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# Introduction to Numerical Analysis

## HW6

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### 1 RICHARDSON EXTRAPOLATION

1. *Proof.* When  $k = 0$ , it's clear that  $A_0(t) = a_0 + O(t)$ .  
Assume that the statement is still valid when  $k = n - 1$ , which means  $A_{n-1} = a_0 + O(t^n)$   
Thus, when  $k = n$ , apply the induction hypothesis

$$\begin{aligned} A_n(t) &= \frac{r^n A_{n-1}(t) - A_{n-1}(rt)}{r^n - 1} \\ &= \frac{r^n(a_0 + O(t^n)) - (a_0 + r^n O(t^n))}{r^n - 1} \\ &= a_0 + \frac{r^n}{r^n - 1} (O(t^n) - O(t^n)) \\ &= a_0 + O(t^{n+1}) \end{aligned} \tag{1.1}$$

Hence, the statement is valid.  $\square$

2. a) *Proof.* When  $t_m = \frac{t_0}{r_0^m}$ , and  $r_0 > 1$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} A_n(t_m) = a_0 + O\left(\left(\frac{t_0}{r_0^m}\right)^{n+1}\right) = a_0 + \frac{O(t_0^{n+1})}{r_0^{m(n+1)}} = 0 \tag{1.2}$$

The equation above is valid as  $O(t_0^{n+1})$  is finite.  $\square$

b) *Proof.* As  $O(t_0^{n+1})$  is finite, it's clear that

$$A_n(t_m) = a_0 + O\left(\left(\frac{t_0}{r_0^m}\right)^{n+1}\right) = a_0 + O(r_0^{-m(n+1)}) \quad (1.3)$$

□

3. Algorithm used to do extrapolation is given as below.

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**Algorithm 1** Calculation of the extrapolation matrix and the improved quadrature

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**Input:**  $A(t)$ ,  $n$ ,  $m$ ,  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $r_0$

**Output:**  $M$ ,  $a_0$

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1:  $h \leftarrow b - a$ 
2:  $i \leftarrow 0$ 
3: while  $i \neq m$  do
4:    $M[i][0] \leftarrow A(\frac{h}{2^i})$ 
5:    $i \leftarrow i + 1$ 
6: end while
7:  $j \leftarrow 1$ 
8: while  $j \neq n$  do
9:    $i \leftarrow j$ 
10:  while  $i \neq m$  do
11:     $M[i][j] \leftarrow \frac{r_0^i}{r_0^i - 1} M[i][j-1] - \frac{1}{r_0^i - 1} M[i-1][j-1]$ 
12:     $i \leftarrow i + 1$ 
13:  end while
14:   $j \leftarrow j + 1$ 
15: end while
16:  $a_0 \leftarrow M[m-1][n-1]$ 
17: return  $M$ ,  $a_0$ 

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4. a) With proper combination, lower-order terms inside original quadratures can be eliminated when generating the new quadrature.
- b) Consider the Runge's Function

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + 25x^2} \quad (1.4)$$

(to be added...)

## 2 INTEGRATION

1. The number of nodes is too small s.t. the order of error is too large.
2. Denote

$$E(f) = \int_a^b f(x) dx - (b-a)f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \quad (2.1)$$

Thus

$$E(1) = (b-a) - (b-a) = 0 \quad (2.2)$$

$$E(x) = \frac{b^2 - a^2}{2} - (b-a) \frac{b+a}{2} = 0 \quad (2.3)$$

and

$$E(x^2) = \frac{b^3 - a^3}{3} - (b-a) \left( \frac{a+b}{2} \right)^2 \neq 0 \quad (2.4)$$

Hence, the degree of this quadrature formula is 1.

The kernel is determined as

$$\begin{aligned} K_N(t) &= E(x \in [a, b] \rightarrow [(x-t)_+]) \\ &= \int_a^b f(x) dx - (b-a) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right) \\ &= \int_a^b (x-t)_+ dx - (b-a) \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - t\right)_+ \\ &= \frac{(b-t)_+^2 + (a-t)_+^2}{2} - (b-a) \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - t\right)_+ \end{aligned} \quad (2.5)$$

Divide the whole range into 4 sub-gap as  $(-\infty, a], (a, \frac{a+b}{2}], (\frac{a+b}{2}, b], (b, +\infty)$ . The non-negative property is seen when examine each gap.

3. *Proof.* As has been proved above,  $k_N(t)$  is non-negative over  $[a, b]$ , so the first mean value theorem can be applied

$$\begin{aligned} E(f) &= \frac{1}{N!} \int_a^b k_N(t) f''(t) dt \\ &= f''(\xi) \int_a^b k_N(t) dt \\ &= \frac{(b-a)^3}{24} f''(\xi) \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

□

### 3 GAUSS'S METHOD

1. a) *Proof.* It's clear that  $w(x)$  is positive.

And

$$\int_{-1}^1 w(x) dx = \int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad (3.1)$$

Thus,  $w(x)$  is a weight function. □

- b) *Proof.* Since

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^1 w(x) q_m(x) q_n(x) dx &= \int_{-\pi}^0 \sqrt{1-\cos^2 \theta} \frac{\sin(m+1)\theta}{\sin \theta} \frac{\sin(n+1)\theta}{\sin \theta} (-\sin \theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi \sin(m+1)\theta \sin(n+1)\theta d\theta \end{aligned} \quad (3.2)$$

It's clear that when  $n = m$ , the value of the equation above is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , and is 0 when  $n \neq m$ . Thus,  $q_k$  ( $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ) defines a sequence of orthogonal polynomials for weight function  $w(x)$ .  $\square$

c)

$$p_k(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} q_k(x) \quad (3.3)$$

2. a)  $x_k$  are roots of orthogonal polynomial over  $[a, b]$ , whose order is  $n + 1$  and weight is  $w(x)$ .  
b) With the Lagrange interpolation function  $f(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n l_i(x) f(x_i)$ ,  $A_k$  can be determined as

$$A_k = \int_{-1}^1 l_k(x) w(x) dx \quad (3.4)$$

As  $x_k = \cos(\frac{k\pi}{n+2})$ , it can be further resolved that  $A_k = \frac{\pi}{n+2} \sin^2 \frac{(k+1)\pi}{n+2}$ .

- c) *Proof.* Apply Hermitan interpolation polynomials  $H_{2n+1}(x)$  onto  $f(x_k)$  s.t. for  $k = 0, 1, \dots, n$

$$H_{2n+1}(x_k) = f(x_k) \quad (3.5)$$

and

$$H'_{2n+1}(x_k) = f'(x_k) \quad (3.6)$$

Thus

$$f(x) = H_{2n+1}(x) + \frac{f^{(2n+2)}(\xi)}{(2n+2)!} \omega^2(x) \quad (3.7)$$

Then integrate over  $[-1, 1]$  with weight  $w(x)$

$$I = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) w(x) dx = \int_{-1}^1 H_{2n+1}(x) w(x) dx + R_n[f] \quad (3.8)$$

Thus

$$R_n[f] = I - \sum_{k=0}^n A_k f(x_k) = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{f^{(2n+2)}(\xi)}{(2n+2)!} \omega^2(x) w(x) dx \quad (3.9)$$

Since  $\omega^2(x) w(x) \geq 0$ , it can be concluded from the first intermediate value theorem that

$$R_n[f] = \frac{f^{(2n+2)}(\eta)}{(2n+2)!} \int_{-1}^1 \omega^2(x) w(x) dx \triangleq c \frac{f^{(2n+2)}(\eta)}{(2n+2)!} \quad (3.10)$$

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