

# Exercise-1 for Numerical Methods

Deadline: 2022-9-28

注意事项:

1. 每次作业用 Microsoft WORD 写, 然后转成 PDF 上交;
2. 作业上交文件命名: 学号-中文姓名-Wi, i 为作业次数。如 M2022xxxxx-周某某-W1;
3. 做完后在 QQ 群的作业栏上传 PDF 文件。

1. Use a computer to accumulate the following sums. The intent is to have the computer do repeated subtractions. Do not use the multiplication shortcut.

a)  $10000 - \sum_{k=1}^{100000} 0.1$ ,  $1000 - \sum_{k=1}^{10000} 0.1$ ,  $10 - \sum_{k=1}^{100} 0.1$  .

b)  $10000 - \sum_{k=1}^{80000} 0.125$ ,  $0.3 - \sum_{k=1}^3 0.1$ ,  $0.2 - \sum_{k=1}^2 0.1$  .

2. P23:9(a)

For the following seven-digit binary approximations, find the error in the approximation  $R = 0.d_1d_2d_3d_4d_5d_6d_7$  (two).

(a)  $1/10 \approx 0.0001100$  (two)

3. P23:13(c)

Use Table 1.3 to determine what happens when a computer with a 4-bit mantissa performs the following calculations.

(c)  $\left(\frac{3}{17} + \frac{1}{9}\right) + \frac{1}{7}$

4. Find the error  $E_x$  and relative error  $R_x$ . Also determine the number of significant digits in the approximation:

- a)  $x=2.71828182$ ,  $x'=2.717276$ .
- b)  $y=83500000$ ,  $y'=83499884$ .
- c)  $z=0.000068$ ,  $z'=0.000066666666$ .

5. P50: 5

Let  $g(x) = x \cos(x)$ . Solve  $x = g(x)$  and find all the fixed points of  $g$  (there are infinitely many). Can fixed-point iteration be used to find the solution(s) to the equation  $x = g(x)$ ? Why?

6. P37: 5

Sometimes the loss of significance error can be avoided by rearranging terms in the function using a known identity from trigonometry or algebra. Find an equivalent formula for the following functions that avoids a loss of significance.

- (a)  $\ln(x+1) - \ln(x)$  for large  $x$
- (b)  $\sqrt{x^2+1} - x$  for large  $x$
- (c)  $\cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x)$  for  $x \approx \pi/4$
- (d)  $\sqrt{\frac{1+\cos(x)}{2}}$  for  $x \approx \pi$

7. P39: 2

Follow Example 1.25 and generate the first ten numerical approximations for each of the following three difference equations. In each case a small initial error is introduced. If there were no initial error, then each of the difference equations would generate the sequence  $\{1/2^n\}_{n=i}^{\infty}$ . Produce output analogous to Tables 1.4 and 1.5 and Figures 1.8, 1.9, and 1.10.

- (a)  $r_0 = 0.994$  and  $r_n = \frac{1}{2}r_{n-1}$ , for  $n = 1, 2, \dots$
- (b)  $p_0 = 1$ ,  $p_1 = 0.497$ , and  $p_n = \frac{3}{2}p_{n-1} - p_{n-2}$ , for  $n = 2, 3, \dots$
- (c)  $q_0 = 1$ ,  $q_1 = 0.497$ , and  $q_n = \frac{5}{2}q_{n-1} - q_{n-2}$ , for  $n = 2, 4, \dots$

8. P98: 5 (Aitken's formula (4))

Let  $p_n = 1/(2^n - 1)$ . Show that  $q_n = 1/(4^{n+1} - 1)$  for all  $n$ .

9. P99: 8

The sequence  $\{p_n\}$  generated by fixed-point iteration, starting with  $p_0 = 3.14$ , and using the function  $g(x) = \ln(x) + 2$  converges linearly to  $p \approx 3.1419322$ . Use Aitken's formula (4) to find  $q_1$ ,  $q_2$ , and  $q_3$ , and hence speed up the convergence.

10. Use the Newton-Raphson method and the false position method to solve one of the following problems, and compare the time costs of the two methods:

- (a) Find the point on the parabola  $y = x^2$  that is closest to the point  $(3, 1)$  accurate to 10 decimal places.
- (b) Find the point on the graph of  $y = \sin(x - \sin(x))$  that is closest to the point  $(2.1, 0.5)$  accurate to 10 decimal places.
- (c) Find the value of  $x$  at which the minimum vertical distance between the graphs of  $f(x) = x^2 + 2$  and  $g(x) = (x/5) - \sin(x)$  occurs accurate to 10 decimal places.

11. For equation  $f(x) = (x + 4)^2(x + 2)(x - 2)(x - 4)^3 = 0$ ,

- a) Run the Newton-Raphson program with different initial points in  $[-6, 6]$ .
- b) Show what solution  $r_i$  the program converges to for each of the initial points with 2D plot functions in MATLAB.