

A)

```
function s=Hermite(A,n)

    coefs=zeros(n-1,4);

    for i=1:n-1

        x0=A(1,i);

        x1=A(1,i+1);

        y0=A(2,i);

        y1=A(2,i+1);

        dy0=A(3,i);

        dy1=A(3,i+1);

        coefs(i,:)=Divided_diff(x0,x1,y0,y1,dy0,dy1);

    end

    s=mkpp(A(1,:),coefs);

end

function coef=Divided_diff(x0,x1,y0,y1,dy0,dy1)

    x=[x0,x0,x1,x1];

    y=[y0,y0,y1,y1];

    ydiff=[dy0,dy1];

    n=4;

    table=zeros(n,n);

    table(:,1)=y(:);

    cnt=1;

    for j=2:n

        for i=1:n-j+1

            if(x(i+j-1)==x(i))

                table(i,j)=ydiff(1,cnt);

                cnt=cnt+1;

            else

                table(i,j)=(table(i+1,j-1)-table(i,j-1))/(x(i+j-1)-x(i));

            end

        end

    end

end
```

end

end

end

```
coef=[table(1,1),table(1,2),table(1,3),table(1,4)];
```

```
coef = flip(coef);
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```
coef(1,2) = coef(1,2) - (coef(1,1)*(x1-x0));
```

end

B)

```
%settings
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```
f=@(x)exp(x-5);
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g=@(x) sin(x);
```

```
h=@(x) log(x-3);
```

```
k=@(x)abs(x-5).^(3/2);
```

```
a=4; b=6; t=linspace(4,6);
```

```
%function f
```

```
n=3;
```

```
X=linspace(a,b,n);
```

```
Y=f(X);
```

```
A=[X;Y;Y];
```

```
s=Hermite(A,n);
```

```
//-----table for first and second interval-----//
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```
table =
```

```
0.367879441171442 0.367879441171442 0.264241117657115 0.103638323514327
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0.367879441171442 0.632120558828558 0.367879441171442 0
```

```
1.000000000000000 1.000000000000000 0 0
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```
1.000000000000000 0 0 0
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```
table =
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```
1.000000000000000 1.000000000000000 0.718281828459045 0.281718171540955
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1.0000000000000000 1.718281828459045 1.0000000000000000 0
2.718281828459045 2.718281828459045 0 0
2.718281828459045 0 0 0

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Now we can use the first row of the table for coefficients.

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//-----//
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max(abs(ppval(s,t)-f(t))) = 0.004370746538173
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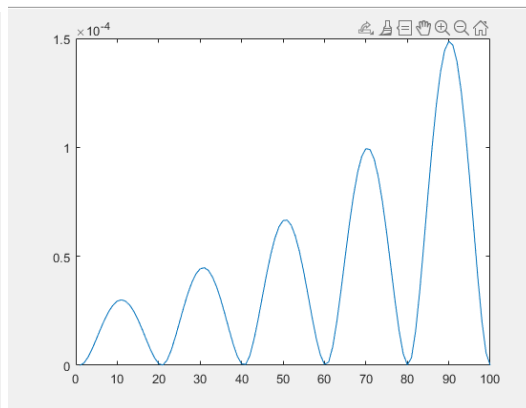
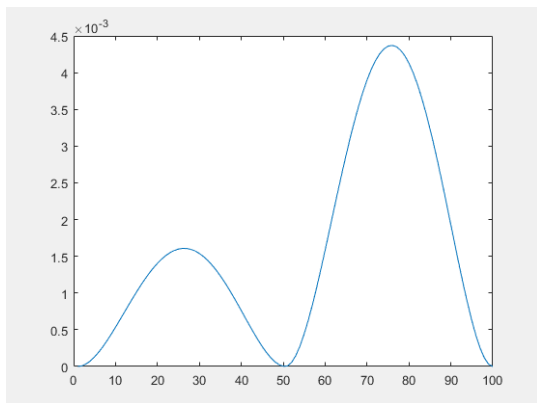
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mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-f(t))) = 0.001578365909698
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```
% now n=6 points,5 interval
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max(abs(ppval(s,t)-f(t))) = 1.486750864114761e-04
```

```
mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-f(t))) = 4.121030630701017e-05
```

Error functions



Observation: As the number of interval goes from 2 to 5 the error gets smaller.

```
%function g
```

```
n=3;
```

```
X=linspace(a,b,n);
```

```
Y=g(X);
```

```
dY=cos(X);
```

```
A=[X;Y;dY];
```

```
s=Hermite(A,n);
```

```
max(abs(ppval(s,t)-g(t)))=0.002503541715719
```

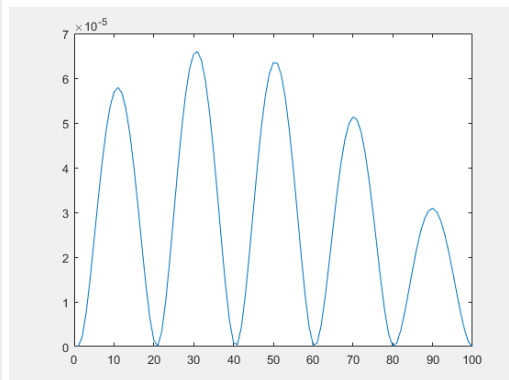
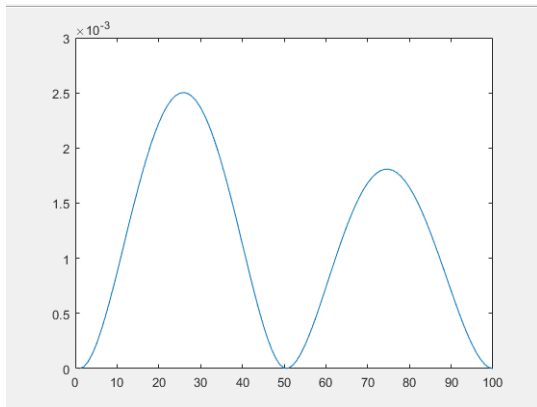
```
mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-g(t)))=0.001136591190992
```

```
%Now with n=6
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max(abs(ppval(s,t)-g(t)))= 6.595726378433309e-05
```

$\text{mean}(\text{abs}(\text{ppval}(s,t)-g(t)))=2.851160315315904\text{e-}05$

Error functions



Observation: The error got smaller as n increased.

```
%function h
```

```
n=3;
```

```
X=linspace(a,b,n);
```

```
Y=h(X);
```

```
dY= 1./(X-3);
```

```
A=[X;Y;dY];
```

```
s=Hermite(A,n);
```

```
max(abs(ppval(s,t)-h(t))) = 0.003641976248656
```

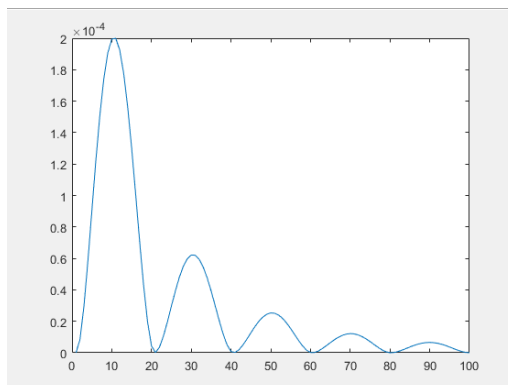
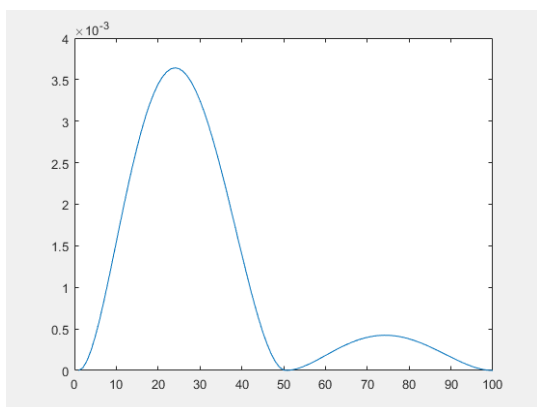
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mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-h(t))) = 0.001075147047493
```

```
%Now with n=6
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```
max(abs(ppval(s,t)-h(t))) = 1.999649170678075e-04
```

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mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-h(t))) = 3.245452420306480e-05
```

Error functions



Observation: The error got smaller as n increased.

% function k

```
dk=@(t)(3*(t-5))/(2*sqrt(abs(t-5)));
```

```
n=3;
```

```
X=linspace(a,b,n);
```

```
Y=k(X);
```

```
dY= [-1.5,0,1.5]; %approx
```

```
A=[X;Y;dY];
```

```
s=Hermite(A,n);
```

```
max(abs(ppval(s,t)-k(t)))=0.045063155139943
```

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mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-k(t)))=0.024750944910461
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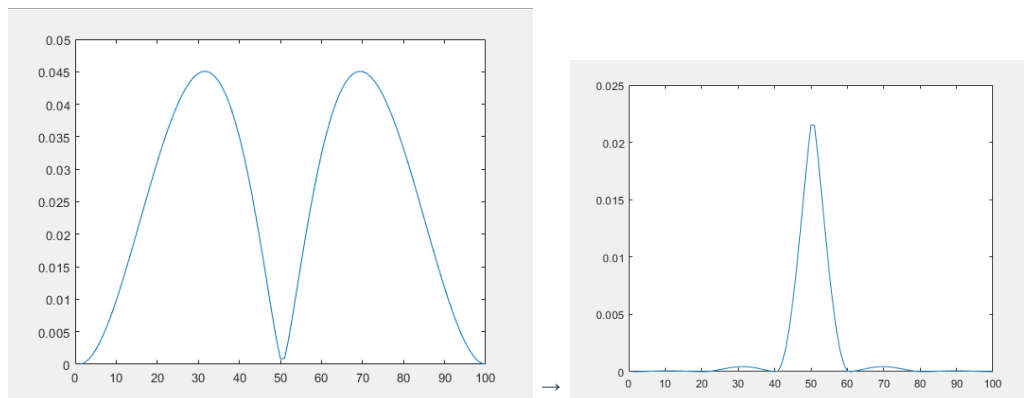
```
%now n=6
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dY= [-1.5, -1.162,-0.671, 0.671,1.162,1.5]; %approx
```

```
max(abs(ppval(s,t)-k(t))) = 0.021498685392098
```

```
mean(abs(ppval(s,t)-k(t))) = 0.001872700152697
```

Error functions



Observation: The error got smaller as n increased.

In theory, when we use cubic Hermite interpolation, regardless of what function we are interpolating, it should converge. It is because the error formula is $\frac{5}{384} \max(f''''[a,b]) h^4$ and h always gets smaller when the number of interval increases. As we can see above when n increased the error got smaller for all 4 functions. So **convergence is quite certain**. If we compare with HW5's results, cubic Hermite interpolation has lower errors than cubic spline interpolation. However, since Hermite interpolation requires derivatives for each interval, the cost is more expensive.

