

## \* Regular false position Method

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⇒ Step-I given eq<sup>n</sup>  $f(x) = 0$  — ①

Find  $x_0$  and  $x_1$  such that  
 $f(x_0) < 0$  and  $f(x_1) > 0$

i.e.  $f(x_0) \cdot f(x_1) < 0$

⇒ Root of eq<sup>n</sup> ① lies bet<sup>n</sup>  $x_0$  and  $x_1$

Step-II Find 1<sup>st</sup> approximate root by  
 Regular false method.

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}$$

Find  $f(x_2)$  and examine is sing

Step-2.1  $f(x_2) < 0$  then Replace  
 $x_0 = x_2$

else

If  $f(x_2) > 0$  then Replace  
 $x_1 = x_2$

Step-III find 2<sup>nd</sup> approximate root by

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_2)}{f(x_1) - f(x_2)}$$

Find  $f(x_2)$  and Repeat step - 2.1 and 2.2 until  
 the Required accurate root.

Q. Solve the eq<sup>n</sup>  $x^3 - 4x - 9 = 0$  by false position  
 method. correct upto 4 decimal places



Sol given

$$f(x) = x^3 - 4x - 9 = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

To find  $x_0$  and  $x_1$

$$f(1) = (1)^3 - 4(1) - 9 = -12 < 0$$

$$f(2) = (2)^3 - 4(2) - 9 = 8 - 8 - 9 = -9 < 0$$

$$f(3) = (3)^3 - 4(3) - 9 = 27 - 12 - 9 = 6 > 0$$

$$f(2.6) = -1.824 < 0$$

$$f(2.7) = -0.117 < 0$$

$$f(2.8) = 1.752 > 0$$

choosing  $x_0 = 2.7$  and  $x_1 = 2.8$

$$f(x_0) = -0.117 \quad f(x_1) = 1.752$$

first approximate root by regular false

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}$$

$$= \frac{(2.7)(1.752) - 2.8(-0.117)}{1.752 - (-0.117)}$$

$$= 2.706260$$

$$f(x_2) = (2.706260)^3 - 4(2.706260) - 9 = -0.000481 < 0$$

$\therefore x_0 = x_2$

choosing  $x_0 = 2.706260$  and  $x_1 = 2.8$

$$f(x_0) = -0.000481$$

$$f(x_1) = 1.752$$

2nd approximate root

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}$$

$$= 2.706516$$

$$f(x_2) = (2.706516)^3 - 4(2.706516) - 9 = -0.000214 < 0$$

$x_0 = x_2$

choosing  $x_0 = 2.706516$  and  $x_1 = 2.8$

$$f(x_0) = -0.000214, \quad f(x_1) = 1.752$$

3rd approximate root.

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - f(x_0) x_1}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)} =$$

$$x_2 = 2.706527$$

hence the approximate root correct to four decimal places is  $x = \underline{\underline{2.7065}}$ .

n	$x_0$	$x_1$	$x_2$	$f(x_2)$
1	2.7	2.8	2.706260	-0.004816
2	2.706260	2.8	2.706516	-0.000214
3	2.706516	2.8	2.706527	



$$\boxed{x = 1.7960}$$

Q:-  $xe^x = \cos x$  by false position method correct upto 4 decimal places.

sol<sup>n</sup> given.

$$xe^x = \cos x$$

$$f(x) = xe^x - \cos x = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

To find  $x_0$  and  $x_1$

$$f(0) = 0(e)^0 - \cos 0 = -1 < 0$$

$$f(1) = 1(e)^1 - \cos(1) = 2.177979 > 0$$

$\therefore$  Roots lies bet<sup>n</sup>  $x_0 = 0$  and  $x_1 = 1$

$$f(x_0) = -1 \quad f(x_1) = 2.177979$$

1st New set

$$f(0.5) = (0.5)e^{0.5} - \cos(0.5) = -0.053221$$

$$f(0.6) = (0.6)e^{0.6} - \cos(0.6) = +0.267935 \neq 0$$

choosing  $\therefore$  Root lies bet<sup>n</sup>  $x_0 = 0.5$  and  $x_1 = 0.6$

$$f(x_0) = -0.053221 \quad \text{and} \quad f(x_1) = 0.267935$$

1st approximate root

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)} = \frac{(0.5)(0.267935) - (0.6)(-0.053221)}{0.267935 - (-0.053221)}$$

$$x_2 = 0.516571$$

$$f(x_2) = (0.516571)e^{0.516571} - \cos(0.516571)$$

$$= -0.003605 < 0$$

$$\therefore x_0 = x_2$$

choosing  $x_0 = 0.516571$  and  $x_1 = 0.6$

$$f(x_0) = -0.003605 \quad \text{and} \quad f(x_1) = 0.267935$$

2nd approximate root

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)} = \frac{(0.516571)(0.267935) - (0.6)(-0.003605)}{0.267935 - (-0.003605)}$$

$$= 0.517678$$

$$f(x_2) = -0.000241 < 0$$



Choosing  $x_0 = x_1 = 0.517678$   $x_1 = 0.6$   
 $f(x_0) = -0.000241$   $f(x_1) = 0.267935$

3rd approximate Root

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)} = \frac{(0.517678)(0.267935) - (0.6)(-0.000241)}{0.267935 - (-0.000241)}$$

$$= 0.517751$$

$f(x_2) = -0.000019 < 0$

Choosing  $x_0 = x_2 = 0.517751$   $x_1 = 0.6$   
 $f(x_0) = -0.000019$   $f(x_1) = 0.267935$

4th approximate root

$$x_2 = \frac{x_0 f(x_1) - x_1 f(x_0)}{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}$$

$$= 0.517756$$

hence the approximate root of eq<sup>n</sup>  $x e^x = \cos x$  correct upto 4-decimal places is:

$\boxed{x = 0.5177}$  Ans

$n$	$x_0$	$x_1$	$x_2$	$f(x_2)$
1	0.5	0.6	0.516571	-0.003605
2	0.516571	0.6	0.517678	-0.000241
3	0.517678	0.6	0.517751	-0.000019
4	0.517751	0.6	<u>0.517756</u>	