

# Convergentes de Fracciones continuas

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# Fracciones continuas y sus convergentes

$$\forall A \in \mathbb{Q} \exists a_0 \in \mathbb{Z}, \{a_i\}_{i=1}^{n \in \mathbb{Z}^+} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}^+ \ni$$

$$A = a_0 + \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{\ddots a_{n-1} + \frac{1}{a_n}}}$$

para una notacion mas amigable se usa  $A = [a_0; a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n]$

Si  $k \in \mathbb{N} \cap [0, n]$ , el  $k$ -convergente de  $A$  es

$$C_k = a_0 + \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{\ddots a_{k-1} + \frac{1}{a_k}}} = [a_0; a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k]$$

## Teorema 15.2

Si  $A = [a_0; a_1, \dots, a_n] \in \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $p_0 = a_0, p_1 = a_1 a_0 + 1, q_0 = 1, q_1 = a_1$  y

$$p_k = a_k p_{k-1} + p_{k-2} \text{ y } q_k = a_k q_{k-1} + q_{k-2}$$

$\forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cap [2, n] \Rightarrow$

$$C_k = \frac{p_k}{q_k}, \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cap [0, n]$$

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$$C_{k+1} - C_k = \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{\ddots a_{k-1} + \frac{1}{a_k + \frac{1}{a_{k+1}}}}} - \frac{1}{a_1 + \frac{1}{\ddots a_{k-1} + \frac{1}{a_k}}}$$

$$C_{k+1} - C_k = \frac{p_{k+1}}{q_{k+1}} - \frac{p_k}{q_k} = \frac{p_{k+1}q_k - p_kq_{k+1}}{q_{k+1}q_k}$$

## Teorema 15.3

$$p_{k+1}q_k - p_kq_{k+1} = (-1)^k, \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cap [0, n-1]$$

### Demostración.

Inducción sobre  $k$

Si  $k = 0 \Rightarrow$

$$p_1q_0 - p_0q_1 = (a_1a_0 + 1)1 - a_0a_1 = 1 = 1^0$$

si para  $k = \alpha$ ,  $p_{\alpha+1}q_\alpha - p_\alpha q_{\alpha+1} = (-1)^\alpha \Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} p_{\alpha+2}q_{\alpha+1} - p_{\alpha+1}q_{\alpha+2} &= (a_{\alpha+2}p_{\alpha+1} + p_\alpha)q_{\alpha+1} - p_{\alpha+1}(a_{\alpha+2}q_{\alpha+1} + q_\alpha) = \\ &= a_{\alpha+2}(p_{\alpha+1}q_{\alpha+1} - p_{\alpha+1}q_{\alpha+1}) + p_\alpha q_{\alpha+1} - p_{\alpha+1}q_\alpha = -(-1)^\alpha = (-1)^{\alpha+1} \end{aligned}$$



$$\therefore C_{k+1} - C_k = \frac{(-1)^k}{q_{k+1}q_k}$$



$$\text{MCD}(p_k, q_k) = 1, \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cap [1, n]$$

Demostración.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MCD}(p_k, q_k) | p_k, q_k &\Rightarrow \text{MCD}(p_k, q_k) | p_{k+1}q_k - p_kq_{k+1} = (-1)^k \\ \therefore 0 < \text{MCD}(p_k, q_k) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$C_k = \frac{p_k}{q_k}$  son fracciones reducidas

# ejemplo

Consideremos  $[0; 1, 1, \dots, 1]$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots 1 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{1+1}}}}} &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots 1 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{2}}}}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots 1 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\frac{2+1}{2}}}}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots 1 + \frac{1}{1+\frac{2}{3}}}}} = \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots 1 + \frac{1}{\frac{3+2}{3}}}}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots 1 + \frac{3}{5}}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots \frac{5+3}{5}}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\ddots \frac{8}{5}}} = \dots \end{aligned}$$

## ejemplo fibonacci

notemos que  $p_2 = 0, p_1 = 1 * 0 + 1 = 1, p_2 = 1 * 1 + 0 = 1,$   
 $p_k = 1 * p_{k-1} + p_{k-2} = p_{k-1} + p_{k-2} \Rightarrow p_k = f_k$   
analogamente  $q_k = f_{k+1} \Rightarrow$

$$f_{k+1}^2 - f_k f_{k+2} = p_{k+1} q_k - p_k q_{k+1} = (-1)^k$$

## ejemplo diofantinas

$$ax + by = c, \text{MCD}(a, b) = d | c$$

pero como  $a/d, b/d, c/d \in \mathbb{Z}, \text{MCD}(a/d, b/d) = 1 | (c/d) \Rightarrow$

$$ax + by = c, \text{MCD}(a, b) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists x_0, y_0 \in \mathbb{Z} \ni ax_0 + by_0 = 1 \Rightarrow a(x_0c) + b(y_0c) = c \Rightarrow$$

$$ax + by = 1$$

## ejemplo diofantinas

$$ax + by = 1, \text{MCD}(a, b) = 1$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = [a_0 : a_1, \dots, a_n] \Rightarrow$$

$$C_{n-1} = \frac{p_{n-1}}{q_{n-1}}, C_n = \frac{p_n}{q_n} = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\text{como } \text{MCD}(p_n, q_n) = 1 = \text{MCD}(a, b) \Rightarrow p_n = a, q_n = b \Rightarrow$$

$$aq_{n-1} - bp_{n-1} = p_n q_{n-1} - p_{n-1} q_n = (-1)^{n-1}$$

Si  $n$  es impar

$$aq_{n-1} + b(-p_{n-1}) = 1$$

Si  $n$  es par

$$a(-q_{n-1}) + bp_{n-1} = 1$$

## ejemplo $172x + 20y = 1000$

como  $MCD(172, 20) = 4 \mid 1000 \Rightarrow 43x + 5y = 250 \Rightarrow$

$$43x + 5y = 1$$

$\Rightarrow MCD(43, 5)$

$$\begin{array}{rclcl} 43 & = & 8 \cdot 5 & +3 & 43/5 = 8 \quad +3/5 \\ 5 & = & 1 \cdot 3 & +2 & 5/3 = 1 \quad +2/3 \\ 3 & = & 1 \cdot 2 & +1 & 3/2 = 1 \quad +1/2 \\ 2 & = & 2 \cdot 1 & +0 & 2/1 = 2 \end{array} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{43}{5} = 8 + \frac{1}{5/3} = 8 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{3/2}} = 8 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2}}} = [8; 1, 1, 2]$$

$$43/5 = [8; 1, 1, 2]$$

$n=3$  impar

$$p_0 = 8, \quad p_1 = 1 * 8 + 1 = 9, \quad p_2 = 1 * 9 + 8 = 17, \quad p_3 = 43$$

$$q_0 = 1, \quad q_1 = 1, \quad q_2 = 1 * 1 + 1 = 2, \quad q_3 = 5 \Rightarrow$$

$$43(2) + 5(-17) = 86 - 85 = 1$$

$$43(500) + 5(-4250) = 43(2 * 250) + 5(-17 * 250) = 250$$

$$172(500) + 20(-4250) = 1000$$

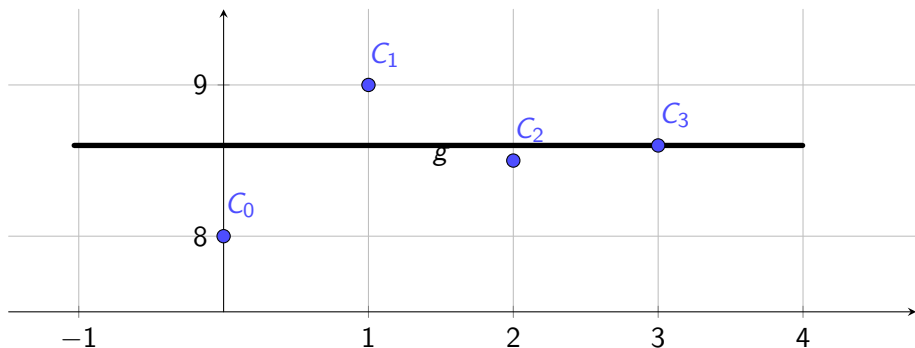
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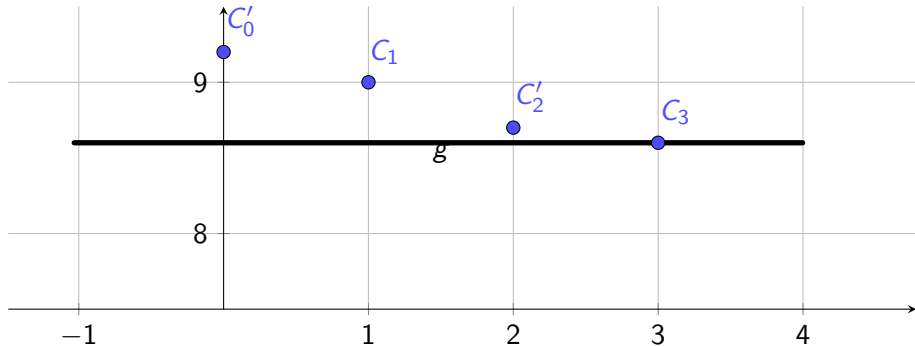
## comportamiento de los convergentes

$$C_0 = 8/1 = 8, \quad C_1 = 9/1 = 9, \quad C_2 = 17/2 = 8.5, \quad C_3 = 43/5 = 8.6$$



## comportamiento de los convergentes

$$C'_0 = 2 * 43/5 - 8/1 = 9.2, \quad C_1 = 9/1 = 9,$$
$$C'_2 = 2 * 43/5 - 17/2 = 8.7, \quad C_3 = 43/5 = 8.6$$



## ejemplo 493/284

$$493 = 1 \cdot 284 + 209$$

$$284 = 1 \cdot 209 + 75$$

$$209 = 2 \cdot 75 + 59$$

$$75 = 1 \cdot 59 + 16$$

$$59 = 3 \cdot 16 + 11$$

$$16 = 1 \cdot 11 + 5$$

$$11 = 2 \cdot 5 + 1$$

$$5 = 5 \cdot 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{493}{284} = [1; 1, 2, 1, 3, 1, 2, 5]$$

$$p_0 = 1, p_1 = 2, p_2 = 5, p_3 = 7, p_4 = 26, p_5 = 33, p_6 = 92, p_7 = 493$$

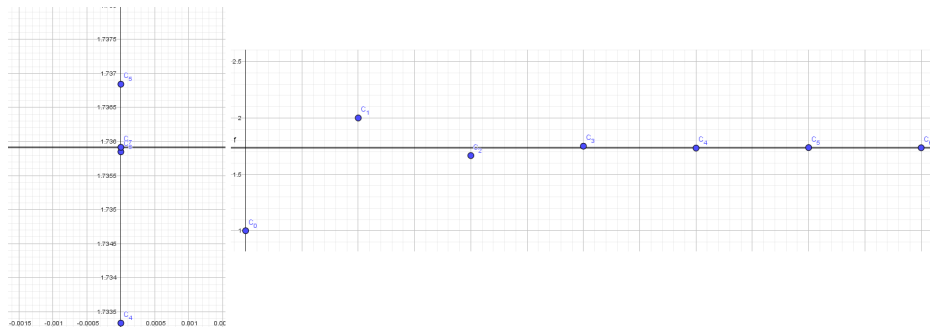
$$q_0 = 1, q_1 = 1, q_2 = 3, q_3 = 4, q_4 = 15, q_5 = 19, q_6 = 53, q_7 = 284$$

# ejemplo

$$C_0 = 1, C_1 = 2, C_2 = \frac{5}{3}, C_3 = \frac{7}{4}, C_4 = \frac{26}{15}, C_5 = \frac{33}{19}, C_6 = \frac{92}{53}, C_7 = \frac{493}{284}$$

$$C_0 = 1, c_2 = 1.6, C_4 = 1.733, C_6 = 1.7358, C_7 = 1.7359, C_5 = 1.736, \\ C_3 = 1.75, C_1 = 2$$

$$C'_0 = .7, C'_1 = .2, C'_2 = .06, C'_3 = .01, C'_4 = .002, C'_5 = .0009, C'_6 = .00006$$



Lemma  $q_{k-1} < q_k, \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \cap [2, n]$

Demostración.

Sabemos por definicion que

$$q_k = a_k q_{k-1} + q_{k-2}$$

donde  $a_k, q_{k-2} \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \Rightarrow q_{k-2} > 0, a_k \geq 1 \Rightarrow$

$$q_k = a_k q_{k-1} + q_{k-2} > a_k q_{k-1} + 0 \geq 1 q_{k-1} = q_{k-1}$$



$$q_1 = a_1 \geq 1 = q_0$$

## Teorema 15.4 $C_{2k} < C_{2k+2} < C_{2k'+3} < C_{2k'+1}, \forall k, k' \in \mathbb{N}$

$$C_0 < C_2 < \cdots < C_{2\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} < C_{2\lceil n/2 \rceil - 1} < \cdots < C_1$$

### Demostración.

$$\begin{aligned} C_{k+2} - C_k &= (C_{k+2} - C_{k+1}) + (C_{k+1} - C_k) = \frac{(-1)^{k+1}}{q_{k+2}q_{k+1}} + \frac{(-1)^k}{q_{k+1}q_k} = \\ &= \frac{(-1)^k(q_{k+2} - q_k)}{q_{k+2}q_{k+1}q_k} \end{aligned}$$

por el lema anterior  $q_{k+2} > q_k$  y por definicion  $q_i > 0 \Rightarrow$

Si  $k$  es par  $(-1)^k > 0 \Rightarrow C_{k+2} > C_k$

y si es impar  $(-1)^k < 0 \Rightarrow C_{k+2} < C_k$

Ahora como  $C_{k+1} - C_k = \frac{(-1)^k}{q_{k+1}q_k}$ , análogamente,

Si  $k$  es par  $C_{k+1} - C_k > 0, C_{k+1} > C_k$  impar  $>$  par

y si  $k$  es impar  $C_{k+1} - C_k < 0, C_{k+1} < C_k$  par  $<$  impar

de cualquier forma, el par es el menor

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