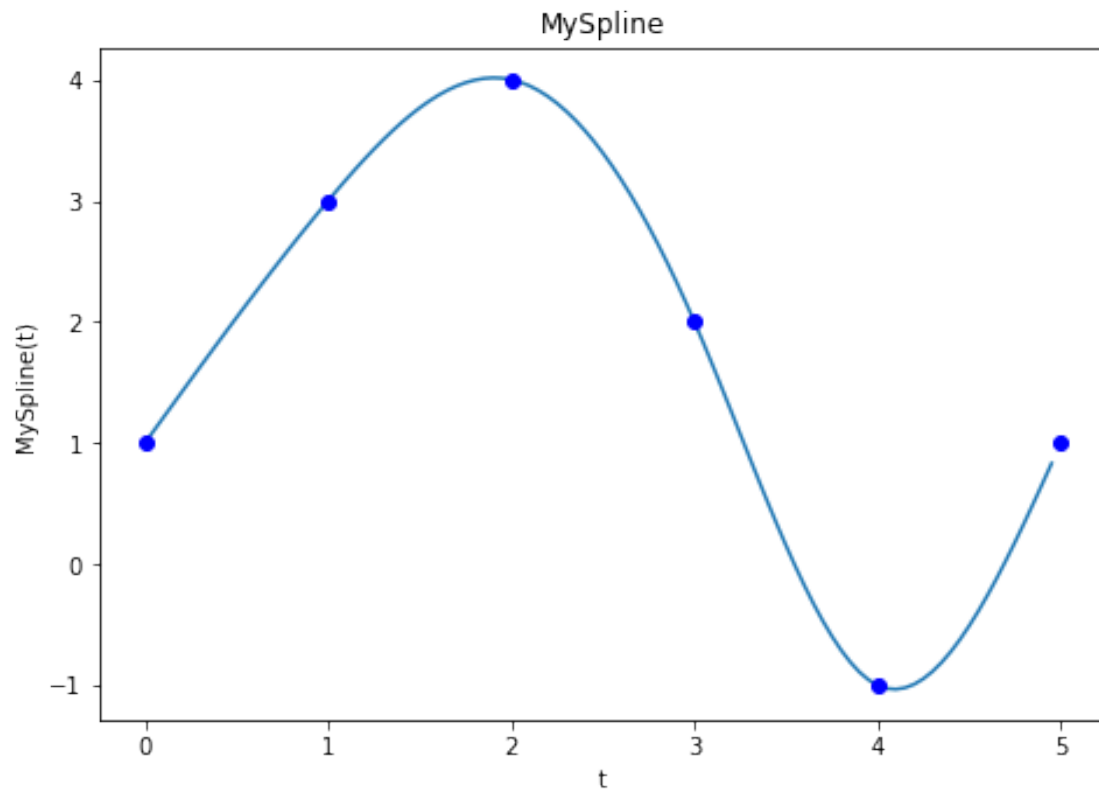
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[11]: # Plot the spline and the interpolation points
xx = np.arange(0, 5, 0.05)
fig = plt.figure()
ax=fig.add_axes([0,0,1,1])

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ax.plot(xx,sp(xx))
ax.plot(t,y,'bo')
ax.set_title("MySpline")
ax.set_xlabel('t')
ax.set_ylabel('MySpline(t)')
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[11]: Text(0, 0.5, 'MySpline(t)')
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