- 1. Problem 10.5
- 2. Problem 10.7
- 3. Continuing with the theme that some sample points are better than others, recall that polynomial interpolation with high-order polynomials is prone to making large oscillation errors, but that this can be minimized using Chebyshev polynomials, which are the Lagrange polynomials associated with the sample points

$$x_j = \cos(\pi + (\pi j/n)), \qquad j = 0, \ldots, n$$

on the interval [-1,1]. Clenshaw-Curtis integration is integration using polynomial interpolation at these sample points.

Use the MATLAB polyfit function to perform polynomial interpolation at these sample points for n = 4, 6, 10 and then use the resulting polynomials to approximate

$$\int_{-1}^{1} x \sin(x) \ dx.$$

Compare your approximations to the exact answer (which you should compute by hand). Integration by parts!

**4.** Recall that 5 point Gauss-Legendre integration uses sample points  $[-\beta, -\alpha, 0, \alpha, \beta]$  where

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{5 - 2\sqrt{\frac{10}{7}}}$$
$$\beta = \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{5 + 2\sqrt{\frac{10}{7}}}.$$

Write a code that performs composite Gauss-Legendre integration with these sample points. Your code should have the signature

were f is the function to integrate, a and b are the endpoints of integration, and N is the number of subintervals. Your code should perform Gauss-Legendre integration on each subinterval and add them up. Then apply your function to compute

$$\int_{-1}^{1} x \sin(x) \ dx$$

using N = 1, 2, 4, 10. Compare the results of Gauss-Legendre integration to the results you saw using Clenshaw-Curtis integration.