

Trefethen p01 to p14.

This notebook showcases the first ten problems in Trefethen's classic book *Spectral Methods in MATLAB*. These problems have been ported to Python by Praveen Chandrashekar. Later problems in the set will have been ported to Python by Orlando Camargo Rodríguez.

Program 1 : Convergence of fourth order finite differences

Compute the derivative of

$$u(x) = \exp(\sin(x)), \quad x \in [-\pi, \pi]$$

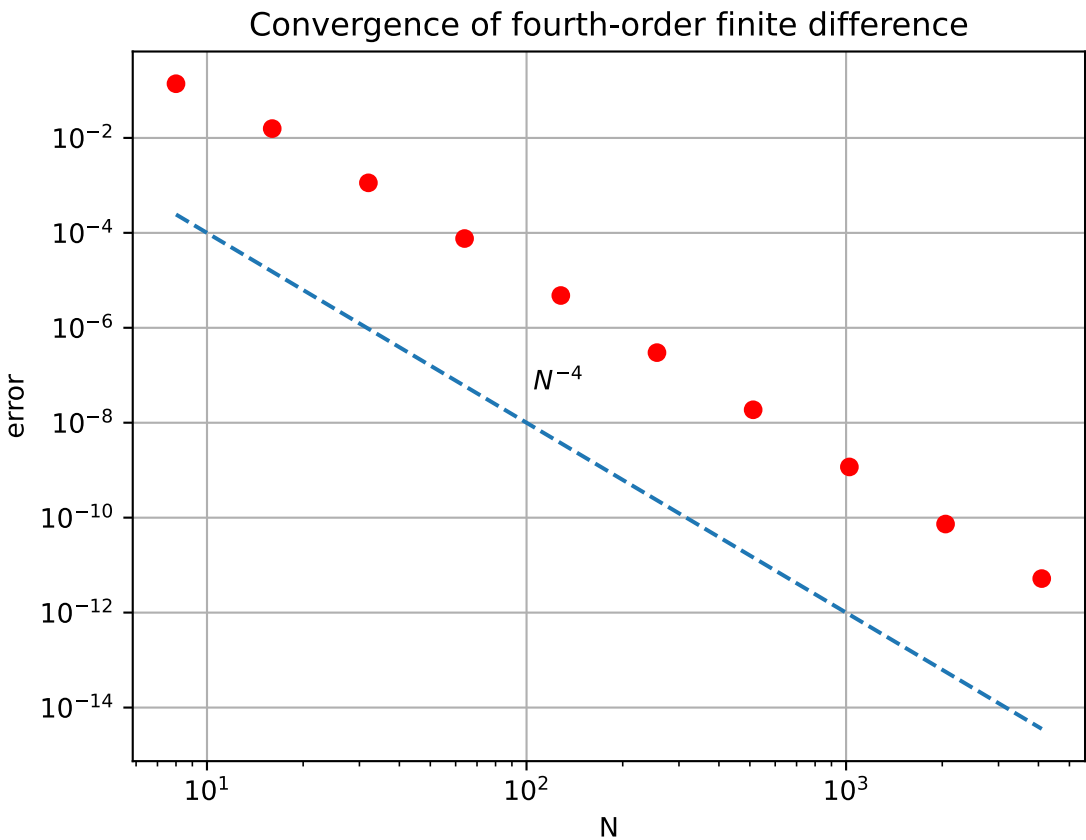
using fourth order finite difference scheme

$$u'(x_j) \approx w_j = \frac{1}{h} \left(\frac{1}{12}u_{j-2} - \frac{2}{3}u_{j-1} + \frac{2}{3}u_{j+1} - \frac{1}{12}u_{j+2} \right)$$

using periodic boundary conditions.

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In [1]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from scipy.sparse import coo_matrix
4 from numpy import arange,pi,exp,sin,cos,ones,inf
5 from numpy.linalg import norm
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In [2]: 1 Nvec = 2**arange(3,13)
2 for N in Nvec:
3     h = 2*pi/N
4     x = -pi + arange(1,N+1)*h
5     u = exp(sin(x))
6     uprime = cos(x)*u
7     e = ones(N)
8     e1 = arange(0,N)
9     e2 = arange(1,N+1); e2[N-1]=0
10    e3 = arange(2,N+2); e3[N-2]=0; e3[N-1]=1;
11    D = coo_matrix((2*e/3,(e1,e2)),shape=(N,N)) \
12        - coo_matrix((e/12,(e1,e3)),shape=(N,N))
13    D = (D - D.T)/h
14    error = norm(D.dot(u)-uprime,inf)
15    loglog(N,error,'or')
16    #hold(True)
17
18 semilogy(Nvec,Nvec**(-4.0),'--')
19 text(105,5e-8,'$N^{-4}$')
20 grid(True)
21 xlabel('N')
22 ylabel('error')
23 title('Convergence of fourth-order finite difference');
24
25
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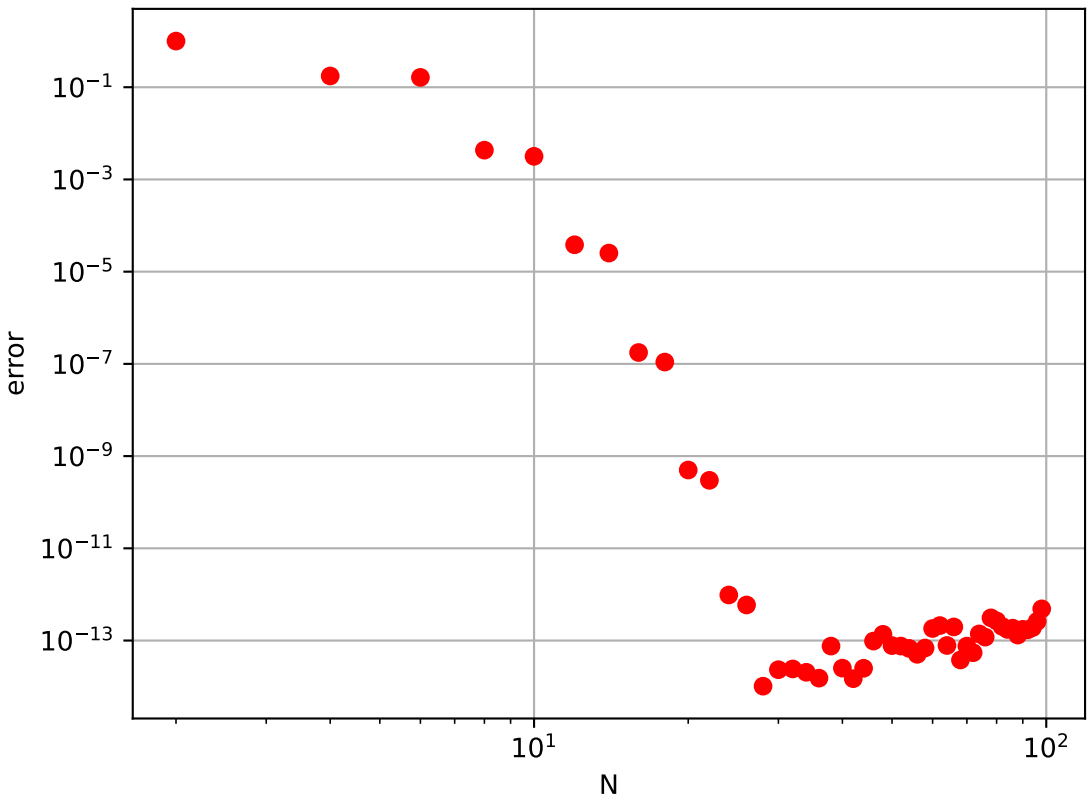
Program 2 : Convergence of periodic spectral method

Repeat Program 1 using periodic spectral method to compute derivative of

$$u(x) = \exp(\sin(x)), \quad x \in [-\pi, \pi]$$

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In [4]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from scipy.linalg import toeplitz
4 from numpy import pi, arange, exp, sin, cos, zeros, tan, inf
5 from numpy.linalg import norm
6 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure, loglog, grid, xlabel, ylabel
7
8
```

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In [5]: 1 figure()
2 for N in range(2,100,2):
3     h = 2.0*pi/N
4     x = -pi + arange(1,N+1)*h
5     u = exp(sin(x))
6     uprime = cos(x)*u #Exact derivative
7     col = zeros(N)
8     col[1:] = 0.5*(-1.0)**arange(1,N)/tan(arange(1,N)*h/2.0)
9     row = zeros(N); row[0] = col[0]; row[1:] = col[N-1:0:-1]
10    D = toeplitz(col,row)
11    error = norm(D.dot(u)-uprime,inf)
12    loglog(N,error,'or')
13
14 grid(True)
15 xlabel('N')
16 ylabel('error');
17
18
```



Program 3 : Band-limited interpolation

Interpolate the following functions using band limited interpolation on an infinite grid.

Delta function

$$v(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x = 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Square wave

$$v(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & |x| \leq 3 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

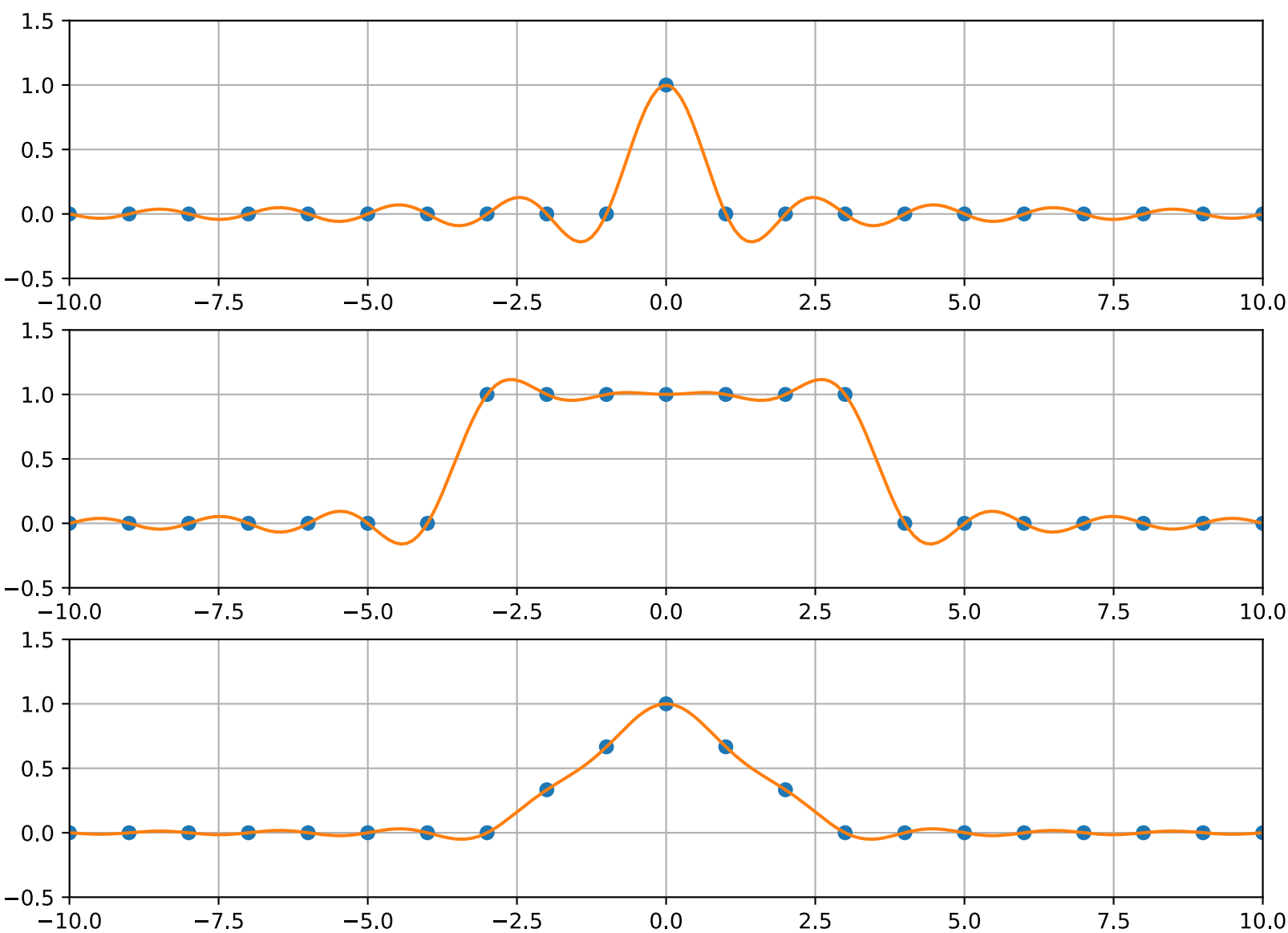
Hat function

$$v(x) = \max(0, 1 - |x|/3)$$

Since all functions are zero away from origin, restrict them to some finite interval, say $[-10, 10]$.

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In [6]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import arange,maximum,abs,zeros,sin,pi
4 from matplotlib.pyplot import subplot,figure,plot,grid,axis
5
6
```

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In [7]: 1 h = 1.0;
2 xmax = 10.0;
3 x = arange(-xmax,xmax+h,h)
4 xx = arange(-xmax-h/20, xmax+h/20, h/10)
5 figure(figsize=(10,10))
6 for pl in range(3):
7     subplot(4,1,pl+1)
8     if pl==0:
9         v = (x==0)                # delta function
10    elif pl==1:
11        v = (abs(x) <= 3.0)        # square wave
12    else:
13        v = maximum(0.0,1.0-abs(x)/3.0) # hat function
14    plot(x,v,'o')
15    grid(True)
16    p = zeros(len(xx))
17    for i in range(len(x)):
18        p = p + v[i]*sin(pi*(xx-x[i])/h)/(pi*(xx-x[i])/h)
19    plot(xx,p)
20    axis([-xmax,xmax,-0.5,1.5]);
21
22
```



Compute derivatives of following periodic functions on a finite interval

$$v(x) = \max(0, 1 - |x - \pi|/2), \quad x \in [0, 2\pi]$$

and

$$v(x) = \exp(\sin(x)), \quad x \in [0, 2\pi]$$

Compute derivatives of the following periodic functions on the finite interval

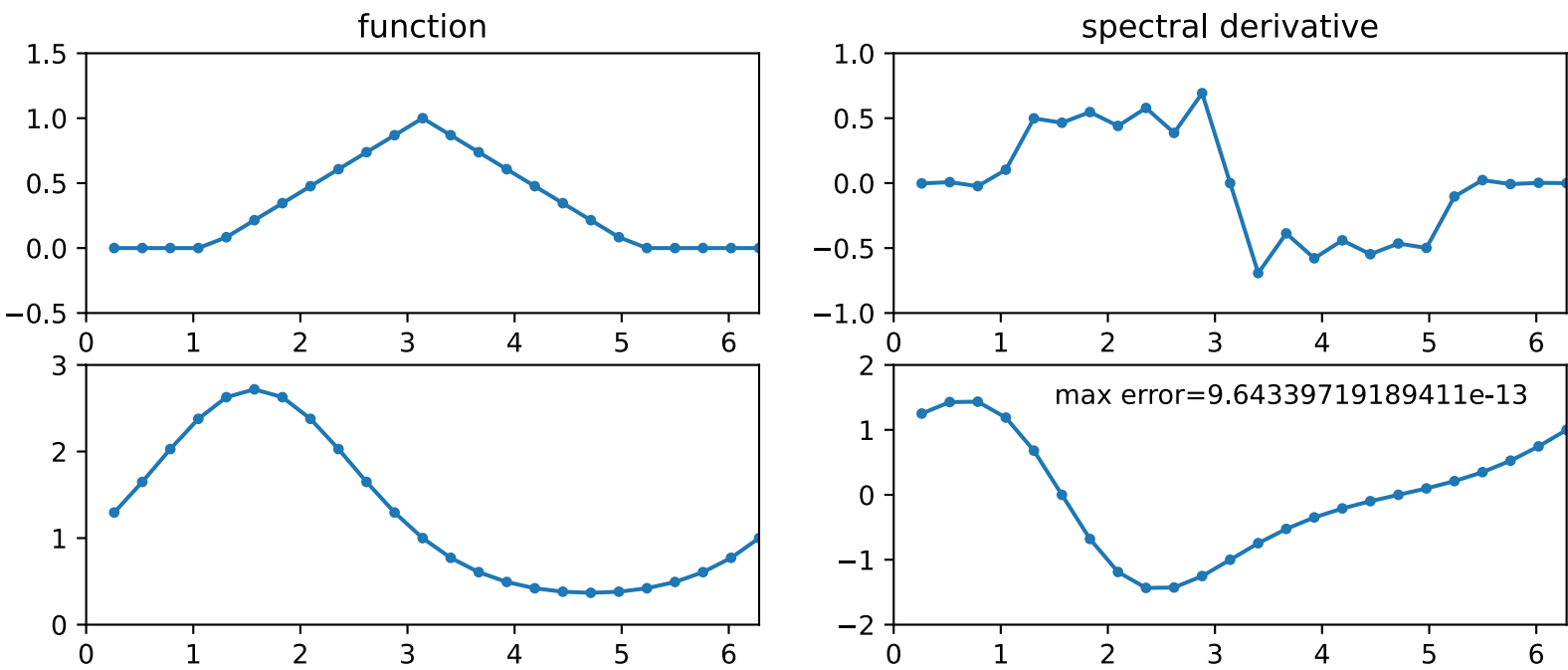
$$v(x) = \max(0, 1 - |x - \pi|/2), \quad x \in [0, 2\pi]$$

and

$$v(x) = \exp(\sin(x)), \quad x \in [0, 2\pi]$$

```
In [8]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import pi,inf,linspace,zeros,arange,sin,cos,tan,exp,maximum,abs
4 from numpy.linalg import norm
5 from scipy.linalg import toeplitz
6 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,plot,axis,title,text
7
8
```

```
In [9]: 1 # Set up grid and differentiation matrix:
2 N = 24; h = 2*pi/N; x = h*arange(1,N+1);
3 col = zeros(N)
4 col[1:] = 0.5*(-1.0)**arange(1,N)/tan(arange(1,N)*h/2.0)
5 row = zeros(N)
6 row[0] = col[0]
7 row[1:] = col[N-1:0:-1]
8 D = toeplitz(col,row)
9
10 figure(figsize=(10,6))
11
12 # Differentiation of a hat function:
13 v = maximum(0,1-abs(x-pi)/2)
14 subplot(3,2,1)
15 plot(x,v,'.-')
16 axis([0, 2*pi, -.5, 1.5])
17 title('function')
18 subplot(3,2,2)
19 plot(x,D.dot(v),'.-')
20 axis([0, 2*pi, -1, 1])
21 title('spectral derivative')
22
23 # Differentiation of exp(sin(x)):
24 v = exp(sin(x)); vprime = cos(x)*v;
25 subplot(3,2,3)
26 plot(x,v,'.-')
27 axis([0, 2*pi, 0, 3])
28 subplot(3,2,4)
29 plot(x,D.dot(v),'.-')
30 axis([0, 2*pi, -2, 2])
31 error = norm(D.dot(v)-vprime,inf)
32 text(1.5,1.4,"max error="+str(error));
33
34
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Program 5 : Repetition of Program 4 via FFT

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In [10]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 # For complex v, delete "real" commands.
4 from numpy import pi,inf,linspace,maximum,abs,zeros,arange,real,sin,cos,exp
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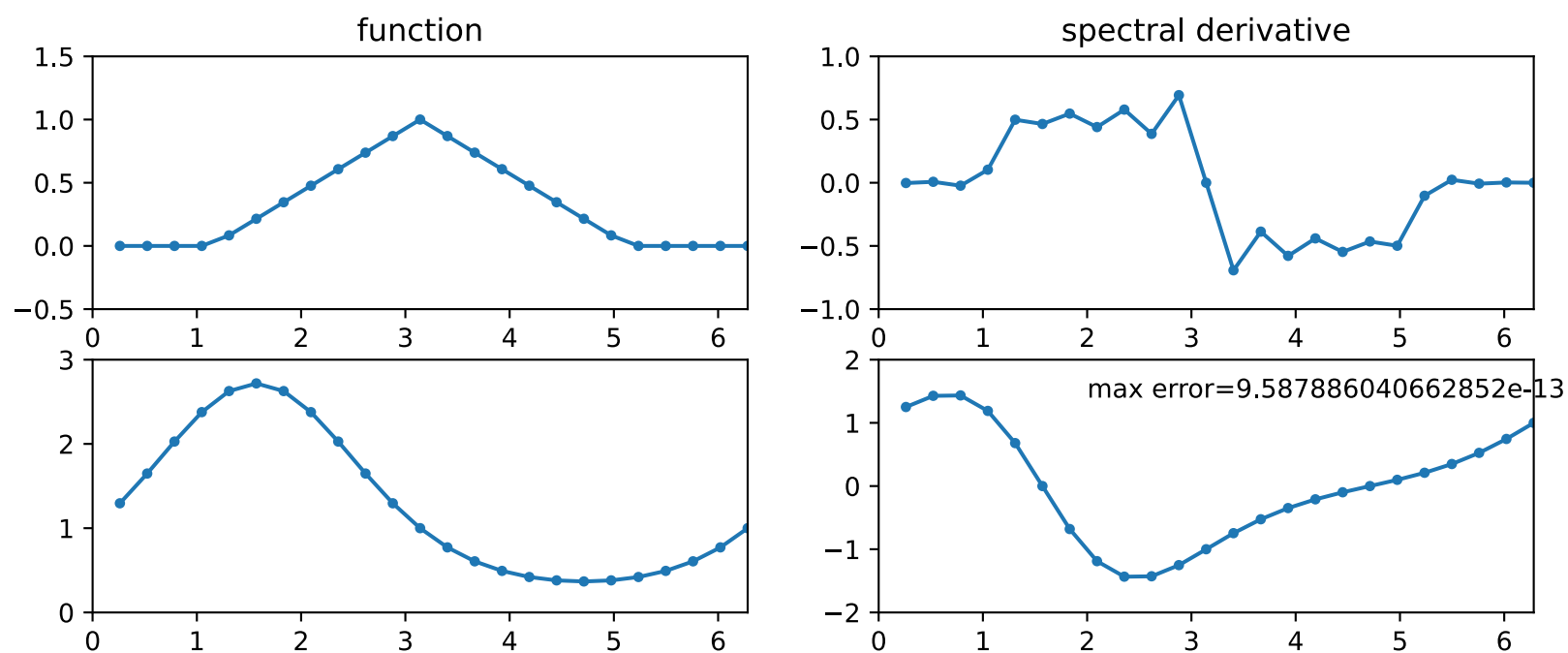
5 from numpy.fft import fft,ifft
6 from numpy.linalg import norm
7 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,plot,axis,title,text
8

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In [11]: 1 # Set up grid and differentiation matrix:
2 N = 24; h = 2*pi/N; x = h*arange(1,N+1);
3
4 # Differentiation of a hat function:
5 v = maximum(0.0,1.0-abs(x-pi)/2.0)
6 v_hat = fft(v)
7 w_hat = 1j*zeros(N)
8 w_hat[0:N//2] = 1j*arange(0,N//2)
9 w_hat[N//2+1:] = 1j*arange(-N//2+1,0,1)
10 w_hat = w_hat * v_hat
11 w = real(ifft(w_hat))
12
13 figure(figsize=(10,6))
14
15 subplot(3,2,1)
16 plot(x,v,'.-')
17 axis([0, 2*pi, -.5, 1.5])
18 title('function')
19 subplot(3,2,2)
20 plot(x,w,'.-')
21 axis([0, 2*pi, -1, 1])
22 title('spectral derivative')
23
24 # Differentiation of exp(sin(x)):
25 v = exp(sin(x)); vprime = cos(x)*v;
26 v_hat = fft(v)
27 w_hat = 1j*zeros(N)
28 w_hat[0:N//2] = 1j*arange(0,N//2)
29 w_hat[N//2+1:] = 1j*arange(-N//2+1,0,1)
30 w_hat = w_hat * v_hat
31 w = real(ifft(w_hat))
32 subplot(3,2,3)
33 plot(x,v,'.-')
34 axis([0, 2*pi, 0, 3])
35 subplot(3,2,4)
36 plot(x,w,'.-')
37 axis([0, 2*pi, -2, 2])
38 error = norm(w-vprime,inf)
39 text(2.0,1.4,"max error="+str(error));
40

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Program 6 : Variable coefficient wave equation

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In [12]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D
4 from matplotlib.collections import LineCollection
5 from numpy import pi,linspace,sin,exp,round,zeros,arange,real
6 from numpy.fft import fft,ifft
7 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure
8

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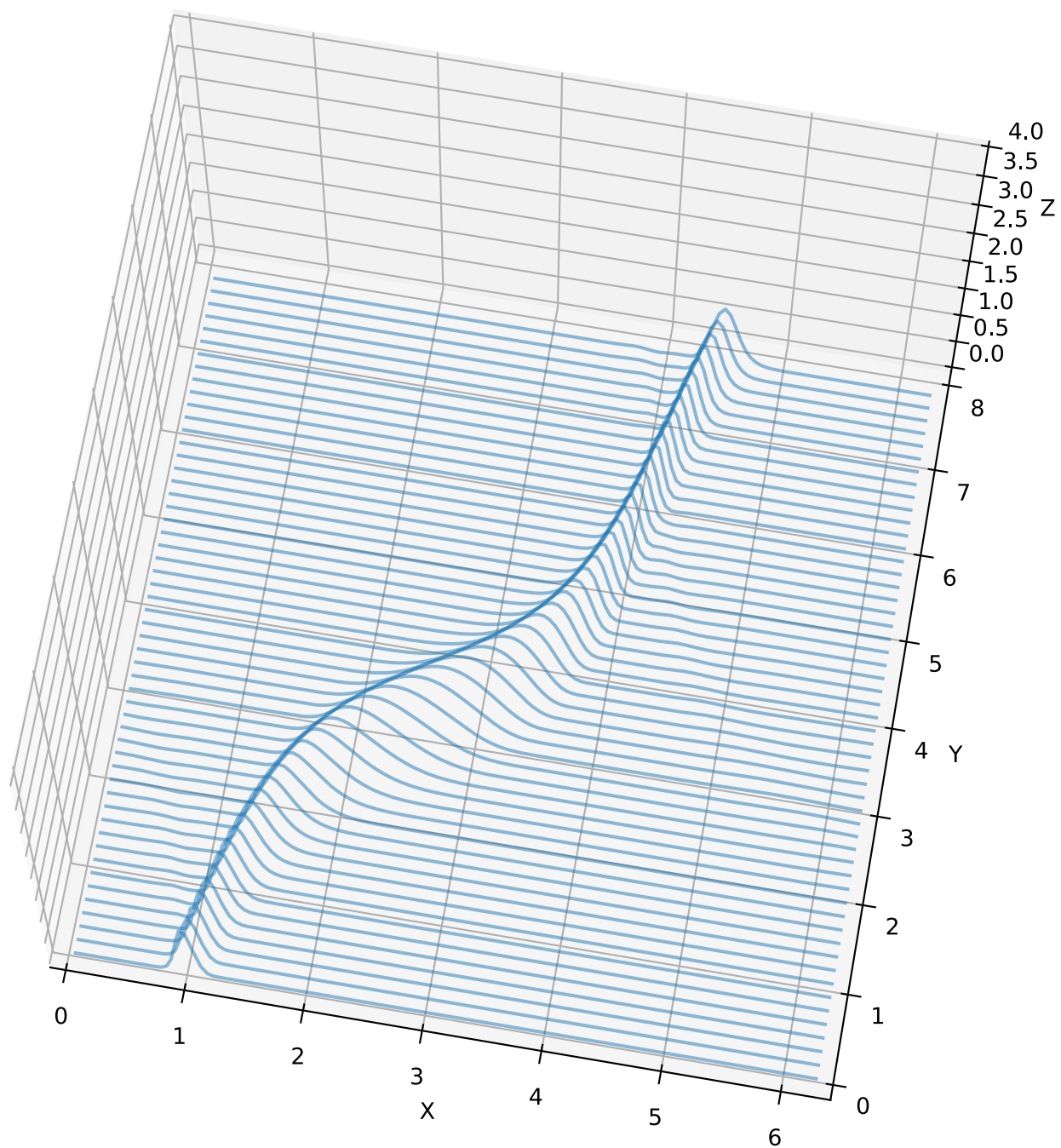
In [13]: 1 # Set up grid and differentiation matrix:
2 N = 128; h = 2*pi/N; x = h*arange(1,N+1);
3 t = 0.0; dt = h/4.0
4 c = 0.2 + sin(x-1.0)**2.0
5 v = exp(-100.0*(x-1.0)**2.0); vold = exp(-100.0*(x-0.2*dt-1.0)**2.0);
6
7 # Time-stepping by leap-frog formula
8 tmax = 8.0; tplot = 0.15;

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9 plotgap = int(round(tplot/dt)); dt = tplot/plotgap;
10 nplots = int(round(tmax/tplot))
11 data = []
12 data.append(list(zip(x, v)))
13 tdata = []; tdata.append(0.0)
14 for i in range(1,nplots):
15     for n in range(plotgap):
16         t = t + dt
17         v_hat = fft(v)
18         w_hat = 1j*zeros(N)
19         w_hat[0:N//2] = 1j*arange(0,N//2)
20         w_hat[N//2+1:] = 1j*arange(-N//2+1,0,1)
21         w_hat = w_hat * v_hat
22         w = real(ifft(w_hat))
23         vnew = vold - 2.0*dt*c*w
24         vold = v; v = vnew;
25     data.append(list(zip(x, v)))
26     tdata.append(t);
27
28 fig = figure(figsize=(12,10))
29 ax = fig.add_subplot(111,projection='3d')
30 poly = LineCollection(data)
31 poly.set_alpha(0.5)
32 ax.add_collection3d(poly, zs=tdata, zdir='y')
33 ax.set_xlabel('X')
34 ax.set_xlim3d(0, 2*pi)
35 ax.set_ylabel('Y')
36 ax.set_ylim3d(0, 8)
37 ax.set_zlabel('Z')
38 ax.set_zlim3d(0, 4)
39 ax.view_init(70,-80)
40
41

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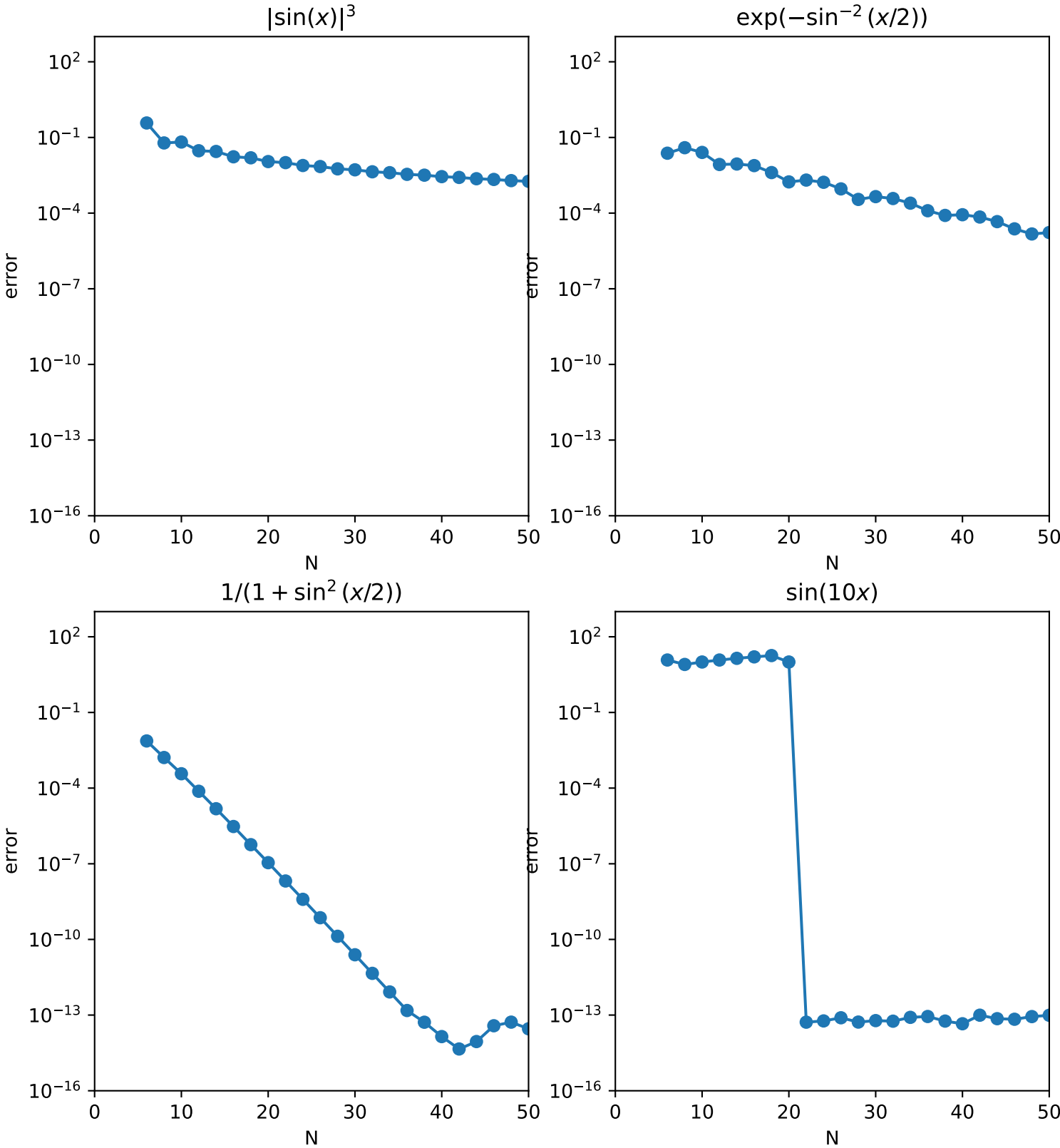
Program 7 : Accuracy of periodic spectral differentiation

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In [15]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import zeros,pi,inf,linspace,arange,tan,sin,cos,exp,abs,dot
4 from scipy.linalg import toeplitz,norm
5 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,semilogy,title,xlabel,ylabel,axis
6

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In [16]: 1 # Set up grid and differentiation matrix:
2 Nmax = 50
3 E = zeros((4,Nmax//2-2))
4 for N in range(6,Nmax+1,2):
5     h = 2.0*pi/N; x = h*linspace(1,N,N);
6     col = zeros(N)
7     col[1:] = 0.5*(-1.0)**arange(1,N)/tan(arange(1,N)*h/2.0)
8     row = zeros(N)
9     row[0] = col[0]
10    row[1:] = col[N-1:0:-1]
11    D = toeplitz(col,row)
12
13    v = abs(sin(x))**3
14    vprime = 3.0*sin(x)*cos(x)*abs(sin(x))
15    E[0][N//2-3] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
16
17    v = exp(-sin(x/2)**(-2)) # C-infinity
18    vprime = 0.5*v*sin(x)/sin(x/2)**4
19    E[1][N//2-3] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
20
21    v = 1.0/(1.0+sin(x/2)**2) # analytic in a strip
22    vprime = -sin(x/2)*cos(x/2)*v**2
23    E[2][N//2-3] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
24
25    v = sin(10*x)
26    vprime = 10*cos(10*x) # band-limited
27    E[3][N//2-3] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
28
29
30 titles = ["$|\\sin(x)|^3$", "\\exp(-\\sin^{\\{-2\\}}(x/2))$", \
31           "$1/(1+\\sin^2(x/2))$", "\\sin(10x)$"]
32 figure(figsize=(9,10))
33 for iplot in range(4):
34     subplot(2,2,iplot+1)
35     semilogy(arange(6,Nmax+1,2),E[iplot][:],'o-')
36     title(titles[iplot])
37     xlabel('N')
38     ylabel('error')
39     axis([0,Nmax,1.0e-16,1.0e3])
40
41
```



Program 8 : Eigenvalues of harmonic oscillator

```
In [17]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import pi,arange,linspace,sin,zeros,diag,sort
4 from scipy.linalg import toeplitz
5 from numpy.linalg import eig
6
7

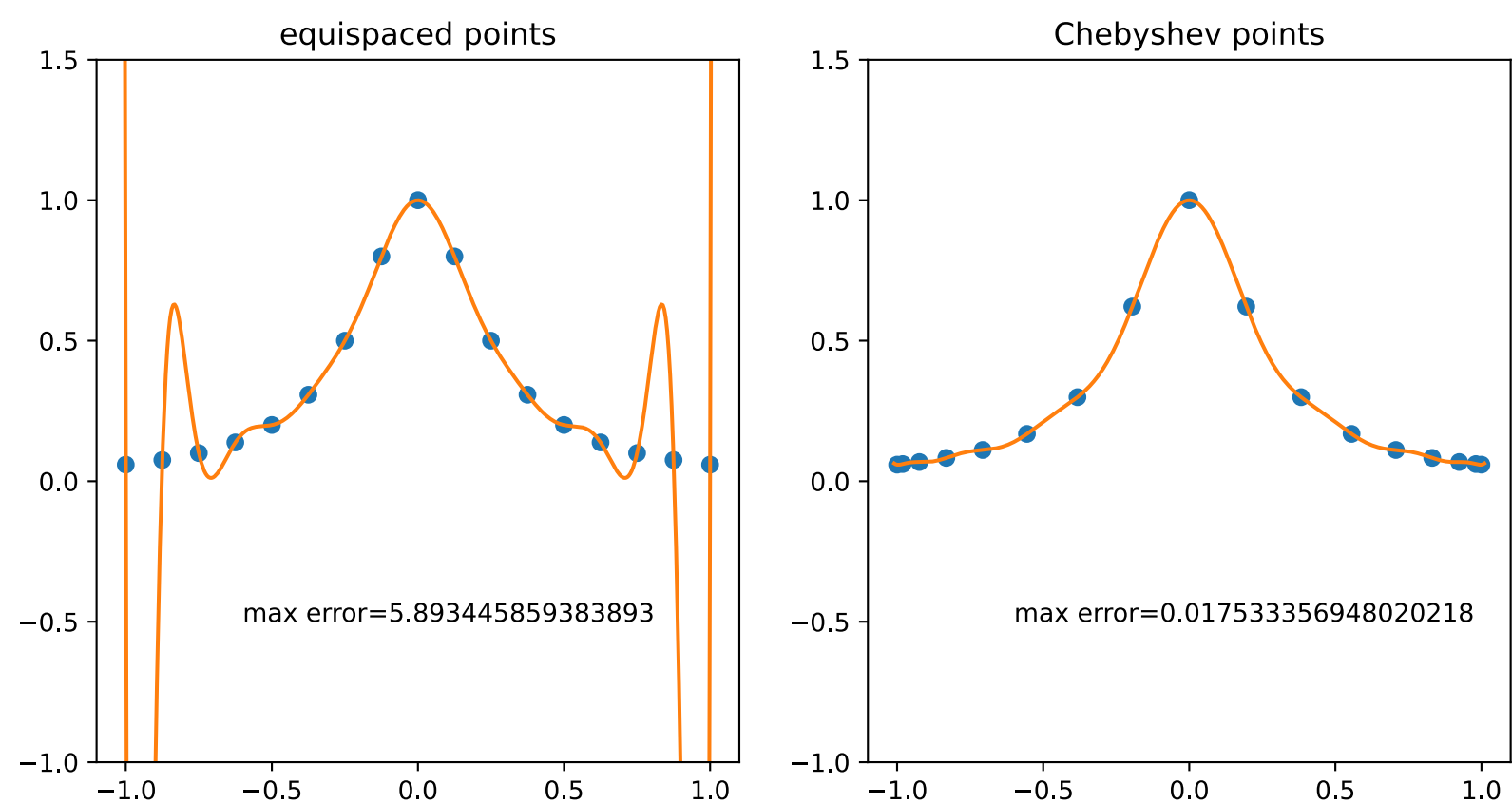
In [18]: 1 L = 8.0
2 for N in range(6,37,6):
3     h = 2.0*pi/N; x = h*linspace(1,N,N); x = L*(x-pi)/pi
4     col = zeros(N)
5     col[0] = -pi**2/(3.0*h**2) - 1.0/6.0
6     col[1:] = -0.5*(-1.0)**arange(1,N)/sin(0.5*h*arange(1,N))**2
7     D2 = (pi/L)**2 * toeplitz(col)
8     evals,vecs = eig(-D2 + diag(x**2))
9     eigenvalues = sort(evals)
10    print("N = %d" % N)
11    for e in eigenvalues[0:4]:
12        print("%24.15e" % e)
13
14
N = 6
4.614729169954764e-01
7.494134621050522e+00
7.720916053006566e+00
2.883248377834012e+01
N = 12
9.781372812986080e-01
3.171605320647181e+00
4.455935291166790e+00
8.924529058119932e+00
N = 18
9.999700014993074e-01
3.000644066795830e+00
4.992595324407721e+00
7.039571897981504e+00
N = 24
9.999999976290295e-01
3.000000098410861e+00
4.999997965273278e+00
7.000024998156540e+00
N = 30
9.999999999999769e-01
3.0000000000000747e+00
4.999999999975587e+00
7.000000000508622e+00
N = 36
1.0000000000000009e+00
2.999999999999992e+00
4.999999999999988e+00
7.000000000000010e+00
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Program 9 : Polynomial interpolation in equispaced and chebyshev points

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In [19]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import pi,inf,linspace,arange,cos,polyval,polyfit
4 from numpy.linalg import norm
5 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,plot,axis,title,text
6
7
```



```
In [20]: 1 N = 16
2 xx = linspace(-1.01,1.01,400,True)
3 figure(figsize=(10,5))
4 for i in range(2):
5     if i==0:
6         s = 'equispaced points'; x = -1.0 + 2.0*arange(0,N+1)/N
7     if i==1:
8         s = 'Chebyshev points'; x = cos(pi*arange(0,N+1)/N)
9     subplot(1,2,i+1)
10    u = 1.0/(1.0 + 16.0*x**2)
11    uu = 1.0/(1.0 + 16.0*xx**2)
12    p = polyfit(x,u,N)
13    pp= polyval(p,xx)
14    plot(x,u,'o',xx,pp)
15    axis([-1.1, 1.1, -1.0, 1.5])
16    title(s)
17    error = norm(uu-pp, inf)
18    text(-0.6,-0.5,'max error='+str(error))
19
```

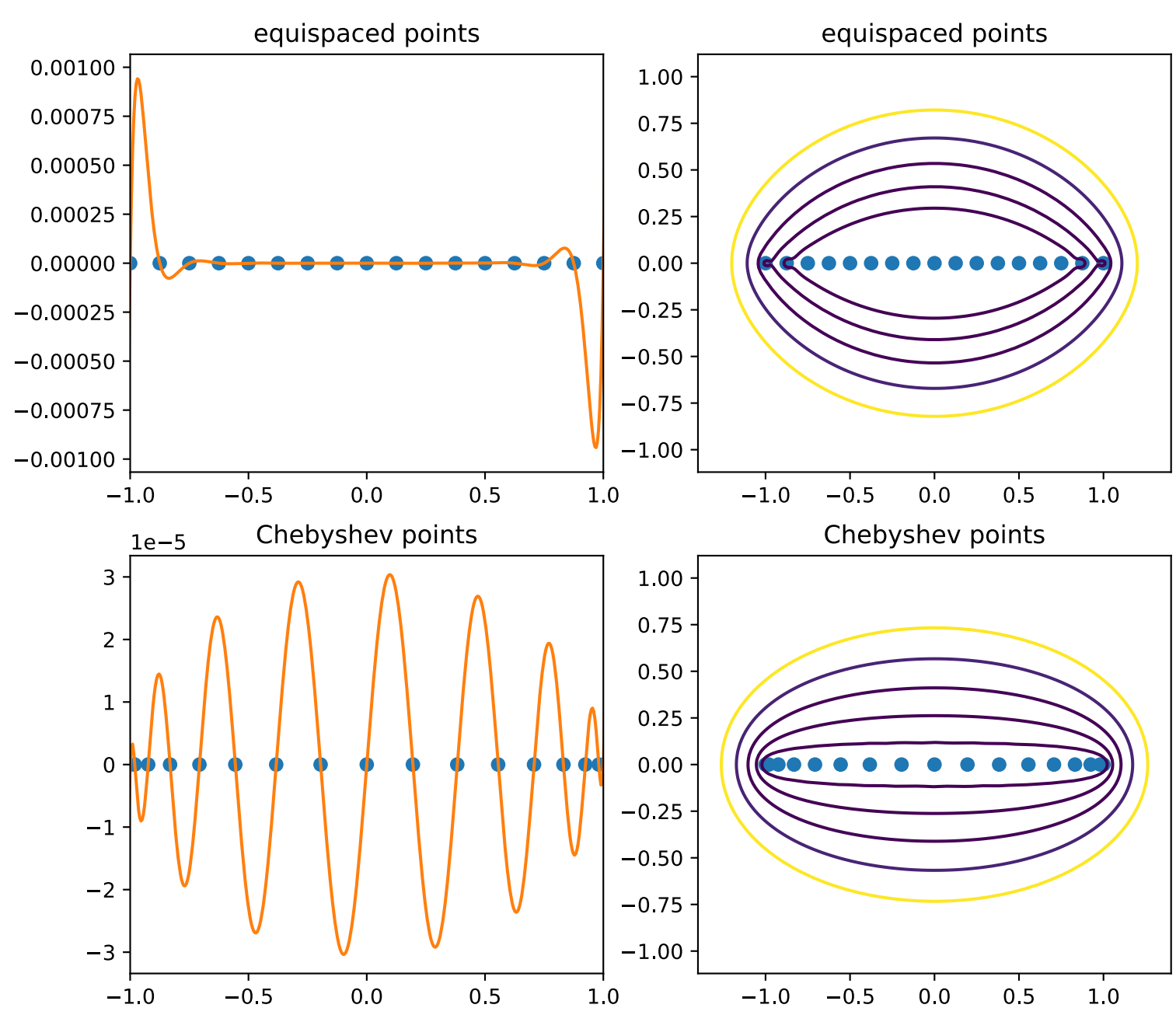


Program 10 : Polynomials and corresponding equipotential curves

```
In [21]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import pi,linspace,arange,abs,cos,poly,polyval,meshgrid,real,imag
4 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,plot,title,axis,contour
5
```

In [23]:

```
1 N = 16
2 figure(figsize=(9,8))
3 for i in range(2):
4     if i==0:
5         s = 'equispaced points'; x = -1.0 + 2.0*arange(0,N+1)/N
6     if i==1:
7         s = 'Chebyshev points'; x = cos(pi*arange(0,N+1)/N)
8     p = poly(x)
9     # Plot p(x)
10    xx = linspace(-1.01,1.01,400,True)
11    pp = polyval(p,xx)
12    fig = subplot(2,2,2*i+1)
13    plot(x,0*x,'o',xx,pp)
14    fig.set_xlim(-1,1)
15    title(s)
16
17    # Plot equipotential curves
18    subplot(2,2,2*i+2)
19    plot(real(x),imag(x),'o')
20    axis([-1.4,1.4,-1.12,1.12])
21    xgrid = linspace(-1.4,1.4,250,True)
22    ygrid = linspace(-1.12,1.12,250,True)
23    xx,yy = meshgrid(xgrid,ygrid)
24    zz = xx + 1j*yy
25    pp = polyval(p,zz)
26    levels = 10.0**arange(-4,1)
27    contour(xx,yy,abs(pp),levels)
28    title(s)
29
30
```



Program 11 : Chebyshev differentiation of a smooth function

Note: Whereas the important chebPy function is imported in the original program by CPraveen, it is printed in full here.

In [27]:

```
1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import linspace,exp,sin,dot
4 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,plot,title
5 #from chebPy import *
6
7
```

In [28]:

```
1 from numpy import pi,cos,arange,ones,tile,dot,eye,diag
2
3 def cheb(N):
4     '''Chebushev polynomial differentiation matrix.
```

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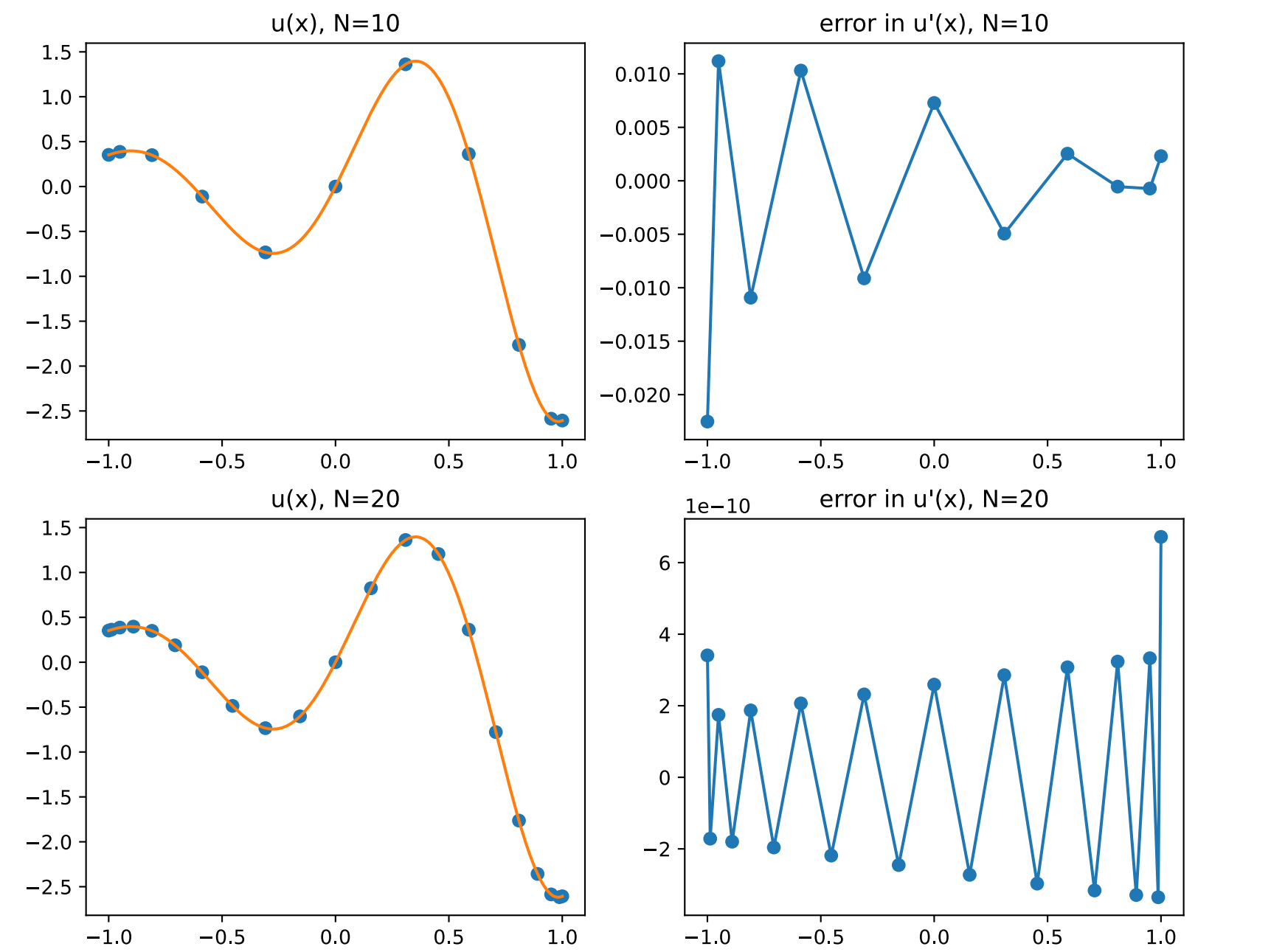
5      Ref.: Trefethen's 'Spectral Methods in MATLAB' book.
6      '''
7      x      = cos(pi*arange(0,N+1)/N)
8      if N%2 == 0:
9          x[N//2] = 0.0 # only when N is even!
10     c      = ones(N+1); c[0] = 2.0; c[N] = 2.0
11     c      = c * (-1.0)**arange(0,N+1)
12     c      = c.reshape(N+1,1)
13     X      = tile(x.reshape(N+1,1), (1,N+1))
14     dX      = X - X.T
15     D      = dot(c, 1.0/c.T) / (dX+eye(N+1))
16     D      = D - diag( D.sum(axis=1) )
17     return D,x
18
19

```

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In [29]: 1 xx = linspace(-1.0,1.0,200,True)
2         uu = exp(xx)*sin(5.0*xx)
3         c = 1; figure(figsize=(10,8))
4         for N in [10,20]:
5             D,x = cheb(N); u = exp(x)*sin(5.0*x)
6             subplot(2,2,c); c += 1
7             plot(x,u,'o',xx,uu)
8             title('u(x), N='+str(N))
9
10         error = dot(D,u) - exp(x)*(sin(5.0*x)+5.0*cos(5.0*x))
11         subplot(2,2,c); c += 1
12         plot(x,error,'o-')
13         title('error in u\'(x), N='+str(N))
14
15

```



Program 12 : Accuracy of Chebyshev spectral differentiation

```

In [30]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import zeros,pi,inf,linspace,arange,abs,dot,exp
4 from scipy.linalg import toeplitz,norm
5 from matplotlib.pyplot import figure,subplot,semilogy,title,xlabel,ylabel,axis,grid
6 #from chebPy import *
7
8

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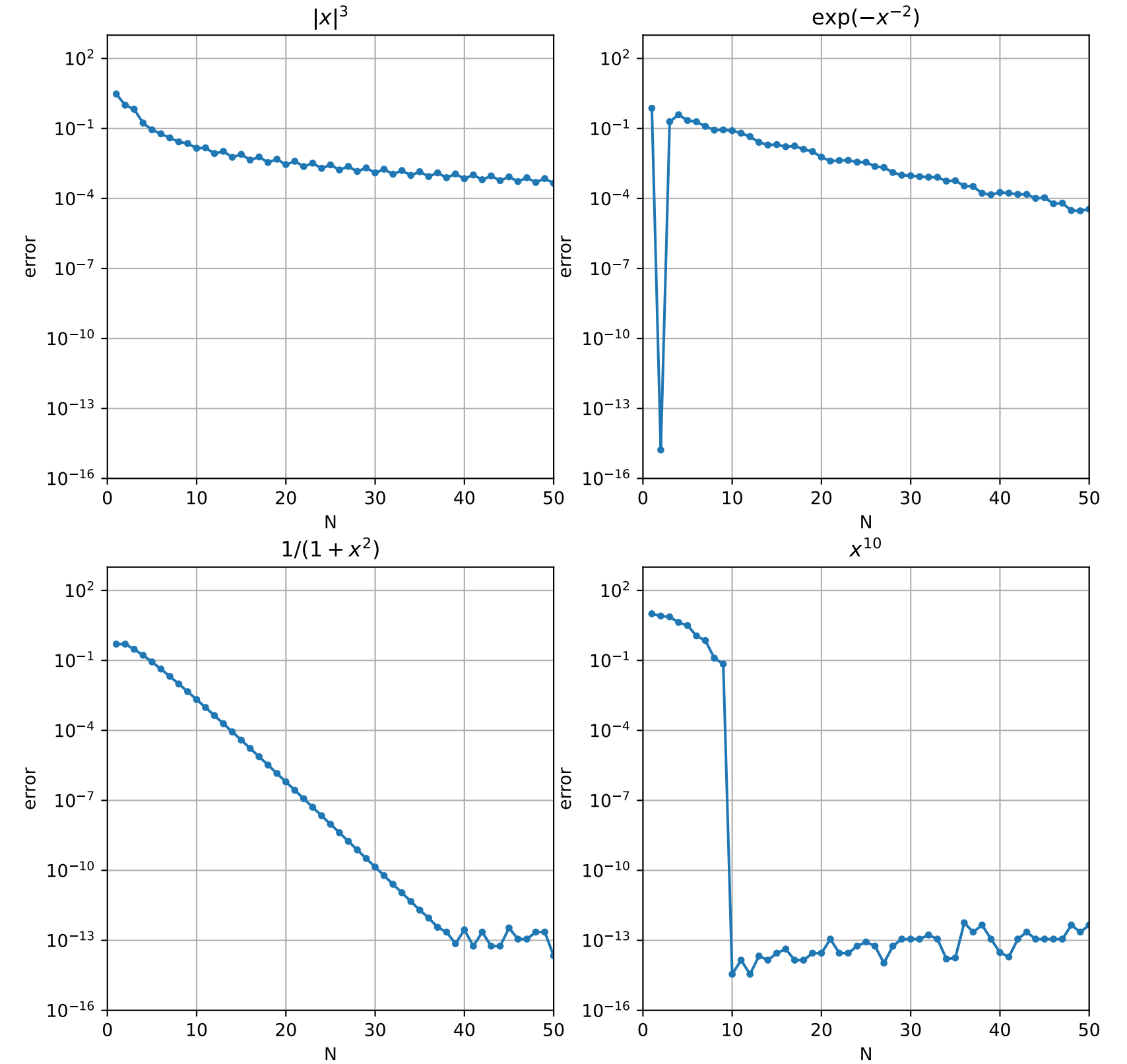
In [31]: 1 Nmax = 50
2         E = zeros((4,Nmax))
3         for N in range(1,Nmax+1):
4             D,x = cheb(N)
5
6             v = abs(x)**3 # 3rd deriv in BV
7             vprime = 3.0*x*abs(x)
8
9

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8     E[0][N-1] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
9
10    v = exp(-(x+1.0e-15)**(-2))    # C-infinity
11    vprime = 2.0*v/(x+1.0e-15)**3
12    E[1][N-1] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
13
14    v = 1.0/(1.0+x**2)    # analytic in a [-1,1]
15    vprime = -2.0*x*v**2
16    E[2][N-1] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
17
18    v = x**10
19    vprime = 10.0*x**9    # polynomial
20    E[3][N-1] = norm(dot(D,v)-vprime,inf)
21
22
23    titles = [" $|x|^3$ ", " $\exp(-x^{-2})$ ", \
24             " $1/(1+x^2)$ ", " $x^{10}$ "]
25    figure(figsize=(10,10))
26    for iplot in range(4):
27        subplot(2,2,iplot+1)
28        semilogy(arange(1,Nmax+1,),E[iplot][:'],'.-')
29        title(titles[iplot])
30        xlabel('N')
31        ylabel('error')
32        axis([0,Nmax,1.0e-16,1.0e3])
33        grid('on')
34
35

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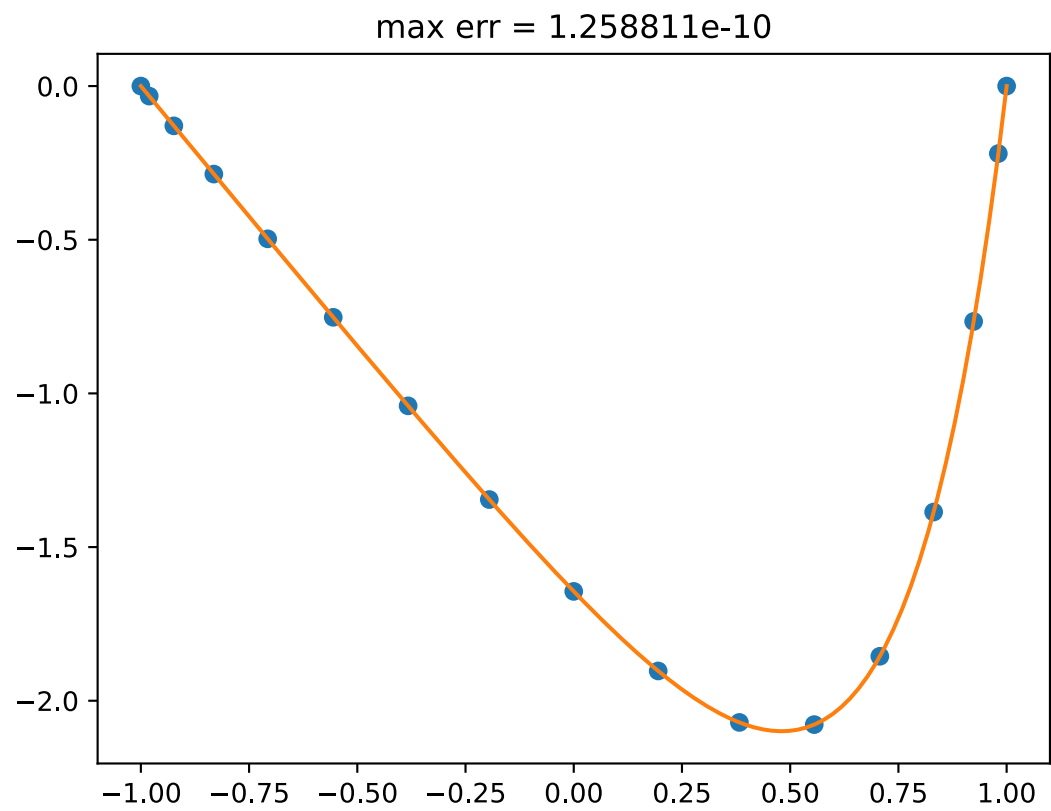
Program 13 : Solve linear BVP

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In [32]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 #from chebPy import *
4 from numpy import dot,exp,zeros,sinh,cosh,max,linspace,polyval,polyfit,inf
5 from numpy.linalg import norm
6 from scipy.linalg import solve
7 from matplotlib.pyplot import title,plot
8

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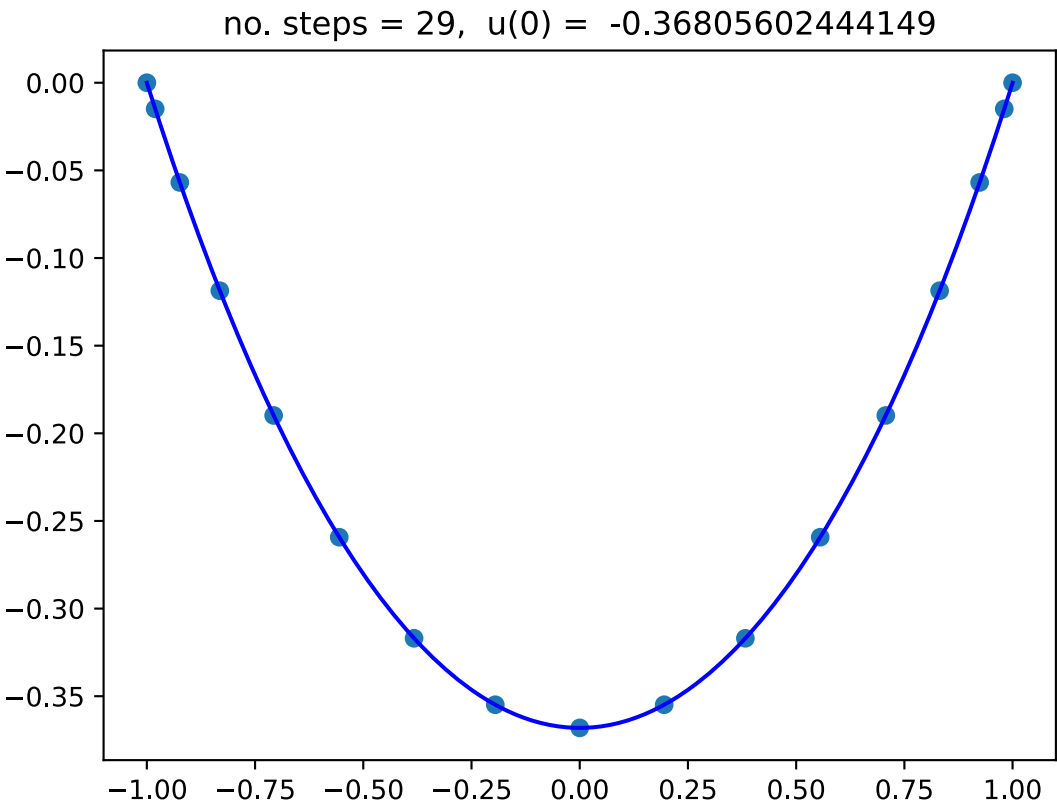
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9 N = 16
10 D,x = cheb(N)
11 D2 = dot(D,D)
12 D2 = D2[1:N,1:N]
13 f = exp(4.0*x[1:N])
14 u = solve(D2,f)
15 s = zeros(N+1)
16 s[1:N] = u
17
18 xx = linspace(-1.0,1.0,200)
19 uu = polyval(polyfit(x,s,N),xx) # interpolate grid data
20 exact = (exp(4.0*xx) - sinh(4.0)*xx - cosh(4.0))/16.0
21 maxerr = norm(uu-exact,inf)
22
23 title('max err = %e' % maxerr)
24 plot(x,s,'o',xx,exact);
25
26
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Program 14 : Solve nonlinear BVP

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In [33]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 %config InlineBackend.figure_format='svg'
3 from numpy import dot,exp,zeros,linspace,polyval,polyfit,inf
4 from numpy.linalg import norm
5 #from chebPy import cheb
6 from scipy.linalg import solve
7 from matplotlib.pyplot import title,plot
8
9
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In [34]: 1 N = 16 # N must be even
2 D,x = cheb(N)
3 D2 = dot(D,D)
4 D2 = D2[1:N,1:N]
5
6 u = zeros(N-1)
7 err = zeros(N-1)
8 change, it = 1.0, 0
9
10 while change > 1.0e-15:
11     unew = solve(D2,exp(u))
12     change = norm(unew-u, inf)
13     u = unew
14     it += 1
15
16 # Add boundary values to u vector
17 s = zeros(N+1); s[1:N] = u; u = s;
18
19 xx = linspace(-1.0,1.0,201)
20 uu = polyval(polyfit(x,u,N),xx) # interpolate grid data
21
22 title('no. steps = %d, u(0) = %18.14f' %(it,u[N//2]) )
23 plot(x,u,'o',xx,uu,'b');
24
25
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