Advanced Macro

Assignment 3

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Interpolation

Julia code: click here.

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# Julia code
# See A3.jl
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Log utility

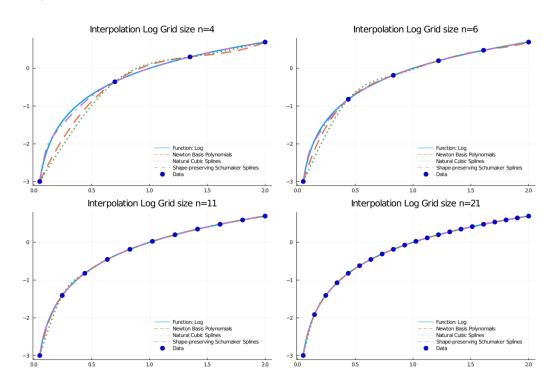


Figure 1: Interpolation Log Fn

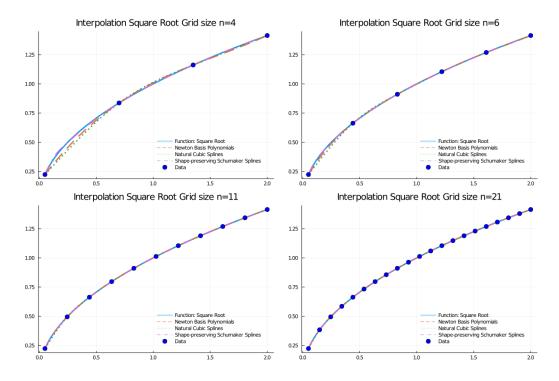


Figure 2: Interpolation Square Root Fn

Square root utility

CRRA utility

 $\sigma = 2$

 $\sigma = 5$

 $\sigma = 10$

Summary of interpolation errors

I'm using the Eucledian Norm of the differences between the original function and the interpolation method. Specifically

$$||f(x) - q(x)||^2 = \left[\sum_i (f(x_i) - q(x_i))^2\right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Log	n=4	n=6	n=11	n=21
Newton Basis Polynomials	6.286	2.28	0.4082	0.03642
Natural Cubic Splines	8.375	4.379	1.606	0.4928
Shape-preserving Schumaker Splines	1.176	0.533	0.1543	0.03563

Square Root	n=4	n=6	n=11	n=21
Newton Basis Polynomials	0.579	0.166	0.02202	0.001462
Natural Cubic Splines	0.8726	0.3989	0.1245	0.03344
Shape-preserving Schumaker Splines	0.098	0.03925	0.00975	0.001983

CES $\sigma = 2$	n=4	n=6	n=11	n=21
Newton Basis Polynomials	98.2	48.55	13.68	2.012

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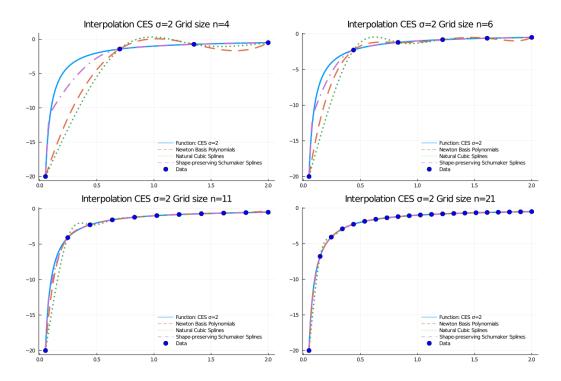


Figure 3: Interpolation CRRA sigma=2 Fn

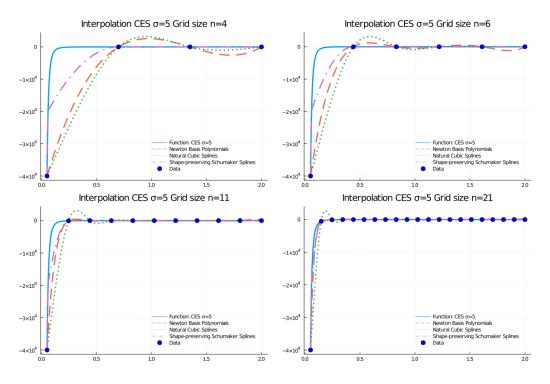


Figure 4: Interpolation CRRA sigma=5 Fn

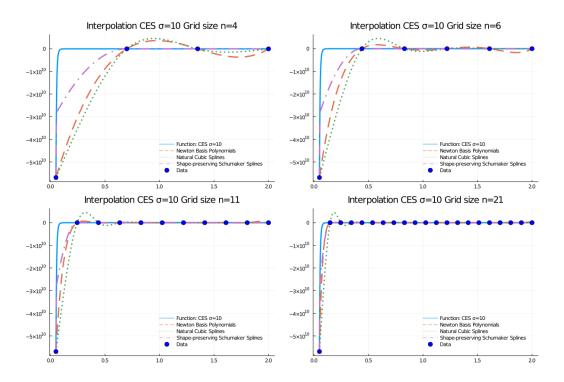


Figure 5: Interpolation CRRA sigma=10 Fn

Curvature

Interpolation error

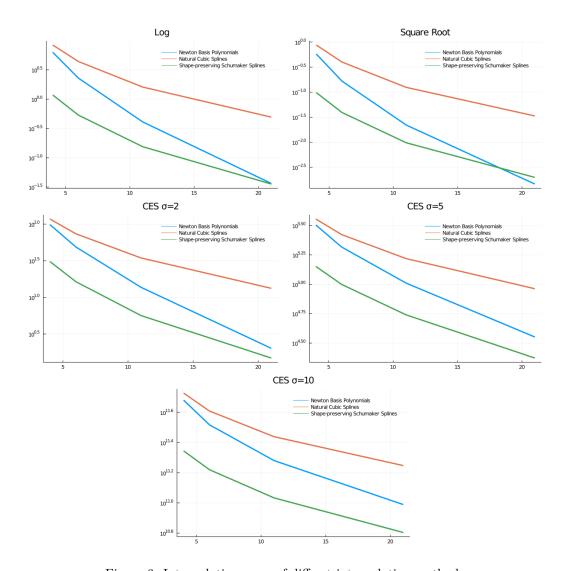


Figure 6: Interpolation error of differet interpolation methods

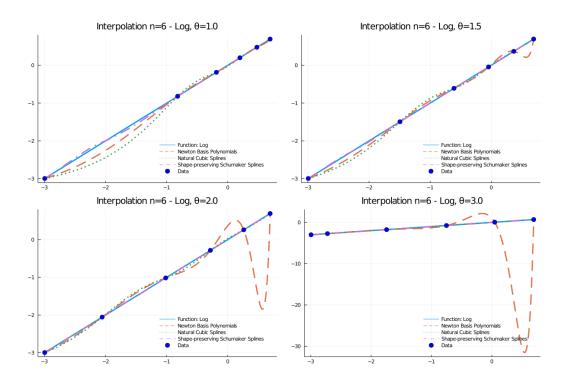


Figure 7: Interpolation, differet methods, n=6, log function.

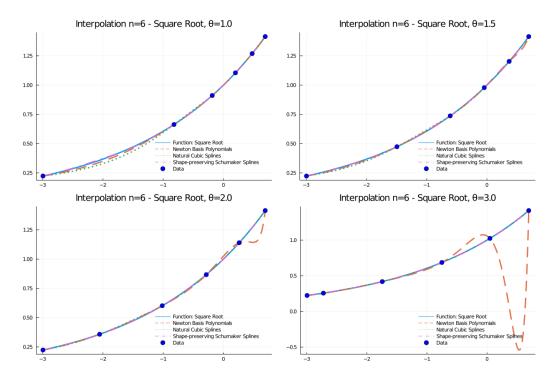


Figure 8: Interpolation, differet methods, n=6, square root function.

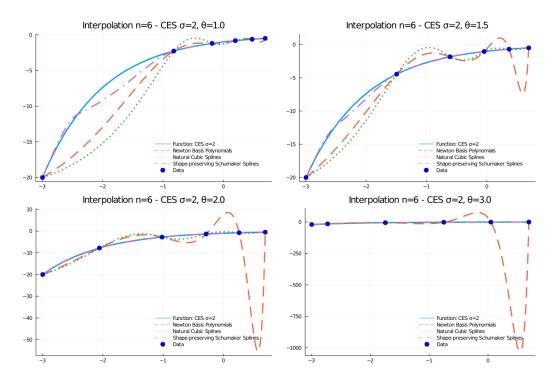


Figure 9: Interpolation, differet methods, n=6, CES sigma=2 function.

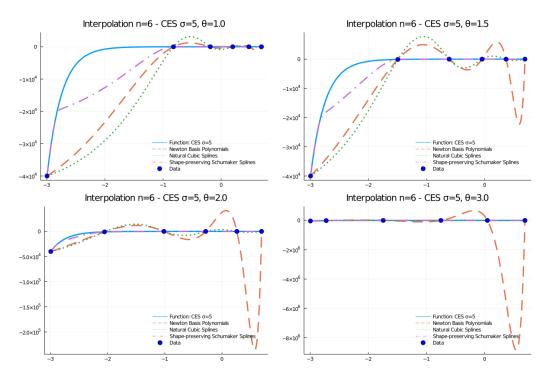


Figure 10: Interpolation, differet methods, n=6, CES sigma=5 function.

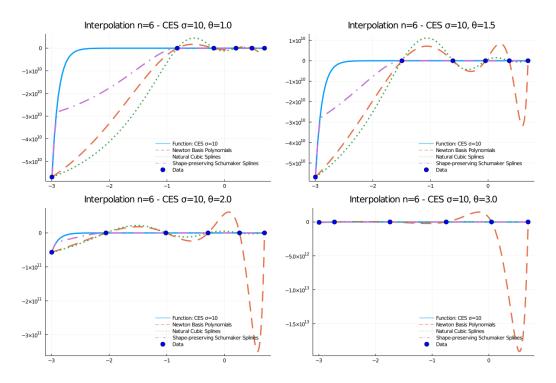


Figure 11: Interpolation, differet methods, n=6, CES sigma=10 function.

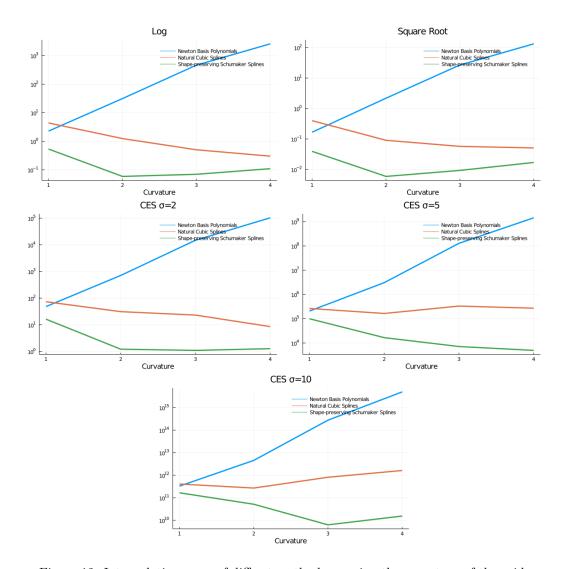


Figure 12: Interpolation error of differet methods, varying the curvature of the grid.