

Course: COMPUTER APPLICATIONS IN PHYSICS-II(**CAP-II**)  
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Write C++ Programmes to implement the tasks as described below.

### Integration

1. Integrate:  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{x^2 dx}{\sin^2 x}$ , *Ans.* :  $\pi \ln 2$
2. Integrate:  $\int_0^\infty \frac{e^{-qx}}{\sqrt{x}} dx$ ,  $q > 0$ , *Ans.* :  $\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{q}}$
3. Integrate:  $\int_0^1 \left( \frac{x^{p-1}}{1-x} - \frac{qx^{pq-1}}{1-x^q} \right) dx$ ,  $q > 0$ , *Ans.* :  $\ln q$
4. Integrate:  $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin(x)}{x} dx$ , *Ans.* :  $\frac{\pi}{2}$
5. Integrate:  $\int_0^{\frac{2}{\pi}} x^2 \sin(1/x) dx$ , *Ans.* : .0585676
6. Integrate:  $\int_0^1 \frac{x^p - x^{-p}}{1+x} dx$ ,  $p^2 < 1$ , *Ans.* :  $\frac{1}{p} - \frac{\pi}{\sin(p\pi)}$
7. Integrate:  $\int_{-1}^1 dx x^{-\frac{2}{n}}$ ,  $n > 2$ , *Ans.* :  $\frac{2n}{n-2}$
8. Integrate  $I = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$  by using Trapezoidal as well as Simpson- $\frac{1}{3}$  rules with an accuracy of the order of  $10^{-5}$ . Find the minimum number of subintervals required to achieve the specified accuracy. *Ans.*  $I = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .
9. Integrate  $I = \int_0^1 dx e^{x^2}$  by using Trapezoidal rule. Choose the total number of subintervals  $n = 1000$  and plot error vs.  $n$ . (*Ans.*:  $I=1.46265$ )
10. Find  $(\Delta x)^2 = \langle x^2 \rangle - (\langle x \rangle)^2$  for the one dimensional simple harmonic oscillator.

11. The integral representation of Beta Function  $B(m, n) = \frac{\Gamma(m)\Gamma(n)}{\Gamma(m+n)}$  can be expressed in many different, but, equivalent forms. Some of the expressions are given below. Evaluate the corresponding integrals.

$$\begin{aligned} B(m, n) &= \int_0^1 u^{m-1}(1-u)^{n-1} du, \\ B(m+1, n+1) &= \int_0^\infty \frac{u^m du}{(1+u)^{m+n+2}}, \\ B(m+1, n+1) &= 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^{2m+1} \theta \sin^{2n+1} \theta d\theta \end{aligned}$$

12. The error function  $\text{erf}(x)$  is defined as,

$$\text{erf}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x e^{-t^2} dt$$

Evaluate  $\text{erf}(x)$  by using Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  formula for 20 distinct points within the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 2$  and plot it as a function of  $x$ .

13. One of the Fresnel integrals is defined as,

$$C(x) = \int_0^x \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}t^2\right) dt$$

Evaluate  $C(x)$  by using Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  formula for 20 distinct points within the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 2$  and plot it as a function of  $x$ .

14. One of the Fresnel integrals is defined as,

$$S(x) = \int_0^x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}t^2\right) dt$$

Evaluate  $S(x)$  by using Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  formula for 20 distinct points within the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 2$  and plot it as a function of  $x$ .

15. The Euler's integral is defined as,

$$\Gamma(p) = \int_0^\infty e^{-x} x^{p-1} dx, \quad p > 0$$

Evaluate  $\Gamma(p)$  by using Simpson's  $\frac{1}{3}$  formula for 20 distinct points within the interval  $0 \leq p \leq 2$  and plot it as a function of  $p$ .

## Monte Carlo Method of Integration

1. Use the Monte Carlo Method of integration to find the area of (i) a circle, (ii) an ellipse.
2. Use the Monte Carlo Method of integration to find the volume of (i) a sphere, (ii) an ellipsoid, (iii) a tetrahedron, (iv) a spherical shell with inner and outer radii as  $r_i$  and  $r_o$ , respectively.
3. Use the Monte Carlo Method of integration to find the volume of a 10-dimensional sphere ( $S^9$ ).
4. Evaluate: (i)  $I = \int_0^{\frac{3\pi}{2}} \sin(x)dx$ , (ii)  $I = \int_{x=-5}^5 \int_{y=-3}^7 (x^2 - 3xy + y^2)dx dy$

## Roots of equations, Fractal and Zeroes of functions

1. Find the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$  by using bi-section as well as Newton-Raphson method.
2. Find both the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2nx - 3n^2 = 0$  for all prime numbers between  $n = 1$  to 1000 and write the results in an output file.
3. Use 1000 random numbers between 0 and  $2n$  as the guess/initial values for finding the roots of the equation  $x^2 - 2nx - 3n^2 = 0$  for a fixed integer  $n$  by using Newton-Raphson(NR) method. Tabulate the random guess values corresponding to each root in an output file.
4. Find the values of  $b$  and  $c$  within the ranges  $-20 \leq b \leq 20, -20 \leq c \leq 20$  and with the least interval  $h = .1$  so that the equation  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$  has only real roots. Plot 'b' vs. 'c' within the specified ranges.
5. Find all the roots of the equation: (i)  $z^4 + 5z^2 + 4 = 0$ , (ii)  $\sin z = z$ .
6. Take the guess/initial values  $x_0, y_0$ , for finding the roots of the equation  $z^n - 1 = 0, n \in N$  by using Newton-Raphson method, from the region defined by  $-a \leq x \leq a, -b \leq y \leq b, a, b \in R$ . Plot  $y$  vs.  $x$  for those values of  $x_0, y_0$  for which the root converges to  $z = 1$ .

7. Find all the roots of the following equations: (i)  $x^3 - 5x = 0$ , (ii)  $x^3 - 2x + 2 = 0$ , (iii)  $x^2 - \alpha x + \alpha^2, \alpha \neq 0$ . State the problem, if any, for the seed values  $x_0 = 0, 1$ . Give an explanation and a remedy of the problem.
8. Show that the roots of the following set of equations correspond to the zeroes of the  $N$ th order Hermite polynomial:

$$x_i + \sum_{j(\neq i)=1}^N \frac{1}{x_i - x_j} = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N.$$

### Differential equation

1. Solve the following equation by using the Runge-Kutta fourth-order formula:

$$\ddot{y} + b\dot{y} + cy = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \dot{y}(0) = 0, \quad \dot{y} \equiv \frac{dy}{dt}, \quad \delta \equiv b^2 - 4c$$

for (i)  $b > 0, \delta < 0$ , (ii)  $b < 0, \delta < 0$ , (iii)  $b > 0, \delta = 0$  and (iv)  $b < 0, \delta = 0$ .

Plot  $y(t)$  vs  $t$  for all the cases within a suitable range of  $t$ .

2. Solve the following equation by using the Runge-Kutta fourth-order formula:

$$\ddot{y} = y(y^2 - 1), \quad \dot{y} \equiv \frac{dy}{dt}$$

for (i)  $y(0) = 0, \dot{y}(0) = 0$ , (ii)  $y(0) = 1, \dot{y}(0) = 1$ , (iii)  $y(0) = 0, \dot{y}(0) = -1$  and (iv)  $y(0) = 1, \dot{y}(0) = 0$ .

Plot  $y(t)$  vs  $t$  for all the cases within a suitable range of  $t$ .

3. Solve the following equation by using the Runge-Kutta fourth-order formula:

$$\ddot{y} + \sin y = 0, \quad \dot{y} \equiv \frac{dy}{dt}$$

for (i)  $y(0) = 1, \dot{y}(0) = 0$ , (ii)  $y(0) = 0, \dot{y}(0) = 1$ , (iii)  $y(0) = 0, \dot{y}(0) = -1$  and (iv)  $y(0) = 1, \dot{y}(0) = 0$ .

Plot  $y(t)$  vs  $t$  for all the cases within a suitable range of  $t$ .

4. Solve the following equation by using the Runge-Kutta fourth-order formula:

$$\ddot{y} + \omega_0^2 y = \cos(\omega t), \quad \dot{y} \equiv \frac{dy}{dt},$$

with  $\omega \sim \omega_0$  for (i)  $y(0) = 1, \dot{y}(0) = 0$ . Plot  $y(t)$  vs  $t$  for all the cases within a suitable range of  $t$ .

5. Driven damped harmonic oscillator:

$$\ddot{y} + b\dot{y} + \omega_0^2 y = a \cos(\omega t), \quad a, b, \omega, \omega_0 \in R$$

Consider different limiting cases of the above equation to study beats, resonances, damping etc.

6. Kepler Problem and its Generalizations:

$$\frac{d^2 u}{d\theta^2} + \omega u = \omega_0 + \omega_1 u^2; \quad Q \equiv \frac{1}{2\omega_0} \left[ \left( \frac{du}{d\theta} \right)^2 + u^2 \right] - u.$$

Choose  $Q < 0$  and find the orbits (polar plot of  $r \equiv \frac{1}{u}$  vs.  $\theta$ ) for the following cases:

- (i) Standard Kepler Problem:  $\omega = 1, \omega_1 = 0$ ,
- (ii) Precession of orbits:  $\omega \neq 1, \omega_1 = 0$ ,
- (iii) Generalized Kepler Problem:  $\omega \neq 1, \omega_1 \neq 0$ .

Repeat the above computations for  $Q = 0$  and  $Q > 0$ .

7. Coupled equations:

$$\dot{x}_a = \sum_{b=1}^N M_{ab} x_b, \quad M_{ab} \equiv \omega_0 \delta_{ab} + \omega_+ \delta_{a \ a+1} + \omega_- \delta_{a \ a-1}, \quad x_{N+1} = x_1$$

8. The following sets of equations exhibit chaos for suitable ranges of the real parameters  $a, b$  and  $c$ .

Find the time-development of  $X(t), Y(t)$  and  $Z(t)$  and check sensitivity of the solutions to the initial conditions.

Plot (i)  $Y$  vs.  $X$ , (ii)  $Z$  vs.  $X$  and (iii)  $Z$  vs.  $Y$ .

(a) Damped Driven Non-linear Pendulum(DDNP):

$$\dot{X} = Y, \dot{Y} = -bY - \sin X + a \cos Z, \dot{Z} = c$$

(Check that the decoupled second order equation in terms of  $X = x, Y = \dot{x}, Z = ct$  indeed corresponds to a DDNP.)

(b) Lorenz Attractor( Canonical values:  $a = 28, b = 8/3, c = 10$ ):

$$\dot{X} = -c(X - Y), \dot{Y} = aX - Y - XZ, \dot{Z} = b(XY - Z)$$

(c) Chua's Circuit:

$$\dot{X} = a(Y - X) - f(X), \dot{Y} = b[a(X - Y) + Z], \dot{Z} = -c(Y + dZ), d \in R,$$

where  $f(-X) = -f(X)$  and is defined for positive  $X$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f(X) &= -X \text{ for } X < 1, \\ f(X) &= -1 - .636(X - 1) \text{ for } 1 < X < 10, \\ f(X) &= 10(X - 10) - 6.724 \text{ for } X > 10 \end{aligned}$$