

# CS6210 - Homework/Assignment-6

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**Question-6: Chapter-15, question-4**


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(a) **Prove:** Error in basic corrected trapezoidal rule in the interval  $[a, b]$  can be estimated by:

$$E(f) = \frac{f''''(\eta)}{720}(b-a)^5$$

**Proof:** The osculating polynomial formula for the basic corrected trapezoidal rule is written as:

$$p_3(x) = f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + f[a, a, b](x-a)^2 + f[a, a, b, b](x-a)^2(x-b)$$

The error in the polynomial interpolation in that case will be given by:

$$f[a, a, b, b, x](x-a)(x-a)(x-b)(x-b)$$

Then, to find the error in the integral of the polynomial, we can integrate the error of polynomial described above, in the interval  $[a, b]$

$$E(f) = \int_a^b f[a, a, b, b, x]\psi(x)$$

where  $\psi(x) = \prod_{i=0}^3 (x-x_i) = 3(x-x_i) = (x-a)(x-a)(x-b)(x-b)$

Notice that, since  $x$  lies in the interval  $[a, b]$ , hence  $(x-a) \geq 0$  and  $(x-b) \leq 0$ . In any case, the square of the terms will be greater than equal to 0. So, in the given interval  $\psi(x) \geq 0$  always. Because  $\psi(x)$  does not changes sign in the interval, then using the intermediate value theorem, there exists  $a \leq \eta \leq b$ , such that:

$$E(f) = \int_a^b f[a, a, b, b, x]\psi(x) = \int_a^b f[a, a, b, b, \eta]\psi(x)$$

where,

$$f[a, a, b, b, \eta] = \frac{f''''(\eta)}{4!}$$

which is a constant, say  $K$ .

Then we can write the error integral as:

$$E(f) = K \int_a^b (x-a)^2(x-b)^2$$

Doing integration by parts:

$$E(f) = K \left[ \frac{(x-a)^2(x-b)^3}{3} - \frac{(x-a)(x-b)^4}{6} + \frac{(x-b)^5}{30} \right]_a^b = \frac{-(a-b)^5}{30}$$

Replaciing back K, we get:

$$E(f) = \frac{f''''(\eta)}{4!} \frac{-(a-b)^5}{30} = \frac{f''''(\eta)(b-a)^5}{720}$$

(b) The integral for the corrected trapezoidal is written is:

$$I_f \approx \int_a^b p_3(x)dx = \frac{(b-a)}{2}[f(a) + f(b)] + \frac{(b-a)^2}{12}[f'(a) - f'(b)]$$

**part-1:** For the integral  $\int_0^1 e^x dx$ , thus  $a = 0, b = 1$ , and  $f(x) = e^x, f'(x) = e^x$ . So,  $f(a) = 1, f(b) = e, f'(a) = 1, f'(b) = e$

Using the basic corrected trapezoidal, we get:

$$\int_0^1 e^x dx = 1.71595$$

the actual evaluation is 1.7183... while the basic trapezoidal evaluation from Example-15.2 is 1.7183.... Hence, the evaluation using the basic corrected trapezoidal is more accurate than the basic trapezoidal.

**part-2:** For the integral  $\int_{0.9}^1 e^x dx$ , thus  $a = 0.9, b = 1$ , and  $f(x) = e^x, f'(x) = e^x$ . So,  $f(a) = e^{0.9}, f(b) = e, f'(a) = e^{0.9}, f'(b) = e$

Using the basic corrected trapezoidal, we get:

$$\int_{0.9}^1 e^x dx = 0.258678$$

The actual evaluation is 0.2586787171..., while the basic trapezoidal evaluation from Example-15.2 is 0.258894... hence, the evaluation using the basic corrected trapezoidal is more accurate than the basic trapezoidal.

### Question-7: Chapter-15, question-5

(a) In the interval  $[a, b]$ , the basic midpoint rule is given as :

$$I_f \approx (b - a)f\left(\frac{a + b}{2}\right) \quad (1)$$

For the composite midpoint rule, we consider  $r$  subintervals in the original interval  $[a, b]$  and apply the basic midpoint rule to each subinterval and then sum over all the subintervals to get the composite integral. The rule applied to an interval  $[t_{i-1}, t_i]$ , such that the interval widths are uniform and  $t_i - t_{i-1} = h = \frac{b - a}{r}$ , will be:

$$\int_{t_{i-1}}^{t_i} f(x) dx \approx hf\left(\frac{t_{i-1} + t_i}{2}\right)$$

Summing over all the subintervals to get the complete composite integral:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = h \sum_{i=1}^r f\left(\frac{t_{i-1} + t_i}{2}\right)$$

For,  $r$  equispaced intervals over  $[a, b]$ , we have the interval width as  $h = \frac{b - a}{r}$ . Then,  $t_0 = a, t_1 = a + h, t_2 = a + 2h, \dots, t_i = a + ih$ . So,

$$\frac{t_{i-1} + t_i}{2} = \frac{a + (i - 1)h + a + ih}{2} = a + \left(i - \frac{1}{2}\right)h$$

Replacing it in the original integral, we get the final form for the composite midpoint as:

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx h \sum_{i=1}^r f\left(a + \left(i - \frac{1}{2}\right)h\right)$$

From the above expression, we can see that there is one function evaluation per subinterval. Hence, the number of function evaluations is  $r = \frac{b - a}{h}$

(b) Wait for Sourabh's response

### Question-8: Chapter-15, question-13

Given that the interval of integration,  $[a, b]$ , is divided into equal sub-intervals of length  $h$ , such that  $r = \frac{b-a}{h}$

**Composite Simpson:**

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx \approx \frac{h}{3} \left[ f(a) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}-1} f(t_{2k}) + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}} f(t_{2k-1}) + f(b) \right] \quad (2)$$

The expression for composite trapezoidal with step size  $h$  is given by:

**R1: Composite trapezoidal rule of step size  $h$**

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx \approx \frac{h}{2} \sum_{i=1}^r f(t_{i-1}) + f(t_i)$$

$$R_2 = \frac{h}{2} [f(a) + 2f(t_1) + 2f(t_2) + \cdots + 2f(t_{r-1}) + f(b)]$$

**R2: Composite trapezoidal rule of step size  $2h$**  For step-size of  $2h$ , we require even number of subintervals. In the above expression for summation, thus we change the summing variable  $i$  to  $2k$ , and the limit become  $\frac{r}{2}$ . Hence, we have:

$$R_2 = \frac{2h}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}} f(t_{2k-2}) + f(t_{2k})$$

$$R_2 = h[\{f(t_0) + f(t_2) + \cdots + f(t_{r-2})\} + \{f(t_2) + f(t_4) + \cdots + f(t_r)\}]$$

Since,  $t_0$  and  $t_r$  are the two extreme end points of the interval, hence  $t_0 = a$  and  $t_r = b$  Thus, we get:

$$R_2 = h[f(a) + 2f(t_2) + 2f(t_4) + \cdots + 2f(t_{r-2}) + f(b)]$$

Hence, evaluating  $S = \frac{4R_2 - R_1}{3}$

$$4R_2 - R_1 = h[2f(a) + 4f(t_1) + 4f(t_2) + \cdots + 4f(t_{r-1}) + 2f(b)] - h[f(a) - 2f(t_2) - 2f(t_4) - \cdots - f(b)]$$

$$4R_2 - R_1 = h[f(a) + \{2f(t_2) + 2f(t_4) + \cdots + 2f(t_{r-2})\} + \{4f(t_1) + 4f(t_3) + \cdots + 4f(t_{r-1})\} + f(b)]$$

$$4R_2 - R_1 = h[f(a) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}-1} f(t_{2k}) + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}} f(t_{2k-1}) + f(b)]$$

$$\frac{4R_2 - R_1}{3} = \frac{h}{3} [f(a) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}-1} f(t_{2k}) + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{\frac{r}{2}} f(t_{2k-1}) + f(b)]$$

The rhs of the above is exactly the expression for the composite Simpson's rule (2)