

Solutions to Exercises to

**Programming Methods  
in Scientific Computing**

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# Chapter 3 Python, the Fundamentals

## Exercise 3.1

## Exercise 3.2

Wir erweitern die gegebene Klasse `Polynomial` um eine Methode `derivative` zum Ableiten, sowie eine Methode `antiderivative` zum Bilden einer Stammfunktion. Dabei wählen wir die „Integrationskonstante“ als 0. Wir definieren außerdem Funktionen zum Ausgeben von Polynomen durch die `print`-Funktion.

```
1 class Polynomial:
2     def __init__(self, coeff):
3         self.coeff = coeff
4
5     def __str__(self):
6         s = ""
7         if self.coeff == []:
8             s = "0"
9         else:
10            s += "{} x^0".format(self.coeff[0])
11            for i in range(1, len(self.coeff)):
12                s += " + {} x^{}".format(self.coeff[i], i)
13            return s
14
15     def __repr__(self):
16         return str(s)
17
18     def __call__(self, x):
19         s = 0
20         for i in range(len(self.coeff)):
21             s += self.coeff[i]*x**i
22         return s
23
24     def __add__(self, other):
25         l = []
26         if len(self.coeff) > len(other.coeff):
27             l += self.coeff
28             for i in range(len(other.coeff)):
29                 l[i] += other.coeff[i]
30         else:
31             l += other.coeff
32             for i in range(len(self.coeff)):
33                 l[i] += self.coeff[i]
34         return Polynomial(l)
35
36     def __eq__(self, other):
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37         return self.coeff == other.coeff
38
39     def derivative(self):
40         coeff = []
41         for i in range(1, len(self.coeff)):
42             coeff.append(i * self.coeff[i])
43         return Polynomial(coeff)
44
45     def antiderivative(self):
46         coeff = [0]
47         for i in range(len(self.coeff)):
48             coeff.append(self.coeff[i]/(i+1))
49         return Polynomial(coeff)

```

Für das gegebene Polynom  $p(x) = 3x^2 + 2x + 1$  testen wir unser Programm mit dem folgenden Code:

```

1 p = Polynomial([1,2,3])
2 print("The given polynomial p:")
3 print(p)
4 print("The derivative of p:")
5 print( p.derivative() )
6 print("The antiderivative of p:")
7 print( p.antiderivative() )
8 print("Taking antiderivative and then derivative:")
9 print( p.antiderivative().derivative() )

```

Dabei erhalten wir den folgenden Output:

```

$ python exercise_03_02.py
The given polynomial p:
1 x^0 + 2 x^1 + 3 x^2
The derivative of p:
2 x^0 + 6 x^1
The antiderivative of p:
0 x^0 + 1.0 x^1 + 1.0 x^2 + 1.0 x^3
Taking antiderivative and then derivative:
1.0 x^0 + 2.0 x^1 + 3.0 x^2

```

## Exercise 3.3

Wir definieren direkt Klasse `Matrix`, die über alle Methoden verfügt, die wir in diesem und den späteren Aufgabenteilen nutzen werden.

```

1 class Matrix():
2     def __init__(self, entries):
3         m = len(entries)
4         if m == 0:
5             raise ValueError("height must be positive")
6         n = len(entries[0])
7         if n == 0:
8             raise ValueError("width must be positive")
9         for i in range(1, m):

```

```

10         if len(entries[i]) != n:
11             raise ValueError("rows must have the same width")
12         self.height = m
13         self.width = n
14         self.entries = entries
15
16     def __getitem__(self, i):          # allows to get the rows via A[i]
17         return self.entries[i]
18
19     def __setitem__(self, i, k):       # allows to set rows via A[i]
20         self.entries[i] = k
21
22     def __str__(self):                 # allows print(A) for a Matrix A
23         rows = ["["]*self.height
24         for j in range(self.width):   # construct output columnwise, align left
25             numbers = []              # numbers to appear in column j
26             maxlen = 0                 # maximal length of a number in column j
27             for i in range(self.height):
28                 s = str(self[i][j])
29                 numbers.append(s)
30                 if len(s) > maxlen:
31                     maxlen = len(s)
32             for i in range(self.height):
33                 # pad the entries if they are too short
34                 rows[i] += numbers[i] + " "*(maxlen-len(numbers[i])) + " "
35         s = ""
36         for r in rows:
37             s += r[:-1] + "]\n" # remove white space at the end of ech line
38         s = s[:-1]              # remove empty line at the end
39         return s
40
41     def __repr__(self):
42         return str(self)
43
44     def __mul__(self, other):
45         if self.width != other.height:
46             raise TypeError('matrix dimensions do not match')
47         newentries = []
48         for i in range(self.height):
49             row = []
50             for j in range(other.width):
51                 s = self[i][0] * other[0][j] # makes s have the right type
52                 for k in range(1, self.width):
53                     s += self[i][k] * other[k][j]
54             row.append(s)
55         newentries.append(row)
56         return Matrix(newentries)
57
58     def __eq__(self, other):
59         if self.height != other.height or self.width != other.width:
60             return False
61         for i in range(self.height):
62             for j in range(self.width):
63                 if self[i][j] != other[i][j]:
64                     return False
65         return True

```

```

66
67 def mapentries(self, f):          # applies a function to all entries
68     A = zeromatrix(self.height, self.width) # zeromatrix is defined below
69     for i in range(self.height):
70         for j in range(self.width):
71             A[i][j] = f(self[i][j])
72     return A
73
74 def addrow(self, i, j, c):         # add c times row j to row i
75     for k in range(self.width):
76         self[i][k] = c * self[j][k] + self[i][k]
77         # makes c responsible for implementing the operations
78
79 def addcolumn(self, i, j, c):      # add c times column j to column i
80     for k in range(self.height):
81         self[k][i] = c * self[k][j] + self[k][i]
82
83 def multrow(self, i, c):           # multiply row i with c
84     for j in range(self.width):
85         self[i][j] = c * self[i][j]
86
87 def multcolumn(self, j, c):        # multiply row j with c
88     for i in range(self.height):
89         self[i][j] = c * self[i][j]
90
91 def swaprows(self, i, j):          # swap rows i and j
92     if i > self.height or j > self.height:
93         raise ValueError("swap nonexistent rows")
94     l = self[i]
95     self[i] = self[j]
96     self[j] = l
97
98 def transpose(self):
99     T = zeromatrix(self.width, self.height)
100     for i in range(self.height):
101         for j in range(self.width):
102             T[j][i] = self[i][j]
103     return T

```

Wir definieren zudem Hilfsfunktionen, die wir im Weiteren nutzen werden:

```

1 def zeromatrix(height, width):    # creates a zero matrix
2     entries = []
3     for i in range(height):
4         entries.append([0]*width)
5     return Matrix(entries)
6
7 def identitymatrix(size):          # creates an identity matrix
8     E = zeromatrix(size, size)
9     for i in range(size):
10        E[i][i] = 1
11    return E

```

Die Assoziativität der Matrixmultiplikation testen wir mit dem folgenden Code:

```

1 A = Matrix([[0,1],[1,0],[1,1]])
2 print("A:")

```

```

3 print(A)
4 B = Matrix([[1,2,3,4],[5,6,7,8]])
5 print("B:")
6 print(B)
7 C = Matrix([[1,0],[0,1],[1,0],[0,1]])
8 print("C:")
9 print(C)
10 print("Checking if A(BC) == (AB)C:")
11 print(A * (B * C) == (A * B) * C)

```

Wir erhalten wir (durch Ausführen in der Konsole) den folgenden Output:

```

$ python exercise_03_03.py
A:
[0 1]
[1 0]
[1 1]
B:
[1 2 3 4]
[5 6 7 8]
C:
[1 0]
[0 1]
[1 0]
[0 1]
Checking if A(BC) == (AB)C:
True

```

## Exercise 3.4

Wir schreiben zunächst eine Klasse `Rational`, die ein genaues Rechnen mit rationalen Zahlen erlaubt.

```

1 class Rational():
2     def __init__(self, num, denum = 1): # default denominator is 1
3         if type(num) == Rational:
4             p = num/Rational(denum)
5             self.num = p.num
6             self.denum = p.denum
7         elif type(num) != int:
8             raise TypeError("numerator is no integer")
9         elif type(denum) != int:
10            raise TypeError("denumerater is no integer")
11        elif denum == 0:
12            raise ZeroDivisionError("denumerator is zero")
13        else:
14            self.num = num
15            self.denum = denum
16
17    def __str__(self): # allows print(x) for Rational x
18        return "{}/{ {}".format(self.num, self.denum)
19
20    def __repr__(self):
21        return str(self)

```

```

22
23 def __add__(self, other):
24     if type(other) == int:
25         return self + Rational(other)
26     elif type(other) == Rational:
27         return Rational( self.num * other.denum + self.denum * other.num,
28                           self.denum * other.denum )
29     raise TypeError("unsupported operand type(s) for + or add(): '
30                       Rational' and '{}'.format(type(other).__name__)
31
32 def __sub__(self, other):
33     if type(other) == int:
34         return self - Rational(other)
35     elif type(other) == Rational:
36         return Rational( self.num * other.denum - self.denum * other.num,
37                           self.denum * other.denum )
38     raise TypeError("unsupported operand type(s) for - or sub(): '
39                       Rational' and '{}'.format(type(other).__name__)
40
41 def __mul__(self, other):
42     if type(other) == int:
43         return self * Rational(other)
44     elif type(other) == Rational:
45         return Rational( self.num * other.num, self.denum * other.denum )
46     raise TypeError("unsupported operand type(s) for * or mul(): '
47                       Rational' and '{}'.format(type(other).__name__)
48
49 def __truediv__(self, other):
50     if type(other) == int:
51         return self / Rational(other)
52     elif type(other) == Rational:
53         if other.num == 0:
54             raise ZeroDivisionError("division by zero")
55         return Rational( self.num * other.denum, self.denum * other.num )
56     raise TypeError("unsupported operand type(s) for / or truediv(): '
57                       Rational' and '{}'.format(type(other).__name__)
58
59 def __pow__(self, n): # supports only integer powers
60     if not type(n) == int:
61         raise TypeError("unsupported operand type(s) for ** or pow(): '
62                           Rational' and '{}'.format(type(n).__name__)
63     if n >= 0:
64         return Rational(self.num**n, self.denum**n)
65     return Rational(self.denum, self.num)**(-n)
66
67 def __pos__(self):
68     return Rational( self.num, self.denum )
69
70 def __neg__(self):
71     return Rational( -self.num, self.denum )
72
73 def __abs__(self):
74     if self.num <= 0 and self.denum > 0:
75         return Rational(-self.num, self.denum)
76     elif self.num >= 0 and self.denum < 0:
77         return Rational(self.num, -self.denum)

```

```

71         return Rational(self.num, self.denum)
72
73     def __eq__(self, other):
74         if type(other) == int: # allows comparison to int, used for x == 0
75             return (self == Rational(other))
76         return (self.num * other.denum == self.denum * other.num)
77
78     def __float__(self):
79         return self.num / self.denum

```

Die LU-Zerlegung von passenden Matrix mit ganzzahligen Einträgen kann nun dem folgenden naiven Algorithmus berechnet werden:

```

1  from copy import deepcopy
2
3  # expects the matrix entries to be comparable to 0 in a sensible way
4  def naive_lu(A):
5      if A.height != A.width:
6          raise ValueError("matrix is not square")
7      U = deepcopy(A) # circumvent pass by reference
8      n = U.height
9      L = identitymatrix(n)
10     # bring U in upper triangular form, change L such that always LU = A
11     for j in range(n):
12         if U[j][j] == 0:
13             raise ValueError("algorithm does not work for this matrix")
14         for i in range(j+1,n):
15             L.addcolumn(j, i, U[i][j]/U[j][j]) # important: change L first
16             U.addrow(i, j, -U[i][j]/U[j][j])
17     return (L,U)

```

Wir testen das Program anhand der gegebenen Matrizen

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 6 & 3 \\ 9 & 10 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{und} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

mit dem folgenden Code:

```

1  A = Matrix([[3,2,1],[6,6,3],[9,10,6]])
2  print("A:")
3  print(A)
4  (L,U) = naive_lu(A.mapentries(Rational))
5  print("L:")
6  print(L)
7  print("U:")
8  print(U)
9  B = Matrix([[0,1],[1,0]])
10 print("B:")
11 print(B)
12 print("Trying to calculate the LU decomposition of B:")
13 (L,U) == naive_lu(B)

```

Als Output erhalten wir das Folgende:



```

$ python exercise_03_04.py
A:
[3 2 1]
[6 6 3]
[9 10 6]
L:
[9/9 0/18 0]
[18/9 18/18 0]
[27/9 36/18 1]
U:
[3/1 2/1 1/1 ]
[0/3 6/3 3/3 ]
[0/162 0/162 162/162]
Check if L*U == A:
True
B:
[0 1]
[1 0]
Trying to calculate the LU decomposition of B:
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "exercise_03_04.py", line 62, in <module>
    (L,U) == naive_lu(B)
  File "exercise_03_04.py", line 15, in naive_lu
    raise ValueError("algorithm does not work for this matrix")
ValueError: algorithm does not work for this matrix

```

Da die Matrix  $B$  keine LU-Zerlegung besitzt, ist es okay, dass unser Algorithmus diese nicht findet.

## Exercise 3.5

Wir bestimmen die Cholesky-Zerlegung eintragsweise.

```

1 from copy import deepcopy
2 from math import sqrt
3
4 # expects int or float as matrix entries
5 def cholesky(A):
6     if A.height != A.width:
7         raise ValueError("matrix is not square")
8     B = deepcopy(A)
9     n = B.height
10    L = zeromatrix(n,n)
11    for i in range(n):
12        rowsum = 0
13        for j in range(i):
14            s = 0
15            for k in range(j):
16                s += L[i][k] * L[j][k]
17            L[i][j] = (B[i][j] - s)/L[j][j]
18            rowsum += L[i][j]**2
19    L[i][i] = sqrt( B[i][i] - rowsum )
20    return L

```

Für die gegebenen Matrizen

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{und} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 1.01 \cdot 10^{-2} & 0.705 & 1.42 \cdot 10^{-2} \\ 0.705 & 49.5 & 1 \\ 1.42 \cdot 10^{-2} & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

testen wir unser Programm mit dem folgenden Code:

```
1 A = Matrix([[1,2,1],[2,5,2],[1,2,10]])
2 print("A:")
3 print(A)
4 L = cholesky(A)
5 print("L:")
6 print(L)
7 print("L * L^T:")
8 print(L * L.transpose())
9 B = Matrix([[1.01E-2, 0.705, 1.42E-2],[0.705,49.5,1],[1.42E-2,1,1]])
10 print("B:")
11 print(B)
12 L = cholesky(B)
13 print("L:")
14 print(L)
15 print("L * L^T:")
16 print(L * L.transpose())
```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```
$ python exercise_03_05.py
A:
[1 2 1 ]
[2 5 2 ]
[1 2 10]
L:
[1.0 0 0 ]
[2.0 1.0 0 ]
[1.0 0.0 3.0]
L * L^T:
[1.0 2.0 1.0 ]
[2.0 5.0 2.0 ]
[1.0 2.0 10.0]
B:
[0.0101 0.705 0.0142]
[0.705 49.5 1 ]
[0.0142 1 1 ]
L:
[0.1004987562112089 0 0 ]
[7.015012190980423 0.5381486415443629 0 ]
[0.14129528100981847 0.016374437298272527 0.9898320672556135]
L * L^T:
[0.010100000000000001 0.705 0.014200000000000003]
[0.705 49.5 1.0 ]
[0.014200000000000003 1.0 1.0 ]
```

## Exercise 3.6

Mithilfe elementarer Zeilenumformungen, die in der Klasse `Matrix` implementiert sind, lässt sich nun der Gauß-Algorithmus zum Invertieren von Matrizen implementieren.

```
1 from copy import deepcopy
2
3 # expects the matrix entries to be comparable to 0 in a sensible way
4 def invert(A):
5     if A.height != A.width:
6         raise ValueError("matrix is not square")
7     B = deepcopy(A) # circumvent pass by reference
8     n = B.height
9     Inv = identitymatrix(n)
10    B = B.mapentries(Rational) # make all
11    Inv = Inv.mapentries(Rational) # entries rational
12    # bring B in lower triangular form
13    for j in range(n):
14        p = -1
15        for i in range(j,n):
16            if B[i][j] != 0:
17                p = i
18                break
19        if p == -1:
20            raise ZeroDivisionError("matrix is not invertible")
21        for i in range(p+1,n):
22            Inv.addrow(i, p, -B[i][j]/B[p][j]) # import: change inverse
23            # first
24            B.addrow(i, p, -B[i][j]/B[p][j])
25        # norm the diagonal entries
26        for i in range(n):
27            Inv.multrow(i, B[i][i]**(-1)) # **(-1) also works for Rational
28            B.multrow(i, B[i][i]**(-1))
29        # bring B into identity form
30        for j in range(n):
31            for i in range(j):
32                Inv.addrow(i, j, -B[i][j])
33                B.addrow(i, j, -B[i][j])
34    return Inv
```

Wir testen unser Programm anhand der gegebenen Matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 2 \\ -3 & 4 & -1 \\ -6 & 5 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

mit dem folgenden Code:

```
1 A = Matrix([[3,-1,2],[-3,4,-1],[-6,5,-2]])
2 print("A:")
3 print(A)
4 B = invert(A)
5 print("A^(-1) with rationals:")
6 print(B)
7 print("A^(-1) with floats:")
```

```

8 print(B.mapentries(float))
9 print("Checking if A*B == I (using rationals):")
10 print(A.mapentries(Rational) * B == identitymatrix(3))

```

Dabei nutzen wir erneut die Klasse `Rational`, um ein genaues Rechnen zu erlauben. Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```

$ python exercise_03_06.py
A:
[3 -1 2 ]
[-3 4 -1]
[-6 5 -2]
A^(-1) with rationals:
[-1162261467/3486784401 3099363912/3486784401 -2711943423/3486784401]
[0/43046721 28697814/43046721 -14348907/43046721 ]
[59049/59049 -59049/59049 59049/59049 ]
A^(-1) with floats:
[-0.3333333333333333 0.8888888888888888 -0.7777777777777778]
[0.0 0.6666666666666666 -0.3333333333333333]
[1.0 -1.0 1.0 ]
Checking if A*B == I (using rationals):
True

```

## Exercise 3.7

Wir Berechnen die QR-Zerlegung einer nicht-singulären Matrix  $A$  durch Anwenden des Gram-Schmidt-Verfahrens auf die Spalten von  $A$ , von links nach rechts:

```

1 from copy import deepcopy
2 from math import sqrt
3
4 # assumes the matrix to have integer or float values
5 # and to be nonsingular
6 def qrdecomp(A):
7     if A.height != A.width:
8         return ValueError("only square matrices are supported")
9     n = A.height
10    Q = deepcopy(A)
11    R = identitymatrix(n)
12    for j in range(n):
13        # make the j-th column of Q orthogonal to the next columns
14        for k in range(j):
15            s = 0 # inner product of j-th and k-th columns
16            for i in range(n):
17                s += Q[i][j] * Q[i][k]
18            Q.addcolumn(j, k, -s)
19            R.addrow(k, j, s)
20        sn = 0 # squared norm of the j-th column
21        for i in range(n):
22            sn += Q[i][j]**2
23        Q.multcolumn(j, sqrt(sn)**(-1))
24        R.multrow(j, sqrt(sn))
25    return (Q,R)

```

Für die gegebene Matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & -51 & 4 \\ 6 & 167 & -68 \\ -4 & 24 & -41 \end{pmatrix}$$

testen wir das Programm mithilfe des folgenden Codes:

```
1 A = Matrix([[12,-51,4],[6,167,-68],[-4,24,-41]])
2 print("A:")
3 print(A)
4 (Q,R) = qrdecomp(A)
5 print("Q:")
6 print(Q)
7 print("Q * Q^T:")
8 print(Q * Q.transpose())
9 print("R:")
10 print(R)
11 print("Q*R:")
12 print(Q*R)
```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```
$ python exercise_03_07.py
A:
[12 -51 4 ]
[6  167 -68]
[-4 24  -41]
Q:
[0.8571428571428571 -0.3942857142857143 -0.33142857142857124]
[0.42857142857142855 0.9028571428571428 0.03428571428571376 ]
[-0.2857142857142857 0.17142857142857143 -0.9428571428571428 ]
Q * Q^T:
[0.9999999999999998 1.474514954580286e-16 -1.6653345369377348e-16]
[1.474514954580286e-16 0.9999999999999998 4.996003610813204e-16 ]
[-1.6653345369377348e-16 4.996003610813204e-16 1.0 ]
R:
[14.0 20.999999999999996 -14.000000000000002]
[0.0 175.0 -69.99999999999999 ]
[0.0 0.0 35.0 ]
Q*R:
[12.0 -51.0 4.000000000000002]
[6.0 167.0 -68.0 ]
[-4.0 24.0 -41.0 ]
```

## Exercise 3.8

### (1)

Alle notwendigen Funktionswerte werden zunächst berechnet und in einer Liste gespeichert, um das mehrfache Berechnen gleicher Funktionswerte zu umgehen.

```

1 def trapeze(f,a,b,n):
2     values = [f(a + (k/n)*(b-a)) for k in range(n+1)]
3     integral = 0
4     for i in range(len(values)-1):
5         integral += values[i] + values[i+1]
6     integral = (b-a)*integral/n/2
7     return integral

```

## (2)

Wir testen unser Programm anhand des gegebenen Integrals  $\int_0^\pi \sin(x) dx$  mit dem folgenden Code:

```

1 from math import sin, pi
2 n = 1
3 s = 0
4 while 2 - s >= 1.E-6: # sin is concave on [0,pi] -> estimate too small
5     n += 1           # can skip n = 1 because it results in 0
6     s = trapeze(sin, 0, pi, n)
7
8 print("Estimate for integral of sin from 0 to pi using trapeze:")
9 print(s)

```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```

$ python exercise_03_08.py
Estimate for integral of sin from 0 to pi using trapeze:
1.9999990007015205

```

## Exercise 3.9

### (1)

Wir definieren eine neue Funktion `powertrapeze`, welche das angegebene Verfahren implementiert:

```

1 def powertrapeze(f, a, b, mmax):
2     integrals = [] # list of the approximations
3     values = [f(a), f(b)] # list of the calculated values
4     for m in range(1,mmax+1):
5         n = 2**m
6         for k in range(1,n,2):
7             values.insert(k, f(a + (k/n)*(b-a))) # add new values
8         integral = 0
9         for i in range(len(values)-1):
10             integral += values[i] + values[i+1]
11         integral = (b-a)*integral/n/2
12         integrals.append(integral) # add new approx.
13     return integrals

```

Hiermit berechnen die Approximationen für  $\int_0^\pi \sin(x) dx$  für  $m = 1, \dots, 10$  mit dem folgenden Code:

```

1 from math import sin, pi
2 m = 10
3 results = powertrapeze(sin, 0, pi, m)
4 print("Calculate trapeze estimate for int. of sin from 0 to pi, 2^m intervals
   :")
5 print(" m \testimate \t\terror")
6 for i in range(m):
7     print("{:2d}\t{}\t{: .20f}".format(i+1, results[i], 2-results[i]))

```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```

Calculate trapeze estimate for int. of sin from 0 to pi, 2^m intervals:
m      estimate      error
1      1.5707963267948966    0.42920367320510344200
2      1.8961188979370398    0.10388110206296019555
3      1.9742316019455508    0.02576839805444919307
4      1.9935703437723395    0.00642965622766045186
5      1.9983933609701445    0.00160663902985547224
6      1.9995983886400386    0.00040161135996141795
7      1.9998996001842035    0.00010039981579645918
8      1.9999749002350518    0.00002509976494824429
9      1.9999937250705773    0.00000627492942273378
10     1.9999984312683816    0.00000156873161838433

```

## (2)

Es fällt auf, dass sich der Fehler in jedem Schritt etwa geviertelt wird. Bezeichnet  $a_n$  die  $n$ -te Approximation, so gilt  $a_0 \leq a_1 \leq \dots \leq a_n$ , da  $\sin$  auf  $[0, \pi]$  konkav ist. Deshalb ist die Vermutung äquivalent dazu, dass die Quotienten  $(a_i - a_{i+1}) / (a_{i+1} - a_{i+2})$  ungefähr 4 sind. Dies testen wir mit dem folgenden weiteren Code:

```

1 print("Quotients of any two subsequent differences of estimates:")
2 for i in range(m-2):
3     q = (results[i] - results[i+1]) / (results[i+1] - results[i+2])
4     print(q)

```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```

Quotients of any two subsequent differences of estimates:
4.164784400584785
4.039182316416593
4.009677144752887
4.002411992937073
4.00060254408483
4.000150607761501
4.000037649528035
4.000009414842847

```

Es fällt auf, dass das Verhältnis sogar gegen 4 zu gehen scheint.

### (3)

Wir berechnen die Approximationen für  $\int_0^2 3^{3x-1} dx$  für  $m = 1, \dots, 10$  mit dem folgenden Code:

```
1 m = 10
2 f = (lambda x : 3**(3*x-1))
3 results = powertrapeze( f, 0, 2, m)
4 print("Calculate trapeze estimate for int. of 3^(3x-1) from 0 to 2, 2^m
      intervals:")
5 print(" m \testimate")
6 for i in range(m):
7     print("{:2d}\t{:24.20f}".format(i+1, results[i]))
```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```
Calculate trapeze estimate for int. of 3^(3x-1) from 0 to 2, 2^m intervals:
m      estimate
1      130.66666666666665719276
2      89.58204463929762084717
3      77.74742639121230070032
4      74.66669853961546721166
5      73.88840395800384897029
6      73.69331521665949935596
7      73.64451070980437918934
8      73.63230756098684537392
9      73.62925664736960129630
10     73.62849391106399821183
```

Da  $f$  konvex ist, sind die Approximationen  $b_n$  monoton fallend. Die Vermutung lässt sich erneut durch das Betrachten der Quotienten  $(b_i - b_{i+1})/(b_{i+1} - b_{i+2})$  überprüfen. Hierfür nutzen wir (erneut) den folgenden Code:

```
1 print("Quotients of any two subsequent differences of estimates:")
2 for i in range(m-2):
3     q = (results[i] - results[i+1])/(results[i+1] - results[i+2])
4     print(q)
```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```
Quotients of any two subsequent differences of estimates:
3.471562932248868
3.841500716121706
3.958305665211694
3.9894387356667425
3.9973509398114637
3.9993371862347957
3.9998342622879792
3.999958563440565
```

Unsere Vermutung scheint sich zu bestätigen.



## Exercise 3.10

Für die Funktion  $f(x) = e^{x^2}$  gilt  $f''(x) = (4x^2 + 2)e^{x^2}$ . Da  $f''(x) > 0$  auf  $[0, 1]$  monoton steigend ist, gilt für alle  $0 \leq a \leq b \leq 1$ , dass

$$|E(f, a, b)| \leq \frac{(b-a)^3}{12} \max_{a \leq x \leq b} |f''(x)| \leq \frac{(b-a)^3}{12} f''(b).$$

Für alle  $n \geq 1$  und  $0 \leq k \leq n-1$  gilt deshalb

$$\left| E\left(f, \frac{k}{n}, \frac{k+1}{n}\right) \right| \leq \frac{1}{12n^3} \left( 4 \left( \frac{k+1}{n} \right)^2 + 2 \right) \underbrace{e^{((k+1)/n)^2}}_{\leq e \leq 4} \leq \frac{1}{12n^3} (4+2) \cdot 4 \leq \frac{2}{n^3}.$$

Der gesamte Fehler bei einer Unterteilung von  $[0, 1]$  in  $n$  Intervalle lässt sich deshalb durch

$$n \cdot \frac{2}{n^3} = \frac{2}{n^2}$$

abschätzen. Dabei gilt

$$\frac{2}{n^2} < 10^{-6} \iff n^2 > 2 \cdot 10^6 \iff n > \sqrt{2} \cdot 10^3 \iff n > 1500.$$

Für das verbesserte Trapezverfahren aus Exercise 3.9 gilt mit  $n = 2^m$ , dass  $n > 1500$  für  $m \geq 11$ . Wir nutzen nun den folgenden Code, um die entsprechenden Approximationen für  $m = 1, \dots, 11$  zu bestimmen:

```
1 from math import exp
2 f = (lambda x: exp(x**2))
3 m = 11
4 results = powertrapeze(f, 0, 1, m)
5 print("Calculate trapeze estimate for int. of e^(x^2) from 0 to 1, 2^m
    intervals:")
6 for i in range(m):
7     print("m={:2d}\t{:24.20f}".format(i+1, results[i]))
```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```
$ python exercise_03_10.py
Calculate trapeze estimate for int. of e^(x^2) from 0 to 1, 2^m intervals:
m= 1      1.57158316545863208091
m= 2      1.49067886169885532865
m= 3      1.46971227642966528748
m= 4      1.46442031014948170764
m= 5      1.46309410260642858148
m= 6      1.46276234857772702291
m= 7      1.46267939741858832292
m= 8      1.46265865883777390621
m= 9      1.46265347414312651964
m=10     1.46265217796637525538
m=11     1.46265185392199392744
```

## Exercise 3.11

Ist  $T_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n x^k/k!$  das  $k$ -te Taylorpolynom für  $f(x) = e^x$  an der Entwicklungsstelle 0, so gilt für das Restglied  $R_n(x) := e^x - T_n(x)$ , dass es für jedes  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  ein  $\xi$  zwischen 0 und  $x$  gibt, so dass

$$R_n(x) = \frac{f^{(n+1)}(\xi)}{(n+1)!} \xi^n = \frac{e^\xi \xi^n}{(n+1)!}.$$

Für alle  $x \geq 0$  gilt  $e^\xi \leq e^x \leq 3^x$ , und somit gilt

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{3^x x^n}{(n+1)!} \quad \text{für alle } x \geq 0.$$

Für alle  $x \leq 0$  gilt  $e^\xi \leq e^0 = 1$ , und somit

$$|R_n(x)| \leq \frac{(-x)^n}{(n+1)!}.$$

Dies führt zu dem folgenden Code:

```

1 def exp_approx(x):
2     y = 1          # current approx
3     d = 6          # number of digits
4     n = 1
5     fac = 1        # n!
6     if x >= 0:
7         while fac < (3**x) * (x**(n+1)) * 10**d:
8             y += x**n / fac
9             n += 1
10            fac *= n
11    if x < 0:
12        while fac < ((-x)**(n+1)) * 10**d:
13            y += x**n / fac
14            n += 1
15            fac *= n
16    return y

```

Wir testen die Genauigkeit des Programms mit dem folgenden Code:

```

1 from math import exp
2 print("Comparison of exp_approx(x) and exp(x) up to 7 digits.")
3 print("{:>3s}   {:>22s}   {:>22s}   {:>13s}".format("x", "approximation", "exact",
4     "difference (10 digits)"))
5 for x in range(-30,31):
6     approx = exp_approx(x)
7     exact = exp(x)          # not really exact, but better than the above
8     print("{:3d}   {:22.7f}   {:22.7f}   {:>13.10f}".format(x, approx, exact,
9         exact-approx))

```

Wir erhalten den folgenden (gekürzten) Output:

Comparison of exp_approx(x) and exp(x) up to 7 digits.			
x	approximation	exact	difference (10 digits)

-30	-0.0000855	0.0000000	0.0000855145
-29	0.0000551	0.0000000	-0.0000550745
-28	0.0000050	0.0000000	-0.0000050079
-27	-0.0000045	0.0000000	0.0000044619
-26	-0.0000014	0.0000000	0.0000013633
-25	-0.0000006	0.0000000	0.0000006464
-24	-0.0000003	0.0000000	0.0000002671
-23	-0.0000000	0.0000000	0.0000000403
-22	-0.0000000	0.0000000	0.0000000071
-21	-0.0000000	0.0000000	0.0000000192
[...]			
21	1318815734.4832141	1318815734.4832146	0.0000004768
22	3584912846.1315928	3584912846.1315918	-0.0000009537
23	9744803446.2489052	9744803446.2489033	-0.0000019073
24	26489122129.8434715	26489122129.8434715	0.0000000000
25	72004899337.3858795	72004899337.3858795	0.0000000000
26	195729609428.8387451	195729609428.8387756	0.0000305176
27	532048240601.7988281	532048240601.7986450	-0.0001831055
28	1446257064291.4738770	1446257064291.4750977	0.0012207031
29	3931334297144.0424805	3931334297144.0419922	-0.0004882812
30	10686474581524.4667969	10686474581524.4628906	-0.0039062500

Für etwa  $x \geq 23$  und  $x \leq -26$  hat unsere Approximation nicht mehr die gewünschten Genauigkeit, da die aufzuaddierenden Summanden  $x^n/n!$  dann zu klein werden.

## Exercise 3.12

### (1)

Wir definieren zunächst eine Klasse `TimeoutError`, um ggf. eine passende Fehlermeldung ausgeben zu können.

```
1 class TimeoutError(Exception):
2     pass
```

Wir implementieren das Newton-Verfahren mit der gewünschten Genauigkeit:

```
1 def newton(f, f_prime, x):
2     n = 1
3     xold = x
4     xnew = x
5     while n <= 100:
6         d = f_prime(xold)
7         if d == 0:
8             raise ZeroDivisionError("derivative vanishes at {}".format(xold))
9         xnew = xold - f(xold)/d
10        if 0 <= xnew - xold <= 1.E-7 or 0 <= xold - xnew <= 1.E-7:
11            return xnew
12        xold = xnew
13        n += 1
14    raise TimeoutError("the calculation takes too long")
```

## (2)

Wir testen unser Programm anhand der gegebenen Funktion  $f(x) = x^2 - 2$  mit dem folgenden Code:

```
1 f = (lambda x: x**2 - 2)
2 fprime = (lambda x: 2*x)
3 print("Calculating an approximation of sqrt(2):")
4 print( newton(f, fprime, 1) )
```

Wir erhalten den folgenden Output:

```
$ python exercise_03_12.py
Calculating an approximation of sqrt(2):
1.4142135623730951
```

Dabei stimmen die ersten 15 Nachkommestellen mit dem exakten Ergebnis überein.