

# **Solution of System of Nonlinear Equations: Newton-Raphson Method**

## **Lecture-1**

## **Objective:**

**Solve the system of nonlinear equations to find roots of the system.**

## **Methodologies:**

**Two methods can be used to find roots of system of nonlinear equations. They are**

**1. Newton-Raphson Method**

**2. Fixed Point Iteration Method**

# Newton-Raphson Method

To find the root of nonlinear equation in one variable  $f(x)=0$ , Newton-Raphson formula can be written as follows:

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

For a system  $f_i(X)$  Newton-Raphson formula in a matrix form that can be written by introducing inverse of Jacobian matrix as follows:

$$X_{n+1} = X_n - J_n^{-1} F(X_n) \quad Eq.(1)$$

Where

$X \longrightarrow$  Variables matrix

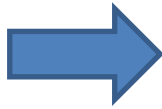
$F(X) \longrightarrow$  Function matrix

$J^{-1}(X) \longrightarrow$  Inverse of Jacobian matrix

**Variables matrix can be written for n variables as follows:**

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \quad Eq.(2)$$

## While non-linear system of equations are



**Function matrix for n equations  
can be written:**

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} f_1(x_1 & x_2 & \dots & x_n) \\ f_2(x_1 & x_2 & \dots & x_n) \\ ..... \\ f_n(x_1 & x_2 & \dots & x_n) \end{pmatrix} \quad Eq.(3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x_1 \quad x_2 \quad \dots \quad x_n) &= 0 \\ f_2(x_1 \quad x_2 \quad \dots \quad x_n) &= 0 \\ &\vdots \\ f_n(x_1 \quad x_2 \quad \dots \quad x_n) &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \text{Eq.(4)}$$

$$\textbf{Inverse of Jacobian matrix: } J^{-1}(X) = \frac{Adj(J)}{Det(J)}; Det(J) \neq 0 \quad Eq.(5)$$

**Jacobian matrix**



$$J(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_n} \end{pmatrix} \quad Eq.(6)$$

**Lets calculate**



$$Det(J) = |J| = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_n} \end{vmatrix} \quad Eq.(7)$$

**Adjoint matrix of J(X),**

$$Adj(J) = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & \dots & A_{1n} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & \dots & A_{2n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ A_{n1} & A_{n2} & \dots & A_{nn} \end{pmatrix}^T \quad Eq. (8)$$

**Where  $A_{ij}$  ( $i=1,2,\dots,n$ ;  $j=1,2,3,\dots,n$ ) are cofactors of the Matrix J**

**Perform 1<sup>st</sup> iteration of Newton-Raphson method, substitute guess value initially in formula given in Eq.(1) , then we get  $x_1$**

**Further iterations can be done by updating initialized value, i.e., updating  $x_0$  by  $x_1$ .**

# Advantages and Drawbacks: Newton-Raphson Method

## Advantages of Newton-Raphson Method

- ☐ Converges fast if it converges
- ☐ Requires one set of guess values only

## Drawbacks of Newton-Raphson Method

- ☐ Division by Zero
- ☐ Root Jumping
- ☐ Oscillations near Local Maxima or Minima
- ☐ Inflection Point Issues

# Problems and Solutions

**Example # : Consider the systems**

$$x^2 + xy - 7 = 0$$

$$y^3 - 2x + 4 = 0$$

1. Find Jacobian matrix for the above system
2. Evaluate the inverse of the Jacobian matrix at  $(1.5, -1)$ .
3. Write down the iterative formula for the above system based on the Newton-Raphson method.
4. Estimate the root to 3 decimal point using the using the above iterative formula once starting with  $x_0 = 1.5$  and  $y_0 = -1$ .
5. Write down MATLAB commands to execute the iteration seven times.
6. Use MATLAB function “**fsolve(fun,x0)**” to find the above root.



## Example

1. Find Jacobian matrix for the following system

$$x^2 + xy - 7 = 0$$

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Functions matrix

$$F(X) = \begin{pmatrix} x^2 + xy - 7 \\ y^3 - 2x + 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(x^2 + xy - 7) & \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(x^2 + xy - 7) \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(y^3 - 2x + 4) & \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(y^3 - 2x + 4) \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore, Jacobian

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x + y & x \\ -2 & 3y^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

2. Evaluate the inverse of the Jacobian matrix at (1.5, -1).

At point (1.5, -1), Jacobian,

$$J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x + y & x \\ -2 & 3y^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1.5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(J) = 6 + 3 = 9 \neq 0$$

$$\text{adj}(J) = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1.5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1.5 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

We know inverse of a matrix A can be calculated as  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj}(A)$

So,

$$J^{-1} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1.5 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0.3333 & -0.1666 \\ 0.2222 & 0.2222 \end{pmatrix}$$

**3. Write down the iterative formula for the above system based on the Newton-Raphson method.**

The iterative formula for the system of nonlinear equations is

$$X_{n+1} = X_n - J_n^{-1} F(X_n) \quad [\text{Using Eq. (1)}]$$

$$\text{Where } X = \begin{pmatrix} x_n \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} \quad [\text{Using Eq. (2)}]$$

**4. Estimate the root to 3 d.p. using the using the above iterative formula once starting with  $x_0 = 1.5$  and  $y_0 = -1$ .**

We have,  $x_0 = 1.5$  and  $y_0 = -1$ . Using  $n = 0$  in Eq.(1), we obtain

$$X_1 = X_0 - J_0^{-1} F(X_0) \quad \text{Eq.(9)}$$

$$F(x_0, y_0) = \begin{pmatrix} x_0^2 + x_0 y_0 - 7 \\ y_0^3 - 2x_0 + 4 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow F(1.5, -1) = \begin{pmatrix} (1.5)^2 + (1.5 \times (-1)) - 7 \\ (-1)^3 - 2(1.5) + 4 \end{pmatrix} \\ = \begin{pmatrix} -6.25 \\ 0.00 \end{pmatrix}$$

Eq. (9) become

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0.3333 & -0.1666 \\ 0.2222 & 0.2222 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -6.25 \\ 0.00 \end{pmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0.3333 & -0.1666 \\ 0.2222 & 0.2222 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -6.25 \\ 0.00 \end{pmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3.583125 \\ 0.38875 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3.583 \\ 0.388 \end{pmatrix}$$

5. Define given functions as follows:  $F(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} x^2 + xy - 7 \\ y^3 - 2x + 4 \end{pmatrix}$

Jacobian,  $J(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2x + y & x \\ -2 & 3y^2 \end{pmatrix}$

**Program code:**

```
clear all
close all
clc;

F=@(x,y) [x.^2+x.*y-7; y.^3-2.*x+4];
J=@(x,y)[2.*x+y, x; -2, 3.*y.^2];
x(1)=1.5;
y(1)=-1;
for n=1:7
    Xn=[x(n); y(n)];
    Fn=F(x(n), y(n));
    Jn=J(x(n), y(n));
    Xn1=Xn-Jn\Fn;
    x(n+1)=Xn1(1);
    y(n+1)=Xn1(2);
end

Roots=[x',y']
```

**Output:**

Roots =

x	y
1.5000	-1.0000
3.5833	0.3889
2.2224	1.2397
2.2239	0.9236
2.2655	0.8232
2.2698	0.8142
2.2698	0.8141
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## 6. Find above root by using MATLAB function using fsolve

### Program code:

```
clear all
close all
clc;
% Left_hand side of equations as vector
F=@(x) [x(1)^2+x(1)*x(2)-7; x(2)^3-2*x(1)+4];
% Guess solution
x0=[1.5; -1];
% Solve the system
x=fsolve(F, x0)
```

$$F(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} x^2 + xy - 7 \\ y^3 - 2x + 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$x \rightarrow x(1)$   
 $y \rightarrow x(2)$

### Output:

```
x = 2.2698
Y = 0.8141
```

## Outcome

By applying **Newton-Raphson method**, system of nonlinear equations can be solved to find roots (approximately) of the system, although it has few drawbacks.

## Multiple questions:

S.No.	Questions
1	Newton-Raphson Method is- (a) Closed method, (b) Open method, (c) Bracketing method
2	What type of solution could be by applying Newton-Raphson method? (a) Analytical solution, (b) Numerical solution
3	Newton-Raphson method can be used to find roots of the following system of equations: (a) Linear equations , (b) Non-linear equations , (c) both (a) and (b)
4	Jacobian matrix should be (a) $m \times m$ order, (b) $m \times n$ order
5	Which formula can be used to find a root of the system of nonlinear equations (a) $X_{n+1} = X_n - j_n^{-1}F(X_n)$ , (b) $X_{n+1} = X_n - F(X_n)/F'(X_n)$
6	Inverse matrix is in (a) $m \times m$ order, (b) $m \times n$ order
7	How many guess value requires for applying Newton-Raphson method to find roots of equations (a) one, (b) many (c ) two



S.No.	Questions
8	In Newton-Raphson formula, convergence fast if a) It converges, (b) it doesn't converges
9	Inverse matrix exists if (a) Determinant of matrix is zero, (b) Determinant of matrix is non-zero
10	Find Jacobian of the following system of nonlinear equations: $f = x^3 + xy^2 + x - 1$ $g = x^3 + y^3 + xy$ (a) $J = \begin{pmatrix} 3x^2 + y^2 + 1 & 2xy \\ 3x^2 + y & x + 3y^2 \end{pmatrix}$ , (b) $J = \begin{pmatrix} 3x^2 - y^2 + 1 & 2xy \\ 3x^2 - y & x + 3y^2 \end{pmatrix}$ , (c) both (a) and (b)
11	At the point $x=1, y=2$ , what will be the value of Jacobian in question (10)? (a) $J = \begin{pmatrix} 13 & 4 \\ 5 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$ , (b) $J = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 4 \\ 5 & 13 \end{pmatrix}$ , (c) both (a) and (b)

## Exercise

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