

Q1 - a)

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syms f(x)
input = [10, 1000, 1000000];
out_mat = zeros(size(input));
f(x) = x*(sqrt(x) - sqrt(x-1))
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$$f(x) = -x (\sqrt{x-1} - \sqrt{x})$$

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for i = 1:length(input)
    x = input(i);
    out_mat(i) = vpa(f(x));
end
out_mat
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out_mat = 1×3
102 x
    0.016227766016838    0.158153431255768    5.000001250000625
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c)

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% values from calculator
out_calc = [1.6228, 15.8, 1000];

% absolute error
abs_error = out_calc - out_mat;
abs_error
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abs_error = 1×3
102 x
    0.000000233983162   -0.000153431255768    4.999998749999375
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rel_error = zeros(size(input));
% relative error
for i=1:length(input)
    rel_error(i) = abs_error(i)/out_mat(i);
end

% Percent of Relative error
per_relative_err = rel_error*100
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per_relative_err = 1×3
    0.001441869212467   -0.097014180817616   99.999949999987507
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d) Calculation done in word with a calculator

e)

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out_mat_new = [1.62278, 15.8153, 500];
% absolute error
abs_error = out_mat_new - out_mat;
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abs\_error

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abs_error = 1×3  
10-3 ×  
0.003398316206660 -0.043125576773662 -0.125000062496383
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```
rel_error = zeros(size(input));  
% relative error  
for i=1:length(input)  
    rel_error(i) = abs_error(i)/out_mat(i);  
end
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% Percent of Relative error  
per_relative_err = rel_error*100
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per_relative_err = 1×3  
10-3 ×  
0.209413680424876 -0.272681891447036 -0.025000006249272
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% fprintf('%f.32', out_mat_new)
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