

# COMP5930M - Scientific Computing

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## Coursework 1

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## 1. A floating sphere

### (a). nonlinear function and MATLAB implementation

- The weight of water  $W_w = \rho_w V_{cap} = \pi H^2(a - \frac{H}{3})$  and the weight of the sphere  $W_s = \frac{4}{3} \pi \rho_s a^3$ .
- Because of  $W_w = W_s$ , so the nonlinear equation  $F_{a,\rho_s}(H) = W_w - W_s = 0$ .  
the nonlinear equation is down for given values of  $a$  and  $\rho_s$ :

$$F_{a,\rho_s}(H) = \pi H^2(a - \frac{H}{3}) - \frac{4}{3} \pi \rho_s a^3 = 0$$

- The implementation of MATLAB:

```

1. function f_h = fun_sphere(H, a, rhos)
2.     % The nonlinear equations Fa,phos (H) = 0
3.     % the weight of the water: W_w = pi*H.^2*(a - H/3)
4.     % the weight of the sphere: W_s = 4/3*pi*rhos*a.^3
5.     %
6.     % function f_h = fun_sphere(H, a, rhos)
7.     %
8.     % Input:
9.     %     H - a depth below the water surface
10.    %     a - the radius of sphere, constant value
11.    %     rhos- the density of sphere, constant value
12.    %
13.    % Output:
14.    %     f_h - final function value
15.    %
16.
17.    f_h = pi*H.^2*(a - H/3) - 4/3*pi*rhos*a.^3;
18.
19. end

```

**(b). the initial bracket plus justification for its validity**

- the initial bracket:  $[0 + \delta, 3a - \delta], \delta = 10^{-6}$
- Because the  $H_L$  and  $H_R$  must meet the following conditions:
  - (1).  $0 < H < 3a$ , due to the  $W_w > 0$
  - (2).  $F(x_L)F(x_R) \leq 0$
  - (3). The  $F(H)$  can be get a maximum at the point  $2a$ , So, the suitable value can be  $[0 + \delta, 2a], \delta = 10^{-6}$  OR  $[2a, 3a - \delta], \delta = 10^{-6}$  must be find a  $H$  to fit the  $F(H) = 0$ .

**(c). two correct solutions plus the number of iterations**

- In given values  $a = 1$  and  $p_s = 0.45$ ,
- In Bisection method, the initial bracket  $[10^{-6}, 3 - 10^{-6}]$ , the solution is :  
 $H = 0.9332$  and the number of iteration is 22.

```
>> bisection(@fun_sphere, 1e-6, 2-1e-6, 1e-6, 100)
  i   x_i      |F(x_i)|
  0   1.00000000  2.09e-01
  1   0.50000050  1.23e+00
  2   0.75000025  5.60e-01
  3   0.87500013  1.81e-01
  4   0.93750006  1.33e-02
  5   0.90625009  8.42e-02
  6   0.92187508  3.55e-02
  7   0.92968757  1.11e-02
  8   0.93359382  1.12e-03
  9   0.93164069  4.98e-03
 10   0.93261725  1.93e-03
 11   0.93310554  4.02e-04
 12   0.93334968  3.61e-04
 13   0.93322761  2.04e-05
 14   0.93328864  1.70e-04
 15   0.93325812  7.51e-05
 16   0.93324286  2.73e-05
 17   0.93323524  3.47e-06
 18   0.93323142  8.46e-06
 19   0.93323333  2.50e-06
 20   0.93323428  4.85e-07
 21   0.93323428  4.85e-07
```

ans =

列 1 至 8

1.0000	0.5000	0.7500	0.8750	0.9375	0.9063	0.9219	0.9297
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列 9 至 16

0.9336	0.9316	0.9326	0.9331	0.9333	0.9332	0.9333	0.9333
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列 17 至 21

0.9332	0.9332	0.9332	0.9332	0.9332
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- In Newton Method, the init guess  $x_0 = 1.0$ , the solution is :  $H = 0.9332$  and the number of iteration is 3.

```
>> newtonSys(@fun_sphere, @dfun_sphere, 1.0, 1e-6, 100)
  k   |F(x_k)|
  0     0.209
  1    0.00031
  2    2.06e-09
```

Converged

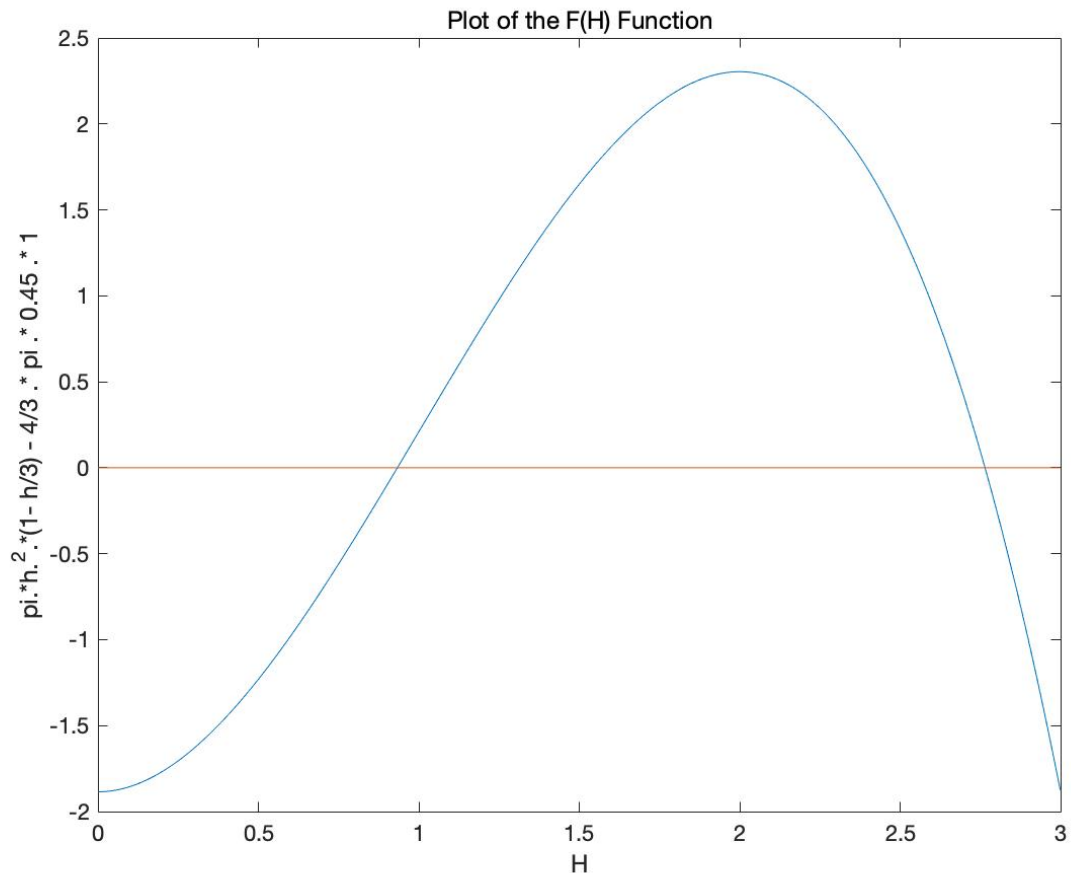
ans =

0.9332

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#### (d). number of solutions and corresponding initial guesses

- By changing the initial guess  $x_0$ , can be get 2 solutions, the first one is:
- $H = 0.9332$ , the second one is  $H = 2.7645$ .



- if the initial guess  $x_0 = 0.5$ , the solution is : 0.9332.

```
>> newtonSys(@fun_sphere, @dfun_sphere, 0.5, 1e-6, 100)
k   |F(x_k)|
0   1.23
1   0.279
2   0.000184
3   7.28e-10
Converged

ans =

    0.9332
```

$f_x$  >> |

- if the initial guess  $x_0 = 2.5$ , the solution is : 2.7645.

```
>> newtonSys(@fun_sphere, @dfun_sphere, 2.5, 1e-6, 100)
k   |F(x_k)|
0   1.39
1   0.635
2   0.0395
3   0.000192
4   4.66e-09
Converged

ans =

    2.7645
```

$f_x$  >> |

## 2. Chemical engineering

### (a). nonlinear system for the steady-state problem and MATLAB code

- For the case  $n=5$  reactors, the nonlinear equation system  $F(U) = 0$ .

```
1. function f = fun_chemical(a, V, G, k, a0)
2.
3.     % The nonlinear equation system F(U)
4.     % function f = fun_chemical(a, V, G, k, a0)
5.     % Input:
6.     %     a - current solution
7.     %     V - constants
8.     %     G - constants
9.     %     k - constants
10.    %     a0 - constants
11.    % Output:
12.    %     f = final function value
13.    f = [(k*V/G)*a(1).^2 - a0 + a(1);
14.         (k*V/G)*a(2).^2 - a(1) + a(2);
15.         (k*V/G)*a(3).^2 - a(2) + a(3);
16.         (k*V/G)*a(4).^2 - a(3) + a(4);
17.         (k*V/G)*a(5).^2 - a(4) + a(5)
18.        ];
19. end
```

### (b). Jacobian matrix for the steady-state problem and MATLAB code

- the Jacobian matrix

```
1. function jf = Jfun_chemical(a, V, G, k, a0)
2.
3.     % The nonlinear equation system F(U)
4.     %
5.     % function f = fun_chemical(a, V, G, k, a0)
6.     %
7.     % Input:
8.     %     a - current solution
9.     %     V - constants
10.    %     G - constants
11.    %     k - constants
```

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12.      %      a0 - constants
13.      %
14.      % Output:
15.      %      jf = Jacobian matrix
16.      %
17.      jf = [
18.          (k*V/G)*2*a(1) + 1, 0, 0, 0, 0;
19.          -1, (k*V/G)*2*a(2) + 1, 0, 0, 0;
20.          0, -1, (k*V/G)*2*a(3) + 1, 0, 0;
21.          0, 0, -1, (k*V/G)*2*a(4) + 1, 0;
22.          0, 0, 0, -1, (k*V/G)*2*a(5) + 1
23.      ];
24. end

```

### (c). numerical solution and values of |F|

- In case the n =5 with the following the parameters: V = 1.0, G = 35.0, k=0.6, a0= 6.0.
- the values of **|F|** at each iterations:

iterations: |f(x)|

0 6.000000

1 1.379973

2 0.078314

3 0.000231

4 0.000000

5 0.000000

**the solutions:**

5.4844

5.0476

4.6732

4.3490

4.0656

### (d). discretised time-dependent equations

- the time-dependent concentrations  $a_i(t)$   

$$\frac{da_i}{dt} = -\beta a_i^2 + a_{i-1} - a_i, \text{ for } t > 0; \text{ and } a_i = a(t_i)$$
- and the backward Euler(implicit) method is:  $a_i = a_{i-1} + \Delta t f(t_i, a_i)$
- So we can get this formual:  
 => from

$$a_i(t) = a_{i-1}(t) + \Delta t(-\beta a_i(t)^2 + a_{i-1}(t) - a_i(t))$$

=> to

$$a_i(t) - a_{i-1}(t) + \Delta t(\beta a_i(t)^2 + a_i(t) - a_{i-1}(t)) = 0$$

given an initial  $a_i(0) = a_i^0$  for  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .

$$a_i^0 - a_{i-1}^0 + \Delta t(\beta(a_i^0)^2 + a_i^0 - a_{i-1}^0) = 0$$

**(e). Jacobian matrix for the time-dependent problem, behaviour for limit values of times step**

- the Jacpbian matix is :

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f(a_i, a_{i-1})}{\partial a_{i-1}} \\ \frac{\partial f(a_i, a_{i-1})}{\partial a_i} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 - \Delta t \\ 1 + \Delta t(2\beta a_i^0 + 1) \end{bmatrix}$$

- when  $(\Delta t \rightarrow 0)$ , the Jacobian matrix is  $[-1; 1]$ , the gradient is constant, this is steady-state.
- when  $(\Delta t \rightarrow \infty)$ , the gradient is big, and this not steady-state.

### 3. Control of a robot arm

**(a) system of equations**

- The system of nonlinear equations in the form  $\mathbf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{0}$ .
- Base on the equations of the location of the free end  $(loc_x, loc_y)$  and  $(x_1, x_2) = (\theta, \phi)$ :

$$loc_x = \cos(\theta) + \cos(\phi)$$

$$loc_y = \sin(\theta) + \sin(\phi)$$

- So,  $\mathbf{x}$  is the vector  $\{x_1, x_2\}$ ,  $\mathbf{F}$  is a set  $\{F_1(\mathbf{x}), F_2(\mathbf{x})\}$  nonlinear equations:

$$F_1(x_1, x_2) = \cos(x_1) + \cos(x_2) - loc_x$$

$$F_2(x_1, x_2) = \sin(x_1) + \sin(x_2) - loc_y$$

- Find  $(x_1^*, x_2^*)$  such that  $F_1(x_1^*, x_2^*) = 0$  and  $F_2(x_1^*, x_2^*) = 0$ .

$$\cos(x_1) + \cos(x_2) - loc_x = 0$$

$$\sin(x_1) + \sin(x_2) - loc_y = 0$$

**(b) Implement in MATLAB code**

the matlab filename: **fun\_arm.m**

```
1. function f = fun_arm(x, locx, locy)
2.     % Systems of nonlinear equations for control of a ro
    bot arm
3.     % system of 2 nonlinear equations
4.     % function f_x = fun_arm(x, locx, locy)
5.     %
6.     % Input: x - current solution
7.     %         locx - current location x
8.     %         locy - current location y
9.     %
10.    % Output: f - final function value
11.
12.    f = [cos(x(1)) + cos(x(2)) - locx;
13.         sin(x(1)) + sin(x(2)) - locy];
14. end
```

The Jacobian function: **Jfun\_arm(x)**:

```
1. function jf = Jfun_arm(x)
2.     % Analytical Jacobian
3.     % function jf = trueJacobian(x)
4.     %
5.     % Input:
6.     %         x - current solution
7.     %
8.     %
9.     % Output: jf - Jacobian matrix
10.
11.    jf = [-sin(x(1)), -sin(x(2)); cos(x(1)), cos(x(2))];
12.
13. end
```

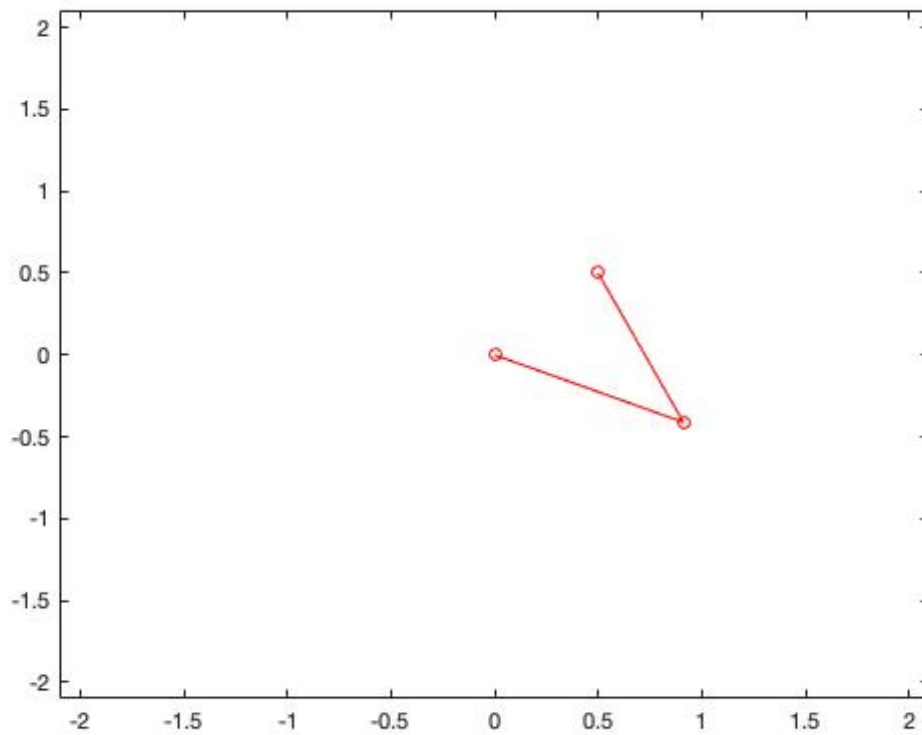
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### (c) two correct solutions, figures

**Case i**, the initial  $x_0$  for Newton method, when  $x_0$  at location  $(x_1, x_2) = (-1, 1)$   
the solution is:  $(\theta, \phi) = (x_1, x_2) = (-0.4240, 1.9948)$



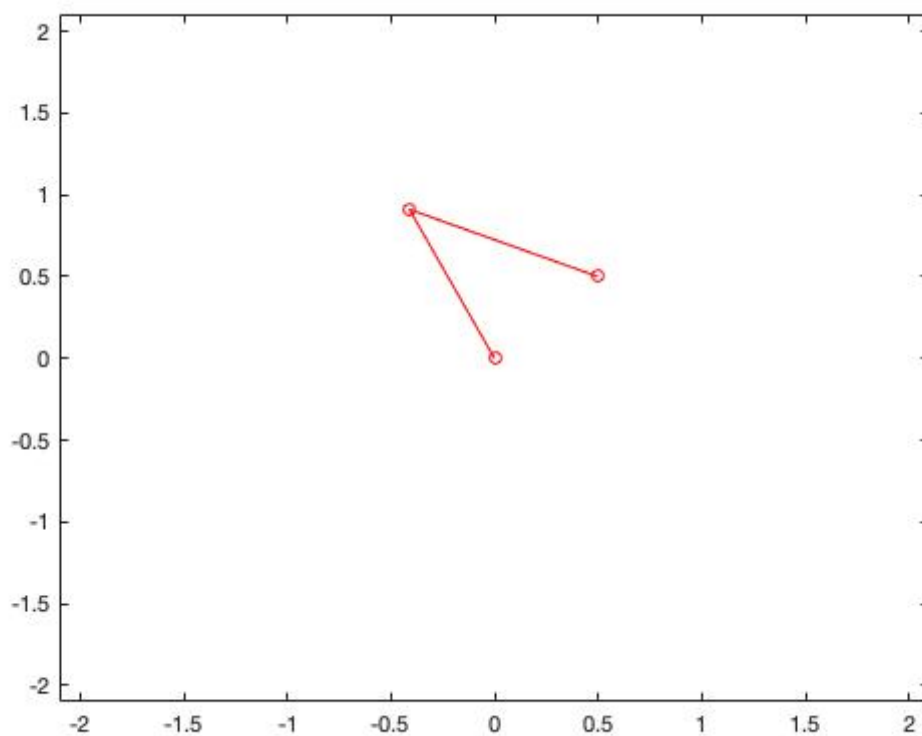
the figure:



**Case ii**, the initial  $x_0$  for Newton method, when  $x_0$  at location  $(x_1, x_2) = (2, 0)$

the solution is:  $(\theta, \phi) = (x_1, x_2) = (1.9948, -0.4240)$

the figure:



(d) Implement in MATLAB code about the path and the tracing function, and the table of angles

```
1. - the traceFn is the function defining the path. the code: filename: **traceFn.m**
```

```
1. function [locx, locy] = traceFn(t)
2.     % traceFn is the function defining path
3.     % of the free end of the arm.
4.     % trace path defined by the following function
5.     % (x,y)=(t, 0.1+sin(2t-0.5)), and (-1<=t<= 1)
6.     %
7.     % function [locx, locy] = traceFn(t)
8.     % Input: t - param variables, from t=-1 to t=1
9.     %
10.    % Output: locx - the location point x
11.    %           locy - the location point y
12.
13.    locx = t;
14.    locy = 0.1 + sin(2*t - 0.5);
15.
16. end
```

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the matlab filename: “**traceArm.m**”

```
1. function t_out = traceArm(traceFn, nSteps, x0)
2.
3.     % Trace path of the free end of arm at initial x0
4.     %
5.     % function t_out = traceArm(traceFn, nSteps, x0)
6.     %
7.     % Input:
8.     %
9.     % traceFn -to create the location (x,y)
10.    % nSteps -the number of steps for t splitting the t
11.    % x0      -the init guess value for Newton method
12.    %
```

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13.    % Output:
14.    % t_out - a table to recording the angles
15.    % theta and phi at each step.
16.
17.    step = 2 / (nSteps -1);
18.    i = 1;
19.
20.    step_list = [];
21.    t = [];
22.    x_list = [];
23.    y_list = [];
24.    theta_list = [];
25.    phi_list = [];
26.    for st = -1:step:1
27.        [locx, locy] = feval(traceFn, st)
28.        [xx, f] = newtonSys2(@fun_arm, @Jfun_arm, x0, 1e
-10, 100, locx, locy);
29.        t = [t st];
30.        step_list = [step_list i];
31.        x_list = [x_list locx];
32.        y_list = [y_list locy];
33.        theta_list = [theta_list xx(1,:)];
34.        phi_list = [phi_list xx(2,:)];
35.        i = i + 1;
36.    end
37.    nSteps = step_list';
38.    nT = t';
39.    nLocx = x_list';
40.    nLocy = y_list';
41.    Theta = theta_list';
42.    Phi = phi_list';
43.    t_out = table(nSteps,nT, nLocx, nLocy,Theta,Phi);
44.
45. end

```

- In case the  $x_0$ : (0.5, 0.5), the  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  at each step, following down:

21x6 table

	1 nSteps	2 nT	3 nLocx	4 nLocy	5 Theta	6 Phi	7
1	1	-1	-1	-0.4985	-1.7012	2.6260	
2	2	-0.9000	-0.9000	-0.6457	-1.5354	2.7801	
3	3	-0.8000	-0.8000	-0.7632	48.8708	53.1839	
4	4	-0.7000	-0.7000	-0.8463	-3.2513	-1.2724	
5	5	-0.6000	-0.6000	-0.8917	-1.1596	3.1166	
6	6	-0.5000	-0.5000	-0.8975	3.1728	5.2354	
7	7	-0.4000	-0.4000	-0.8636	-7.2129	-3.0794	
8	8	-0.3000	-0.3000	-0.7912	-0.7993	3.2160	
9	9	-0.2000	-0.2000	-0.6833	-0.6487	3.2208	
10	10	-0.1000	-0.1000	-0.5442	-0.4620	3.2402	
11	11	0	0	-0.3794	3.3325	6.0923	
12	12	0.1000	0.1000	-0.1955	28.8571	31.7787	
13	13	0.2000	0.2000	1.6658e-04	-1.4698	1.4715	
14	14	0.3000	0.3000	0.1998	-0.8020	1.9772	
15	15	0.4000	0.4000	0.3955	-0.5059	2.0655	
16	16	0.5000	0.5000	0.5794	-0.3193	2.0370	
17	17	0.6000	0.6000	0.7442	-0.1802	1.9647	
18	18	0.7000	0.7000	0.8833	-0.0715	1.8728	
19	19	0.8000	0.8000	0.9912	0.0114	1.7721	
20	20	0.9000	0.9000	1.0636	0.0684	1.6686	
21	21	1	1	1.0975	0.0977	1.5660	
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