

Homework 4

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1.) $\frac{T(x,t) - T_s}{T_i - T_s} = \text{erf}\left(\frac{x}{2\sqrt{\alpha t}}\right)$, Where T_s is const. temp.,
 T_i is initial temp of soil, α is therm. cond.

Assume $T_i = 20^\circ\text{C}$, $T_s = -15^\circ\text{C}$, $\alpha = 0.138 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$

(a) Determine depth ($x = ?$) of water main so that it will only freeze after 60 days @ this temp.

Formulate this as a root finding problem finding $f(x) = 0$.

$$60 \text{ days} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \left(\frac{60 \text{ min}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left(\frac{60 \text{ sec}}{\text{min}} \right) = 5.184 \cdot 10^6 \text{ seconds}$$

$$T(x,t) = T_s + (T_i - T_s) \cdot \text{erf}\left(\frac{x}{2\sqrt{\alpha t}}\right)$$

$$\text{Plot } \frac{T(x, 5.184 \cdot 10^6)}{= 0^\circ\text{C}} = -15^\circ\text{C} + (35^\circ\text{C}) \cdot \text{erf}\left(\frac{x}{2\sqrt{0.138 \cdot 10^{-6} \cdot 5.184 \cdot 10^6}}\right)$$

$$f(x) = -15 + 35 \cdot \text{erf}(0.59115 \cdot x)$$

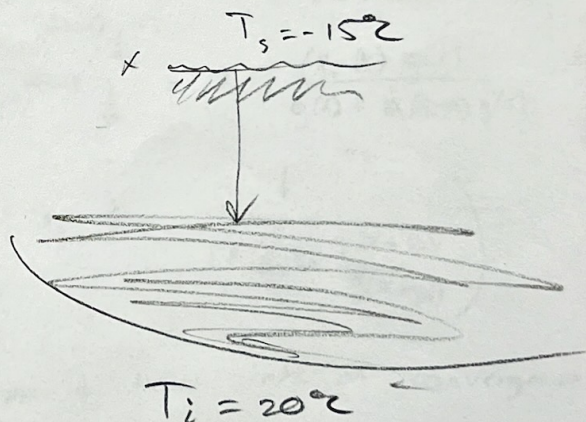
$$f'(x) = \frac{35 \cdot e^{-x^2/4x \cdot t}}{\sqrt{\pi} \cdot \sqrt{\alpha t}}$$

Plotted for $[0, 5]$

(b) Compute an approximate depth using

Bisection of $a_0 = 0 \text{ m}$, $b_0 = 5 \text{ m}$

Output included



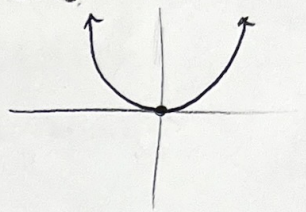
(c) Compute using Newton's method

Output included for both $p_0 = 0.01 \text{ m}$ and $p_0 = 5 \text{ m}$

2.) Let $f(x)$ denote a function with root α of multiplicity m

(a) Write a formal mathematical def. of what this means

For the example of a parabola w/ root mult. 2:



This means that $f(\alpha) = 0$ and $f'(\alpha) = 0$

Expanding this to a more general case,

The multiplicity m of any root α of some function $f(x)$ implies that $f^{(m)}(\alpha) \neq 0$ for $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, but $f^{(k)}(\alpha) = 0 \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ s.t. $k < m$.

(b) Show that Newton's Method applied to $f(x)$ only converges linearly to α
Newton's Method:

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

Let $f(x) = (x-\alpha)^m \cdot g(x)$ where $g(\alpha) \neq 0$. IF we consider a modified Newton's Method:

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - m \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} = x_n - m \frac{(x_n-\alpha)^m \cdot g(x_n)}{m(x_n-\alpha)^{m-1} \cdot g(x_n) + g'(x_n)(x_n-\alpha)^m} \cdot \frac{(x_n-\alpha)^{m-1} \cdot \frac{1}{m}}{(x_n-\alpha)^{m-1} \cdot \frac{1}{m}} = x_n - \frac{(x_n-\alpha) g(x_n)}{g(x_n) + \frac{1}{m}(x_n-\alpha) g'(x_n)} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{g(x_n)}}{\frac{1}{g(x_n)}}$$

$$= x_n - \frac{(x_n-\alpha)}{1 + \frac{1}{m}(x_n-\alpha) \frac{g'(x_n)}{g(x_n)}} \quad \text{Set } y_n = x_n - \alpha \Rightarrow y_{n+1} = y_n \left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{m} y_n \frac{g'(\alpha+y_n)}{g(\alpha+y_n)}} \right)$$

First order approximation gives $y_{n+1} \approx y_n^2 \cdot \frac{1}{m} \cdot \frac{g'(\alpha+y_n)}{g(\alpha+y_n)}$

$y_{n+1} \approx y_n \left(\frac{m-1}{m} + \frac{1}{m} y_n \frac{g'(\alpha+y_n)}{g(\alpha+y_n)} \right) \approx \frac{m-1}{m} y_n$, which implies a linear rate of convergence

(c) Show that Fixed-point iter. applied to $g(x) = x - \frac{m \cdot f(x)}{f'(x)}$ is 2nd order conv.

$$g'(x) = 1 - m \left(\frac{[f'(x)]^2 + f(x)f''(x)}{[f'(x)]^2} \right) \Big|_{x=\alpha} \Rightarrow |g'(x)| = \left| \frac{f(x)f''(x)}{[f'(x)]^2} \right|_{x=\alpha} = 0, \text{ if } f'(x) \neq 0$$

$$|g''(x)| = \left| \frac{[f'(x)]^2 \cdot [f'(x)f''(x) + f''(x)f(x)] - [f(x)f''(x)] \cdot 2[f'(x)f''(x)]}{[f'(x)]^2} \right|_{x=\alpha} = \left| \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} \right|$$

$$|g''(\alpha)| = \left| \frac{f''(\alpha)}{f'(\alpha)} \right| < M \text{ if } \sup_{x \in I} |f''(x)| \cdot \frac{1}{\inf_{x \in I} |f'(x)|} < M \text{ and } f'(x) \neq 0, \forall x \in I$$

Which, by Fixed-point theory must be second-order convergent.

(d) What does (c) provide for roots α with multiplicity > 1 ?

Recalling that roots of multiplicity > 1 must converge linearly, using fixed point theory, we know that $g(x)$ converges to root α linearly if

$|g'(\alpha)| < 1$, and that the convergence rate will be $|g'(\alpha)|$.

From (c): $|g'(x)| = \left| 1 - m \left(\frac{[F'(x)]^2 - F(x) \cdot F''(x)}{[F'(x)]^2} \right) \right|$

$$|g'(x)| < 1 \Rightarrow \left| 1 - m \left(\frac{[F'(x)]^2 - F(x) \cdot F''(x)}{[F'(x)]^2} \right) \right| < 1$$

$$\therefore 0 < m \left(\frac{[F'(x)]^2 - F(x) \cdot F''(x)}{[F'(x)]^2} \right) < 1$$

3.) Beginning w/ the definition of order of convergence of a sequence $\{x_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ that converges to α , derive a relationship between $\log(|x_{k+1} - \alpha|)$ and $\log(|x_k - \alpha|)$. What is the order p ?

Definition 2.7: $\{x_n\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$ converges to α of order p , with asymptotic error λ

where $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|x_{k+1} - \alpha|}{|x_k - \alpha|^p} = \lambda$

Take the natural log of both sides

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \log \left| \frac{|x_{k+1} - \alpha|}{|x_k - \alpha|^p} \right| = \log |\lambda|$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} |\log |x_{k+1} - \alpha| - p \cdot \log |x_k - \alpha|| = \log |\lambda|, \text{ by log properties}$$

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$$\Rightarrow p \cdot \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \log |x_k - \alpha| = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \log |x_{k+1} - \alpha| - \log |\lambda|$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log |x_{k+1} - \alpha|}{\log |x_k - \alpha|}}$$

4.) Consider finding root of function $F(x)$ where

$$F(x) = e^{3x} - 27x^6 + 27x^4 e^x - 9x^2 e^{2x} \text{ in the interval } (3,5)$$

$$F'(x) = 3e^{3x} - 6 \cdot 27x^5 + 27[4x^3 e^x + x^4 e^x] - 9[2x e^{2x} + 2x^2 e^{2x}]$$

(i) Newton's Method: $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{F(x_n)}{F'(x_n)}$, $p_0 = 4$ (center of interval)

(ii) Modified Newton's Method: $x_{n+1} = x_n - m \cdot \frac{F(x_n)}{F'(x_n)}$

Visually, from looking at a plot of $F(x)$ on desmos, it appears that the root has multiplicity of $m=2$. Again, $p_0 = 4.0$

(iii) Let $g(x) = \frac{F(x)}{F'(x)} \Rightarrow g'(x) = \frac{F'(x) \cdot F'(x) - F(x) \cdot F''(x)}{[F'(x)]^2}$

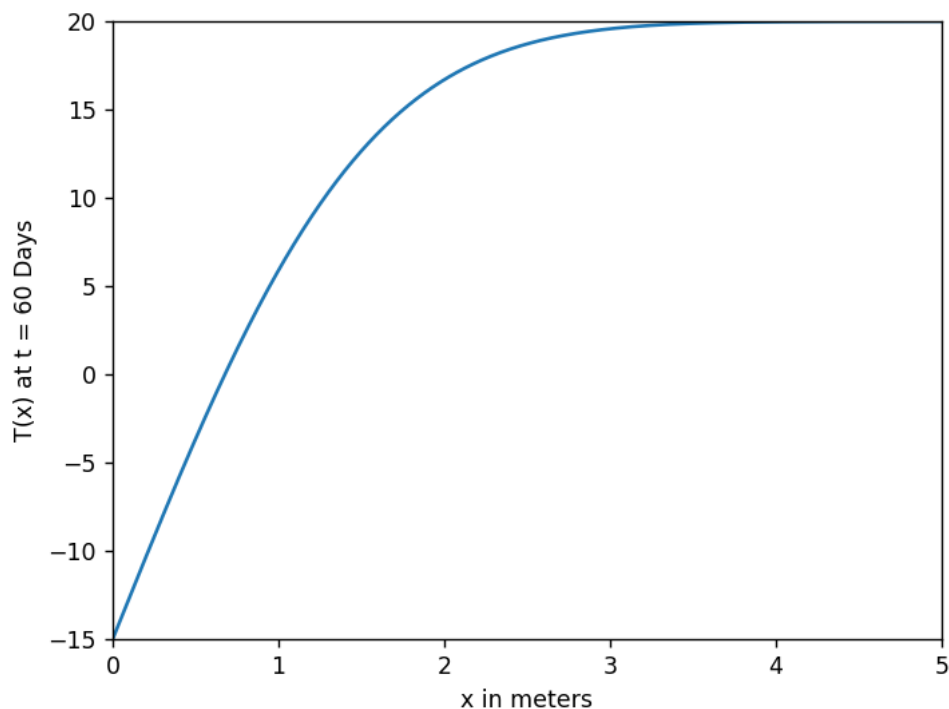
$$F''(x) = 9e^{3x} - 30 \cdot 27 \cdot x^4 + 27[12x^2 e^x + 4x^3 e^x + 4x^3 e^x + x^4 e^x] - 9[2e^{2x} + 4xe^{2x} + 4xe^{2x} + 4x^2 e^{2x}]$$

Let $p_0 = 4$

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{g(x_n)}{g'(x_n)} = \frac{\frac{F(x_n)}{F'(x_n)}}{\frac{F'(x_n)^2 - F(x_n) \cdot F''(x_n)}{F'(x_n)^2}} = x_n - \frac{F(x_n) \cdot F'(x_n)}{F'(x_n)^2 - F(x_n) \cdot F''(x_n)}$$

Although (iii) converged the fastest by a long shot, the extra work to find $F''(x)$ was not very efficient in this particular example. For other functions I think that method (iii) would do much better.

1a) Plot from [0,5]:



1b) Approx. Root using Bisection Method

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$ python3 Problem1b.py
the approximate root is 0.6769618544819167
the error message reads: 0
f(astar) = -3.9257486150745535e-13
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1c) Approx root using Newton's method

For $p_0 = 0.01$:

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$ python3 Problem1c.py
the approximate root is 6.7696185448193646e-01
the error message reads: 0
Number of iterations: 4
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For $p_0 = 5$:

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$ python3 Problem1c.py
C:\Users\tonys\Documents\APPM4600\Samour_APPM4600\Homework\Homework4\Problem1c.p
y:47: RuntimeWarning: divide by zero encountered in scalar divide
  p1 = p0-f(p0)/fp(p0)
C:\Users\tonys\Documents\APPM4600\Samour_APPM4600\Homework\Homework4\Problem1c.p
y:47: RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in scalar subtract
  p1 = p0-f(p0)/fp(p0)
the approximate root is nan
the error message reads: 1
Number of iterations: 99
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2) No code output for problem 2

3) No code output for problem 3

4)

(i) Newton's method, $p_0 = 4$

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$ python3 Problem4i.py  
the approximate root is 3.7330650107477870e+00  
the error message reads: 0  
Number of iterations: 27
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(ii) Modified Newton's Method from problem 2c

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$ python3 Problem4ii.py  
the approximate root is 3.7330785768836017e+00  
the error message reads: 0  
Number of iterations: 17
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(iii) Modified Newton's Method using $g(x) = f(x)/f'(x)$

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$ python3 Problem4iii.py  
the approximate root is 3.7330805671760268e+00  
the error message reads: 0  
Number of iterations: 6
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