

Numerical Methods

Lab 5.Numerical Differentiation 2

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Task 1

```
[37]: import numpy as np
      from sympy import Symbol, lambdify, exp, sin
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

Defining the function $f(x)$

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[38]: def f(x):
      return np.exp(np.sin(2 * x))
```

Defining the numerical derivative function using the given approximation

```
[39]: def numerical_derivative(x, h):
      f_derivative = (f(x + h / 2) - f(x - h / 2)) / h
      return f_derivative
```

Defining the analytical derivative function

```
[40]: def analytical_derivative_f(x_value):
      x = Symbol('x')
      f = exp(sin(2 * x))
      f_derivative = f.diff(x)
      f_derivative_func = lambdify(x, f_derivative)
      return f_derivative_func(x_value)
```

Point at which the derivative is to be calculated

```
[41]: x = 0.5
```

Calculating the derivative and absolute error for different values of h

```
[42]: n_values = range(1, 12)
      h_values = [10**(-n) for n in n_values]
      errors = []

      for h in h_values:
          num_derivative = numerical_derivative(x, h)
          analytical_valuee = analytical_derivative_f(x)
```

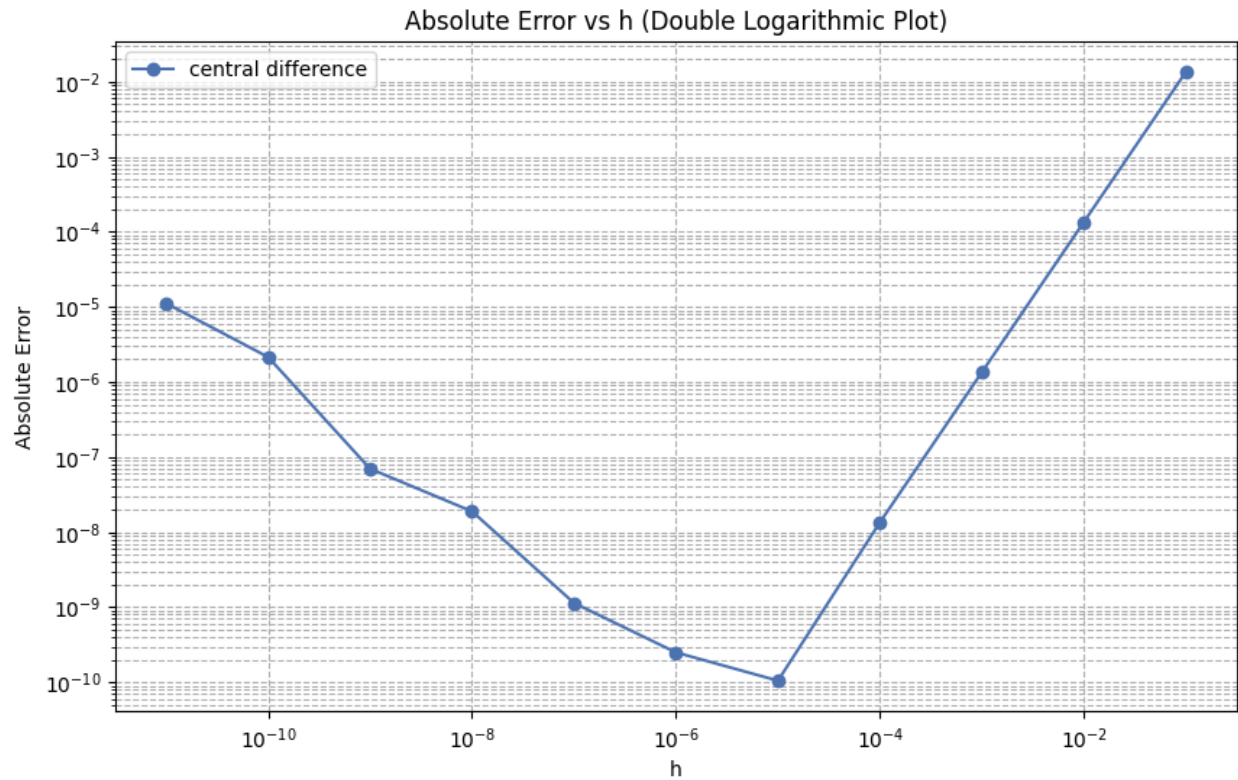
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absolute_error = np.abs(num_derivative - analytical_valuee)
errors.append(absolute_error)
```

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[43]: for h, error in zip(h_values, errors):
       print(f"h = {h:.1e}, Absolute Error = {error:.5e}")
```

```
h = 1.0e-01, Absolute Error = 1.34656e-02
h = 1.0e-02, Absolute Error = 1.35047e-04
h = 1.0e-03, Absolute Error = 1.35051e-06
h = 1.0e-04, Absolute Error = 1.35078e-08
h = 1.0e-05, Absolute Error = 1.05175e-10
h = 1.0e-06, Absolute Error = 2.50096e-10
h = 1.0e-07, Absolute Error = 1.13827e-09
h = 1.0e-08, Absolute Error = 1.89018e-08
h = 1.0e-09, Absolute Error = 6.99160e-08
h = 1.0e-10, Absolute Error = 2.15053e-06
h = 1.0e-11, Absolute Error = 1.11721e-05
```

Task 2

```
[44]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
      plt.style.use('seaborn-v0_8-deep')
      plt.loglog(h_values, errors, marker='o', label='central difference')
      plt.xlabel('h')
      plt.ylabel('Absolute Error')
      plt.title('Absolute Error vs h (Double Logarithmic Plot)')
      plt.legend()
      plt.grid(True, which="both", ls="--")
      plt.show()
```



Deriving the estimated value of h for minimum error

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[45]: estimated_error = np.argmin(errors)
      estimated_h = h_values[estimated_error]
      print(f"Estimated h for minimum error: {estimated_h:.1e}")
```

Estimated h for minimum error: 1.0e-05

Task 3

Comparing the results with two-point forward difference method

```
[46]: from lab4 import derivative

      errors_2 = []

      for h in h_values:
          num_derivative = derivative(f, x, h)
          analytical_valuee = analytical_derivative_f(x)
          absolute_error = np.abs(num_derivative - analytical_valuee)
          errors_2.append(absolute_error)
```

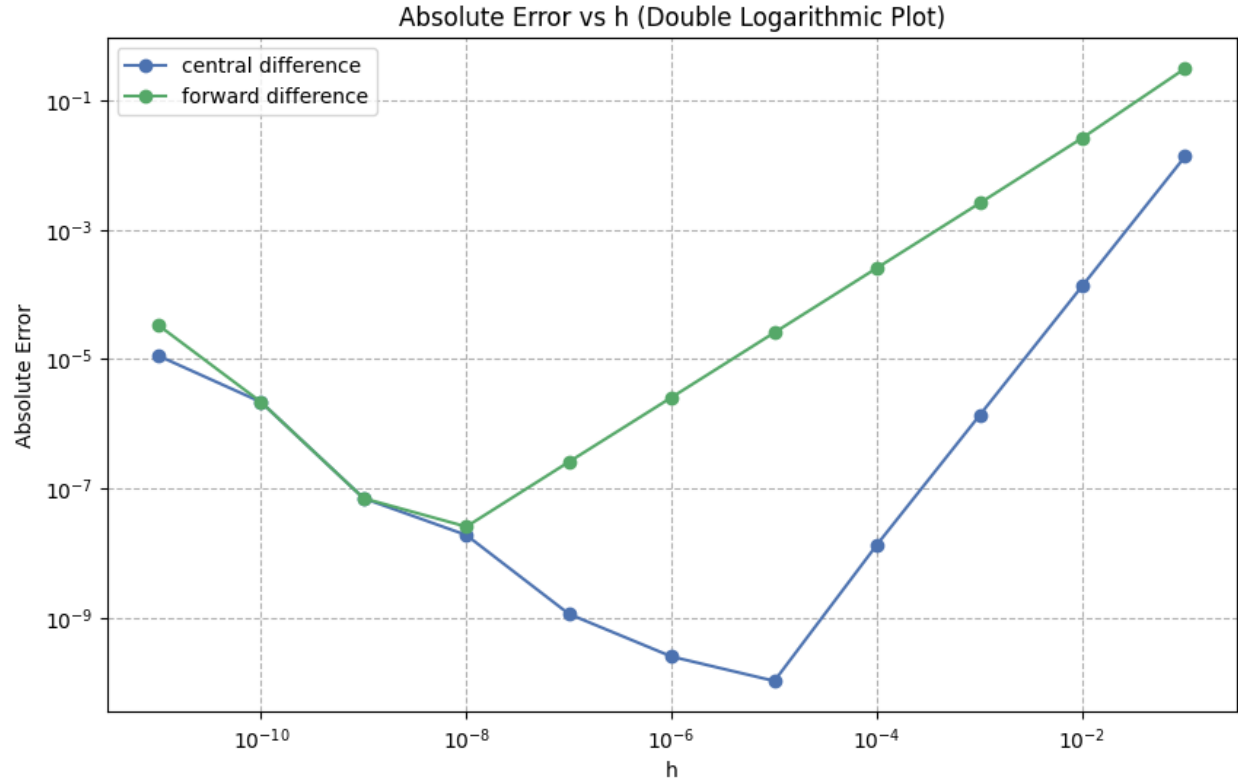
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[47]: errors_2
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[47]: [0.30770445833762494,  
      0.02603591569011865,  
      0.0025550421497806397,  
      0.00025501809412364906,  
      2.549695425191345e-05,  
      2.549266057805255e-06,  
      2.5643346734938177e-07,  
      2.550707822734921e-08,  
      6.991599921235547e-08,  
      2.1505300500379576e-06,  
      3.323677473954234e-05]
```

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[48]: errors
```

```
[48]: [0.013465609469768935,  
      0.00013504724926516332,  
      1.3505116287504393e-06,  
      1.350778777720052e-08,  
      1.0517542392562973e-10,  
      2.5009594395442036e-10,  
      1.1382743636545456e-09,  
      1.890184275765705e-08,  
      6.991599921235547e-08,  
      2.1505300500379576e-06,  
      1.1172146245463921e-05]
```

```
[49]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))  
      plt.style.use('seaborn-v0_8-deep')  
      plt.loglog(h_values, errors, marker='o', label='central difference')  
      plt.loglog(h_values, errors_2, marker='o', label='forward difference')  
      plt.xlabel('h')  
      plt.ylabel('Absolute Error')  
      plt.title('Absolute Error vs h (Double Logarithmic Plot)')  
      plt.legend()  
      plt.grid(True, which="both", ls="--")  
      plt.show()
```



Task 4

Deriving the formula for an approximate value of the second derivative using the given equations
Start with the given equations:

$$f\left(x + \frac{h}{2}\right) = f(x) + \frac{h}{2}f'(x) + \frac{h^2}{8}f''(x) + \frac{h^3}{48}f'''(x) + \dots$$

$$f\left(x - \frac{h}{2}\right) = f(x) - \frac{h}{2}f'(x) + \frac{h^2}{8}f''(x) - \frac{h^3}{48}f'''(x) + \dots$$

Add the two equations to eliminate the odd derivatives:

$$f\left(x + \frac{h}{2}\right) + f\left(x - \frac{h}{2}\right) = 2f(x) + \frac{h^2}{4}f''(x) + \dots$$

Rearrange to solve for $f''(x)$:

$$f''(x) \approx \frac{8}{h^2} \left(\frac{f\left(x + \frac{h}{2}\right) + f\left(x - \frac{h}{2}\right) - 2f(x)}{2} \right)$$

Thus, the formula for the approximate value of the second derivative is:

```
[50]: def second_derivative(f, x, h):
        return (8 / h**2) * ((f(x + h/2) + f(x - h/2) - 2 * f(x)) / 2)
```

Analyzing the relationship between the error and h for same function f(x)

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[51]: errors_3 = []
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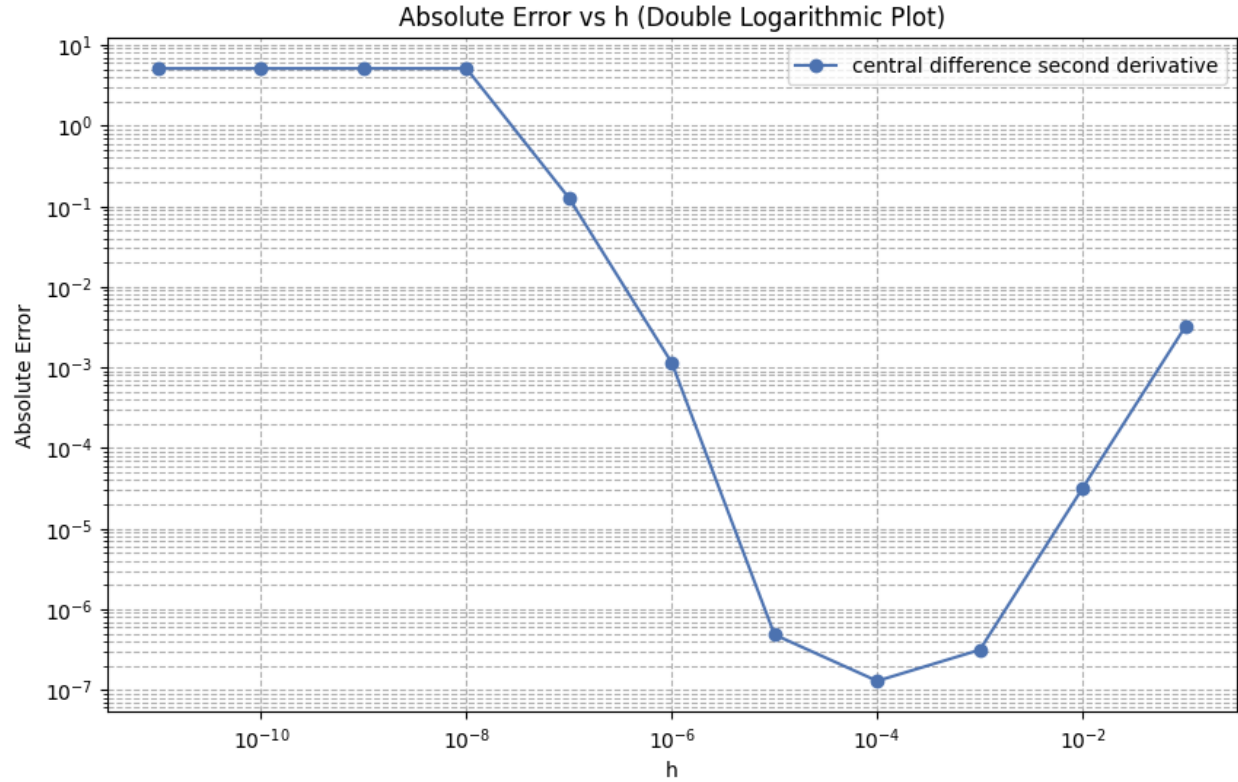
```
[52]: def analytical_second_derivative_f(x_value):
        x = Symbol('x')
        f = exp(sin(2 * x))
        f_derivative = f.diff(x)
        f_second_derivative = f_derivative.diff(x)
        f_derivative_func = lambdify(x, f_second_derivative)
        return f_derivative_func(x_value)
```

```
[53]: for h in h_values:
        num_derivative = second_derivative(f, x, h)
        analytical_value2 = analytical_second_derivative_f(x)
        absolute_error = np.abs(num_derivative - analytical_value2)
        errors_3.append(absolute_error)
```

```
[54]: errors_3
```

```
[54]: [0.003188813375989419,
        3.1653391875607895e-05,
        3.136965922578838e-07,
        1.2895548096025777e-07,
        4.842268497284863e-07,
        0.0011373526040650006,
        0.12548233136208164,
        5.099281481682784,
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        5.099281481682784]
```

```
[55]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
        plt.style.use('seaborn-v0_8-deep')
        plt.loglog(h_values, errors_3, marker='o', label='central difference second_
        ↳derivative')
        plt.xlabel('h')
        plt.ylabel('Absolute Error')
        plt.title('Absolute Error vs h (Double Logarithmic Plot)')
        plt.legend()
        plt.grid(True, which="both", ls="--")
        plt.show()
```



Conclusion

In this analysis, we computed the first and second derivatives of the function $f(x) = e^{\sin(2x)}$ at $x = 0.5$ using the two-point central difference method and compared the results with the two-point forward difference method. The absolute errors were plotted as a function of h on a double logarithmic plot.

For the first derivative, the central difference method showed a lower absolute error compared to the forward difference method, especially for smaller values of h .

Then we can compare it with the central difference second derivative method, and the results shows that it has a higher absolute errors then first derivatives.