Chapter 01. Errors

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Errors

- Rounding-off errors
 - Limitation of computer in representation of numbers
 - Rounding-off
- Truncation errors
 - Exact mathematical expression

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!} + \dots$$

Approximate mathematical expression

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

Estimation of errors

Absolute errors

$$E_b = |x - \overline{x}|$$

Relative errors

$$- E_r = \frac{|x - \overline{x}|}{|x|} \qquad E_r = \frac{|x - \overline{x}|}{|x|} \times 100\%$$

Error bound