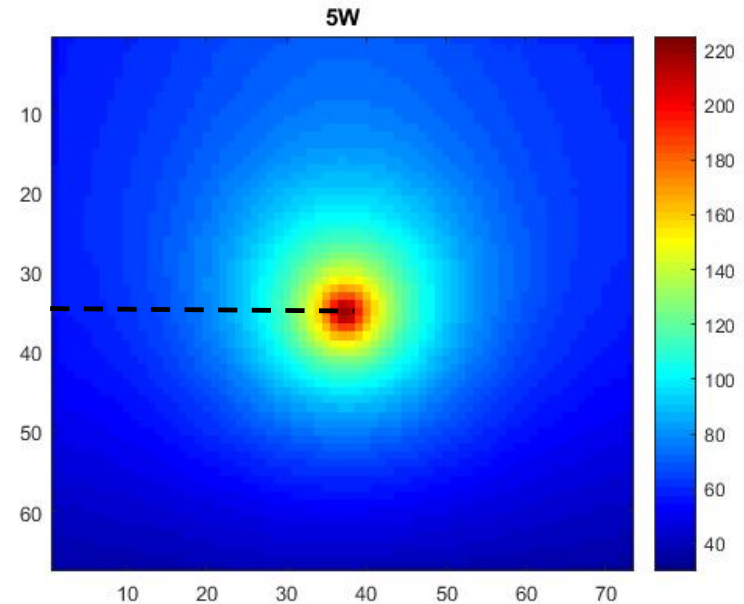
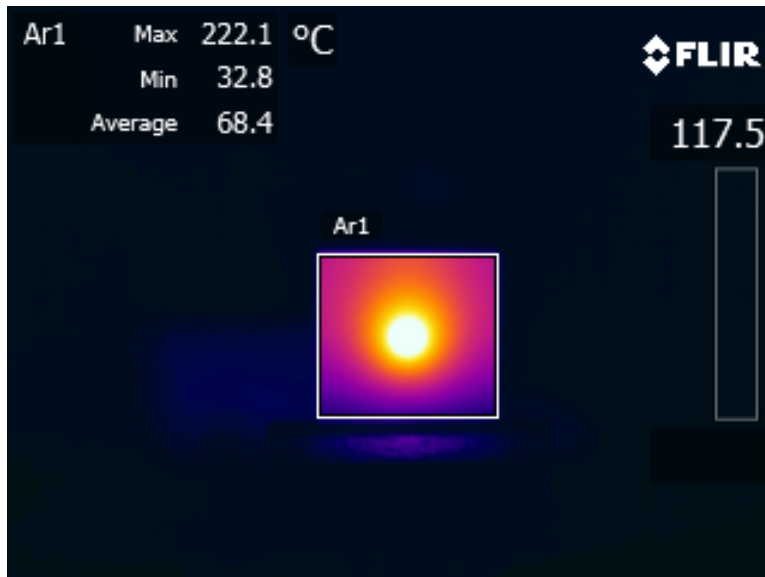
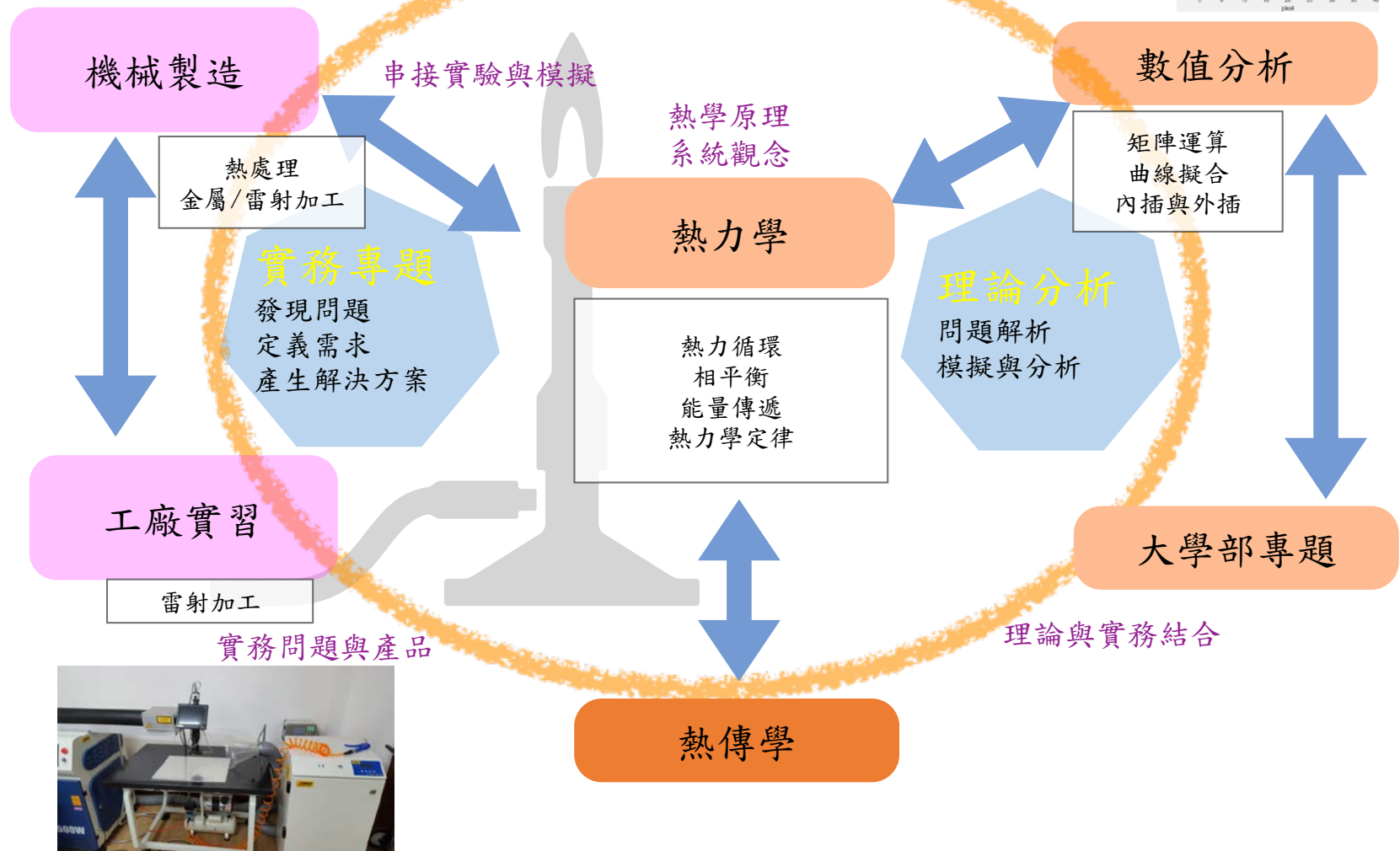


實例：雷射加熱與加工

- Laser heating (**5W**) on an aluminum metal plate
- Obtain the centerline temperature profile using curve fitting
- Using the **2nd** and **6th** order polynomial



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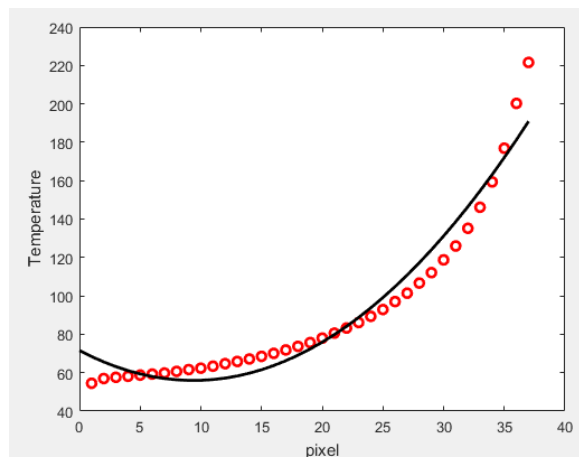


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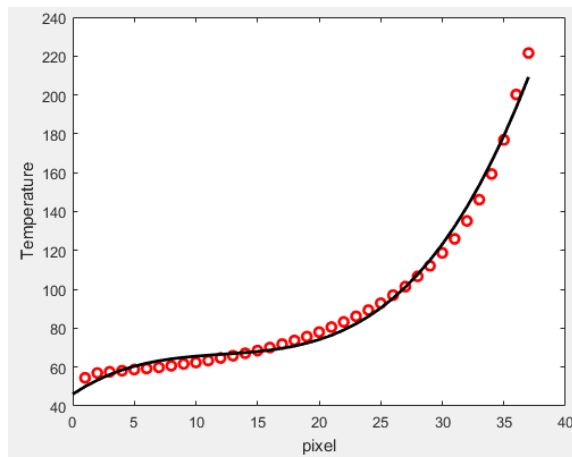
- 該數值分析程式需要能調整多項式次數n (degree)

$$f(x) = a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$$

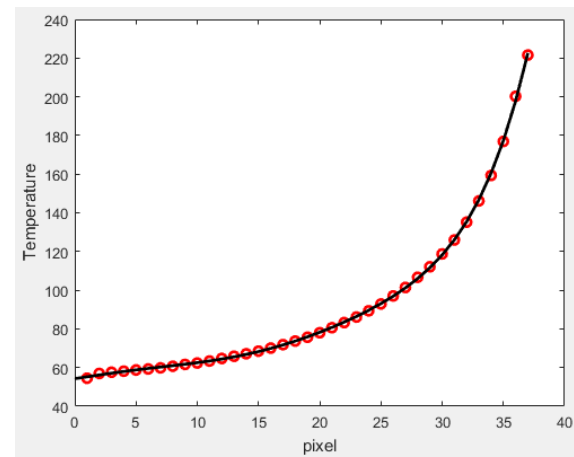
- 流程：
 - 將溫度分佈(矩陣)中的中心線溫度取出，並存成陣列
 - 使用多項式回歸(Polynomial regression)方式取得擬合曲線
 - 將原始數據與擬合曲線畫在同一張圖上



2nd order



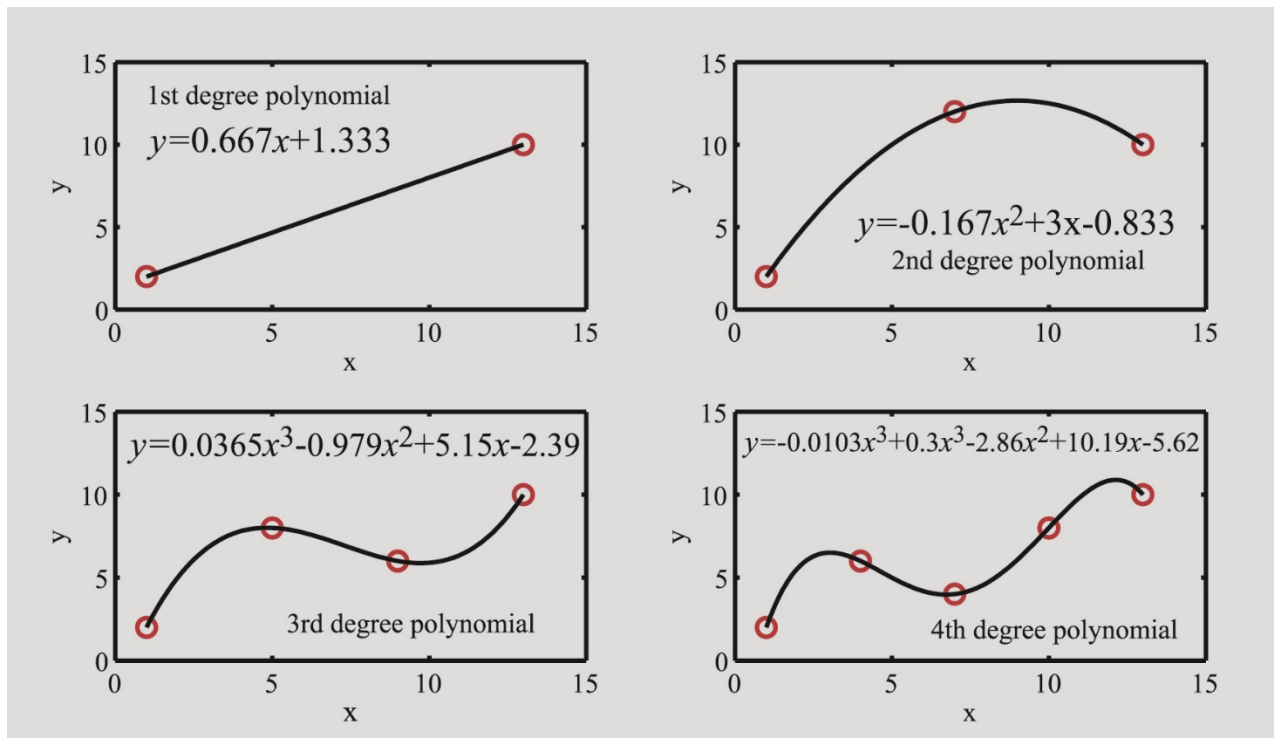
3rd order



6th order

4.5 Interpolation using a Single Polynomial

- Determine a mathematical formula such that (1) it gives the exact value at all the data points (2) an estimate value **between** the points
- For n data points, the polynomial is of order $(n-1)$
- By solving the system of linear equations, the coefficients can be determined.



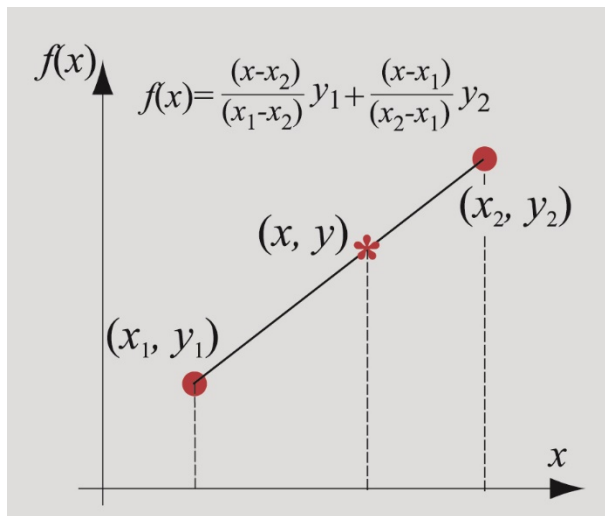
Lagrange Interpolating Polynomials

- 1st order Lagrange polynomial:

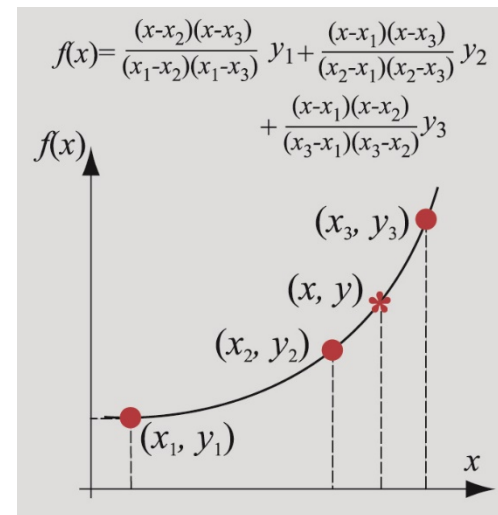
$$f(x) = \frac{(x - x_2)}{(x_1 - x_2)} y_1 + \frac{(x - x_1)}{(x_2 - x_1)} y_2$$

- 2nd order Lagrange polynomial:

$$f(x) = \frac{(x - x_2)(x - x_3)}{(x_1 - x_2)(x_1 - x_3)} y_1 + \frac{(x - x_1)(x - x_3)}{(x_2 - x_1)(x_2 - x_3)} y_2 + \frac{(x - x_1)(x - x_2)}{(x_3 - x_1)(x_3 - x_2)} y_3$$



1st order Lagrange polynomial



2nd order Lagrange polynomial

Lagrange Interpolating Polynomials

- The n^{th} order Lagrange polynomial:

$$f(x) = \frac{(x-x_2)(x-x_3)\dots(x-x_n)}{(x_1-x_2)(x_1-x_3)\dots(x_1-x_n)} y_1 + \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_3)\dots(x-x_n)}{(x_2-x_1)(x_2-x_3)\dots(x_2-x_n)} y_2 + \dots + \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)\dots(x-x_{n-1})}{(x_n-x_1)(x_n-x_2)\dots(x_n-x_{n-1})} y_n$$

- The equation can be rewritten as:

$$f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i L_i(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \underbrace{\prod_{\substack{j=1 \\ j \neq i}}^n \frac{(x-x_j)}{(x_i-x_j)}}_{\text{Lagrange function}}$$

- Additional Note:
 - The spacing between the data points does not have to be equal
 - The interpolation polynomial has to be calculated for every x
 - The Lagrange polynomial has to be *calculated again* if additional points are included

Example 4-4: Lagrange Interpolating Polynomial

- For the following five data points:

x	1	2	4	5	7
y	52	5	-5	-40	10

- Determine the fourth-order polynomial in Lagrange form
- Use the polynomial obtained in (a) to determine the interpolated value for $x=3$

(a) Following the form of Eq. (4.44), the Lagrange polynomial for the five given points is:

$$f(x) = \frac{(x-2)(x-4)(x-5)(x-7)}{(1-2)(1-4)(1-5)(1-7)} 52 + \frac{(x-1)(x-4)(x-5)(x-7)}{(2-1)(2-4)(2-5)(2-7)} 5 + \frac{(x-1)(x-2)(x-5)(x-7)}{(4-1)(4-2)(4-5)(4-7)} (-5) + \frac{(x-1)(x-2)(x-4)(x-7)}{(5-1)(5-2)(5-4)(5-7)} (-40) + \frac{(x-1)(x-2)(x-4)(x-5)}{(7-1)(7-2)(7-4)(7-5)} 10$$

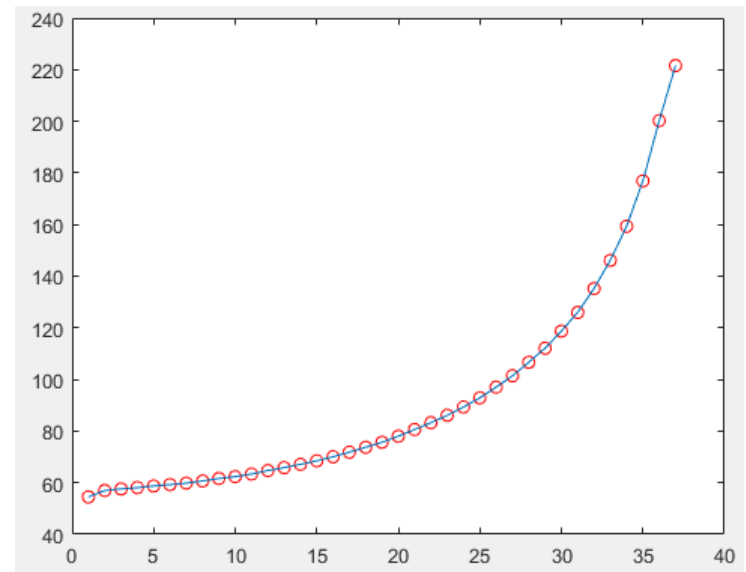
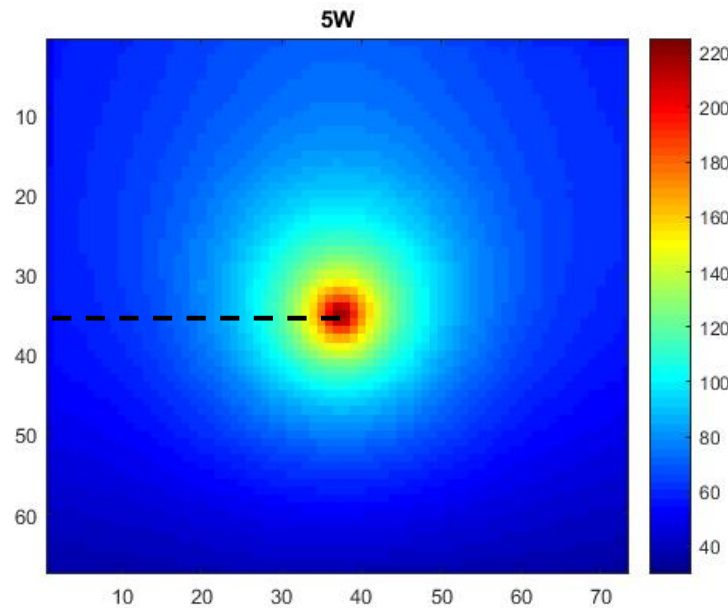
(b) The interpolated value for $x=3$ is obtained by substituting the x in the polynomial:

$$f(3) = \frac{(3-2)(3-4)(3-5)(3-7)}{(1-2)(1-4)(1-5)(1-7)} 52 + \frac{(3-1)(3-4)(3-5)(3-7)}{(2-1)(2-4)(2-5)(2-7)} 5 + \frac{(3-1)(3-2)(3-5)(3-7)}{(4-1)(4-2)(4-5)(4-7)} (-5) + \frac{(3-1)(3-2)(3-4)(3-7)}{(5-1)(5-2)(5-4)(5-7)} (-40) + \frac{(3-1)(3-2)(3-4)(3-5)}{(7-1)(7-2)(7-4)(7-5)} 10$$

$$f(3) = -5.778 + 2.667 - 4.444 + 13.333 + 0.222 = 6$$

實例：雷射加熱與加工

- 使用Lagrange多項式進行中心線溫度分佈的內差
- 將溫度分佈(矩陣)中的中心線溫度取出，並存成陣列
- 將原始數據與內差曲線畫在同一張圖上
- 數據點之間距並不需要相同



Newton's Interpolating Polynomials

- General form of n-1 order Newton's polynomial:

$$f(x) = a_1 + a_2(x - x_1) + a_3(x - x_1)(x - x_2) + \dots + a_n(x - x_1)(x - x_2)\dots(x - x_{n-1})$$

- The coefficients (a_1 through a_n) can be determined
- Newton's polynomials have the features:
 - The data points do not have to be in any descending or ascending order
 - Once the coefficients are determined, they can be used for interpolation at an point between the data points
 - After the coefficients are determined, **additional data points** can be added, and only the **additional coefficients** have to be determined

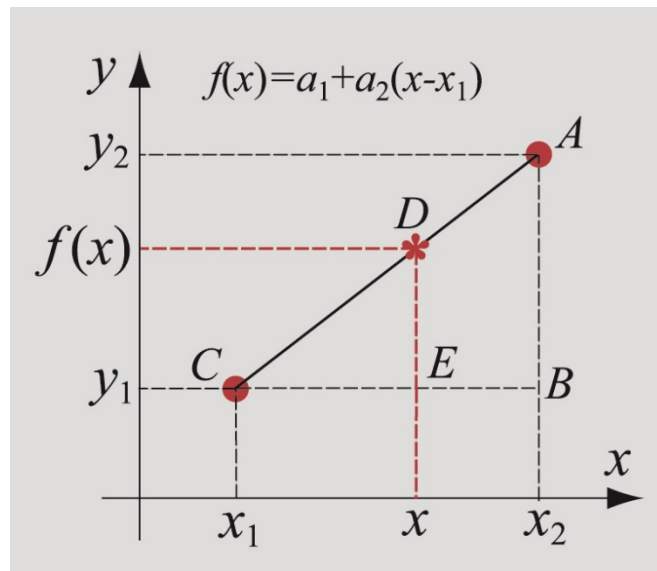
First Order Newton's Polynomial

- For two given points (x_1, y_1) and (x_2, y_2) , the first order Newton's polynomial:

$$f(x) = a_1 + a_2(x - x_1)$$

- The coefficients (a_1, a_2) can be solved:

$$a_1 = y_1 \qquad a_2 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$



Second Order Newton's Polynomial

- For three given points (x_1, y_1) (x_2, y_2) and (x_3, y_3) , the second order Newton's polynomial:

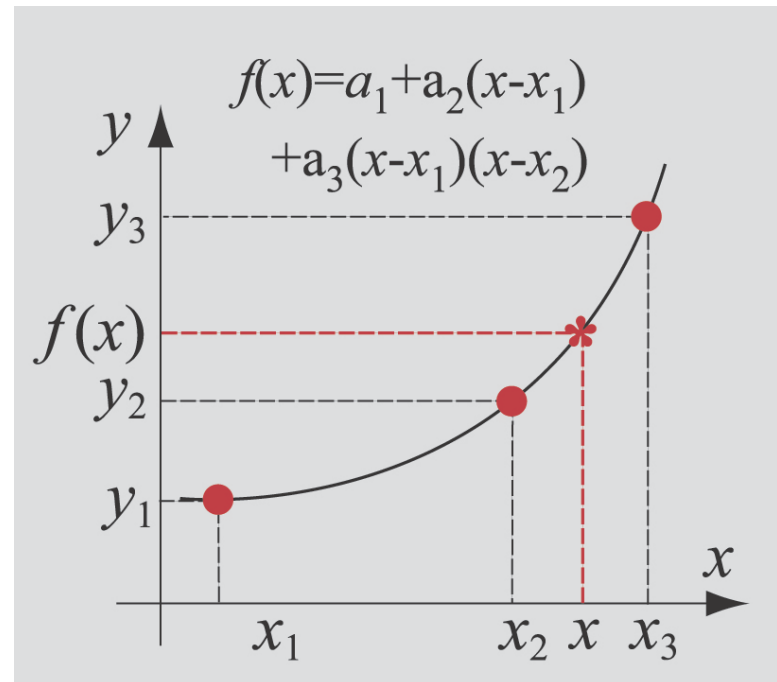
$$f(x) = a_1 + a_2(x - x_1) + a_3(x - x_1)(x - x_2)$$

- The coefficients $(a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3)$ can be solved:

$$a_1 = y_1$$

$$a_2 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$a_3 = \frac{\frac{y_3 - y_2}{x_3 - x_2} - \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}}{x_3 - x_1}$$



A General Form of Newton's Polynomial

- The Newton's polynomial coefficient can be clarified by defining the **divided difference**: $f[x_2, x_1]$

$$f[x_2, x_1] = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = a_2$$

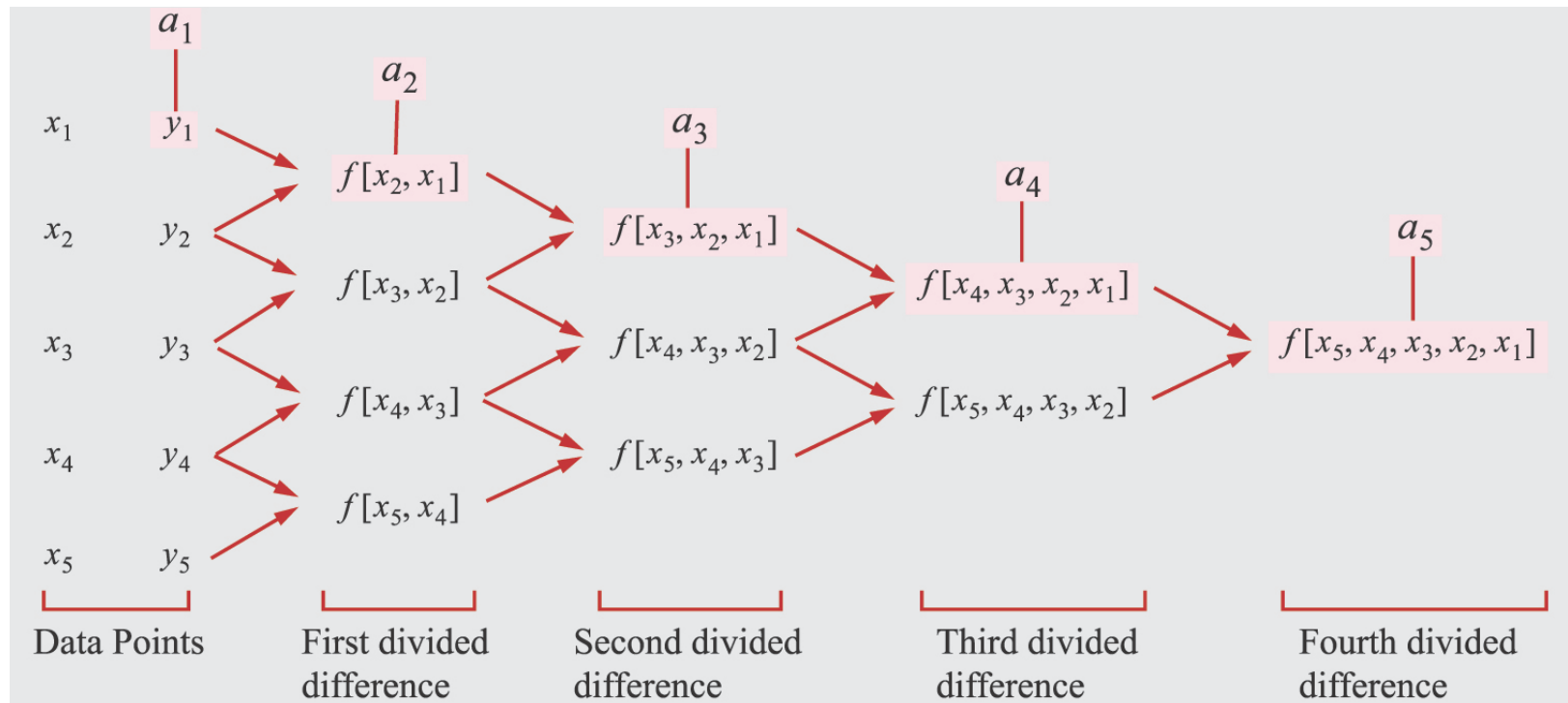
$$f[x_3, x_2, x_1] = \frac{f[x_3, x_2] - f[x_2, x_1]}{x_3 - x_1} = \frac{\frac{y_3 - y_2}{x_3 - x_2} - \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}}{x_3 - x_1} = a_3$$

$$\begin{aligned} f[x_4, x_3, x_2, x_1] &= \frac{f[x_4, x_3, x_2] - f[x_3, x_2, x_1]}{x_4 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{\frac{f[x_4, x_3] - f[x_3, x_2]}{x_4 - x_2} - \frac{f[x_3, x_2] - f[x_2, x_1]}{x_3 - x_1}}{x_4 - x_1} = a_4 \end{aligned}$$

$$f[x_5, x_4, x_3, x_2, x_1] = \frac{f[x_5, x_4, x_3, x_2] - f[x_4, x_3, x_2, x_1]}{x_5 - x_1} = a_5$$

Divided Difference

- Start by calculating (n-1) first divided differences
- Then calculate (n-2) second divided differences
- Continue for third, fourth... divided differences
- Until one nth divided difference is calculated to give a_n



General Terms for Divided Differences

- In general terms, for n given data points, the first divided differences between two points (x_i, y_i) and (x_j, y_j) are:

$$f[x_j, x_i] = \frac{y_j - y_i}{x_j - x_i}$$

- The k th divided difference for second and higher divided differences up to $(n-1)$ difference is given by:

$$f[x_k, x_{k-1}, \dots, x_2, x_1] = \frac{f[x_k, x_{k-1}, \dots, x_3, x_2] - f[x_{k-1}, x_{k-2}, \dots, x_2, x_1]}{x_k - x_1}$$

- The $(n-1)$ order Newton's polynomial is given by:

$$f(x) = y = y_1 + \underbrace{f[x_2, x_1]}_{a_2}(x - x_1) + \underbrace{f[x_3, x_2, x_1]}_{a_3}(x - x_1)(x - x_2) + \dots + \underbrace{f[x_n, x_{n-1}, \dots, x_2, x_1]}_{a_n}(x - x_1)(x - x_2) \dots (x - x_{n-1})$$

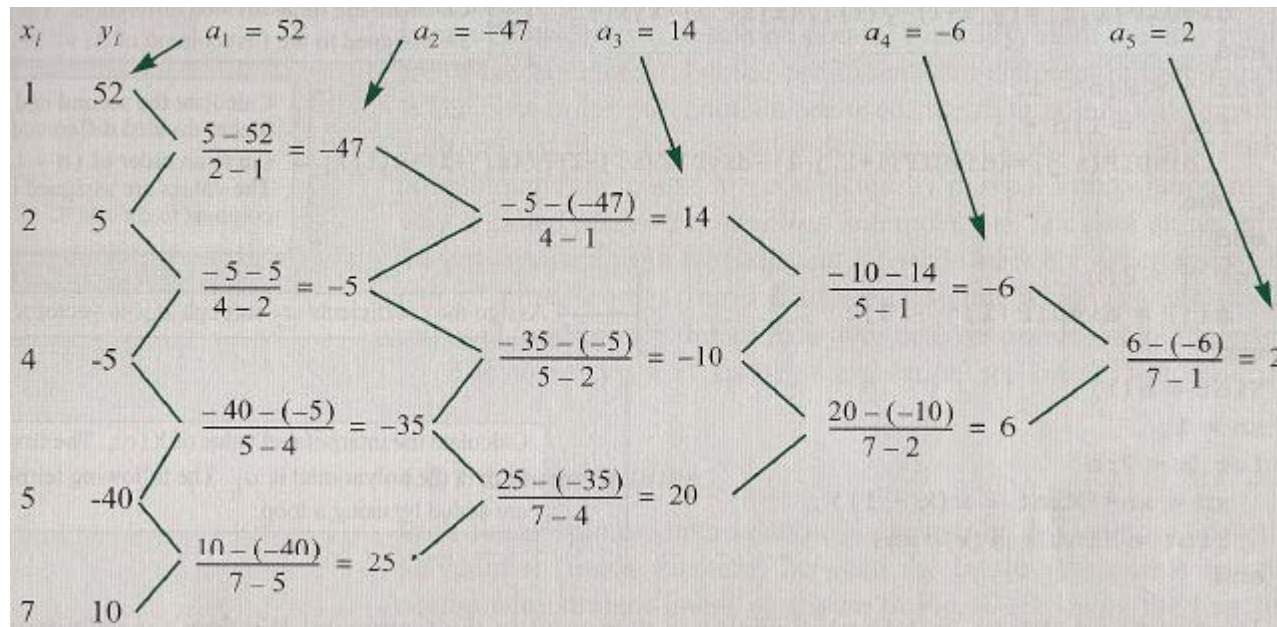
$\underbrace{y_1}_{a_1}$

Example 4-5: Newton's Interpolating Polynomial

- For the set of the following five data points:

x	1	2	4	5	7
y	52	5	-5	-40	10

- Determine the fourth-order polynomial in Newton's form that passes through the points
- Use the polynomial obtained in (a) to determine the interpolated value for $x=3$



4.6 Piecewise (Spline) Interpolation

- Since large error might occur when a high order polynomial is used for interpolation involving a large number of data points
- A better interpolation can be obtained by using **many low-order polynomials** instead of a single high-order polynomial
- Each low-order polynomial is valid in one interval between two or several points
- Typically, all the polynomials are of the same order but with *different coefficient* in each interval
 - When first-order polynomials are used, the data points are connected with straight lines
 - For second order (quadratic) or third order (cubic) polynomials, the points are connected by curves
- Interpolation in this way is called **piecewise**, or **spline**, interpolation
- The data points where the polynomials from two adjacent intervals meet are called **knots**

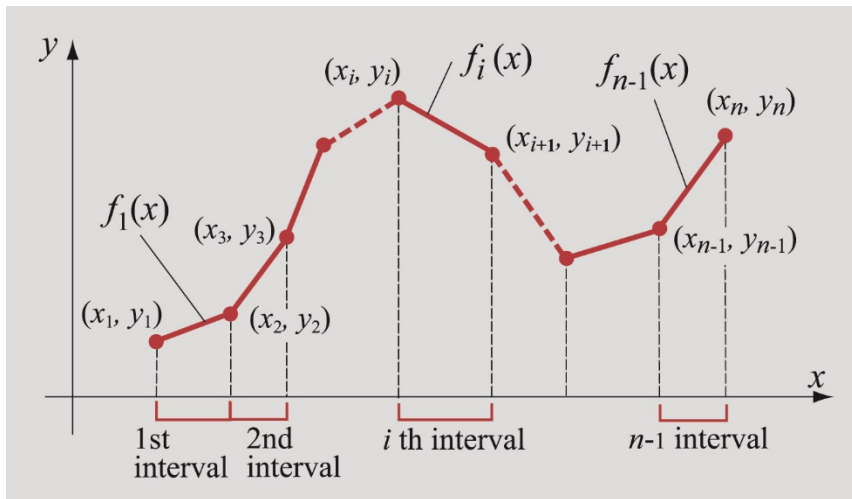
Linear splines

- Using a first order polynomial (linear function) between the points
- Using the Lagrange form, the equation is:

$$f_1(x) = \frac{(x - x_2)}{(x_1 - x_2)} y_1 + \frac{(x - x_1)}{(x_2 - x_1)} y_2$$

- For n given points, there are n-1 intervals. The general form for the straight line connecting (x_i, y_i) and (x_{i+1}, y_{i+1}) :

$$f_i(x) = \frac{(x - x_{i+1})}{(x_i - x_{i+1})} y_i + \frac{(x - x_i)}{(x_{i+1} - x_i)} y_{i+1}$$



Example 4-6: Linear Splines

- The set of the following four data points are:

x	8	11	15	18
y	5	9	10	8

- (a) Determine the linear spline that fit the data
- (b) Determine the interpolated value for $x=12.7$

(a) There are four points and thus three splines. Using Eq. (4.65) the equations of the splines are:

$$f_1(x) = \frac{(x-x_2)}{(x_1-x_2)}y_1 + \frac{(x-x_1)}{(x_2-x_1)}y_2 = \frac{(x-11)}{(8-11)}5 + \frac{(x-8)}{(11-8)}9 = \frac{5}{-3}(x-11) + \frac{9}{2}(x-8) \quad \text{for } 8 \leq x \leq 11$$

$$f_2(x) = \frac{(x-x_3)}{(x_2-x_3)}y_2 + \frac{(x-x_2)}{(x_3-x_2)}y_3 = \frac{(x-15)}{(11-15)}9 + \frac{(x-11)}{(15-11)}10 = \frac{9}{-4}(x-15) + \frac{10}{4}(x-11) \quad \text{for } 11 \leq x \leq 15$$

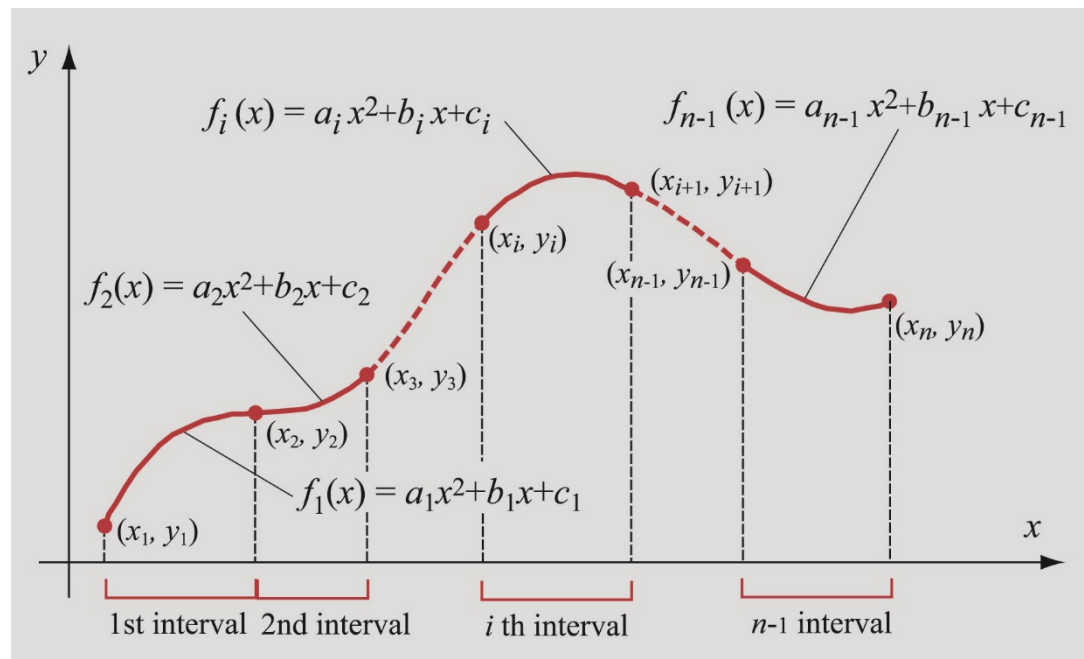
$$f_3(x) = \frac{(x-x_4)}{(x_3-x_4)}y_3 + \frac{(x-x_3)}{(x_4-x_3)}y_4 = \frac{(x-18)}{(15-18)}10 + \frac{(x-15)}{(18-15)}8 = \frac{10}{-3}(x-18) + \frac{8}{3}(x-15) \quad \text{for } 15 \leq x \leq 18$$

Quadratic Splines

- Second order polynomials are used for interpolation
- For n given points, there are $n-1$ intervals

$$f_i(x) = a_i x^2 + b_i x + c_i$$

- There are $n-1$ equations and each equation has *three* coefficients. Therefore, a total of $3*(n-1)$ coefficients have to be determined



Quadratic Splines

- Procedure:

- (1) Each polynomial $f_i(x)$ must pass through the end points of the interval (x_i, y_i) and (x_{i+1}, y_{i+1})

$$f_i(x_i) = y_i \quad f_i(x_{i+1}) = y_{i+1}$$

2n-2 equations

- (2) At the interior knots, the slope (first derivative) of the polynomials from the adjacent intervals are equal

$$f'(x) = \frac{df}{dx} = 2a_i x + b_i \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2a_{i-1}x + b_{i-1} = 2a_i x + b_i$$

n-2 equations

- (3) Second derivative at either the first point or the last point is zero

$$f_1''(x) = 2a_1 = 0$$

1 equation

Example 4-7: Quadratic Splines

- The set of the following five data points:

x	8	11	15	18	22
y	5	9	10	8	7

- (a) Determine the quadratic splines that fit the data
 - (b) Determine the interpolated value of y for x = 12.7
 - (c) Make a plot of the data points and the interpolating polynomials
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- Procedure 1: eight equations are obtained

$$i = 1 \quad f_1(x) = a_1 x_1^2 + b_1 x_1 + c_1 = b_1 8 + c_1 = 5$$

$$f_1(x) = a_1 x_2^2 + b_1 x_2 + c_1 = b_1 11 + c_1 = 9$$

$$i = 2 \quad f_2(x) = a_2 x_2^2 + b_2 x_2 + c_2 = a_2 11^2 + b_2 11 + c_2 = 9$$

$$f_2(x) = a_2 x_3^2 + b_2 x_3 + c_2 = a_2 15^2 + b_2 15 + c_2 = 10$$

$$i = 3 \quad f_3(x) = a_3 x_3^2 + b_3 x_3 + c_3 = a_3 15^2 + b_3 15 + c_3 = 10$$

$$f_3(x) = a_3 x_4^2 + b_3 x_4 + c_3 = a_3 18^2 + b_3 18 + c_3 = 8$$

$$i = 4 \quad f_4(x) = a_4 x_4^2 + b_4 x_4 + c_4 = a_4 18^2 + b_4 18 + c_4 = 8$$

$$f_4(x) = a_4 x_5^2 + b_4 x_5 + c_4 = a_4 22^2 + b_4 22 + c_4 = 7$$

Example 4-7: Quadratic Splines

- Procedure 2: three equations are obtained

$$i = 2 \quad 2a_1x_2 + b_1 = 2a_2x_2 + b_2 \longrightarrow b_1 = 2a_211 + b_2 \quad \text{or:} \quad b_1 - 2a_211 - b_2 = 0$$

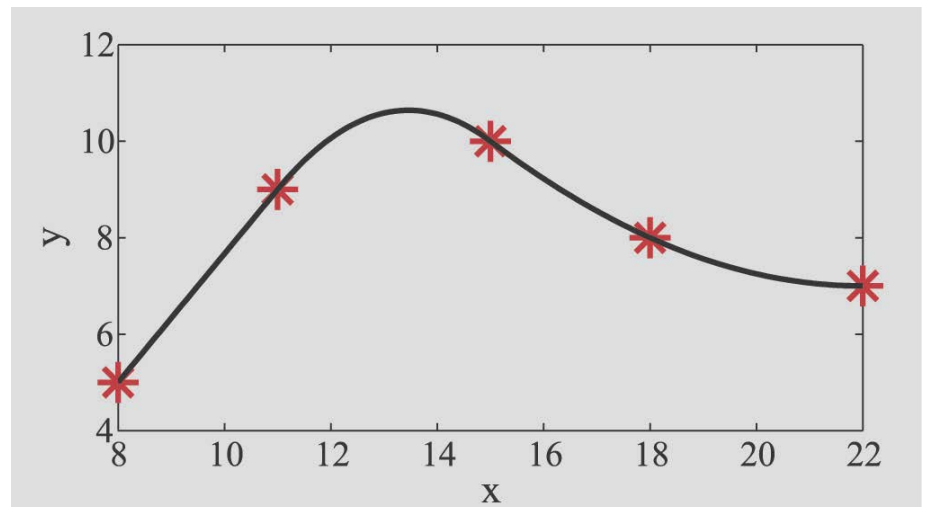
$$i = 3 \quad 2a_2x_3 + b_2 = 2a_3x_3 + b_3 \longrightarrow 2a_215 + b_2 = 2a_315 + b_3 \quad \text{or:} \quad 2a_215 + b_2 - 2a_315 - b_3 = 0$$

$$i = 4 \quad 2a_3x_4 + b_3 = 2a_4x_4 + b_4 \longrightarrow 2a_318 + b_3 = 2a_418 + b_4 \quad \text{or:} \quad 2a_318 + b_3 - 2a_418 - b_4 = 0$$

- Procedure 3: set $a_1 = 0$

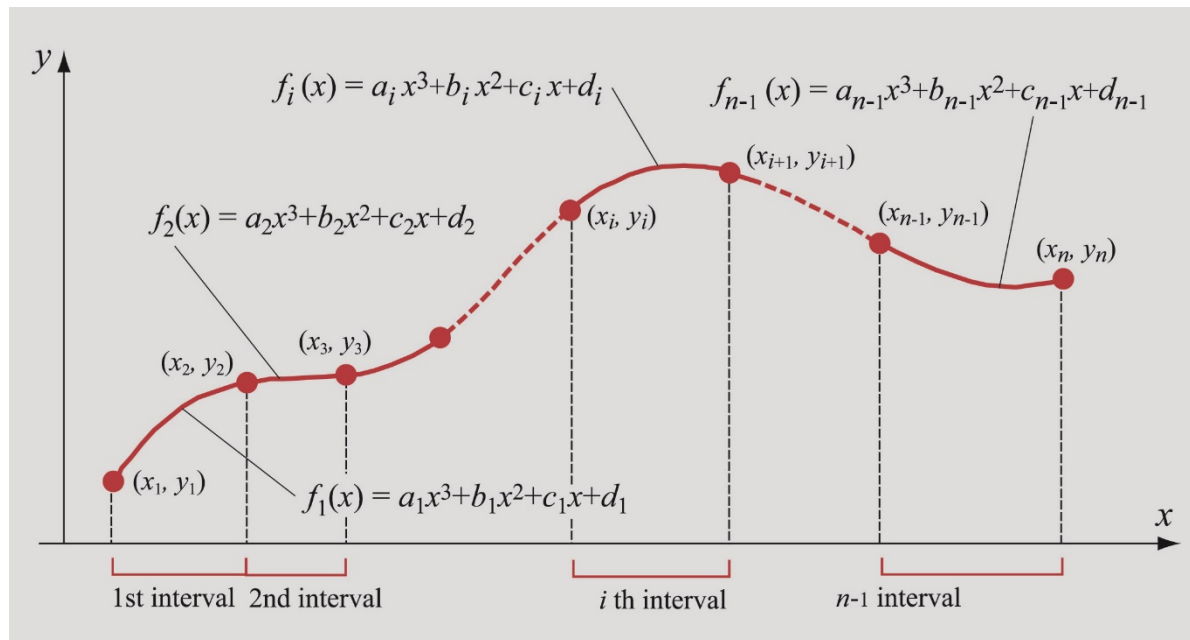
- Solve the 11 linear equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 11 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 11^2 & 11 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 15^2 & 15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 15^2 & 15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 18^2 & 18 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 18^2 & 18 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 22^2 & 22 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -22 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 30 & 1 & 0 & -30 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 36 & 1 & 0 & -36 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ c_1 \\ a_2 \\ b_2 \\ c_2 \\ a_3 \\ b_3 \\ c_3 \\ a_4 \\ b_4 \\ c_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 9 \\ 9 \\ 10 \\ 10 \\ 8 \\ 8 \\ 7 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



Cubic Splines

- Third-order polynomials are used for interpolation
- The determination of all the coefficients may require a large number of calculations
- Two derivations of cubic splines:
 - Standard form of polynomials
 - A variation of the Lagrange form



Cubic Splines: Standard Form Polynomial (natural cubic spline)

- Procedure:

$$f_i(x) = a_i x^3 + b_i x^2 + c_i x + d_i$$

- (1) Each polynomial $f_i(x)$ must pass through the end points of the interval (x_i, y_i) and (x_{i+1}, y_{i+1})

$$f_i(x_i) = y_i$$

$$f_i(x_{i+1}) = y_{i+1}$$

- (2) At the interior knots, the slope (first derivative) of the polynomials from the adjacent intervals are equal

$$f'(x) = \frac{df}{dx} = 3a_i x^2 + 2b_i x + c_i$$

$$3a_{i-1}x_i^2 + 2b_{i-1}x_i + c_{i-1} = 3a_i x_i^2 + 2b_i x_i + c_i$$

- (3) Second derivative at the interior knots from adjacent intervals are equal

$$6a_{i-1}x_i + 2b_{i-1} = 6a_i x_i + 2b_i$$

- (4) The 2nd derivative is zero at the first and the last point

$$6a_1 x_1 + 2b_1 = 0 \quad 6a_{n-1} x_n + 2b_{n-1} = 0$$

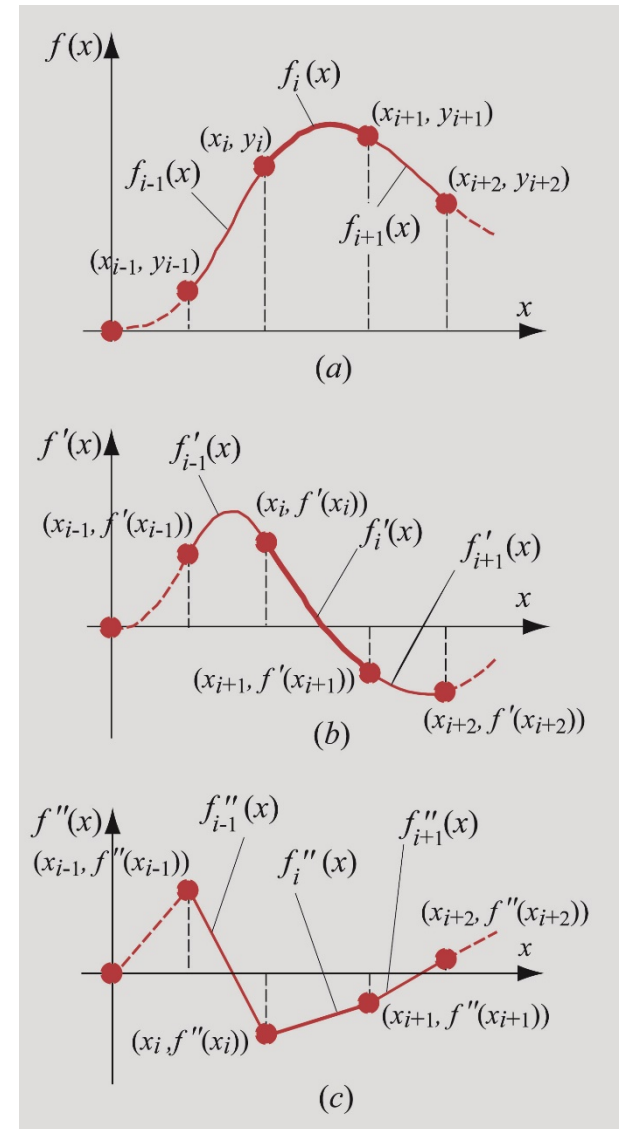
Cubic Splines: Lagrange Form Polynomial

- Lagrange form:

$$f''(x) = \frac{x - x_{i+1}}{x_i - x_{i+1}} f''_i(x_i) + \frac{x - x_i}{x_{i+1} - x_i} f''_i(x_{i+1})$$

- The second derivate is a linear function of x
- The third-order polynomial can be determined by integrating the above equation twice
- The two constants in the integration can be solved by:

$$f_i(x_i) = y_i \quad f_i(x_{i+1}) = y_{i+1}$$



Cubic Splines: Lagrange Form Polynomial

- The equation of the third order polynomial is:

$$\begin{aligned} f_i(x) = & \frac{f_i''(x_i)}{6(x_{i+1} - x_i)} (x_{i+1} - x)^3 + \frac{f_i''(x_{i+1})}{6(x_{i+1} - x_i)} (x - x_i)^3 \\ & + \left[\frac{y_i}{x_{i+1} - x_i} - \frac{f_i''(x_i)(x_{i+1} - x_i)}{6} \right] (x_{i+1} - x) \\ & + \left[\frac{y_{i+1}}{x_{i+1} - x_i} - \frac{f_i''(x_{i+1})(x_{i+1} - x_i)}{6} \right] (x - x_i) \end{aligned}$$

- Each interval contains two unknowns
- It can be solved by the continuity of the first derivatives of polynomials from adjacent intervals:

$$f_i'(x_{i+1}) = f_{i+1}'(x_{i+1})$$

- Therefore, the equation becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} & (x_{i+1} - x_i) f''(x) + 2(x_{i+2} - x_i) f''(x_{i+1}) + (x_{i+2} - x_{i+1}) f''(x_{i+2}) \\ & = 6 \left[\frac{y_{i+2} - y_{i+1}}{x_{i+2} - x_{i+1}} - \frac{y_{i+1} - y_i}{x_{i+1} - x_i} \right] \end{aligned}$$

4.7 MATLAB Built-in Functions

- The *polyfit* command: for curve fitting a given set of n points
 - **$p = \text{polyfit}(x, y, m)$**
 - p : vector of coefficients of the polynomial that best fits the data
 - M : degree of the polynomial
- The *interp1* command: one dimensional interpolation at one point
 - **$y_i = \text{interp1}(x, y, x_i, \text{'method'})$**
 - y_i : interpolated value
 - Method: method of interpolation (*nearest*, *linear*, *spline*, *pchip*), type as a string (optional)
 - The vector x must be monotonic (ascending/descending order)

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```
>> x = 0:0.4:6;  
>> y = [0 3 4.5 5.8 5.9 5.8 6.2 7.4 9.6 15.6 20.7 26.7 31.1  
35.6 39.3 41.5];  
>> p = polyfit(x,y,4)  
p =  
-0.2644    3.1185 -10.1927    12.8780   -0.2746
```

The polynomial that corresponds to these coefficients is:

$$f(x) = (-0.2644)x^4 + 3.1185x^3 - 10.1927x^2 + 12.878x - 0.2746$$

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>> x = [8 11 15 18 22];  
>> y = [5 9 10 8 7];  
>> xint=8:0.1:22;  
>> yint=interp1(x,y,xint,'pchip');  
>> plot(x,y,'*',xint,yint)
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Assign the data points to x and y.

Vector with points for interpolation.

Calculate the interpolated values.

Create a plot with the data points and interpolated values.

4.8 Curve Fitting with a Linear Combination of Nonlinear Functions

- Curve fitting with a linear combination of m nonlinear functions:

$$F(x) = C_1 f_1(x) + C_2 f_2(x) + \dots + C_m f_m(x) = \sum_{j=1}^m C_j f_j(x)$$

- The coefficients (C_1, C_2, \dots) can be determined by minimizing the total error:

$$E = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[y_i - \sum_{j=1}^m C_j f_j(x_i) \right]^2 \qquad \frac{\partial E}{\partial C_k} = 0$$

- Solve the equation to get:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m C_j f_j(x_i) f_k(x_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i f_k(x_i)$$