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(4) We have already derived in class that

$$E_n(n) = \frac{P_n(n)}{(n+1)!} f^{(n+1)}(x) \leq \frac{1}{(n+1)!} \max |P_n(n)| \max |f^{(n+1)}(n)|$$

on $[a, b]$
(maximum possible error)

(i) Linear ($n=1$)

$$E_1(n) \leq \frac{1}{2!} \max |(n-x_0)(n-x_1)| \max |e^n| \cdot \left[\begin{array}{l} f(n) = e^n \\ f'(n) = e^n \end{array} \right]_{\text{on } [0, 1]}$$

$$E_1(n) \leq \frac{1}{2!} \left| \frac{(n_0 - n_1)^2}{4} \right| \times e \left[\begin{array}{l} h(n) = (n - n_0)(n - n_1) \\ h'(n) = 0 = 2n - (n_0 + n_1) \\ \Rightarrow n = \frac{n_0 + n_1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow E_1(n) \leq \frac{h^2}{8} \times e$$

$$\text{so, } \frac{h^2}{8} e < 10^{-7} \Rightarrow h < \sqrt{\frac{8 \times 10^{-7}}{e}} \approx 0.00054$$

so it is the maximum spacing for linear interpolation.

(ii) Quadratic ($n=2$)

$$E_2(n) \leq \frac{1}{3!} \max |(n - n_0)(n - n_1)(n - n_2)| \max |f'''(n)|$$

on $[0, 1]$ $[f'''(n) = e^n]$

$$E_2(n) \leq \frac{1}{3!} \left[\frac{2}{3} \frac{h^3}{\sqrt{3}} \right] \times e$$

$$\leq \frac{h^3}{9\sqrt{3}} e$$

$$\text{so, } \frac{h^3 e}{9\sqrt{3}} < 10^{-7} \Rightarrow h < \sqrt[3]{\frac{10^{-7} \times 9\sqrt{3}}{e}} \approx 0.008308$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} n \leftarrow t \rightarrow \\ n_0 \leftarrow n \rightarrow n_2 \\ n - n_1 = t, n - n_0 = t - h, n - n_2 = t + h \\ h(n) = (n - n_0)(n - n_1)(n - n_2) \\ = t(t - h)(t + h) = (t^2 - h^2)t \\ h'(n) = 3t^2 - h^2 = 0 \Rightarrow t = \pm \frac{h}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \Rightarrow h(t) = \pm \frac{2}{3} \frac{h^3}{\sqrt{3}} \end{array} \right]$$

so, the maximum spacing for quadratic interpolation is 0.008308.

(iii) cubic (n=3)

$$E_3(n) \leq \frac{1}{4!} \max |(n-n_0)(n-n_1)(n-n_2)(n-n_3)| \max |f^{(4)}(n)| \text{ on } [0,1]$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{4!} [-24h^4] \times e$$

$$E_3(n) \leq \frac{h^4 e}{24}$$

$$\text{So, } \frac{h^4 e}{24} \leq 10^{-7}$$

$$\Rightarrow h < \sqrt[4]{\frac{24 \times 10^{-7}}{e}} \approx 0.03065$$

So, the maximum spacing for cubic interpolation is 0.03065.

We can clearly see that for linear the ^{max} spacing is less but it increases w order of interpolation increases, \Rightarrow

No. of entries in interpolation

$$\rightarrow \text{linear} \rightarrow \frac{1}{0.00054} \approx 1851$$

$$\rightarrow \text{quadratic} \rightarrow \frac{1}{0.008308} \approx 120$$

$$\rightarrow \text{cubic} \rightarrow \frac{1}{0.03065} \approx 32$$

(here we want maximum of $|P_n(n)|$ so we should take -1 because $|\frac{9}{16}| < |-1|$)

$$\begin{aligned} h(n) &= (n-n_0)(n-n_1)(n-n_2)(n-n_3) \\ n-n_1 &= t, n-n_2 = t+h, n-n_3 = t+2h \\ n-n_0 &= t-h \\ \begin{matrix} n & \leftarrow & t \\ n_0 & n_1 & n_2 & n_3 \\ & \xleftarrow{2h} & \end{matrix} \\ h(t) &= -t(t-h^2)(t+2h) \\ &= (t^3 - ht^2)(t+2h) \\ &= h^4(k^3 - k)(k+2) \quad [t=kh] \\ &= h^4(k^4 - k^2 + 2k^3 - 2k) \\ h'(t) &= h^4(4k^3 - 2k + 6k^2 - 2) \\ h'(t) &= 0 = 2k^3 - k + 3k^2 - 1 \\ \Rightarrow k &= -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{for } k = -\frac{1}{2} \quad f(k) = \frac{9}{16}$$

$$\text{for } k = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}, f(k) = -1$$

5) We have already derived $E_1(n) \leq \frac{h^2}{8} \max |f''(\xi)|$

$$E_1(n) \leq \frac{h^2}{8} |f''(\xi)| \text{ in } \mathcal{M}(\mathcal{M}). \text{ So,}$$

$$E_1(n) \leq \frac{h^2}{8} \times \frac{1}{4 \xi^{3/2}} = \frac{h^2}{32 \xi^{3/2}}$$

$$\left[\begin{aligned} f(n) &= \sqrt{n} \quad f'(n) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}} \\ f''(n) &= \frac{1}{2} \times -\frac{1}{2} n^{-3/2} \end{aligned} \right]$$

$$h=0.01 \Rightarrow \frac{0.01^2}{32 \xi^{3/2}} \leq 10^{-5} \text{ on } 10^{-6} \Rightarrow \frac{3.125 \times 10^{-6}}{\xi^{3/2}} < 10^{-5} \text{ on } 10^{-6}$$

For 10^{-5}

$$\xi^{3/2} > 0.3125 \Rightarrow \xi > 0.4605$$

For 10^{-6}

$$\xi^{3/2} > 3.125 \Rightarrow \xi > 2.137 \text{ (excluding extrapolation)}$$

but ξ should be between 0 & 1, so for a spacing of 0.01 this expression can't be $< 10^{-6}$.

$$(6) \quad f(n) = e^{an}, \quad x_j = a_j = jh, \quad (j = 0, 1, \dots)$$

We know that,

$$f[a_j, a_j, \dots, a_j] = \frac{1}{k! h^k} \Delta^k f(a_j) \rightarrow (1)$$

Forward differences

$$\Delta f(n) = f(n+h) - f(n)$$

$$\Delta^2 f(n) = \Delta f(n+h) - \Delta f(n) = [f(n+2h) - f(n+h)] - [f(n+h) - f(n)]$$

$$= f(n+2h) - 2f(n+h) + f(n)$$

$$\Delta^3 f(n) = [f(n+3h) - f(n+2h)] - 2[f(n+2h) - f(n+h)] + [f(n+h) - f(n)]$$

$$= \underset{\downarrow}{f(n+3h)} - \underset{\downarrow}{3f(n+2h)} + \underset{\downarrow}{3f(n+h)} - \underset{\downarrow}{f(n)}$$

${}^3C_0 \quad \quad \quad - {}^3C_1 \quad \quad \quad {}^3C_2 \quad \quad \quad - {}^3C_3$

$$\Delta^k f(n) = {}^kC_0 f(n+kh) - {}^kC_1 f(n+(k-1)h) + \dots + {}^kC_k f(n) \rightarrow (2)$$

for $n = n_0$ & $f(n) = e^{an}$

$$\Delta^k f(n_0) = {}^kC_0 e^{akh} - {}^kC_1 e^{a(k-1)h} + \dots + {}^kC_k \times 1$$

$$= (e^{ah} - 1)^k \rightarrow (3) \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} f(n_0) = 1, f(n_1) = e^{ah} \\ f(n_2) = e^{2ah} \dots \end{array} \right]$$

for $n = n_1$ & $f(n) = e^{an}$

$$\Delta^k f(n_1) = {}^kC_0 e^{a(k+1)h} - {}^kC_1 e^{akh} + \dots + {}^kC_k e^{ah}$$

$$= e^{ah} (e^{ah} - 1)^k \rightarrow (4)$$

To prove $e^{ah} \rightarrow (1)$ by induction.

For $k=1$

$$f[a_0, a_1] = \frac{f(a_1) - f(a_0)}{h} = \frac{e^{ah} - 1}{h} \quad (a_1 - a_0 = h)$$

$$= \frac{(e^{ah} - 1)^1}{1! h^1}$$

Assume that it is true for $k=t$

$$f[a_0, a_1, \dots, a_t] = \frac{(e^{ah} - 1)^t}{t! h^t}$$

So, for $k=t+1$

$$f[a_0, \dots, a_{t+1}] = \frac{f[a_1, \dots, a_{t+1}] - f[a_0, \dots, a_t]}{a_{t+1} - a_0}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\Delta^t f(a_1)}{t! h^t} - \frac{\Delta^t f(a_0)}{t! h^t}}{(t+1)h} \quad [\text{from eq } \rightarrow 1]$$

$$= \frac{\Delta^t [f(a_1)] - \Delta^t [f(a_0)]}{(t+1)! h^{t+1}}$$

$$= \frac{e^{ah} (e^{ah} - 1)^t - (e^{ah} - 1)^t}{(t+1)! h^{t+1}} \quad [\text{from (3) \& (4)}]$$

$$= \frac{(e^{ah} - 1)^{t+1}}{(t+1)! h^{t+1}}$$

we
Hence, proved, that

$$f[a_0, \dots, a_n] = \frac{(e^{ah} - 1)^n}{n! h^n} \quad \checkmark \rightarrow (5)$$

$$\text{So, } f(n) = f[a_0] + (n-a_0) f[a_0, a_1] + (n-a_0)(n-a_1) f[a_0, a_1, a_2]$$

$$+ \dots + P_n(n) f[a_0, \dots, a_n] + P_{n+1}(n) f[a_0, \dots, a_{n+1}]$$

$$+ \dots$$

For $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\frac{n+1^{\text{th}} \text{ term}}{n^{\text{th}} \text{ term}} = \frac{(n-a_n) f[a_0, \dots, a_{n+1}]}{f[a_0, \dots, a_n]} = \frac{(e^{ah} - 1)(n-nh)}{h(n+1)}$$

(by using eq $\rightarrow (5)$) $(a_n = nh)$

$$\text{So, } L = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| (e^{ah} - 1) \frac{(n-nh)}{h(n+1)} \right| \quad (\text{as } e^{ah} - 1 > 0)$$

$$= e^{ah} - 1 \quad (\text{for } n \text{ not a positive integral multiple of } h)$$

So for the series to converge $L < 1$

$$\Rightarrow e^{ah} - 1 < 1 \Rightarrow e^{ah} < 2$$

and for the series to diverge $L > 1$

$$\Rightarrow e^{ah} > 2.$$

For $e^{ah} = 2$

$$n^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = a_n = P_n(n) f[a_0, \dots, a_n]$$

$$= \left(\prod_{j=0}^{n-1} (n - a_j) \right) \times \frac{(e^{ah} - 1)^n}{n! h^n}$$

$$a_n = \left(\prod_{j=0}^{n-1} (nh - jh) \right) \times \frac{1}{n! h^n} \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} a_j = nh \\ n = kh \end{array} \right]$$

$$a_n = \prod_{j=1}^n \left[\frac{(kh - (j-1)h)}{hj} \right] = (-1)^n \prod_{j=1}^n \left(1 - \frac{k+1}{j} \right)$$

$$= (-1)^n \prod_{j=1}^n \left(\frac{k+1}{j} - 1 \right)$$

~~for $n \rightarrow \infty$, the j^{th} term~~

apply log both sides

$$\ln(|a_n|) = \sum_{j=1}^n \ln \left(1 - \frac{k+1}{j} \right)$$

For $n \rightarrow \infty$, the j^{th} term of this series tends to

$\frac{k+1}{j}$. So, if $k \neq -1$ the series diverges.