

EM 314 – NUMERICAL METHODS  
ASSIGNMENT 01

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$$\sin x \approx x$$

Taylor series

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + \frac{f'(x)h}{1} + \frac{f''(x)h^2}{2!} + \frac{f'''(x)h^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$\sin(x_0+x) = f(x_0) + \frac{f'(x_0)x}{1} + \frac{f''(x_0)x^2}{2!} + \frac{f'''(x_0)x^3}{3!} + \dots$$

Then  $x_0 = 0$ 

$$\sin(x) = f(0) + \frac{f'(0)x}{1} + \frac{f''(0)x^2}{2!} + \frac{f'''(0)x^3}{3!} + \frac{f^{(4)}(0)x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$\sin(x) = 0 + x + 0 - \frac{x^3}{3!} + 0 + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots$$

$$\sin(x) \approx x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!}$$

$$\text{Error} = \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^3}{3!} \leq 10^{-6}$$

$$\frac{x^5}{120} - \frac{x^3}{6} \leq 10^{-6}$$

$$x^5 - 20x^3 - 10^{-6} = 0$$

$$x^5 - 20x^3 - 1.2 \times 10^{-4} = 0$$

$$x \approx -0.00368 / x \approx 4.47214 / x \approx -4.47214$$

$$x \approx -0.01817 / x \approx 4.47214 / x \approx -4.47214$$

$$-4.47214 \leq x \leq 4.47214$$

02) Any  $x_* \in F$  can be represented as

$$x_* = (-1)^s (a_1, \dots, a_t) \beta^m$$

The sign bit can assume 2 values

Each of digits  $a_2, a_3, \dots, a_t$  can assume  $\beta$  different values, while  $a_1$  can assume only  $\beta-1$  values.

$\therefore$  The mantissa assumes  $(\beta-1)\beta^{t-1}$  different values

The exponent can assume  $U-L+1$  different values.

$\therefore$  The set  $F$  contains

$$2(\beta-1)\beta^{t-1}(U-L+1) \text{ elements.}$$

03) From Taylor series

$$f(x+h) = f(x) + hf'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(\xi) \quad \text{where } x < \xi < x+h$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} - \frac{hf''(\xi)}{2}$$

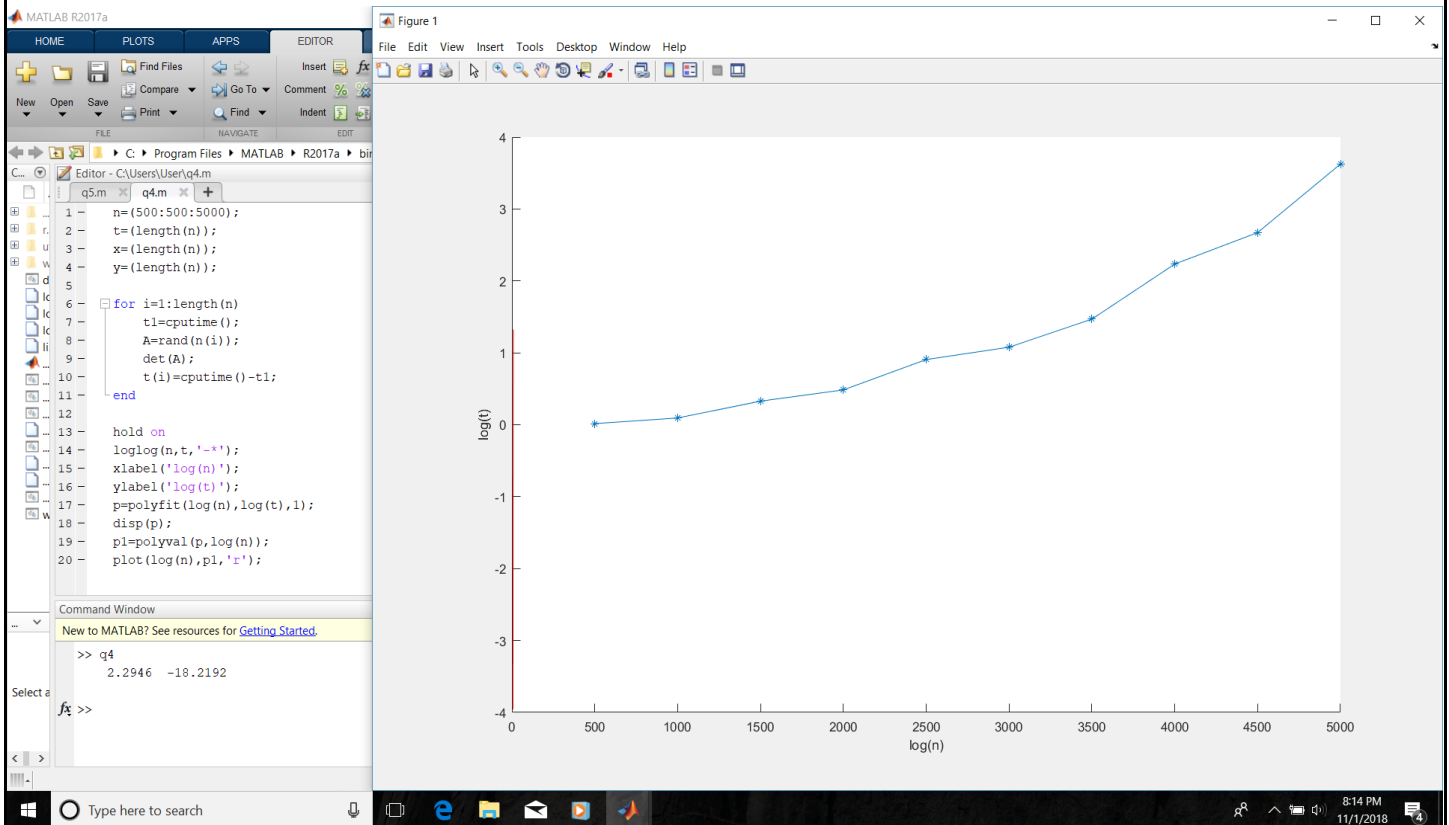
$$= f'_h(x) - \frac{hf''(\xi)}{2}$$

$$\therefore E_h(x) = \left| f'(x) - f'_h(x) \right| = \left| \frac{hf''(\xi)}{2} \right|$$

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{|E_h(x)|}{|h|} = \left| \frac{f''(\xi)}{2} \right| = \text{constant}$$

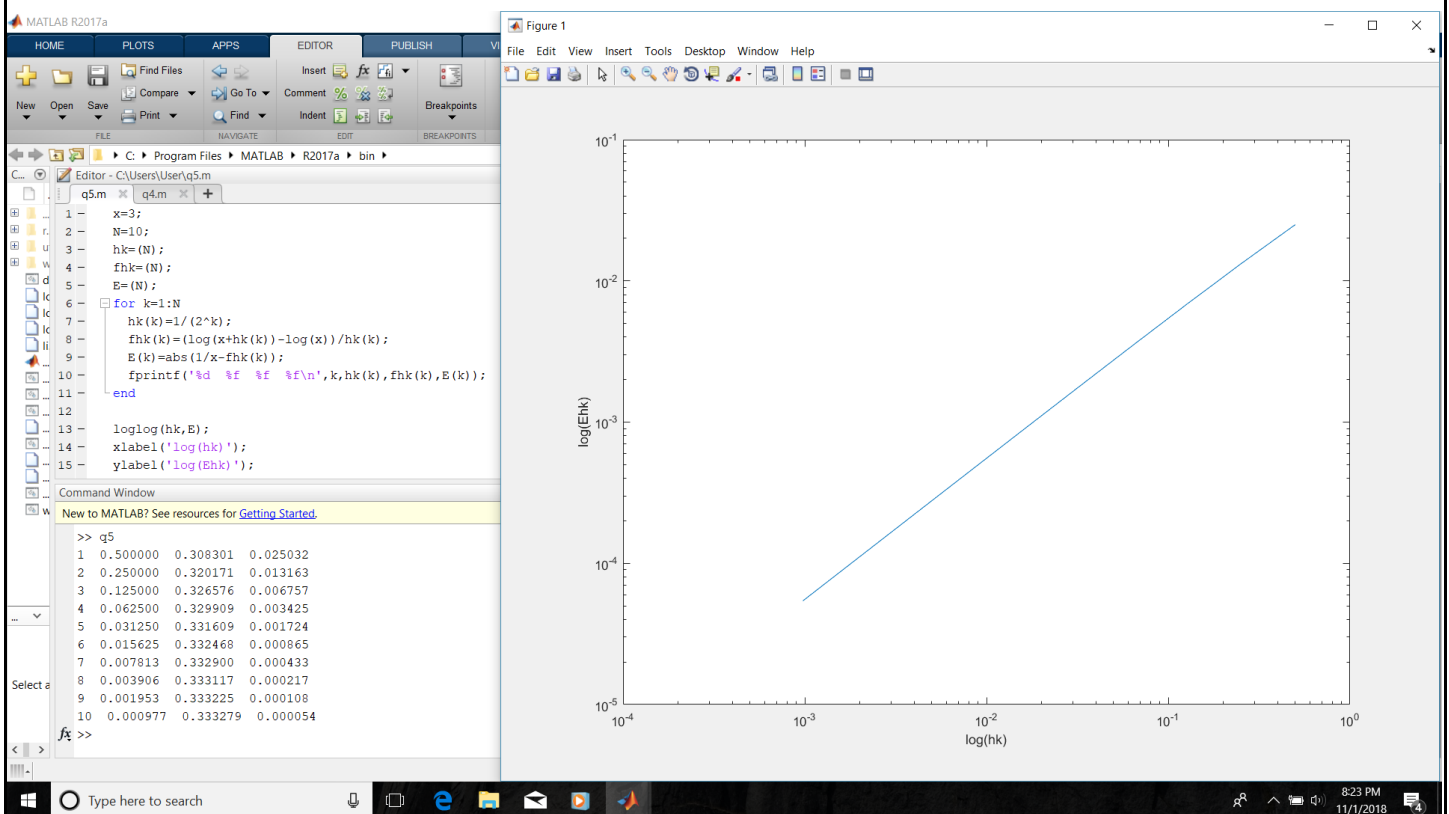
Because of that  $E_h = O(h)$

Q4)



Q5)

(b)





(e)

