

let  $x^k = \alpha + \epsilon_k$ .

then,  $\alpha + \epsilon_{k+1} = \alpha + \epsilon_k - \frac{f(\alpha + \epsilon_k)}{f'(\alpha + \epsilon_k)} - \frac{f\left(\alpha + \epsilon_k - \frac{f(\alpha + \epsilon_k)}{f'(\alpha + \epsilon_k)}\right)}{f'(\alpha + \epsilon_k)} \dots \quad (1)$

$f(\alpha + \epsilon_k) = f(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f'(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2!} f''(\alpha) + \dots$

$f'(\alpha + \epsilon_k) = f'(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots$

$\epsilon_{k+1} = \epsilon_k - \frac{\frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f'(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2!} f''(\alpha) + \dots}{f'(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots} - \frac{f(\alpha + \psi)}{f'(\alpha + \epsilon_k)} \dots \quad (2)$

$\psi = \epsilon_k f(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{1!} f'(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{2!} f''(\alpha) + \dots - \epsilon_k f'(\alpha) + \epsilon_k^2 f''(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{2!} f'''(\alpha) + \dots$

$\Rightarrow f'(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots$

then  $\frac{\frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} f''(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} f'''(\alpha) + \dots}{f'(\alpha) \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots\right)}$

$= \left(\frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} \frac{f'''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \dots\right) \left(1 - \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots\right)$

$= \epsilon_k^2 \frac{f''(\alpha)}{2 f'(\alpha)} + \epsilon_k^3 \left(\frac{f'''(\alpha)}{3 f'(\alpha)} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{f'(\alpha)^2}\right) + \dots$

$\Rightarrow \epsilon_{k+1} = \left(\frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} \frac{f'''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} - \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{2} \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{f'(\alpha)^2}\right) - \frac{f\left(\alpha + \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} \frac{f'''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} - \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{2} \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{f'(\alpha)^2}\right)}{f'(\alpha) \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots\right)}$

$= \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} \frac{f'''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} - \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{2} \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{f'(\alpha)^2} - \frac{f(\alpha) + \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \epsilon_k^3 \left(\frac{f'''(\alpha)}{3!} - \frac{f''(\alpha)^2}{2! f'(\alpha)}\right)}{f'(\alpha) \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon_k}{1!} f''(\alpha) + \dots\right)}$

$= \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} \frac{f'''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} - \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{2} \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{f'(\alpha)^2} - \frac{\epsilon_k^2}{2 f'(\alpha)} - \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{3} \left(\frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} - \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{2 f'(\alpha)^2}\right) + \frac{\epsilon_k^3}{1!} \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} f''(\alpha) + \dots$

$\Rightarrow \epsilon_{k+1} = \epsilon_k^3 \frac{(f''(\alpha))^2}{f'(\alpha)^2} + \dots$

Therefore, the convergence order of the sequence is 3.