

MATH/CS 5466 NUMERICAL ANALYSIS
Homework 4

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Problem 1. Clenshaw-Curtis quadrature approximates the integral of a function by the integral of the degree- N polynomial that interpolates it at $N + 1$ Chebyshev points: $x_j = \cos(j\pi/N), j = 0, \dots, N$.

A MATLAB routine for computing the nodes and weights of this rule for the interval $[a, b] = [-1, 1]$, called `clencurt.m` is linked from the course website.

1. Use Clenshaw-Curtis quadrature (with nodes and weights from `clencurt.m` to approximate $\int_{-1}^1 f(x)dx$ for each of:

$$f(x) = e^{-x^2}; \quad f(x) = (1 + 25x^2)^{-1}; \quad f(x) = |x|$$

In particular, for each f , produce a **semilogy** plot showing the degree of interpolating polynomial N versus the error between the Clenshaw-Curtis approximation and the true integral (whose values can be computed in MATLAB via `sqrt(pi)*erf(1)`, `2*atan(5)/5` and `1`), for $N = 1, \dots, 50$

```
%% 4.1a Clenshaw-Curtis quadrature
int1 = sqrt(pi)*erf(1);
int2 = 2*atan(5)/5;
int3 = 1;
N = 1:1:50;
int_approx1 = zeros(1,length(N));
int_approx2 = zeros(1,length(N));
int_approx3 = zeros(1,length(N));
error1 = zeros(1,length(N));
error2 = zeros(1,length(N));
error3 = zeros(1,length(N));

for N=1:length(N)
    [x,w] = clencurt(N);
    for j = 1:length(x)
        int_approx1(N) = int_approx1(N) + exp(-x(j).^2)*w(j);
        int_approx2(N) = int_approx2(N) + 1/(1+25*x(j).^2)*w(j);
        int_approx3(N) = int_approx3(N) + abs(x(j))*w(j);
    end
end
```

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    error1(N) = abs(int_approx1(N) - int1);
    error2(N) = abs(int_approx2(N) - int2);
    error3(N) = abs(int_approx3(N) - int3);
end

figure; semilogy(error1); grid on;
xlabel('N'); ylabel('error');
title('Clenshaw-Curtis approximation error of exp(-x^2)');
print('hw4_1a1','-dpng');

figure; semilogy(error2); grid on;
xlabel('N'); ylabel('error');
title('Clenshaw-Curtis approximation error of (1+25*x^2)^(-1)');
print('hw4_1a2','-dpng');

figure; semilogy(error3); grid on;
xlabel('N'); ylabel('error');
title('Clenshaw-Curtis approximation error of |x|');
print('hw4_1a3','-dpng');

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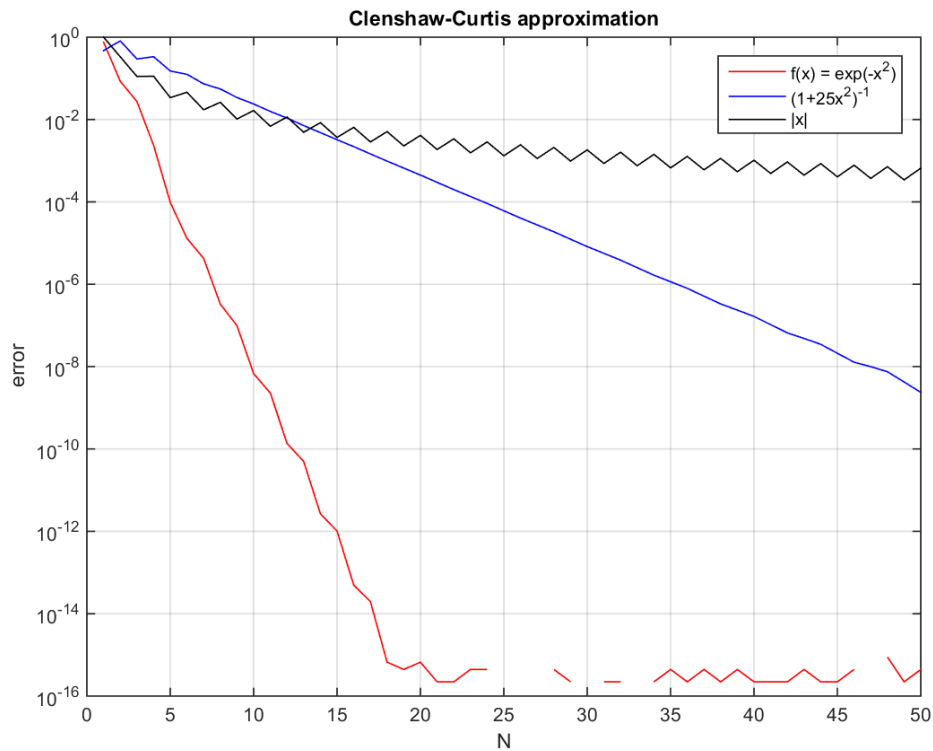


Figure 1: Clenshaw-Curtis approximation error of $f(x) = e^{-x^2}$, $(1 + 25x^2)^{-1}$, $|x|$

2. Why do you think the three different function in part (a) produce such different results?

The integral of the first function $f = e^{-x_i^2}$ is most close to the function itself, (e.g. $(e^x)' = e^x$), and the last function is further different from original f . That lead to the Clenshaw-Curtis approximation is different in accuracy.

3. For the first function, $f(x) = e^{-x^2}$, use MATLAB's `tic` and `toc` commands to time how long it takes compute the Clenshaw-Curtis approximation for $N = 20$ (include the time for computing the nodes and weights). Compare this value to the time required to integrate this same f using MATLAB's all-purpose adaptive quadrature routine, `quad`, with precision `1e-15`.

```
%% tic and toc utilize clencurt
tic
int_approx = 0;
[x,w] = clencurt(20);
for j = 1:length(x)
    int_approx = int_approx + exp(-x(j).^2)*w(j);
end
toc
Elapsed time is 0.001829 seconds.
%% tic toc quad function
tic
f = @(x) exp(-x.^2);
q = quad(f,-1,1);
toc
Elapsed time is 0.003241 seconds.
```

For $N = 20$, the first approach using Clenshaw-Curtis approximation is about 150% faster than compute integral directly by utilizing MATLAB's `quad` function.

Problem 2. You may use the following facts without proof: For the positive integers N and n

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \sin\left(\frac{2\pi nk}{N}\right) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k=1}^N \cos\left(\frac{2\pi nk}{N}\right) = \begin{cases} N & \text{if } n/N \text{ is an integer} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

1. Write down the composite trapezoid rule for approximating:

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx$$

with function evaluation at $x_k = a + kh$ for $h = (b - a)/N$ and $k = 0, \dots, N$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b f(x)dx &= \sum_{k=1}^N \int_{x_{k-1}}^{x_k} f(x)dx \approx \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{x_k - x_{k-1}}{2} [f(x_{k-1}) + f(x_k)] \\ &= \frac{h}{2} \left[\sum_{k=1}^N f(x_{k-1}) + \sum_{k=1}^N f(x_k) \right] \\ &= \frac{h}{2} \left[f(x_0) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} f(x_k) + f(x_N) \right] \end{aligned}$$

2. Suppose we wish to approximate

$$\int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx$$

where f is a 2π -periodic function (that is, $f(x) = f(x + 2\pi)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$)

Applied above result we have: $f(x_0) = f(0)$; $f(x_N) = f(2\pi)$ and $f(0) = f(2\pi)$:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx &= \frac{h}{2} \left[f(x_0) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} f(x_k) + f(x_N) \right] = \frac{h}{2} \left[f(0) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} f(x_k) + f(0 + 2\pi) \right] \\ &= \frac{h}{2} \left[2 \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} f(x_k) + 2f(x_N) \right] \\ &= \frac{h}{2} * 2 \sum_{k=1}^N f(x_k) \\ &= h \sum_{k=1}^N f(x_k) \end{aligned}$$

We have: $h = \frac{2\pi - 0}{N} = \frac{2\pi}{N}$ and $x_k = x_0 + kh = 0 + k\frac{2\pi}{N} = \frac{2\pi k}{N}$ so:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx = h \sum_{k=1}^N f(x_k) = \frac{2\pi}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N f\left(\frac{2\pi k}{N}\right)$$

For the rest of the problem: suppose f is a 2π -periodic function with Fourier series

$$f(x) = \frac{c_0}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_{-n} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(nx) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(nx)$$

for constants c_0, c_1, \dots

3. Integrate each term of this Fourier series to obtain a simple formula for $\int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx$

Because f is a 2π -periodic function, so applied result from (2b) we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx &= \frac{2\pi}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N f\left(\frac{2\pi k}{N}\right) \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N \left(\frac{c_0}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_{-n} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos\left(n\frac{2\pi k}{N}\right) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin\left(n\frac{2\pi k}{N}\right) \right) \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_0}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \frac{2\pi}{N\sqrt{\pi}} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{k=1}^N c_{-n} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi nk}{N}\right) + \sum_{k=1}^N c_n \sin\left(\frac{2\pi nk}{N}\right) \right) \\ &= c_0\sqrt{2\pi} + \frac{2\sqrt{\pi}}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(c_{-n} \sum_{k=1}^N \cos\left(\frac{2\pi nk}{N}\right) + c_n \sum_{k=1}^N \sin\left(\frac{2\pi nk}{N}\right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Utilize the given condition, we have:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx = c_0\sqrt{2\pi} + \frac{2\sqrt{\pi}}{N} \sum_{n=kN}^{\infty} c_{-n}N = c_0\sqrt{2\pi} + 2\sqrt{\pi} \sum_{n=kN}^{\infty} c_{-n} \quad \text{for } k = 1, 2, \dots$$

4. Write down a descriptive bound for the difference between the true integral found in part (c) and the approximation obtained from the composite trapezoid rule applied to the function f with the above Fourier series.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx &= \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{c_0}{\sqrt{2\pi}} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_{-n} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(nx) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(nx) \right) dx \\ &= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{c_0}{\sqrt{2\pi}} dx \\ &= c_0\sqrt{2\pi} \end{aligned}$$

The error bound is defined:

$$\begin{aligned}
Error &= \int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx - c_0\sqrt{2\pi} - 2\sqrt{\pi} \sum_{n=kN}^{\infty} c_{-n} \\
&= c_0\sqrt{2\pi} - c_0\sqrt{2\pi} - 2\sqrt{\pi} \sum_{n=kN}^{\infty} c_{-n} \\
&= -2\sqrt{\pi} \sum_{n=kN}^{\infty} c_{-n} \quad \text{for } k = 1, 2, \dots
\end{aligned}$$

5. If f and its first $p > 1$ derivatives are continuous and 2π -periodic, then there exists a constant γ such that $|c_n| \leq \gamma/|n|^p$ for all integers n . Compare the performance of the composite trapezoid rule applied to such an f with the usual composite trapezoid error bound that holds for functions that are in C^2 , but not necessary 2π -periodic.

$$f^{(1)} = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \cdot c_{-n} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(nx) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \cdot c_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(nx)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
f^{(2)} &= -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 \cdot c_{-n} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(nx) - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 \cdot c_n \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(nx) \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^2}{\sqrt{\pi}} (-c_{-n} \cos(nx) - c_n \sin(nx)) \\
&\leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\gamma}{\sqrt{\pi}} (\cos(nx) + \sin(nx))
\end{aligned}$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi} f(x)dx - \int_0^{2\pi} p(x)dx = -\frac{1}{12} f^{(2)}(\eta)(2\pi - 0)^3 \geq -\frac{8\pi^3}{12} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\gamma}{\sqrt{\pi}} (\cos(n\eta) + \sin(n\eta))$$

6. Produce a **loglog** plot comparing the error in the trapezoid rule approximation to the 2π -periodic problem:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \exp(\sin(x))dx = 7.95492652101284527451322\dots$$

and the smooth but not 2π -periodic problem:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \exp(\sin(x/\pi))dx = 13.3094551602297896414536\dots$$

```

fx1 = @(x) exp(sin(x));
fx2 = @(x) exp(sin(x/pi));
it1 = 7.9549265210128452745132;
it2 = 13.3094551602297896414536;
for i =1:5 %length(N)
    N = 10^(i);
    Ifx1(i) = trapezoid(fx1,0,2*pi,N);
end
errorF1 = abs(Ifx1 - it1);

for i =1:5 %length(N)
    N = 10^(i);
    Ifx2(i) = trapezoid(fx2,0,2*pi,N);
end
errorF2 = abs(Ifx2 - it2);
figure; loglog(errorF1,'r'); hold on;
loglog(errorF2,'b--'); grid on;
xlabel('N'); ylabel('error');
title('loglog plot of error in trapezoid approximation of exp(sin(x))');
legend('Error 1','Error 2');
print('hw4_2f','-dpng');

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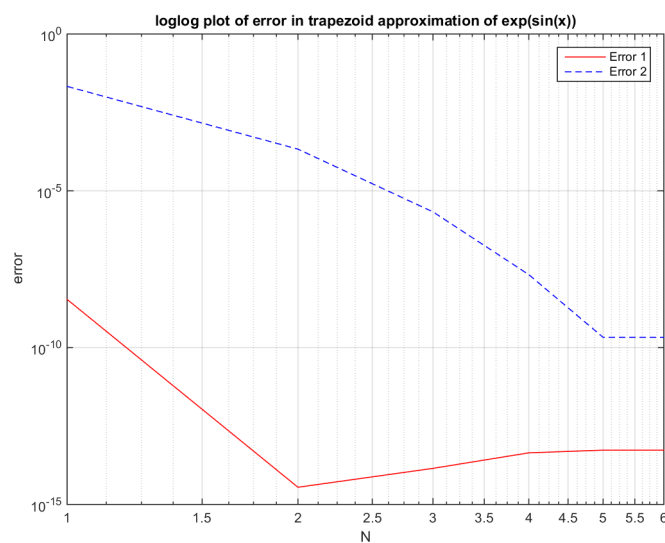


Figure 2: Comparing the error in the trapezoid rule approximation

Problem 3. Let $\langle f, g \rangle$ denote a weighted inner product on $L^2(a, b)$, e.g, $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_a^b f(x)g(x)w(x)dx$ for some appropriate weight function w :

1. Suppose $\{\phi_j\}_{j=0}^n$ is a system for *monic* orthogonal polynomials, and let:

$$\phi_{n+1}(x) = x\phi_n(x) - \sum_{j=0}^n c_{n,j}\phi_j(x) \quad (*)$$

denote the next polynomial in this system. For $n \geq 1$, show that we can write

$$\phi_{n+1}(x) = x\phi_n(x) - \alpha_n\phi_n(x) - \beta_n\phi_{n-1}(x)$$

where α_n and β_n are constants that you should specify. (This was worked out in the lectures, but the result is sufficiently important that you should work through the details for yourself).

$\{\phi_j\}_{j=0}^n$ is a system for *monic* orthogonal polynomials, so: $\phi_{-1} = 0$; $\phi_0 = 1$

$$\phi_{n+1}(x) - x\phi_n(x) = - \sum_{j=0}^n c_{n,j}\phi_j(x) \quad (*)$$

Applied orthogonality properties: inner product with $\phi_k(x)$ with $k \leq n$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \phi_{n+1}(x) - x\phi_n(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle &= - \sum_{j=0}^n \langle c_{n,j}\phi_j(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle \\ \Leftrightarrow \langle \phi_{n+1}(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle - \langle x\phi_n(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle &= - \sum_{j=0}^n c_{n,j} \langle \phi_j(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle \\ \Leftrightarrow - \langle x\phi_n(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle &= -c_{n,k} \langle \phi_k(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle \\ \Leftrightarrow \langle \phi_n(x), x\phi_k(x) \rangle &= c_{n,k} \langle \phi_k(x), \phi_k(x) \rangle \quad (**) \end{aligned}$$

If $k < n - 1 \Rightarrow \deg(x\phi_k(x)) < n \Rightarrow \langle \phi_n(x), x\phi_k(x) \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow c_{n,k} = 0$

Applied above result to provided equation (*):

$$\phi_{n+1}(x) = x\phi_n(x) + c_{n,n-1}\phi_{n-1}(x) + c_{n,n}\phi_n(x) \text{ for } n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$\text{From } (**) \text{ we have: } \alpha_n = c_{n,n} = \frac{\langle \phi_n(x), x\phi_n(x) \rangle}{\langle \phi_n(x), \phi_n(x) \rangle} \Big|_{k=n} = \frac{\langle \phi_n(x), x\phi_n(x) \rangle}{\langle \phi_n(x), \phi_n(x) \rangle}$$

$$\text{and } \beta_n = c_{n,n-1} = \frac{\langle \phi_n(x), x\phi_{n-1}(x) \rangle}{\langle \phi_{n-1}(x), \phi_{n-1}(x) \rangle} \Big|_{k=n-1} = \frac{\langle \phi_n(x), x\phi_{n-1}(x) \rangle}{\langle \phi_{n-1}(x), \phi_{n-1}(x) \rangle} = \frac{\langle \phi_n(x), \phi_{n-1}(x) \rangle}{\langle \phi_{n-1}(x), \phi_{n-1}(x) \rangle}$$

So, we can rewrite (*) as:

$$\phi_{n+1}(x) = x\phi_n(x) - \alpha_n\phi_n(x) - \beta_n\phi_{n-1}(x)$$

2. Consider the *Jacobi* matrix and vector

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_0 & \sqrt{\beta_1} & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \sqrt{\beta_1} & \alpha_1 & \sqrt{\beta_2} & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \sqrt{\beta_2} & \ddots & \ddots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \ddots & \alpha_{n-1} & \sqrt{\beta_n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \sqrt{\beta_n} & \alpha_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{v}(x) = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_0(x) \\ \phi_1(x)/\sqrt{\beta_1} \\ \phi_2(x)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2} \\ \dots \\ \phi_n(x)/\sqrt{\beta_1\cdots\beta_n} \end{bmatrix}$$

(For $n \geq 1$, α_n and β_n are as in part (a); α_0 is defined by $\phi_1(x) = x\phi_0(x) - \alpha_0\phi_0(x)$)

Verify that $(\lambda, v(\lambda))$ is an eigenpair of \mathbf{J} if and only if λ is a root of ϕ_{n+1}

With λ is a eigenvalue of \mathbf{J} we have: $\det[\mathbf{J} - \lambda\mathbf{I}] = 0$

Assume that $(\lambda, v(\lambda))$ is an eigenpair of \mathbf{J} so: $\mathbf{J}v(\lambda) = \lambda v(\lambda)$

We first have:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{J}v(\lambda) - \lambda v(\lambda) &= \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_0 & \sqrt{\beta_1} & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \sqrt{\beta_1} & \alpha_1 & \sqrt{\beta_2} & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \sqrt{\beta_2} & \ddots & \ddots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \ddots & \alpha_{n-1} & \sqrt{\beta_n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \sqrt{\beta_n} & \alpha_n \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \phi_0(\lambda) \\ \phi_1(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1} \\ \phi_2(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2} \\ \dots \\ \phi_n(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\cdots\beta_n} \end{bmatrix} - \lambda \begin{bmatrix} \phi_0(\lambda) \\ \phi_1(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1} \\ \phi_2(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2} \\ \dots \\ \phi_n(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\cdots\beta_n} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_0\phi_0(\lambda) + \phi_1(\lambda) - \lambda\phi_0(\lambda) \\ \sqrt{\beta_1}\phi_0(\lambda) + \alpha_1\phi_1(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1} + \sqrt{\beta_2}\phi_2(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2} - \lambda\phi_1(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1} \\ \sqrt{\beta_2}\phi_1(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1} + \alpha_2\phi_2(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2} + \sqrt{\beta_3}\phi_3(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2\beta_3} - \lambda\phi_2(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2} \\ \dots \\ \sqrt{\beta_n}\phi_{n-1}(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2\cdots\beta_{n-1}} + \alpha_n\phi_n(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\cdots\beta_n} - \lambda\phi_n(\lambda)/\sqrt{\beta_1\cdots\beta_n} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_0\phi_0(\lambda) + \phi_1(\lambda) - \lambda\phi_0(\lambda) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_1}}(\beta_1\phi_0 + \alpha_1\phi_1(\lambda) + \phi_2(\lambda) - \lambda\phi_1(\lambda)) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_1\beta_2}}(\beta_2\phi_1 + \alpha_2\phi_2(\lambda) + \phi_3(\lambda) - \lambda\phi_2(\lambda)) \\ \dots \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_1\cdots\beta_n}}(\beta_n\phi_{n-1} + \alpha_n\phi_n(\lambda) - \lambda\phi_n(\lambda)) \end{bmatrix} \quad (***) \end{aligned}$$

We have that $\mathbf{J}v(\lambda) = \lambda v(\lambda) \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{J}v(\lambda) - \lambda v(\lambda) = 0$

With respect to α_n, β_n from part (3a) $\Rightarrow (\lambda, v(\lambda))$ is a eigenpair if and only if (***) is true $\Rightarrow \lambda$ is a root of ϕ_j with $j = 0, 1, \dots, n$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{As a result: } \phi_{n+1} &= x\phi_n(x) - \alpha_n\phi_n(x) - \beta_n\phi_n - 1(x) \\
\Rightarrow \phi_{n+1}(\lambda) &= \lambda\phi_n(\lambda) - \alpha_n\phi_n(\lambda) - \beta_n\phi_n - 1(\lambda) \\
&= \lambda \cdot 0 - \alpha_n \cdot 0 - \beta_n \cdot 0 \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda$ is a root of ϕ_{n+1}

Problem 4. *Monte Carlo methods* provide an alternative to interpolatory quadrature schemes. Given $f \in C[a, b]$, from a probabilistic perspective one can interpret the integral of f as its *expected values*:

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx =: E[f]$$

The expected value $E[f]$ is just another name for the *mean*, which can be estimated by averaging value of f sampled at uniformly distributed random points in $[a, b]$. Hence, the N -points *Monte Carlo* estimate of the integral is given by

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx \approx \frac{b-a}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N f(\xi_k)$$

where ξ_1, \dots, ξ_N are N independent samples of a uniform random variable over $[a, b]$, as can be generated using MATLAB's `rand` command. The Central Limit Theorem suggests that this estimate will converge to the exact integral at a rate of $N^{-1/2}$.

1. Consider the function $f(x) = \sin(x)$ over $x \in [0, 2]$. Produce a `loglog` plot comparing N versus error for the N -point Monte Carlo method and the trapezoid rule based on N function evaluations, for various values of N (Take your largest N to be at least 10^5 .) Which method is superior?

```

% Monte Carlo points
IfM = zeros(1,N);
for i = 1:N
    xi = rand(1,i)*2;
    for j = 1:i
        IfM(i) = IfM(i) + (2/i)*sin(xi(j));
    end
end

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end
errorM = abs(IfM - int);
% trapezoid rule
IfT = zeros(1,N);
for i = 1:N
    IfT(i) = trapezoid(fx,0,2,i);
end
errorT = abs(IfT - int);
figure; loglog(errorM); hold on;
loglog(errorT); grid on;
xlabel('N'); ylabel('error');
title('loglog plot of error from MonteCarlo & Trapezoid for f(x)=sin(x)');
legend('Monte Carlo', 'Trapezoid');
print('hw4_4a', '-dpng');

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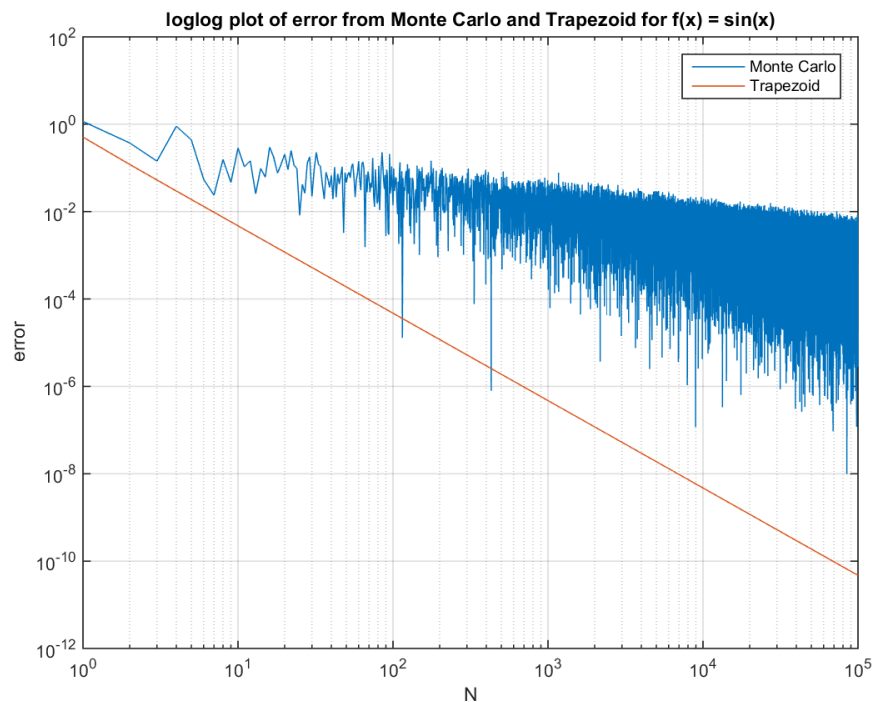


Figure 3: loglog plot of error from MonteCarlo and Trapezoid for $f(x) = \sin(x)$

We see that for trapezoid rule provide better result, but the computation is more expensive than Monte Carlo method, it requires more time to process (around 1.5 times of Monte Carlo's time). So depend on how much accuracy needed, we can choose the better one.

The rest of problem concerns approximation of a 10-dimensional integral:

$$\int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b \int_a^b f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7, x_8, x_9, x_{10}) dx_1 dx_2 dx_3 dx_4 dx_5 dx_6 dx_7 dx_8 dx_9 dx_{10}$$

a type of problem that arises in mathematical physics and financial modeling.

2. Write a MATLAB code based on nested trapezoid rules to evaluate this 10-dimensional integral. If each trapezoid rule uses n function evaluations, then the total procedure should require n^{10} function evaluations.

Basic idea:

$$\int_a^b \int_a^b f(x_1, x_2) dx_1 dx_2 = \int_a^b \frac{h}{2} (f(x_1, a) + f(x_1, b) + 2 * f(x_1, x(i))) dx_1$$

with $h = \frac{b-a}{n}$ and $x(i) = a + i * h$ for $i = 1, \dots, n-1$

```
syms x1 x2 x3 x4 x5 x6 x7 x8 x9 x10 a b n;
x = [x1,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9,x10];    f = f(x);
h = (b-a)/n;
for i = 1:10
    for j = 1:n-1
        x(i) = h/2*(f(a,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9,x10) +
                    f(b,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9,x10) +
                    2*f(a+j*h,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9,x10));
    end
    fx = syms(fx,x(i),x(k));
end
```

3. Use your code from part (b) to approximate the integral for $a = 0, b = 2$, and

$$f(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7, x_8, x_9, x_{10}) = \sin(x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 x_5 x_6 x_7 x_8 x_9 x_{10})$$

for several small values of n (e.g: $n = 3, 4, 5$). Produce a table showing your estimate for the integral, as well as the total error. (The exact integral is approximately 174.467318369179.)

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syms x1 x2 x3 x4 x5 x6 x7 x8 x9 x10;
x = [x1 x2 x3 x4 x5 x6 x7 x8 x9 x10];
xn = zeros(1,10);
fx = sin(prod(x(:)));
n = [3,4,5];
h(i) = 2*pi/n(i);

for i = 1:3
    for j = 1:10
        for k = 1:n(i)-1
            xn(j) = sin(prod(x(:))*0/x(j)) + sin((prod(x(:))*2*pi)/x(j))
                + sin((prod(x(:))*k*h(i))/x(j));
            x(x==x(j)) = xn(j);
            fx = h*fx;
        end
    end
end
end

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4. Compare your result from (c) to the Monte Carlo approximation

$$\frac{(b-a)^{10}}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N f(\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3, \xi_4, \xi_5, \xi_6, \xi_7, \xi_8, \xi_9, \xi_{10})$$

for $f(\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3, \xi_4, \xi_5, \xi_6, \xi_7, \xi_8, \xi_9, \xi_{10}) = \sin(\xi_1 \xi_2 \xi_3 \xi_4 \xi_5 \xi_6 \xi_7 \xi_8 \xi_9 \xi_{10})$ on $[a, b] = [0, 2]$. Use the same number of total function evaluations that you used for the trapezoid rule in part (c): i.e., take $N = n^{10}$ for the same values of n used in part (c).

Here ξ_1, \dots, ξ_{10} denote independent, identically distributed random variables uniformly distributed over $[a, b] = [0, 2]$

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tic
n = [3,4,5];
sum = [0,0,0];
int = [0,0,0];
for i = 1:length(n)
    N = n(i)^10;

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for j = 1:N
    xi = rand(1,10)*2;
    fx = sin(prod(xi(:)));
    sum(i) = sum(i) + fx;
end
int(i) = ((2^10)*sum(i))/N;
end
toc
Elapsed time is 308.633920 seconds.
Result:
int =    174.5653    174.5501    174.4345

```

5. Which approach is superior for the 10-dimensional integral? (Include a rough explanation)

Monte Carlo method is superior because the costing time (Elapsed time is 308.633920 seconds.) is faster and cheaper computation.