

# Numerical Analysis

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# About CS 112 Numerical Analysis

- **Number of Credits: 3**

## Section A

- **Class Schedule:** Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 9:30 - 10:20 in Room 208E
- **Office Hours:** Thursdays 12:00-14:00 in Room 335W or by an appointment (lpoghosyan@aua.am)
- **TA:** TBD
- **Problem Solving Sessions:** TBD
- **Moodle Enrollment Key:** NumAn18-A

## Section B

- **Class Schedule:** Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 10:30 - 11:20 in Room 208E
- **Office Hours:** Thursdays 14:00-16:00 in Room 335W or by an appointment (lpoghosyan@aua.am)
- **TA:** TBD
- **Problem Solving Sessions:** TBD
- **Moodle Enrollment Key:** NumAn18-B

## ● Main Textbooks:

1. Ward Cheney, David Kincaid, *Numerical Mathematics and Computing*, 6th Edition, Cengage Learning, 2007
2. Alfio Quarteroni, Fausto Saleri, Paola Gervasio, *Scientific Computing with MATLAB and Octave*, 4th Edition, *Texts in Computational Science and Engineering*, Springer Science & Business Media, 2014

## ● Additional Textbooks:

1. Burden, R.L.; Faires, J.D.; Reynolds, A.C. *Numerical analysis*. Prindle, Weber & Schmidt, Boston, Mass., 1978. ix+579 pp. ISBN: 0-87150-243-7
2. Josef Stoer, R. Bulirsch, *Introduction to Numerical Analysis*, 3rd Edition, Springer Science & Business Media, 2013
3. Cleve Moler, *Numerical Computing with MATLAB : Revised Reprint*, SIAM, 2010

- **Software:**

MATLAB, <http://www.mathworks.com/products/matlab/>  
(shareware)

GNU Octave, <https://www.gnu.org/software/octave/> (freeware)

- **Homeworks:** Every week, all assignments will be posted on Moodle. No late homeworks will be accepted.

- **Quizzes:** The course will include 4 pop-up quizzes.

- **Method of Evaluation**

Midterm1 20%

Midterm2 20%

Final Exam 40%

Homeworks 10%

Quizzes 10%

$$\text{Total} = 0.1 * (\text{HW} + \text{Q}) + 0.2 * (\text{M1} + \text{M2}) + 0.4 * \text{F}$$

## Topics

- Error Analysis
- Locating Roots of Nonlinear equations and systems
- Interpolation and Approximation of functions and data
- Numerical Integration
- Numerical Optimization
- Numerical Solution of Systems of Linear Equations



# Introduction

1. Formulation of the problem
2. Mathematical model of the problem
3. Development of the numerical method
4. Construction of the algorithm
5. Write a program based on the algorithm
6. Implementation of the program

$V$  is the value we need to find

$v$  is the value corresponding to mathematical model

$\bar{v}$  is the value corresponding to numerical method

$v^*$  is the result we get after calculations by computer

$$\epsilon_1 = V - v$$

$$\epsilon_2 = v - \bar{v} \quad \text{method error}$$

$$\epsilon_3 = \bar{v} - v^* \quad \text{calculations error}$$

## Round-off errors

We assume that machine numbers are represented in the normalized decimal floating-point form

$$\pm 0.d_1 d_2 \dots d_k \times 10^n, \quad 1 \leq d_1 \leq 9, \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq d_i \leq 9, \quad i = 2, \dots, k.$$

Numbers of this form are called  $k$ - digit decimal machine numbers

Normalized form of number

$$y = \pm 0.d_1 d_2 \dots d_k d_{k+1} d_{k+2} \dots \times 10^n, \quad 1 \leq d_1 \leq 9, \text{ and } 0 \leq d_i \leq 9, \quad i \geq 2.$$

### Example

Write  $\frac{2}{30}$ ,  $\frac{100}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  in normalized decimal form.

How do we obtain the floating-point form of  $y$ ?

- **Chopping**

$$fl(y) = \pm 0.d_1 d_2 \dots d_k \times 10^n, \quad 1 \leq d_1 \leq 9, \text{ and } 0 \leq d_i \leq 9, \quad 2 \leq i \leq k$$

- **Rounding**

$$fl(y) = \pm 0.\delta_1 \delta_2 \dots \delta_k \times 10^n, \quad 1 \leq \delta_1 \leq 9, \text{ and } 0 \leq \delta_i \leq 9, \quad 2 \leq i \leq k.$$

When  $d_{k+1} \geq 5$  we add 1 to  $d_k$  to obtain  $fl(y)$

$$\delta_k = 1 + d_k.$$

When  $d_{k+1} < 5$  we simply chop off all but the first  $k$  digits

$$\delta_k = d_k.$$

## Example

Determine the five-digit **(a)**chopping and **(b)**rounding values of the irrational number  $\pi = 3.14159265\dots$

The error that results from replacing a number with its floating-point form is called round-off error regardless of whether the rounding or chopping method is used.

## Definition

Suppose  $p^*$  is an approximation to  $p$ . The absolute error is  $|p - p^*|$  and relative error is  $\frac{|p - p^*|}{|p|}$  provided that  $p \neq 0$ .

We will write

$$abserr(p, p^*) = |p - p^*|,$$

$$relerr(p, p^*) = \frac{|p - p^*|}{|p|}.$$



## Example

Determine the absolute and relative errors when approximating  $p$  by  $p^*$  when

- **a.**  $p = 0.3 \times 10^1$  and  $p^* = 0.31 \times 10^1$ ;
- **b.**  $p = 0.3 \times 10^{-3}$  and  $p^* = 0.31 \times 10^{-3}$ .

## Example

Suppose  $k$  decimal digits and chopping (rounding) are used for the machine representation of

$$y = 0.d_1 d_2 \dots d_k d_{k+1} d_{k+2} \dots \times 10^n.$$

Estimate  $abserr(y, fl(y))$  and  $relerr(y, fl(y))$ .

## Finite-Digit Arithmetic

Symbols  $\oplus$ ,  $\ominus$ ,  $\otimes$  and  $\oslash$  represent machine addition, subtraction, multiplication and division respectively.

$$x \oplus y = fl(fl(x) + fl(y))$$

$$x \ominus y = fl(fl(x) - fl(y))$$

$$x \otimes y = fl(fl(x) \times fl(y))$$

$$x \oslash y = fl(fl(x)/fl(y))$$

### Example

Suppose  $u = 0.714251$  and  $v = 98765.9$ . Use five-digit chopping to calculate  $u + v$ .

Operation	Result	Actual Value	Abs. Error	Rel. Error
$u \oplus v$	$0.98765 \times 10^5$	$0.98766 \times 10^5$	$0.161 \times 10^1$	$0.63 \times 10^{-4}$ .

### Example

Suppose  $x = \frac{5}{7}$  and  $u = 0.714251$ . Use five-digit chopping to calculate  $x - u$ .

$$x = \frac{5}{7} = 0.\overline{714285}$$

Operation	Result	Actual Value	Abs. Error	Rel. Error
$x \ominus u$	$0.30000 \times 10^{-4}$	$0.34714 \times 10^{-4}$	$0.471 \times 10^{-5}$	0.136

Suppose two nearly equal numbers  $x$  and  $y$ , with  $x > y$  have  $k$  digit representations

$$fl(x) = 0.d_1 d_2 \dots d_p \alpha_{p+1} \alpha_{p+2} \dots \alpha_k \times 10^n,$$

$$fl(y) = 0.d_1 d_2 \dots d_p \beta_{p+1} \beta_{p+2} \dots \beta_k \times 10^n,$$

$$fl(fl(x) - fl(y)) = 0.\sigma_{p+1} \sigma_{p+2} \dots \sigma_k \times 10^{n-p},$$

where

$$0.\sigma_{p+1} \sigma_{p+2} \dots \sigma_k = 0.\alpha_{p+1} \alpha_{p+2} \dots \alpha_k - 0.\beta_{p+1} \beta_{p+2} \dots \beta_k.$$



## Example

Suppose  $x = \frac{5}{7}$ ,  $u = 0.714251$  and  $v = 98765.9$ . Use five-digit chopping to calculate  $(x - u) \times v$ .

$$x = \frac{5}{7} = 0.\overline{714285}$$

Operation	Result	Actual Value	Abs. Error	Rel. Error
$x \ominus u$	$0.30000 \times 10^{-4}$	$0.34714 \times 10^{-4}$	$0.471 \times 10^{-5}$	0.136
$(x \ominus u) \otimes v$	$0.29629 \times 10^1$	$0.34285 \times 10^1$	0.465	0.136