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Introduction

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%EP 501
%Project 4
%This code contains excerpts from codes provided by Dr. Zettergen.
%https://github.com/Zettergren-Courses/EP501_matlab/
clc
clearvars
close all
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Problem 1

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load('test_lsq.mat');
                                          %size of data
n=length(x);
%Plot of noisy data
figure(1);
plot(x,ynoisy,'ko');
xlabel('x');
ylabel('y');
title('Illustrating a Least Square fit')
hold on:
%I discussed with Kaijus Palm on how to do this part.
for N=1:3
                                          %Polynomials of varying degree
    %1-a)
    %Calculating M matrix for the polynomial
    for i=1:N+1
        M(:,i)=x.^(i-1);
    end %for
    %Polynomial function y
    a=flipud(inv((M')*M)*(M')*ynoisy); %Coefficient a
    y=polyval(a,x);
                                          %Polynomial
    %1-b)
    %Error vector and Residual
                                          %number of coefficients
    df=length(a);
    v=n-df;
    error(:,N)=(y-ynoisy);
    residual(N)=sum(error, 'all');
    Chi_sq(N)=(1/v)*sum(((ynoisy-y).^(2)/(sigmay).^2),'all');
    %plot
    figure(1)
    hold on
    plot(x,y,'b', 'LineWidth',1.2);
end %for
%Testing with Matlab built-in function
for N=1:3
f=polyfit(x,ynoisy,N);
F=polyval(f,x);
%error and residual
Merror(:,N)=F-ynoisy;
Mresidual(N)=sum(Merror(:,N), 'all');
%Plots
figure(1)
hold on
plot(x,F,'r--','LineWidth',1.2)
legend('Data','Linear fit','Quadratic fit','Cubic fit',...
    'MATLAB built-in Linear fit', 'MATLAB built-in Quadratic fit',...
'MATLAB built-in Cubic fit', 'Location', 'northwest');
figure(2)
plot(x,error(:,3));
xlabel('x');
ylabel('Error');
title('Error in Cubic Least Square fit')
%Displaying Results
disp('Problem 1-b)');
                       Residual: ', num2str(residual)]);
disp(['
disp(['MATLAB built-in Residual: ', num2str(Mresidual)]);
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fprintf('\nProblem 1-c)\n');
disp('Reduced Chi^2');
disp(['Linear fit : ', num2str(Chi_sq(1))]);
disp(['Linear fit : ', num2str(Chi_sq(2))]);
disp(['Quadratic fit: ', num2str(Chi_sq(2))]);
disp(['Cubic fit : ', num2str(Chi_sq(3))]);

fprintf('\nProblem 1-d)\n');
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fprintf('Since the cubic fit has the closest reduced Chi^2 value to 1 and because its error \n seem to mostly depict noise about zero, it appears to be
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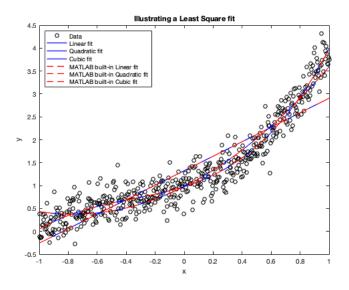
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Problem 1-b)

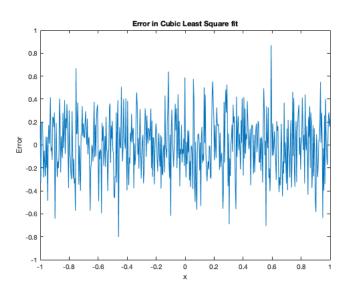
Residual: -5.409e-13 -6.1862e-13 -7.5806e-13

MATLAB built-in Residual: -1.7497e-13 -6.8834e-14 7.0166e-14

Problem 1-c)
Reduced Chi^2
Linear fit : 2.9125
Quadratic fit: 1.3754
Cubic fit : 1.0285

Problem 1-d)
Since the cubic fit has the closest reduced Chi^2 value to 1 and because its error seem to mostly depict noise about zero, it appears to be the best fit
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Problem 2

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load('test_interp.mat')
%2-a)
x=[-0.83,-0.2,0.4, 0.9, 1.22]; %X values
i=InterpIndexID(xg,x); %Indices i for x_i<x<x_i+1</pre>
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