

# 3f. Inversion Point

- A particle is subject to an acceleration function of time,

$$a(t) = \frac{1 - e^{-t}}{\sqrt{1 + t^4}}$$

- Given the particle initial velocity  $v(0) = -1$ , use Newton's method with a tolerance  $\varepsilon = 10^{-6}$  to **determine when the inversion point is reached**, that is, find  $t^*$  such that

$$v(t^*) = v(0) + \int_0^{t^*} a(t) dt = 0$$

- Always use Gaussian quadrature with  $N_g=5$  Gaussian points to evaluate the integral and print, each time you compute the velocity:
  - the lower ( $t_{lo}$ ) and upper ( $t_{hi}$ ) bounds as well as the the number of intervals  $n_{int}=\text{ceil}(|t_{lo} - t_{hi}|*2)$  used to compute the integral;
  - the cumulative number of function ( $a(t)$ ) evaluation calls ( $nfv += N_g*n_{int}$ ).
- Of course  $t_{lo}=0.0$  initially but, you may modify it to make the algorithm more efficient .
- Upload your code with i) the output inserted in the comments at the beginning of the file, ii) the required library function at the end, e.g.

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// Name: First Name, Last name
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//
// Code output:
// *****
// tlo = ..; thi = ..; nint = ..; nfv = ..
// Inversion time (zero) = ..
// *****
#include ...
...
int main()
{
    // code here
}

double Velocity(double t){
    static int nfv = 0; // Cumulative number of function evaluations
    ...
    GaussianQuad(..);

    nfv += Ng*nint;
    cout << "tlo = " << tlo << "; thi = " << t << "; nint = " << nint
         << "; Func eval = " << nfv << endl;
    ...
}
double Acceleration(double t){}
...
void Gauss(..){}
void Newton(..){}
```