

**Exercise 1:** Problem 10.5

We are defining

$$\langle a|b \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 ab(1-x^2)^{-1/2} dx$$

Find the orthonormal basis using  $[1, x, x^2]$ . Starting with 1 lets normalize note  $\langle 1|1 \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 (1-x^2)^{-1/2} dx = \sin^{-1}(x)|_{-1}^1 = \pi$ . Thus  $q_0 = 1/\sqrt{\pi}$ . Note  $\langle x|1/\sqrt{\pi} \rangle = 1/\sqrt{\pi} \int_{-1}^1 x(1-x^2)^{-1/2} dx = -1/\sqrt{\pi} \sqrt{1-x^2}|_{-1}^1 = 0$  and  $\langle x|x \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 x^2(1-x^2)^{-1/2} dx = 1/2(-x\sqrt{1-x^2} + \sin^{-1}(x)) = \pi/2$ , thus  $q_1 = x\sqrt{2/\pi}$ . Note  $1/\sqrt{\pi} \langle x^2|1/\sqrt{\pi} \rangle = 1/\pi \int_{-1}^1 x^2(1-x^2)^{-1/2} dx = 1/2$ , and  $\langle x^2|x\sqrt{2/\pi} \rangle = \sqrt{2/\pi} \int_{-1}^1 x^3(1-x^2)^{-1/2} dx = 0$  and  $\langle x^2 - 1/2|x^2 - 1/2 \rangle = \pi/8$  (last integral via WRA), thus  $q_2 = x^2\sqrt{8/\pi} - \sqrt{2/\pi}$ .

Note that  $q_1 = \alpha \cos(0)$ ,  $q_1 = \alpha \cos(\arccos(x))$ ,  $q_2 = \alpha(2x^2 + 1) = \cos(2 \arccos(x))$  where the various  $\alpha$ s are constants so our basis is the same as the one given in the book.

**Exercise 2:** Problem 10.7

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1 function mintegral=traprule(f,a,b,nm)
2     mintegral=[];
3     for (n=nm)
4         w=(b-a)./n;
5         cent=linspace(a+w,b-w,n-1);
6         integral=w.*(1/2*f(a)+sum(f(cent))+1/2*f(b));
7         mintegral=[mintegral integral];
8     end
9 endfunction

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1 function mintegral=simpson(f,a,b,nm)
2     mintegral=[];
3     for (n=nm)
4         w=(b-a)./n;
5         #there are n+1 points each with a midpoint thus n midpoints
6         points=f(linspace(a,b,n+1));
7         centers=f(linspace(a+w/2,b-w/2,n));
8         estint=w/6*(points(1:n)+4*centers+points(2:n+1));
9         integral=sum(estint);
10        mintegral=[mintegral integral];
11    end
12 endfunction

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Note that realInt came from the described quad evaluation.

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1 >> f=@(x) cos(x.^2);
2 >> n=10.^pow;
3 >> h=1./n;
4 >> errh=abs(traprule(f,0,1,n)-realInt);

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5 >> [h',errh',(errh./(h.^2))']
6 ans =
7
8     1.0000e-01     1.4025e-03     1.4025e-01
9     1.0000e-02     1.4025e-05     1.4025e-01
10    1.0000e-03     1.4025e-07     1.4025e-01
11    1.0000e-04     1.4025e-09     1.4025e-01
12    1.0000e-05     1.4027e-11     1.4027e-01
13    1.0000e-06     1.2335e-13     1.2335e-01
14
15 >> n=3.^pow;
16 >> h=1./n
17 >> errh=abs(simpson(f,0,1,n)-realInt);
18 >> [h',errh',(errh./(h.^4))']
19 ans =
20
21     3.3333e-01     1.3129e-06     1.0635e-04
22     1.1111e-01     9.9952e-09     6.5579e-05
23     3.7037e-02     1.5784e-10     8.3883e-05
24     1.2346e-02     1.9957e-12     8.5910e-05
25     4.1152e-03     2.3981e-14     8.3616e-05
26     1.3717e-03     2.2204e-16     6.2712e-05
27
28 >> diary off

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**Exercise 3:** Continuing with the theme that some sample points are better than others, recall that polynomial interpolation with high-order polynomials is prone to making large oscillation errors, but that this can be minimized using Chebyshev polynomials, which are the Lagrange polynomials associated with the sample points  $x_j = \cos(\pi + (\pi j/n))$ ,  $j = 0, \dots, n$  on the interval  $[-1, 1]$ . Clenshaw-Curtis integration is integration using polynomial interpolation at these sample points. Use the MATLAB polyfit function to perform polynomial interpolation at these sample points for  $n = 4, 6, 10$  and then use the resulting polynomials to approximate

$$\int_{-1}^1 x \sin(x) dx$$

Compare your approximations to the exact answer (which you should compute by hand). Integration by parts!

integration by parts (tabular method)

|   |     |            |
|---|-----|------------|
| + | $x$ | $\sin(x)$  |
| - | $1$ | $-\cos(x)$ |
| + | $0$ | $-\sin(x)$ |

Thus

$$\int_{-1}^1 x \sin(x) dx = 2(\sin(1) - \cos(1))$$

so our error for the three would be

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1 realInt=2*(sin(1)-cos(1));
2 for i=4:2:8
3     ceb=cos(pi+pi*[0:i]/i);
4     f=@(x) x.*sin(x);
5     p=polyfit(ceb,f(ceb),i);
6     pow=[i+1:-1:1];
7     xp=(1-(-1).^pow)./pow;
8     inte=xp*p';
9     err=abs(inte-realInt)
10 end

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1 >> cheb
2 err = 1.5436e-04
3 err = 1.4867e-07
4 err = 1.9205e-10
5 >> diary off

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**Exercise 4:** Recall that 5 point Gauss-Legendre integration uses sample points  $[-\beta, -\alpha, 0, \alpha, \beta]$  where

$$\alpha = 1/3 \sqrt{5 - 2\sqrt{10/7}}$$

$$\beta = 1/3 \sqrt{5 + 2\sqrt{10/7}}$$

Write a code that performs composite Gauss-Legendre integration with these sample points.

Your code should have the signature

`q=glquad(f,a,b,N)`

where  $f$  is the function to integrate,  $a$  and  $b$  are the endpoints of integration, and  $N$  is the number of subintervals. Your code should perform Gauss-Legendre integration on each subinterval and add them up. Then apply your function to compute

$$\int_{-1}^1 x \sin(x) dx$$

using  $N = 1, 2, 4, 10$ . Compare the results of Gauss-Legendre integration to the results you saw using Clenshaw-Curtis integration.

```

1 function integrate=glquad(f,a,b,N)
2 lin=linspace(a,b,N+1);
3 suma=0;
4 for i=1:N
5     suma+=recurse(f,lin(i),lin(i+1));
6 end
7 integrate=suma;
8
9
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11
12 endfunction
13
14
15 function inte=recurse(f,a,b)
16 alp=1./3*sqrt(5-2\sqrt(10/7));
17 bet=1./3*sqrt(5+2\sqrt(10/7));
18 gl=([-bet,-alp,0,alp,bet]+1)/2*(b-a)+a;
19
20
21 p=polyfit(gl,f(gl),4);
22 pow=[5:-1:1];
23 xp=(b).^pow-(a).^pow)./pow;
24 inte=xp*p';
25
26
27 endfunction

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1 realInt=2*(sin(1)-cos(1));
2 for i=[1, 2, 4,10]
3     f=@(x) x.*sin(x);
4     err=abs(glquad(f,-1,1,i)-realInt)
5 end

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1 >> glerr
2 err = 3.5271e-04
3 err = 4.7596e-06
4 err = 7.1806e-08
5 err = 2.9128e-10
6 >> diary off
7 >> diary off

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Let's see where we can compare the two. When GL is using one interval it uses 5 points, so let's compare it to the 4 point lenshaw-Curtis, both are on the  $10^{-4}$  error. When GL is using two intervals it uses 10 points, so let's compare it to the 8 point lenshaw-Curtis, GL has error  $10^{-6}$ , while lenshaw-Curtis has error  $10^{-10}$ . Clearly lenshaw-Curtis does better using the same number of sample points for this function.

### Exercise 5: Problem 9.1

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1 f=@(x) sin(x);
2 x=pi/6;
3 fpp=@(h) (f(x+h)-2*f(x)+f(x-h))./(h.^2);
4 exponent=[-1:-1:-16];
5 h=10.^exponent;
6 [h', fpp(h)', abs(fpp(h)+sin(x))', h.^2']

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1 >> secderiv
2 ans =
3
4     1.0000e-01  -4.9958e-01  4.1653e-04  1.0000e-02
5     1.0000e-02  -5.0000e-01  4.1667e-06  1.0000e-04
6     1.0000e-03  -5.0000e-01  4.1619e-08  1.0000e-06
7     1.0000e-04  -5.0000e-01  3.0387e-09  1.0000e-08
8     1.0000e-05  -5.0000e-01  5.9648e-07  1.0000e-10
9     1.0000e-06  -4.9993e-01  6.6572e-05  1.0000e-12
10    1.0000e-07  -4.9405e-01  5.9508e-03  1.0000e-14
11    1.0000e-08  -1.1102e+00  6.1022e-01  1.0000e-16
12    1.0000e-09   5.5511e+01  5.6011e+01  1.0000e-18
13    1.0000e-10   0.0000e+00  5.0000e-01  1.0000e-20
14    1.0000e-11   0.0000e+00  5.0000e-01  1.0000e-22
15    1.0000e-12   5.5511e+07  5.5511e+07  1.0000e-24
16    1.0000e-13   5.5511e+09  5.5511e+09  1.0000e-26
17    1.0000e-14  -5.5511e+11  5.5511e+11  1.0000e-28
18    1.0000e-15   0.0000e+00  5.0000e-01  1.0000e-30
19    1.0000e-16  -5.5511e+15  5.5511e+15  1.0000e-32
20
21 >> diary("d3.txt");

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If we notice that we are deviding by  $h^2$  we can easily see why the error starts to build. Quite quickly  $h^2$  becomes larger than machine precision an so it makes seance why our error gets big after that, to illustrate I have also given the table containing  $h^2$  values.

### Exercise 6: Problem 9.5

Recall via Taylor expansion  $f(x + a) = f(x) + f'(x)a + f''(\xi)a^2/2$ . So we note that  $f(x + h) = f(x) + f'(x)h + f''(\xi_1)h^2/2$  where  $\xi_1 \in (x, x + h)$ . Note that  $f(x + 2h) = f(x) + f'(x)2h + f''(\xi_2)2h^2$  where  $\xi_2 \in (x, x + 2h)$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{2h}[-3f(x) + 4f(x + h) - f(x + 2h)] = \\
 & \frac{1}{2h}[-3f(x) + 4(f(x) + f'(x)h + f''(\xi_1)h^2/2) - (f(x) + f'(x)2h + f''(\xi_2)2h^2)] = \\
 & \frac{1}{2h}[4f'(x)h + 4f''(\xi_1)h^2/2 - f'(x)2h - f''(\xi_2)2h^2] = \\
 & f'(x) + \frac{1}{2h}[4f''(\xi_1)h^2/2 - f''(\xi_2)2h^2] = \\
 & f'(x) + h[f''(\xi_1) - f''(\xi_2)]
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the error in this approximation is  $h[f''(\xi_1) - f''(\xi_2)]$ , this is interesting, if we have a function with a stable second derivative the error in this estimation will be tiny.