

# Lab 2

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## 2.A

*Defining constant parameters (reused in 2.B)*

```
% Maximum number of iterations
MAX_ITER = 100;

% Tolerance = 2.2204e-16
% MATLAB's default for root-finding
% https://www.mathworks.com/help/matlab/math/setting-options.html#bt00l89-1
TOL = optimset('fzero').TolX;

% Interval
a = 1;
b = 2;

% Starting guess of root p
p0 = (a + b)/2;
```

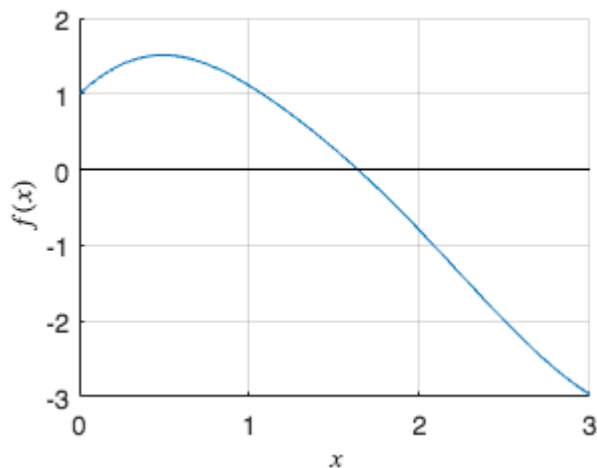
*Graphing  $f(x)$*

```
syms x
f = (x + cos(x)) * exp(-x^2) + x*cos(x);

% Graph of f(x)
figure
hold on

fplot(f, [0 3])
line([3,0], [0 0], 'Color', 'black'); % x axis
xlabel('$x$', 'interpreter', 'latex');
ylabel('$f(x)$', 'interpreter', 'latex');

grid on
hold off
```



```
% saveas(gcf, 'part-a-function.png');
```

MATLAB's approximation of  $p$ , using built-in function `fzero` (<https://www.mathworks.com/help/matlab/ref/fzero.html>)

```
p = fzero(matlabFunction(f), [a b]);
fprintf('p = %f', p);
```

```
p = 1.636723
```

```
fprintf('Expect f''(p) to be non-zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(f), p)));
```

```
Expect f'(p) to be non-zero: -2.051855
```

## 2.A.1

```
g = x - f/diff(f);
```

```
lambda = eval(subs(diff(g, 2), p)) / 2;
fprintf('Expect alpha = 2');
```

```
Expect alpha = 2
```

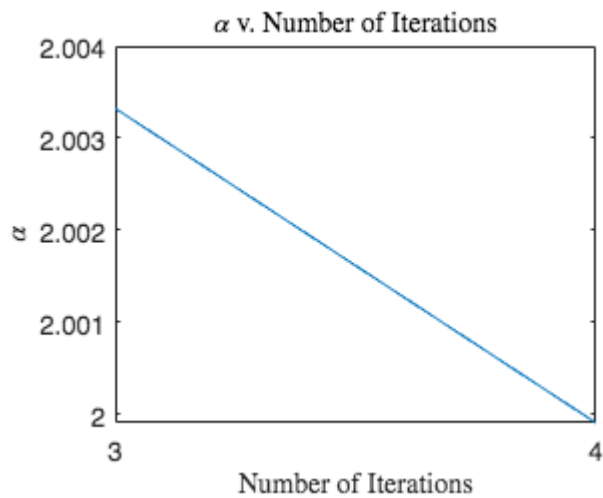
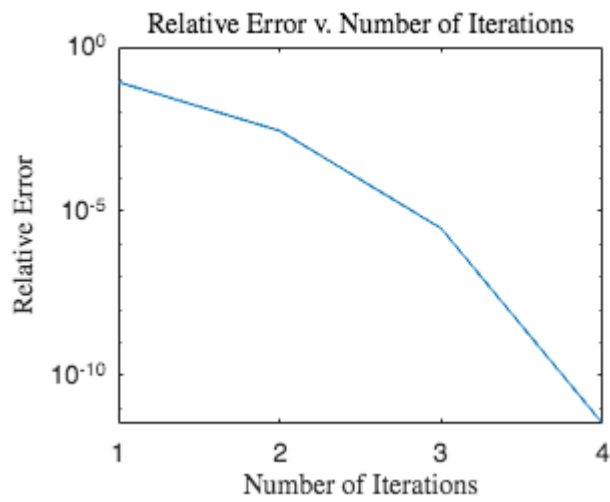
```
fprintf('Expect g''(p) to be zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(g), p)));
```

```
Expect g'(p) to be zero: 0.000000
```

```
fprintf('Expect lambda for Newton to be g'''(p)/2: %f', lambda);
```

```
Expect lambda for Newton to be g''(p)/2: 0.230168
```

```
newton(f, p0, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partA-newton');
```



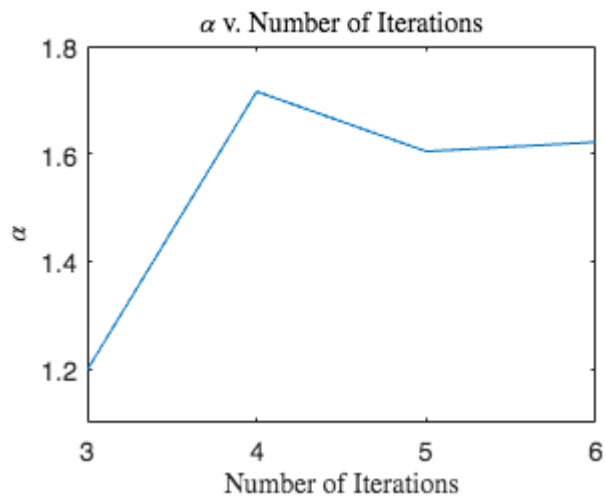
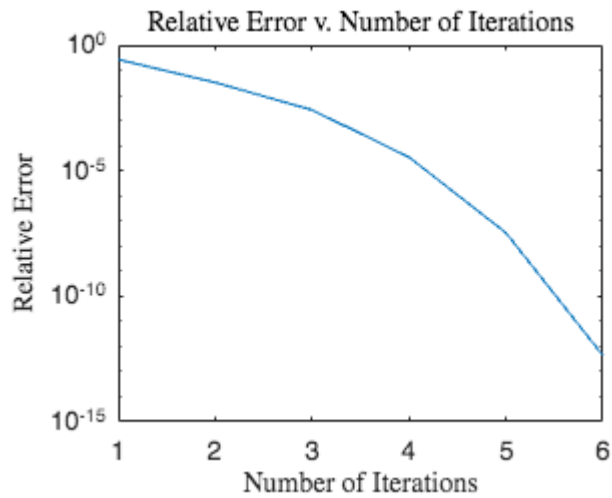
Root found by Newton after 5 iterations: 1.63672.  
 Approximate alpha: 1.999906

## 2.A.2

```
fprintf('Expect alpha = (1 + sqrt(5))/2 = 1.618');
```

Expect alpha = (1 + sqrt(5))/2 = 1.618

```
secant(f, a, b, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partA-secant');
```



Root found by Secant after 7 iterations: 1.63672.  
 Approximate alpha: 1.621579

### 2.A.3

```
u = f/diff(f);
g = x - u/diff(u);

lambda = eval(subs(diff(g, 2), p)) / 2;
fprintf('Expect alpha = 2');
```

Expect alpha = 2

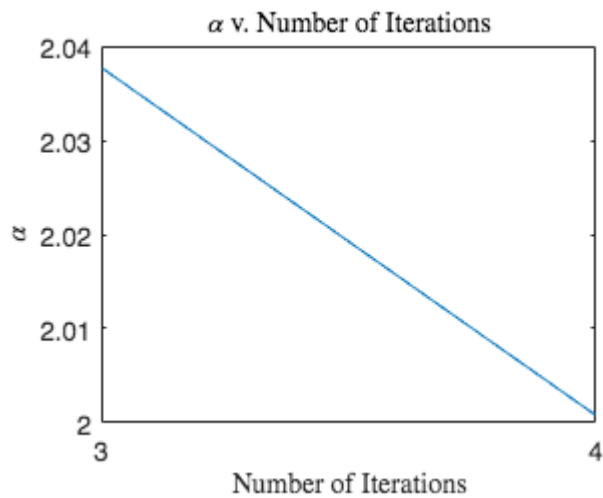
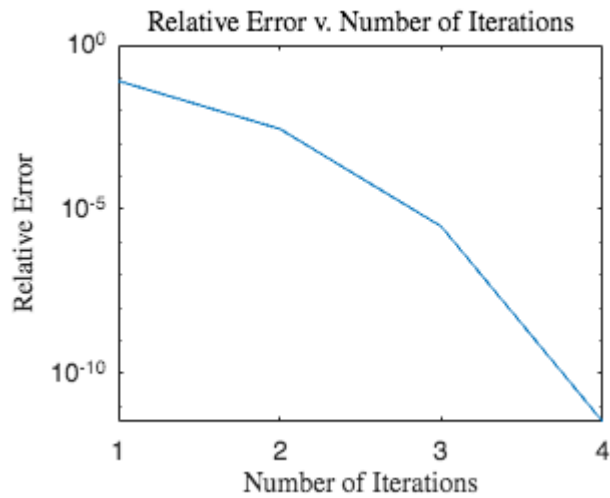
```
fprintf('Expect g''(p) to be zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(g), p)));
```

Expect g'(p) to be zero: 0.000000

```
fprintf('Expect lambda for Modified Newton to be g'''(p)/2: %f', lambda);
```

Expect lambda for Modified Newton to be g'''(p)/2: -0.230168

```
modified_newton(f, p0, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partA-modNewton');
```



Root found by Modified Newton after 5 iterations: 1.63672.  
Approximate alpha: 2.000795

## 2.A.4

```
g = x - f/diff(f) - f^2 * diff(f, 2)/(2 * diff(f)^3);
```

```
lambda = eval(subs(diff(g, 3), p)) / 6;  
fprintf('Expect alpha = 3');
```

Expect alpha = 3

```
fprintf('Expect g''(p) to be zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(g), p)));
```

Expect g'(p) to be zero: 0.000000

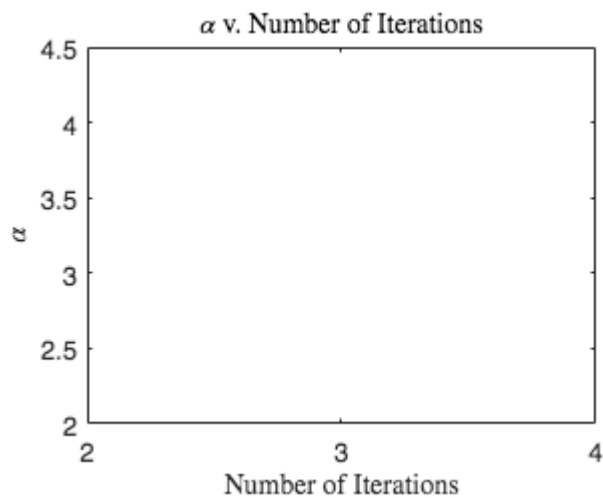
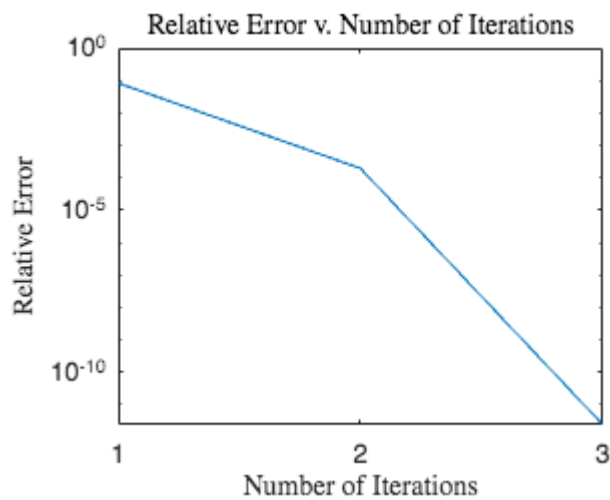
```
fprintf('Expect g'''(p) to be zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(g, 2), p)));
```

Expect g''(p) to be zero: 0.000000

```
fprintf('Expect lambda for Cubic Newton to be g'''(p)/6: %f', lambda);
```

Expect lambda for Cubic Newton to be g'''(p)/6: 0.121748

```
cubic_newton(f, p0, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partA-cubNewton');
```



Root found by Cubic Newton after 4 iterations: 1.63672.  
Approximate alpha: 3.004414

## 2.B

*Graphing  $f(x)$  and  $f'(x)$*

```
f = ((x + cos(x)) * exp(-x^2) + x*cos(x))^2;
fprintf('Expect f''(p) to be zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(f), p)));
```

Expect f'(p) to be zero: 0.000000

```
% Graph of f(x) and f'(x)
figure
hold on

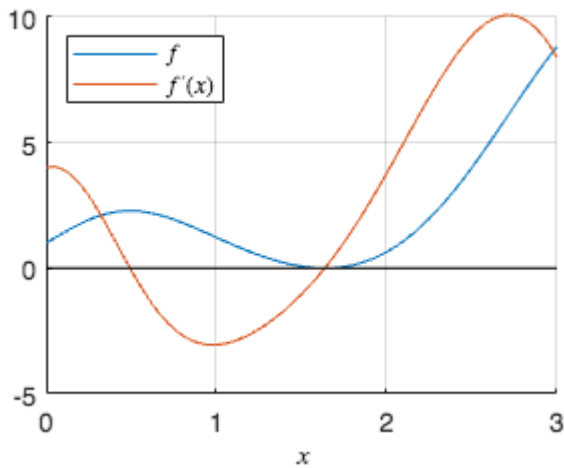
fplot(f, [0 3])
fplot(diff(f), [0 3])
line([3,0], [0 0], 'Color', 'black'); % x axis
xlabel('$x$', 'interpreter', 'latex');
legend('$f$', '$f''(x)$', 'interpreter', 'latex', 'Location', 'northwest');
```

```

grid on
hold off

saveas(gcf, 'part-b-function.png');

```



## 2.B.1

```

g = x - f/diff(f);

lambda = eval(subs(diff(g), p));
fprintf('Expect alpha = 1');

```

Expect alpha = 1

```

fprintf('Expect lambda for Newton to be g''(p): %f', lambda);

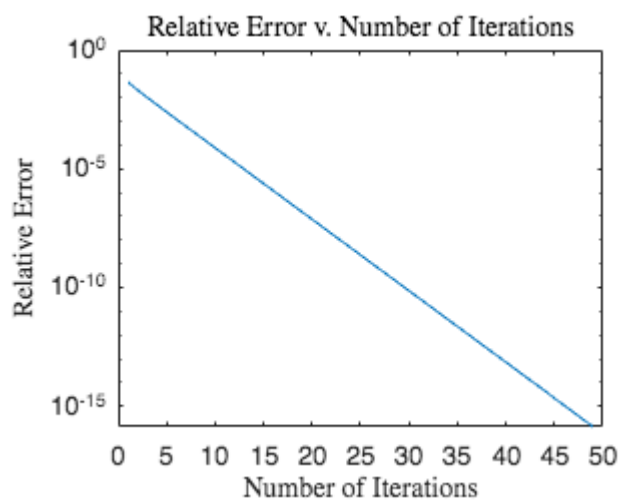
```

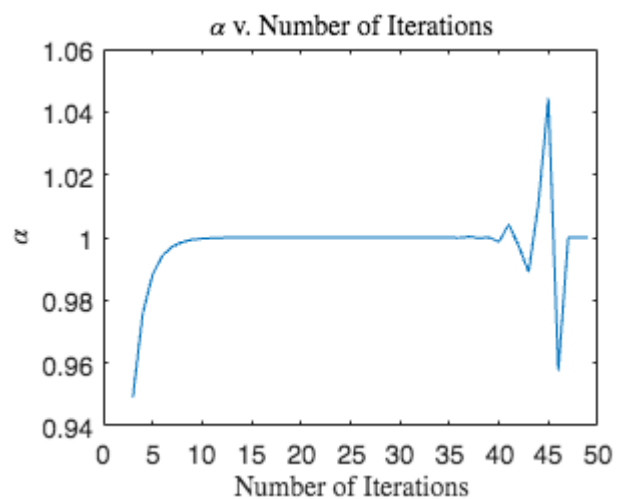
Expect lambda for Newton to be g'(p): 0.500000

```

newton(f, p0, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partB-newton');

```

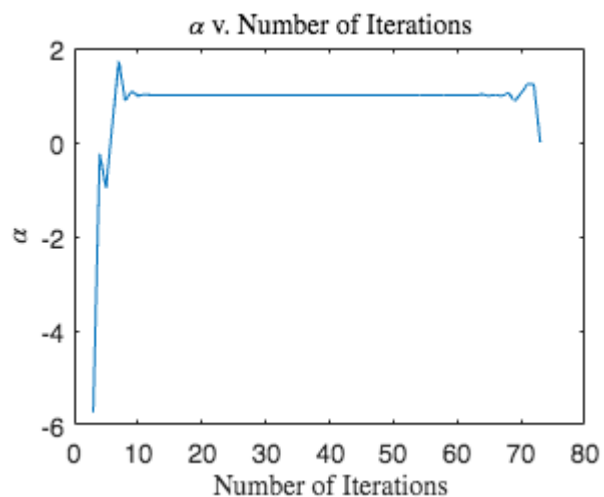
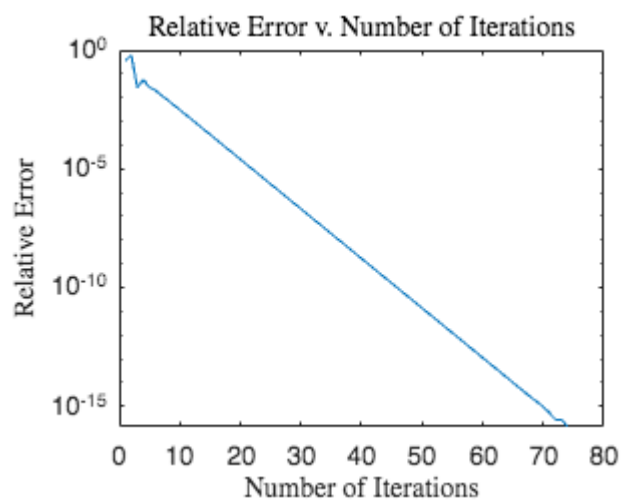




Root found by Newton after 49 iterations: 1.63672.  
Approximate alpha: 1.000000

## 2.B.2

```
secant(f, a, b, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partB-secant');
```





Root found by Secant after 74 iterations: 1.63672.  
Approximate alpha: -0.000000

### 2.B.3

```
u = f/diff(f);  
g = x - u/diff(u);  
  
lambda = eval(subs(diff(g, 2), p)) / 2;  
fprintf('Expect alpha = 2');
```

Expect alpha = 2

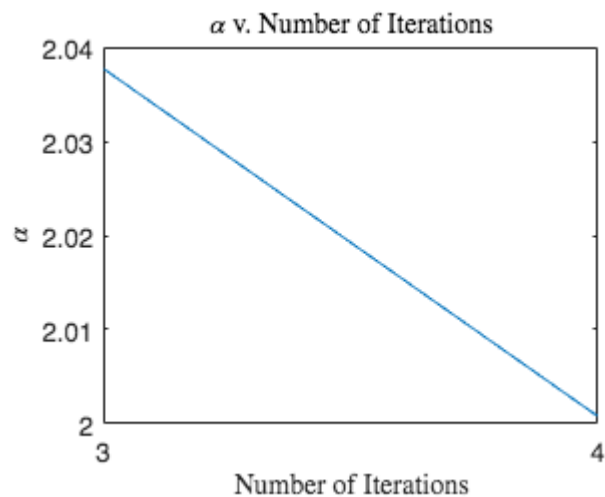
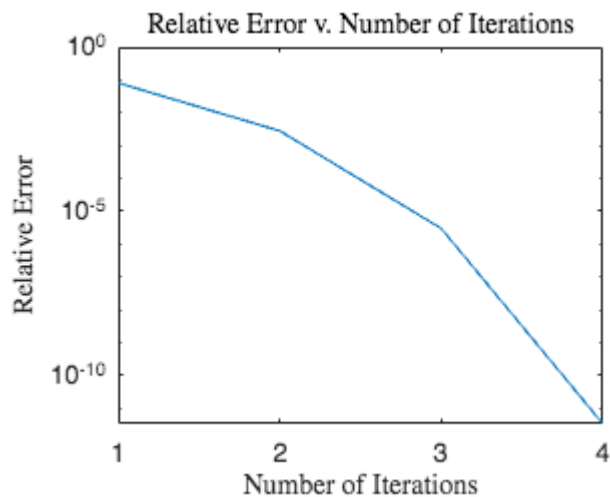
```
fprintf('Expect g''(p) to be zero: %f', eval(subs(diff(g), p)));
```

Expect g'(p) to be zero: 0.000000

```
fprintf('Expect lambda for Modified Newton to be g''''(p)/2: %f', lambda);
```

Expect lambda for Modified Newton to be g''''(p)/2: -0.230168

```
modified_newton(f, p0, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partB-modNewton');
```



Root found by Modified Newton after 5 iterations: 1.63672.  
 Approximate alpha: 2.000795

## 2.B.4

```
g = x - f/diff(f) - f^2 * diff(f, 2)/(2 * diff(f)^3);
```

```
lambda = eval(subs(diff(g), p));
```

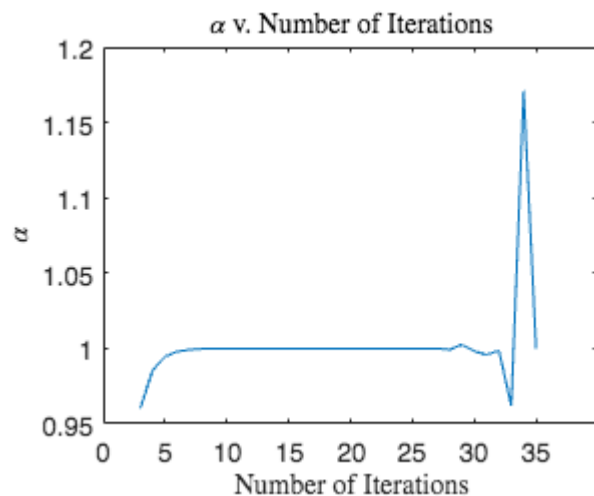
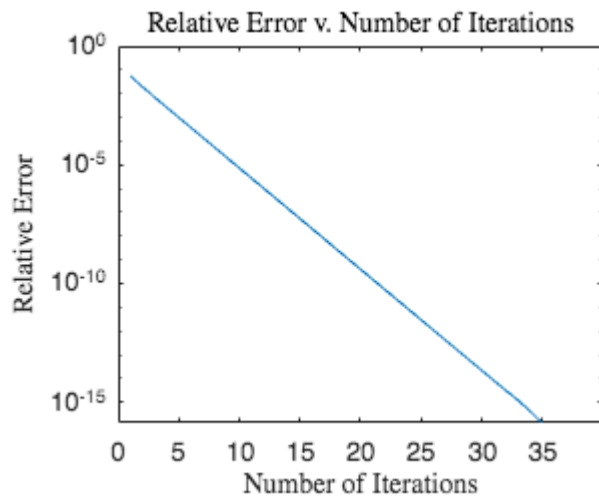
```
fprintf('Expect alpha = 1');
```

Expect alpha = 1

```
fprintf('Expect lambda for Cubic Newton to be g''(p): %f', lambda);
```

Expect lambda for Cubic Newton to be g'(p): 0.375000

```
cubic_newton(f, p0, MAX_ITER, TOL, 'partB-cubNewton');
```



Root found by Cubic Newton after 35 iterations: 1.63672.  
 Approximate alpha: 1.170892

## 3

```

syms theta2 theta3;

r1 = 45;
r2 = 32;
r3 = 33;
r4 = 21;

theta = deg2rad(80);
theta4 = theta + pi;

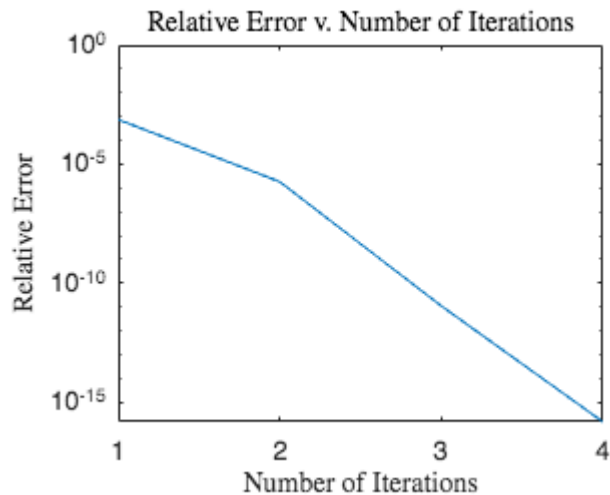
F = [r2*cos(theta2) + r3*cos(theta3) + r4*cos(theta4) - r1;
     r2*sin(theta2) + r3*sin(theta3) + r4*sin(theta4)];

x0 = [deg2rad(59); deg2rad(348)];

[n, pn, errors] = nonlinear_newton(F, [theta2; theta3], x0, 10, TOL);

plot_errors(n, errors, 'nonlinear-err.png');

```

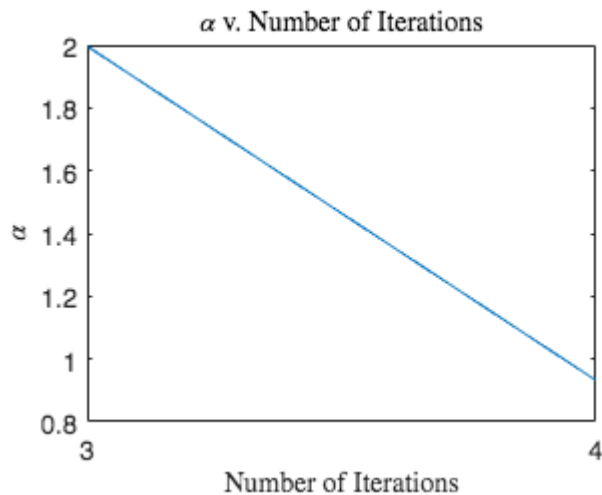


```

writematrix(errors, 'nonlinear-err.csv');

alphas = plot_alphas(n, errors, 'nonlinear-alpha.png');

```



```
writematrix(alphas, 'nonlinear-alpha.csv');
```

```
fprintf('Root found by Nonlinear Newton after %d iterations: [theta2, theta3] = [%s]', n, join(string(pn), ' '));
```

Root found by Nonlinear Newton after 4 iterations: [theta2, theta3] = [1.0342 6.075]

```
fprintf('Root found, in degrees: [theta2 theta3] = [%0.5f %0.5f].', rad2deg(pn));
```

Root found, in degrees: [theta2 theta3] = [59.25432 348.07065].

```
fprintf('\nApproximate alpha: %f', alphas(end-1));
```

Approximate alpha: 1.996428

## Functions

```
function [n, p, errors] = newton(f, p0, max_iter, tol, fileprefix)
%{
Approximates root p of f using Newton's method.
Based on Algorithm 2.3 from Burden & Faires.

Parameters:
- g: fixed-point function, as a symbolic expression
- p0: initial approximation of root p
- max_iter: maximum number of iterations
- tol: tolerance
- fileprefix: prefix for output files

Returns:
- n: number of iterations until dist(p_n, p_(n-1)) < tol
- p: approximation of p after n iterations
- errors: array containing error after each iteration
%}
```

```

errors = zeros(max_iter, 1);
Df = diff(f);

for n = 1:max_iter
    p = p0 - eval(subs(f, p0) / subs(Df, p0));

    errors(n) = abs((p - p0) / p);
    if (errors(n) < tol)
        break;
    end

    p0 = p;
end

print_results('Newton', p, n, errors, fileprefix);
end

function [n, p, errors] = secant(f, p0, p1, max_iter, tol, fileprefix)
%{
    Approximates root p of f using the Secant method.
    Based on Algorithm 2.4 from Burden & Faires.

    Parameters:
    - f: function
    - p0: first initial approximation of root p
    - p1: second initial approximation of root p
    - max_iter: maximum number of iterations
    - tol: tolerance
    - fileprefix: prefix for output files

    Returns:
    - n: number of iterations until dist(p_n, p_(n-1)) < tol
    - p: approximation of p after n iterations
    - errors: array containing error after each iteration
%}

errors = zeros(max_iter, 1);
q0 = eval(subs(f, p0));
q1 = eval(subs(f, p1));

for n = 1:max_iter
    p = p1 - q1 * (p1 - p0) / (q1 - q0);

    errors(n) = abs((p - p1)/p);
    if (errors(n) < tol)
        break;
    end

    p0 = p1;
    q0 = q1;
end

```

```

        p1 = p;
        q1 = eval(subs(f, p));
    end

    print_results('Secant', p, n, errors, fileprefix);
end

function [n, p, errors] = modified_newton(f, p0, max_iter, tol, fileprefix)
    %{
    Approximates root p of f using Modified Newton's method.

    Parameters:
    - f: function
    - p0: first initial approximation of root p
    - p1: second initial approximation of root p
    - max_iter: maximum number of iterations
    - tol: tolerance
    - fileprefix: prefix for output files

    Returns:
    - n: number of iterations until  $\text{dist}(p_n, p_{n-1}) < \text{tol}$ 
    - p: approximation of p after n iterations
    - errors: array containing error after each iteration
    %}

    errors = zeros(max_iter, 1);
    Df = diff(f);

    u = f/Df;
    Du = diff(u);

    for n = 1:max_iter
        p = p0 - eval(subs(u, p0)) / eval(subs(Du, p0));

        errors(n) = abs((p - p0)/p);
        if (errors(n) < tol)
            break;
        end

        p0 = p;
    end

    print_results('Modified Newton', p, n, errors, fileprefix);
end

function [n, p, errors] = cubic_newton(f, p0, max_iter, tol, fileprefix)
    %{
    Approximates root p of f using a variant of Newton's method that
    converges cubically.

```

Parameters:

- f: function
- p0: first initial approximation of root p
- p1: second initial approximation of root p
- max\_iter: maximum number of iterations
- tol: tolerance
- fileprefix: prefix for output files

Returns:

- n: number of iterations until  $\text{dist}(p_n, p_{(n-1)}) < \text{tol}$
  - p: approximation of p after n iterations
  - errors: array containing error after each iteration
- %}

```
errors = zeros(max_iter, 1);
```

```
Df = diff(f);
```

```
D2f = diff(f, 2);
```

```
for n = 1:max_iter
```

```
    q = eval(subs(f, p0));
```

```
    qp = eval(subs(Df, p0));
```

```
    qpp = eval(subs(D2f, p0));
```

```
    p = p0 - q/qp - q^2 * qpp / (2*qp^3);
```

```
    errors(n) = abs((p - p0)/p);
```

```
    if (errors(n) < tol)
```

```
        break;
```

```
    end
```

```
    p0 = p;
```

```
end
```

```
print_results('Cubic Newton', p, n, errors, fileprefix);
```

```
end
```

```
function [n, p, errors] = nonlinear_newton(F, vars, p0, max_iter, tol)
```

```
%{
```

```
Approximates root p of f using Newton's method for nonlinear systems.
```

Parameters:

- F: nx1 array of functions
- vars: nx1 array of input variables for F
- p0: initial approximation of p
- max\_iter: maximum number of iterations
- tol: tolerance

Returns:

- n: number of iterations until  $\text{dist}(p_n, p_{(n-1)}) < \text{tol}$
- p: approximation of p after n iterations

```

- errors: array containing error after each iteration
%}

errors = zeros(max_iter, 1);

J = jacobian(F);
JF = [J F];           % Augmented matrix
RJF = rref(JF);       % Reduced row echelon form of
y = RJF(:, end);      % Symbolic solution to Jy = F

for n = 1:max_iter
    p = p0 - eval(subs(y, vars, p0));

    errors(n) = norm(p - p0)/norm(p);
    if (errors(n) < tol)
        break;
    end

    p0 = p;
end
end

function print_results(method, pn, n, errors, fileprefix)
%{
    Graphs errors and computed alpha, and prints a summary of results.

    Parameters:
    - method: name of method
    - pn: final approximation of p
    - n: number of iterations
    - errors: array of errors
    - fileprefix: prefix for graph files

    Returns:
    - n: number of iterations until dist(p_n, p_(n-1)) < tol
    - p: approximation of p after n iterations
    - errors: array containing error after each iteration
%}

plot_errors(n, errors, sprintf('%s-err.png', fileprefix));
writematrix(errors, sprintf('%s-err.csv', fileprefix));

alphas = plot_alphas(n, errors, sprintf('%s-alpha.png', fileprefix));
writematrix(alphas, sprintf('%s-alpha.csv', fileprefix));

fprintf('Root found by %s after %d iterations: %0.5f.', method, n, pn);
fprintf('\nApproximate alpha: %f', alphas(end-1));
end

function plot_errors(n, errors, filename)

```



```

%{
Plots errors against number of iterations.

Parameters:
- n: number of iterations
- errors: array of errors
- filename: where to output graph
%}

figure
semilogy(1:n, errors(1:n));

ylabel('Relative Error', 'interpreter', 'latex');
xlabel('Number of Iterations', 'interpreter', 'latex');

title('Relative Error v. Number of Iterations', 'interpreter', 'latex');

% Iteration number must be an integer
xlabel = get(gca, 'xTick');
xticks(unique(round(xlabel)));

saveas(gcf, filename);
end

function alphas = plot_alphas(n, errors, filename)
%{
Plots alpha against number of iterations.

$$\alpha = \frac{\log(E[n+1]) - \log(E[n])}{\log(E[n]) - \log(E[n-1])}$$

Parameters:
- n: number of iterations (must be > 2)
- errors: error array
- filename: name of output file
%}

alphas = zeros(n-2, 1);
logerrors = log(errors);

prevdelta = logerrors(2) - logerrors(1);

for i=2:n-1
    currdelta = logerrors(i+1) - logerrors(i);
    alphas(i-1) = currdelta / prevdelta;
    prevdelta = currdelta;
end

figure
plot(3:n, alphas);

ylabel('$\alpha$', 'interpreter', 'latex');

```

```
xlabel('Number of Iterations', 'interpreter', 'latex');  
  
title('$\alpha$ v. Number of Iterations', 'interpreter', 'latex');  
  
% Iteration number must be an integer  
xlabels = get(gca, 'xTick');  
xticks(unique(round(xlabels)));  
  
saveas(gcf, filename);  
end
```