

Numerical methods
Assignment → 3

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1. If $(4/3)$ is represented approximately by 1.3333 , find percentage error

$$\rightarrow V_A = 1.3333$$

$$V_T = 4/3 = 1.33333333$$

$$E_p = \frac{|V_T - V_A|}{V_T} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{1.33333333 - 1.3333}{1.33333333} \times 100$$

$$= 2.5 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$= 0.0025\%$$

2. Prove that $\Delta \nabla = \Delta - \nabla$

$$\rightarrow \Delta \nabla f(x)$$

$$= \Delta [f(x) - f(x-h)]$$

$$= \Delta f(x) - \Delta f(x-h)$$

$$= f(x+h) - f(x) - f(x-h+h) + f(x-h)$$

$$= f(x+h) - f(x) + f(x-h) - f(x)$$

$$= \Delta f(x-h)$$

$$= \Delta f(x) - \nabla f(x)$$

$$= (\Delta - \nabla) f(x)$$

$$\Delta \nabla f(x) = (\Delta - \nabla) f(x)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\Delta - \nabla = \Delta \nabla}$$

Q Find the value of $\Delta^3 f(1)$

x	$f(x)$	Δy	$\Delta^2 y$	$\Delta^3 y$
0	0	3	2	0
1	3	5	2	0
2	8	7	2	0
3	15	9	2	
4	24	11		
5	35			

$$\Delta^3 f(1) = 0$$

4. Round off \rightarrow 4 significant figures \rightarrow

$$0.0076581 = 0.007658$$

$$5.04599 = 5.046$$

5. Round off to 3 significant figures \rightarrow

$$7.00254 = 7.00$$

$$9.85008 = 9.85$$

6. Prove that $\Delta \equiv E - 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Delta f(x) &= f(x+h) - f(x) \\ &= Ef(x) - f(x) \\ &= (E-1)f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta f(x) = (E-1)f(x)$$

$$\boxed{\Delta \equiv E-1}$$

7. If $f(3)=5$ & $f(5)=3$, then find $f(x)$

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x	y	Δy
3	5	-2
5	3	

$$u = \frac{x - x_0}{h} = \frac{x - 3}{2}$$

$$f(x) = y_0 + u \Delta y_0$$

$$= 5 + \left(\frac{x-3}{2}\right) \times (-2)$$

$$= 5 - x + 3$$

$$= 8 - x. \quad [\text{Ans.}]$$

8. Find value of $\Delta^2 f(2)$

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x	$f(x)$	$\Delta f(x)$	$\Delta^2 f(x)$
0	2	1	9
1	3	10	12
2	13	22	21
3	35	43	
4	78		

$$\Delta^2 f(2) = 22 - 10 = 12.$$

9. Find the value of $\Delta^3 f(0)$

x	$f(x)$	$\Delta f(x)$	$\Delta^2 f(x)$	$\Delta^3 f(x)$
0	1	1	8	6
1	2	9	14	
2	11	23		
3	34			

10. Round off to 3 correct decimal places.

$$2.0055 = 2.006$$

$$5.35009 = 5.35$$

11. If $2/3$ is approximated to 0.6667 , find relative error.

$$\rightarrow V_T = 2/3, \quad V_A = 0.6667$$

$$E_A = V_T - V_A = -3.3333 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$E_R = \frac{E_A}{V_T} = -4.99995 \times 10^{-5}$$

12. What is $(\Delta - \nabla)x^2$?

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow (\Delta - \nabla)x^2 &= (x+h)^2 - x^2 - x^2 + (x-h)^2 \\ &= \cancel{x^2} + h^2 + 2xh - \cancel{x^2} + \cancel{x^2} + h^2 - 2xh \\ &= 2h^2 \end{aligned}$$

13. If $f(1) = 3$ & $f(2) = -5$, find $f(1.5)$?

$$\rightarrow$$

x	$f(x)$	$\Delta f(x)$
1	3	-8
2	-5	

$$u = \frac{1.5 - 1}{1} = 0.5$$

$$f(1.5) = 3 + 0.5 \times (-8) = 3 - 4 = -1.$$

14. Find $\int x^2 dx$ with step length 0.5 using T-rule

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \int_0^1 x^2 dx & \quad h = 0.5 \quad n = \frac{1-0}{0.5} = 2 \\ &= \frac{0.5}{2} [0 + 2(1 + 0.25 + 2.25) + 4] \\ &= 2.75 \end{aligned}$$

15.	x	1	2	3	4	5	6
	$f(x)$	1	8	27	64	125	216

Find $\Delta^3 f(3)$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Delta^3 f(3) &= \Delta^2 [f(4) - f(3)] \\ &= \Delta^2 [f(5) - 2f(4) + f(3)] \\ &= f(6) - 3f(5) + 3f(4) - f(3) \\ &= 216 - 3 \times 125 + 3 \times 64 - 27 \\ &= 216 - 375 + 192 - 27 \\ &= 408 - 402 = 6 \end{aligned}$$

16. Show the value of $\Delta \cos x$ is $-2 \sin \left(x + \frac{h}{2} \right) \sin \frac{h}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Delta f(x) &= f(x+h) - f(x) \\ &= \cos(x+h) - \cos x \\ &= -2 \sin \frac{x+h+x}{2} \sin \frac{x+h-x}{2} \\ &= -2 \sin \left(x + \frac{h}{2} \right) \sin \left(\frac{h}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

17. Taking $h=1$, show that $\Delta(e^x)$ is $(e-1)e^x$?

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Delta(e^x) &= e^{x+h} - e^x \\ &= e^{x+1} - e^x \quad [h=1] \\ &= e^x(e-1) \end{aligned}$$

18. Taking $h=1$, show that $\Delta(x^3)$ is $3x^2+3x+1$.

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Delta(x^3) &= (x+h)^3 - x^3 \\ &= x^3 + 3x^2h + 3xh^2 + h^3 - x^3 \\ &= 3x^2 + 3x + 1 \quad [h=1] \end{aligned}$$

19. If $f(0)=3$, $f(2)=7$, then find $f(1)$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x & f(x) & \Delta f(x) \\ 0 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 7 & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} h=2 \\ u = \frac{1-0}{2} = 0.5 \end{array}$$

$$f(1) = 3 + \frac{1}{2}(4) = 3 + 2 = 5.$$

20. $x : 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5$

$f(x) : 12 \quad 15 \quad 20 \quad 27 \quad 39 \quad 52$

What is the value of $\Delta^5 f(0)$?

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Delta^5 f(0) &= \Delta^4 [f(1) - f(0)] \\ &= \Delta^3 [f(2) - 2f(1) + f(0)] \\ &= \Delta^2 [f(3) - 3f(2) + 3f(1) - f(0)] \\ &= \Delta [f(4) - 4f(3) + 6f(2) - 4f(1) + f(0)] \\ &= f(5) - 5f(4) + 10f(3) - 10f(2) + 5f(1) - f(0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 52 - 5 \times 34 + 5 \times 27 - 5 \times 20 + 5 \times 15 - 12 \\
 &= 52 - 5(34 - 27 + 20 - 15) - 12 \\
 &= 52 - 85 - 12 = -45.
 \end{aligned}$$

21. If we take $\pi = 3.14$, instead of $22/7$, find relative error.

$$\rightarrow V_T = \frac{22}{7}, \quad V_A = 3.14$$

$$E_A = V_T - V_A = 0.00285714$$

$$E_R = \frac{E_A}{V_T} = 0.000909$$

22. Prove that $E\Delta = \Delta$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \rightarrow E\Delta f(x) &= E[f(x) - f(x-h)] \\
 &= f(x+h) - f(x) \\
 &= \Delta f(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{E\Delta = \Delta}$$