EX.5.3.2.a, Sauer3

Apply Romberg Integration to find R_{33} for the integral

$$\int_0^1 x e^x \, dx.$$

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• This is the same integral as in EX.5.2.4.a, we recall that the exact value of the integral we are trying to compute is 1.

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f = @(x) x*exp(x);
h1 = 1; h2 = 1/2; h3 = 1/4;
R11 = 1/2 * h1 * ( f(0) + f(1) );
R21 = 1/2 * R11 + h2 * f( 1/2 );
R31 = 1/2 * R21 + h3 * ( f( 1/4 ) + f( 3/4 ) );
R22 = ( 4 * R21 - R11 ) / 3;
R32 = ( 4 * R31 - R21 ) / 3;
R33 = ( 16 * R32 - R22 ) / 15;
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• The final answer of the integration process is R_{33} , we get

1.0000056017291137

• We can report the value obtained in a table:

Associated errors are:

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3.6e-01
9.2e-02 2.6e-03
2.3e-02 1.7e-04 5.6e-06
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Computing R_{33} only required 5 function evaluations.

• We note that R_{22} is exactly Simpson with m = 1 as computed in EX.5.2.4.a, R_{32} is exactly Simpson with m = 2 as computed in EX.5.2.4.a. This was expected.