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Chapter 3: Solution of system of linear equations

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Lecture 16: Numerical Analysis (UMA011)

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Multiple roots

Modified Newton's method (if multiplicity is given)

Let $f(x)=0$ be an equation, $f(x)$ has a zero at $x=p$ i.e. $f(p)=0$ with multiplicity m i.e. $f(x) = (x-p)^m g(x)$ $g(p) \neq 0$

Modified Newton method is

$$p_{n+1} = p_n - \frac{m f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)}$$

m is the multiplicity of the required root.

To check the order of convergence of Newton's method in case of multiple roots

$$p_{n+1} = p_n - \frac{f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)} = g(p_n)$$

$g(x) = x - \frac{f(x)}{f'(x)} = x - \frac{(x-p)^m g(x)}{(x-p)^m g'(x) + g(x)m(x-p)^{m-1}}$

To find the order of convergence for m.N.M. i.e. quadratic

Let $x=p$

$$g(p) = p - \frac{m \cdot 0}{0 + m g(p)} = p - 0 = p \checkmark$$
$$g'(x) = 1 - \frac{m}{(x-p)g'(x) + m g(x)} + \frac{g(x)}{(x-p)g'(x) + m g(x)} \quad (1)$$

If $g(p) \neq 0$ \Rightarrow linear

If $g'(p) = 0$ \Rightarrow atleast quadratic

Put $x=p$

$$g'(p) = 1 - \frac{m}{0 + m g(p)} + 0 = 1 - \frac{1}{g(p)} \neq 0$$

\Rightarrow N.M. (in case of multiple roots) generates linear case but not good.

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Modified Newton's method (if multiplicity is not given)

Define a function $u(x) = \frac{f(x)}{f'(x)}$, $f(x)$ has a root p with multiplicity m . i.e. $f(p)=0, f'(p)=0$ but $f''(p) \neq 0$

$$u(x) = \frac{(x-p)^m g(x)}{(x-p)^m g'(x) + m(x-p)^{m-1} g(x)}$$
$$= \frac{(x-p)g(x)}{(x-p)g'(x) + m g(x)}$$
$$u(x) = (x-p)^{-1} Q(x), \quad Q(x) = \frac{g(x)}{(x-p)g'(x) + m g(x)}$$
$$Q(p) = \frac{g(p)}{0 + m g(p)} = \frac{1}{m} \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow u(x)$ has a zero at $x=p$ with $m=1$ i.e. p is a simple zero of $u(x)$

Apply Newton's method on $u(x)$

$$p_{n+1} = p_n - \frac{u(p_n)}{u'(p_n)}$$
$$= p_n - \frac{f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)} \cdot \frac{1}{\left(\frac{f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)}\right)'}$$
$$= p_n - \frac{f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{f'(p_n)f'(p_n) - f(p_n)f''(p_n)}{(f'(p_n))^2}}$$
$$= p_n - \frac{f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)} \cdot \frac{(f'(p_n))^2}{(f'(p_n))^2 - f(p_n)f''(p_n)}$$

$$p_{n+1} = p_n - \frac{f(p_n)f'(p_n)}{(f'(p_n))^2 - f(p_n)f''(p_n)}$$

\rightarrow Modified Newton's method

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Example:

Show that the modification of Newton's method improves the rate of convergence for $f(x) = e^x - x - 1$ at $x=0$ with $p_0 = 1$.

Let $f(x) = e^x - x - 1$

$$f(0) = e^0 - 0 - 1 = 0$$
$$f'(x) = e^x - 1$$
$$f'(0) = e^0 - 1 = 0$$
$$f''(x) = e^x$$
$$f''(0) = e^0 \neq 0 \Rightarrow f(x) \text{ has a root at } x=0 \text{ with } m=2$$

Apply Modified Newton's method

$$p_{n+1} = p_n - 2 \frac{f(p_n)}{f'(p_n)}$$
$$= p_n - 2 \frac{e^{p_n} - p_n - 1}{e^{p_n} - 1}$$

Let $p_0 = 1$

$$p_1 = p_0 - 2 \frac{e^{p_0} - p_0 - 1}{e^{p_0} - 1} = 1 - 2 \frac{e^1 - 2}{e^1 - 1} = \frac{3-e}{e-1} = 0.163953$$
$$p_2 = 0.16395 - 2 \frac{e^{0.16395} - 0.16395 - 1}{e^{0.16395} - 1} = 0.0044779$$
$$p_3 = 0.000033419$$

To check the convergence of $\{p_n\}$

$$\frac{|p_2 - 0|}{|p_1 - 0|^2} = \frac{0.0044779}{(0.163953)^2} = 0.1665 < 1$$
$$\frac{p_2 - 0}{(p_2 - 0)^2} < 1 \Rightarrow \{p_n\} \rightarrow p=0 \text{ quadratically.}$$

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Order of convergence of modified Newton's method:

$$g(x) = x - \frac{m f(x)}{f'(x)}, \quad f(x) = (x-p)^m g(x)$$
$$g(p) = p$$

To show $g'(p) = 0$

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Multiple roots:

Exercise:

1 Use Newton's method and the modified Newton's method to find a solution of

$$f(x) = (1-x)\sin(1-x) = 0, \checkmark$$

accurate to within 10^{-2} . Take initial approximation $x_0 = 0$.

2 Apply modified Newton's method with $m=2$ and $x_0 = 0.8$ to the equation $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - x + 1 = 0$, and verify that the convergence is of second-order.