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In [47]: using Interact
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In [11]: set_default_plot_size(25cm,10cm)
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## Chapter 4 - Optimization

### 1. Grid Search

#### Exercise 8

Assume that tax revenue for a government is given by  $R(t) = -t^2 + t$  where  $t$  is a tax rate. Use the grid search method and find the percentage tax rate that maximizes tax revenue up to  $10^{-2}$  precision.

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In [44]: function ex8_GridSearch()

    R(t) = -t^2+t

    t = 0:10.0^(-2):1
    y = R.(t)

    results = ["t" "R(t)"; y R.(y)]
    solution = ["t*" "R(t*)"; t[find(y .== maximum(y))][1] maximum(y)]

    p = plot(
        layer(x=t, y=y, Geom.point, Theme(default_color=colorant"blue"), orde
        layer(x=[solution[2,1] solution[2,1]], y=[0 solution[2,2]], Geom.line
        layer(x=[0 1], y=[0 0], Geom.line, Theme(default_color=colorant"black
        Coord.Cartesian(xmin=0,xmax=1)
    )

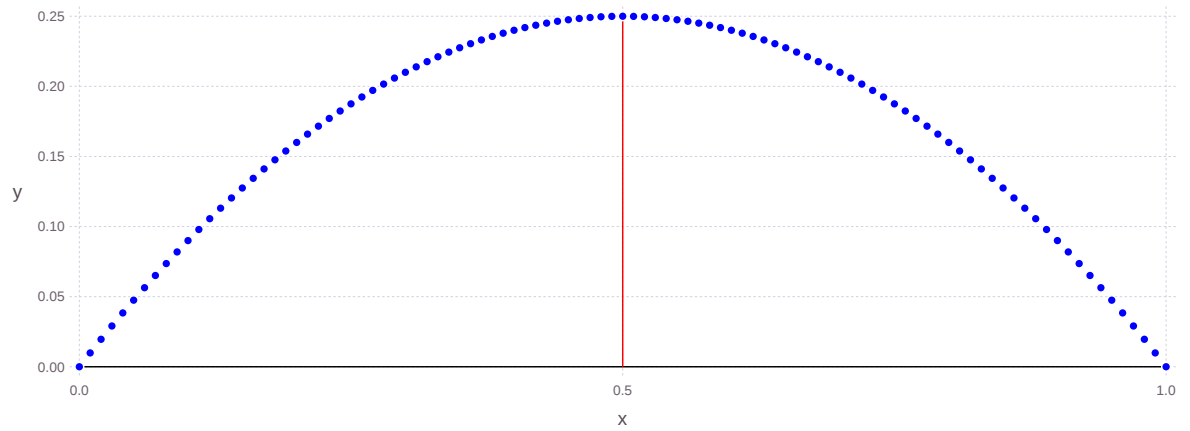
    return results, solution, p
end;
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In [45]: ex8_GridSearch()[2]
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Out[45]: 2x2 Array{Any,2}:  
  "t*"  "R(t*)"   
  0.5    0.25
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In [46]: ex8_GridSearch()[3]
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Out[46]:
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## 2. Golden Search

### Exercise 9.

Let  $f$  be a real valued function such that  $f(x) = x \cos(x^2)$ . Find the maximum of the function using the golden search rule in the interval  $[0, 3]$ , up to  $10^{-10}$  precision.

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In [6]: function ex9_GoldenSearch(x0)

    a = 0; b = 3; tol = 10.0^(-10)
    f(x) = x*cos(x^2)

    path = [x0 0; x0 f(x0)]
    results = ["iter" "x" "cos(x)"]
    iter = 0

    for i in 1:100
        x0 = f(x0); iter += 1
        results = [results; iter x0 cos(x0)]
        path = [path; x0 x0; x0 f(x0)]
    end

    x = (-pi/2):0.01:(pi/2)
    p = plot(
        layer(x=[x[1] x[length(x)]], y=[0 0], Geom.line, Theme(default_color=
        layer(x=x, y=f.(x), Geom.line, Theme(default_color=colorant"blue"), c
        layer(x=x, y=x, Geom.line, Theme(default_color=colorant"green"), orde
        layer(x=path[:,1], y=path[:,2], Geom.line(preserve_order=true), Theme
        Coord.Cartesian(xmin=x[1],xmax=x[length(x)],ymin=0,ymax=1)
    )

    return results, [results[1:4,:]; results[(size(results)[1]-2):size(result
end;

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In [7]: ex6_FixedPoint(1)[2]

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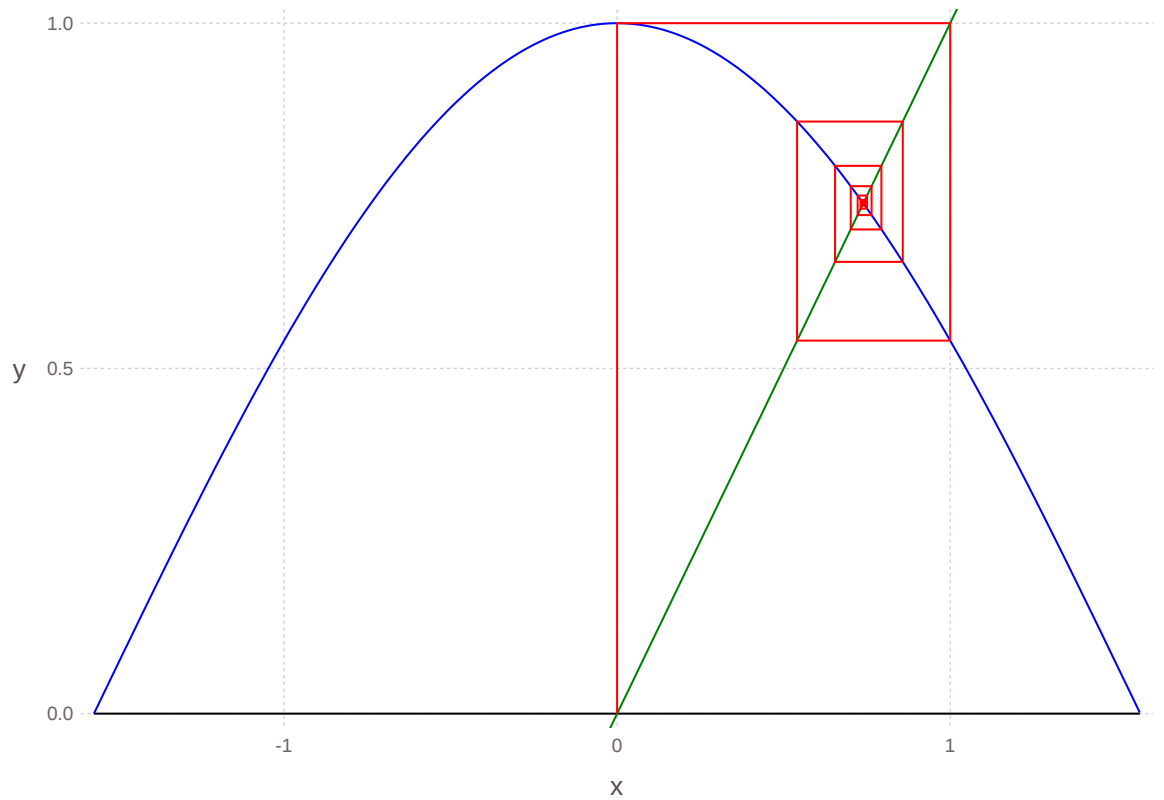
Out[7]: 7×3 Array{Any,2}:
  "iter"  "x"      "cos(x)"
  1.0     0.540302  0.857553
  2.0     0.857553  0.65429
  3.0     0.65429   0.79348
  98.0    0.739085  0.739085
  99.0    0.739085  0.739085
 100.0    0.739085  0.739085

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In [8]: set_default_plot_size(18cm,13cm)

@manipulate for x_0 in (-1.5):0.1:(1.5)
    ex6_FixedPoint(x_0)[3]
end
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Out[8]:



### 3. Newton-Rhapson

#### Exercise 7.

Let  $f(x) = 1 - 0.5x^{-0.5} - 0.3x^{-0.2}$ . Find  $x$ :  $f(x) = 0$ .

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In [9]: function ex7_NewtonRhapson(x0)

    f(x) = 1-0.5x^(-0.5)-0.3x^(-0.2)

    h = 10.0^(-15)
    df(x) = (f(x0+h)-f(x0-h))/(2h)

    iter = 1
    path = [x0 0; x0 f(x0)]
    results = ["iter" "x" "f(x)"; iter x0 f(x0)]

    while iter <=1000 && abs(f(x0))>h
        path = [path; (x0 - f(x0)/df(x0)) f(x0)]
        x0 = x0 - f(x0)/df(x0); iter += 1
        path = [path; x0 f(x0)]
        results = [results; iter x0 f(x0)]
    end

    x = 0.2:0.01:1.4
    p = plot(
        layer(x=[x[1] x[length(x)]], y=[0 0], Geom.line, Theme(default_color=
        layer(x=x, y=f.(x), Geom.line, Theme(default_color=colorant"blue"), c
        layer(x=path[:,1], y=path[:,2], Geom.line(preserve_order=true), Theme
        Coord.Cartesian(xmin=x[1],xmax=x[length(x)]))
    )

    return results, [results[1:4,:]; results[(size(results)[1]-2):size(result
end;

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In [10]: ex7_NewtonRhapson(1)[2]

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Out[10]: 7×3 Array{Any,2}:
  "iter"  "x"      "f(x)"
  1.0     1.0      0.2
  2.0     0.279424 -0.333025
  3.0     0.44607  -0.101199
  9.0     0.567094 -7.9875e-13
 10.0     0.567094 1.14908e-14
 11.0     0.567094 3.88578e-16

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In [11]: @manipulate for x0 in 0.2:0.1:1.3
          ex7_NewtonRhapson(x0)[3]
          end
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Out[11]:

