

HW #7 solutions

$$3. \quad f'(x_0) = [\alpha_0 f(x_0) + \alpha_1 f(x_0+h) + \alpha_2 f(x_0+2h) + \alpha_3 f(x_0+3h) + \alpha_4 f(x_0+4h)] / h$$

$$f(x_0+h) = f(x_0) + hf'(x_0) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x_0) + \frac{h^3}{3!} f'''(x_0) + \frac{h^4}{4!} f^{(4)}(x_0) + \frac{h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_1), \quad \zeta_1 \in [x_0, x_0+h]$$

$$f(x_0+2h) = f(x_0) + 2hf'(x_0) + \frac{4h^2}{2!} f''(x_0) + \frac{8h^3}{3!} f'''(x_0) + \frac{16h^4}{4!} f^{(4)}(x_0) + \frac{32h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_2), \quad \zeta_2 \in [x_0, x_0+2h]$$

$$f(x_0+3h) = f(x_0) + 3hf'(x_0) + \frac{9h^2}{2!} f''(x_0) + \frac{27h^3}{3!} f'''(x_0) + \frac{81h^4}{4!} f^{(4)}(x_0) + \frac{243h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_3), \quad \zeta_3 \in [x_0, x_0+3h]$$

$$f(x_0+4h) = f(x_0) + 4hf'(x_0) + \frac{16h^2}{2!} f''(x_0) + \frac{64h^3}{3!} f'''(x_0) + \frac{256h^4}{4!} f^{(4)}(x_0) + \frac{1024h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_4), \quad \zeta_4 \in [x_0, x_0+4h]$$

$$\text{Set } f'(x_0) = [\alpha_0 f(x_0) + \alpha_1 f(x_0+h) + \alpha_2 f(x_0+2h) + \alpha_3 f(x_0+3h) + \alpha_4 f(x_0+4h)] / h$$

GATHER similar terms:

$$f(x_0) \text{ terms: } [\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_4] / h = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_4 = 0}$$

$$f'(x_0) \text{ terms: } [h\alpha_1 + 2h\alpha_2 + 3h\alpha_3 + 4h\alpha_4] / h = 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 + 3\alpha_3 + 4\alpha_4 = 1}$$

$$f''(x_0) \text{ terms: } [\alpha_1 h^2/2! + \alpha_2 4h^2/2! + \alpha_3 9h^2/2! + \alpha_4 16h^2/2!] / h = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_1/2 + 2\alpha_2 + \frac{9}{2}\alpha_3 + 8\alpha_4 = 0}$$

$$f'''(x_0) \text{ terms: } [\alpha_1 h^3/3! + \alpha_2 8h^3/3! + \alpha_3 27h^3/3! + \alpha_4 64h^3/3!] / h = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_1/6 + \frac{8}{3}\alpha_2 + \frac{27}{3}\alpha_3 + \frac{64}{3}\alpha_4 = 0}$$

$$f^{(4)}(x_0) \text{ terms: } [\alpha_1 h^4/4! + \alpha_2 16h^4/4! + \alpha_3 81h^4/4! + \alpha_4 256h^4/4!] / h = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{24}\alpha_1 + \frac{16}{24}\alpha_2 + \frac{81}{24}\alpha_3 + \frac{256}{24}\alpha_4 = 0}$$

5 equations and 5 unknowns. Solve to get:

$$\alpha_0 = -25/12, \quad \alpha_1 = 4, \quad \alpha_2 = -3, \quad \alpha_3 = 16/12, \quad \alpha_4 = -3/12$$

$$\text{So, } f'(x_0) = [-25f(x_0) + 4f(x_0+h) - 3f(x_0+2h) + 16f(x_0+3h) - 3f(x_0+4h)] / 12h + O(h^4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The } O(h^4) \text{ term is: } & \left[4 \cdot \frac{h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_1) - 3 \cdot \frac{32h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_2) + \frac{16}{12} \cdot \frac{243h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_3) - \frac{3}{12} \cdot \frac{1024h^5}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_4) \right] / h \\ & = \left[\frac{4}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_1) + \frac{32 \cdot 4}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_2) + \frac{16}{12} \cdot \frac{243}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_3) - \frac{3}{12} \cdot \frac{1024}{5!} f^{(5)}(\zeta_4) \right] h^4 \end{aligned}$$

where $\zeta_1 \in [x_0, x_0+h]$, $\zeta_2 \in [x_0, x_0+2h]$, $\zeta_3 \in [x_0, x_0+3h]$, $\zeta_4 \in [x_0, x_0+4h]$.

$$4. \quad f(x+h) = f(x) + hf'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \frac{h^3}{3!} f'''(\xi_1), \quad \xi_1 \in [x, x+h]$$

$$f(x+2h) = f(x) + 2hf'(x) + \frac{4h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \frac{8h^3}{3!} f'''(\xi_2), \quad \xi_2 \in [x, x+2h]$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2h} [-3f(x) + 4[f(x) + hf'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \frac{h^3}{3!} f'''(\xi_1)] - [f(x) + 2hf'(x) + \frac{4h^2}{2!} f''(x) + \frac{8h^3}{3!} f'''(\xi_2)]]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 0 \cdot f(x) + \frac{2h}{2h} f'(x) + \left(\frac{4h^2}{2!} - \frac{4h^2}{2!} \right) \frac{1}{2h} f''(x) + \frac{1}{2h} \left[\frac{h^3}{3!} \cdot 4 f'''(\xi_1) - \frac{8h^3}{3!} f'''(\xi_2) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f'(x) + \underline{\underline{\quad}}$$

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