

# Lab 04: Numerical Solutions of Non- Linear Equations (Root finding methods)

## 1. Closed Methods (Bracketing Methods)

- Bisection Method
- False Position Method

### Closed Method

#### Bisection Method

Formula 
$$x_3 = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

#### Errors

##### 1. True Errors

$$\varepsilon_t = \left| \frac{\text{true value} - \text{Appr Value}}{\text{True value}} \right| * 100$$

Percentage Relative Error

Absolute Error  $| \text{true value} - \text{approximate value} |$

## 2. Estimated Error

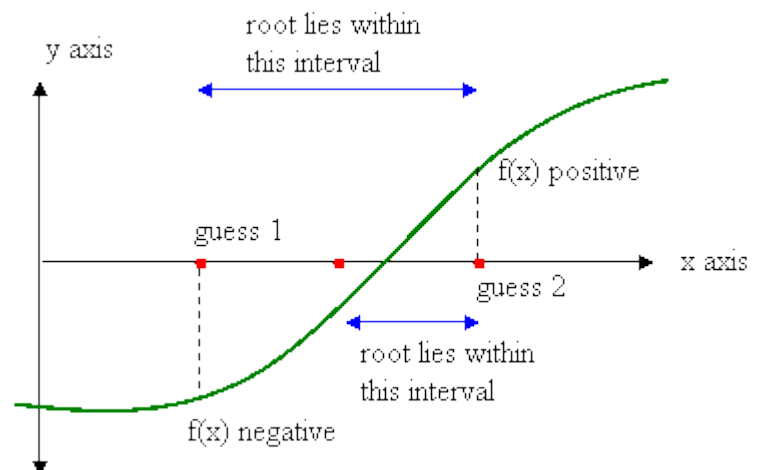
Percentage Relative Error

$$\varepsilon_a = \left| \frac{x_3^{\text{new}} - x_3^{\text{old}}}{x_3^{\text{new}}} \right| * 100$$

Absolute Error

If  $f(x_1) * f(x_3) < 0$  set  $x_2 = x_3$

$f(x_1) * f(x_3) > 0$  set  $x_1 = x_3$



## False Position Method

### Algorithm

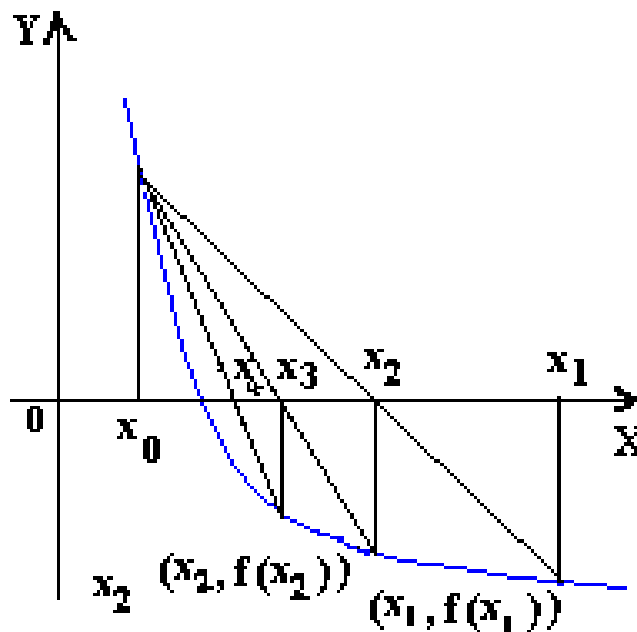
To determine the value of  $f(x)=0$ , given two values  $x_0$  and  $x_1$  that bracket the root: that is  $f(x_0)$  and  $f(x_1)$  are of opposite sign.

Formula: 
$$x_2 = x_1 - f(x_1) * \frac{x_0 - x_1}{f(x_0) - f(x_1)}$$

If  $f(x_2)$  is of opposite sign to  $f(x_0)$  Then

Set  $x_1 = x_2$

Else  $x_0 = x_2$



## LAB TASKS

### A. Implement Bisection Method for the given polynomial in R and find the real root with estimated error.

$$f(x) = 5x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x - 2$$

Using bisection method to locate the root. Employ the initial guesses of  $x_l = 0$ , and  $x_u = 1$  and iteration until the estimated error  $\varepsilon_a$  fall below the level of 10%.

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%initialize x1,x2 and x3
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x1=0;  
x2=1;  
x3=[];
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$$x_1 = 0, \quad f(x_1) = -2$$

$$x_3 = \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}$$

$$x_2 = 1, \quad f(x_2) = 4$$

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%iterate by using for or while loop
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for i=2:10  
  %your code goes here  
  %calculate mid point by the formula  
  % x3= x1+x2/2  
  
  % check if f(x1)*f(x3) < 0  
  %swap x2 and x3  
  
  %check if f(x1)*f(x3) > 0  
  %swap x1 and x3  
  
  %calculate the estimated error  
  % ea = abs((x3new - x3old)/x3new) * 100  
  
  %check if ea < 10  
  %break the loop  
  
  %print the iterations, x1,x2,x3 f(x3),f(x1)*f(x3) and ea
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Verify the results with the values in the table given below:

Iterations	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	$f(x_3)$	$f(x_1)f(x_3)$	$\epsilon_a = \left  \frac{x_3^{new} - x_3^{old}}{x_3^{new}} \right  * 100$
0	0	1	0.5		-0.75 < 0 $x_2 = x_3$	--
1	0	0.5	0.25		1.46876 > 0 $x_1 = x_3$	100%
2	0.25	0.5	0.375		0.13913 > 0 $x_1 = x_3$	33.3%
3	0.375	0.5	0.4375		-0.01642 < 0 $x_2 = x_3$	14.285%
4	0.375	0.4375	0.40625		0.00994 > 0 $x_1 = x_3$	7.692%

The real root of given equation is 0.40625, with 7.692% error.

**B. Implement False Position Method for the same polynomial in R and find the real root with estimated error.**

$$f(x) = 5x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x - 2$$