

Numerical Methods for Partial Differential Equations

Homework- Basics

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Exercise-1

Firstly, Newton method was implanted, as shown in the following Matlab function:

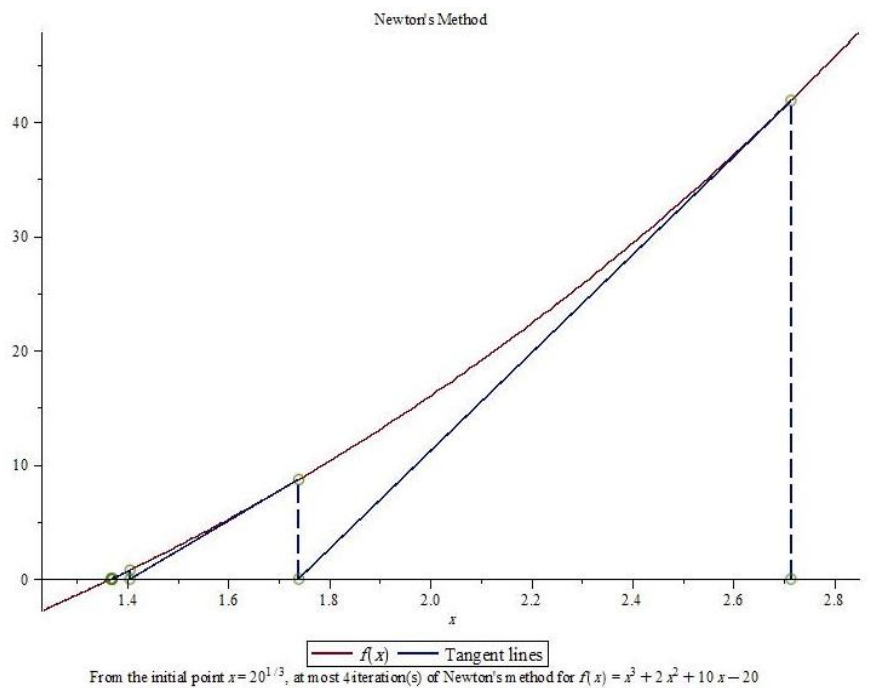
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x0=20^(1/3); % initial value
f1=@(x) x^3+2*x^2+10*x-20;
df1=@(x) 3*x^2 + 4*x + 10;

maxit=5;
itor=1;
while(1)
    x=x0-f1(x0)/df1(x0);
    ert(itor)=abs((x-x0)/x);
    y=f1(x);

    hold on
    if (itor>=maxit),break,end
    itor = itor+1;
    x0=x;
end

iteration=[1:1:itor];
plot(iteration,ert);

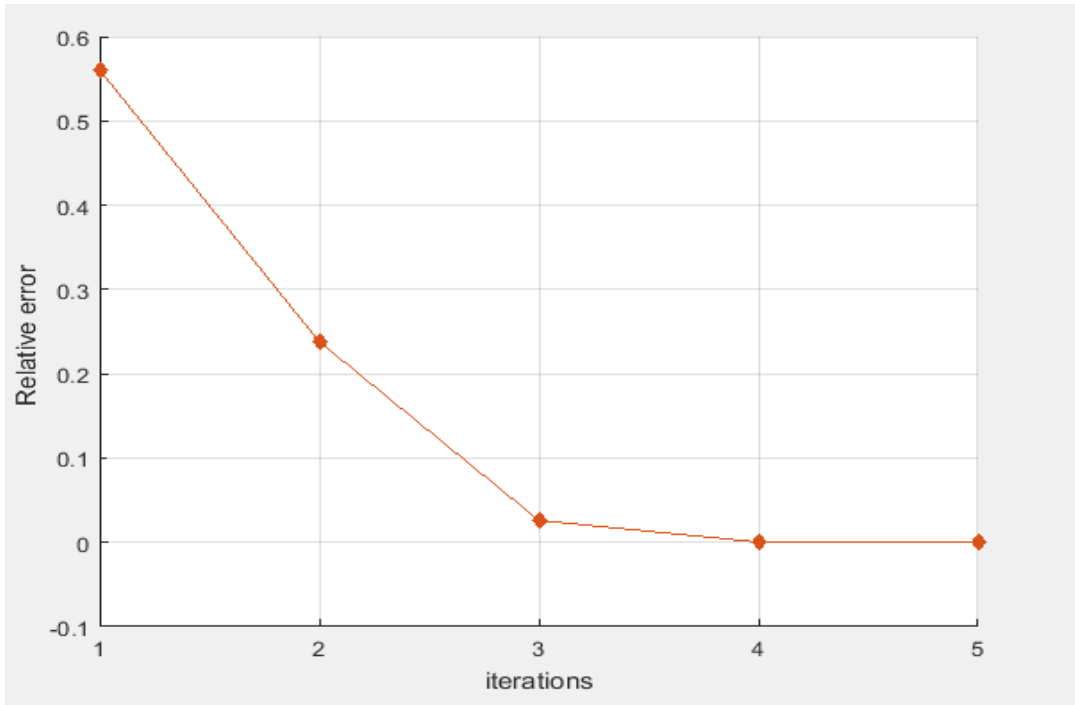
grid on
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then with four iterations, the root of the equation and the relative error were as following:

$x = 1.3688$

relative_errorr = 2.9738e-08



The above figure represents, the convergence in x , where it can be seen that newton method with given initial value was very effective and worked exactly as it was expected.

Exercise-5

We are interested in the definition of third-order numerical quadrature in interval $(0; 1)$

- a) Determine the minimum number of integration points, and specify the integration points and weights.

Solution –a

The best choice to define a third-order quadrature with minimum number of points, is using Gauss quadratures.

The error in Gauss:

$$E_n = \Omega_n f^{(2n+2)}(\mu)$$

$$2n + 2 = 4 \rightarrow n = 1$$

Since $n = 1$, the number of the required points is two x_0 & x_1 .

In order to specify the integration points and weights, we use Gauss-Legendre quadratures, with $n=1$ (order = 3)

$$\int_{-1}^1 f(z) dz = \sum_{i=0}^{n=1} w_i f(z_i)$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 f(z) dz = w_0 f(z_0) + w_1 f(z_1)$$

Using:

$$P(z)_0 = 1 \quad P(z)_1 = z \quad P(z)_2 = z^2 \quad P(z)_3 = z^3$$

We get:

$$\begin{aligned} w_0 + w_1 &= 2 & w_0 &= 1 & w_1 &= 1 \\ w_0 z_0 + w_1 z_1 &= 0 & z_0 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & z_1 &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ w_0 z_0^2 + w_1 z_1^2 &= \frac{2}{3} \\ w_0 z_0^3 + w_1 z_1^3 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

And now for the interval (0,1), the integration points and weights will be:

$$x_0 = \frac{1}{2} z_0 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}} \quad x_1 = \frac{1}{2} z_1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1 - \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$w_0 = 1 \quad w_1 = 1$$

- b) Is it possible to obtain a third-order quadrature with the following four integration points: $x_0 = 1/4$, $x_1 = 1/2$, $x_2 = 3/4$ and $x_3 = 1$? If it is possible, compute the corresponding weights; otherwise, justify why not.

Solution:

Yes, it is possible using Simpson rule with $n=3$. With $h = \frac{1}{4}$

$$n=3: \quad I = \frac{3h}{8} [f(x_0) + 3f(x_1) + 3f(x_2) + f(x_3)] - \frac{3h^5}{80} f^{(4)}(\mu)$$

$$w_0 = \frac{3}{32} \quad w_1 = \frac{9}{32} \quad w_2 = \frac{9}{32} \quad w_3 = \frac{3}{32}$$

Exercise-6

- a) If $n + 1$ points Gaussian quadrature is used for numerical integration state the order of the polynomial that is integrated exactly.

Solution-a:

The error in Gaussian quadrature:

$$E_n = \Omega_n f^{(2n+2)}(\mu)$$

Since we have $n + 1$ point the order of the error will $2n + 4$ and we will be able to integrate polynomials with order up to $2n + 3$.

- b) Using Gaussian quadrature with $n=2$, we will be able to integrate exactly only:

$$\int_0^1 x^3 dx \quad \& \quad \int_0^1 x^4 dx$$

Exercise-7

For the first integral, Both methods have obtained the exact value of the integration, which is an expected result since we integrating a first order polynomial, and the used rules are order one (trapezoidal) and three (Simpson).

In the second integral, Trapezoidal methods had error = 0.13888, while Simpson have obtained the exact value, which is an expected result, since the integral has a third degree polynomial, and the Trapezoidal method of order one and Simpson of order four.

Exercise-10

For the this exercise, the result was quite unusual, because we used a third order quadrature (Simpson) in order to approximate an integral with a sixth-degree polynomial, and the error was only (error= 0.07837), actually it was expected to be higher than this value.

①

$$\int_0^1 12x \, dx$$

a) using Trapezoidal rule Over 2 uniform interval
 $m=2$ $n=1$

• first interval, $[0, \frac{1}{2}]$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} 12x \, dx = \frac{1}{4} [f(0) + f(\frac{1}{2})]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [0 + 6] = \frac{6}{4}$$

• second interval $[\frac{1}{2}, 1]$

$$I = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 12x \, dx = \frac{1}{4} [f(\frac{1}{2}) + f(1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [6 + 12] = \frac{18}{4}$$

• For the complete interval $[0, 1]$

$$I = \int_0^1 12x = \frac{18}{4} + \frac{16}{4} = \frac{24}{4} = 6$$

b) using Simpson's rule Over 2 uniform intervals
 $m=2$ $n=2$

• First interval $[0, \frac{1}{2}]$ $x_0=0$ $x_1=\frac{1}{4}$ $x_2=\frac{1}{2}$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} 12x \, dx = \frac{1}{12} [f(0) + 4f(\frac{1}{4}) + f(\frac{1}{2})]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} [0 + 12 + 6] = \frac{18}{12}$$

• Second interval $[\frac{1}{2}, 1]$ $x_0=\frac{1}{2}$ $x_1=\frac{3}{4}$ $x_2=1$

$$I = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 12x \, dx = \frac{1}{12} [f(\frac{1}{2}) + 4f(\frac{3}{4}) + f(1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} [6 + 36 + 12] = \frac{54}{12}$$

• For the complete interval $[0, 1]$ $I = \int_0^1 12x = \frac{18}{12} + \frac{54}{12} = 6$

$$(2) \int_0^1 (5x^3 + 2x) dx$$

a) using Trapezoidal rule Over 2 uniform interval
 $m=2$ $n=1$

• first interval $[0, \frac{1}{2}]$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} (5x^3 + 2x) dx = \frac{1}{4} [f(0) + f(\frac{1}{2})] = \frac{1}{4} [0 + \frac{13}{8}] = \frac{13}{32}$$

• second interval $[\frac{1}{2}, 1]$

$$I = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (5x^3 + 2) = \frac{1}{4} [f(\frac{1}{2}) + f(1)] = \frac{1}{4} [\frac{13}{8} + 7] = \frac{69}{32}$$

• the complete interval

$$I = \int_0^1 (5x^3 + 2) = \frac{13}{32} + \frac{69}{32} = \frac{82}{32} = \frac{41}{16} = 2.5625$$

b) using Simpson's rule Over 2 uniform interval. $m=2$
 $n=2$

• first interval $[0, \frac{1}{2}]$ $x_0=0$ $x_1=\frac{1}{4}$ $x_2=\frac{1}{2}$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} (5x^3 + 2x) = \frac{1}{4} [f(0) + 4f(\frac{1}{4}) + f(\frac{1}{2})]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} [0 + \frac{37}{64} + \frac{13}{8}] = \frac{21}{64}$$

• second interval $[\frac{1}{2}, 1]$ $x_0=\frac{1}{2}$ $x_1=\frac{3}{4}$ $x_2=1$

$$I = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (5x^3 + 2x) = \frac{1}{4} [f(\frac{1}{2}) + 4f(\frac{3}{4}) + f(1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} [\frac{13}{8} + 4 \cdot \frac{231}{64} + 7] = \frac{123}{64}$$

• the complete interval.

$$I = \int_0^1 (5x^3 + 2) = \frac{21}{64} + \frac{123}{64} = \frac{144}{64} = \frac{9}{4} = 2.25$$

c) the exact solution

$$\int_0^1 (5x^3 + 2x) dx = [\frac{5}{4}x^4 + x^2]_0^1 = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$10. \int_0^1 \int_0^1 (9x^3 + 8x^2)(y^3 + y) dx dy$$

using Simpson's rule in each direction $n=2$

$$x_0 = 0 \quad x_1 = \frac{1}{2} \quad x_2 = 1$$

$$y_0 = 0 \quad y_1 = \frac{1}{2} \quad y_2 = 1$$

• ① putting $y = y_0 = 0$

$$I_1 = \int_0^1 f(x, 0) dx = \frac{1}{6} [f(0, 0) + 4f(\frac{1}{2}, 0) + f(1, 0)] = 0$$

• ② putting $y = y_1 = \frac{1}{2}$

$$I_2 = \int_0^1 f(x, \frac{1}{2}) dx = \frac{1}{6} [f(0, \frac{1}{2}) + 4f(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) + f(1, \frac{1}{2})]$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} [0 + 4 \cdot \frac{125}{64} + \frac{86}{8}] = \frac{265}{96}$$

• ③ putting $y = y_2 = 1$

$$I_3 = \int_0^1 f(x, 1) dx = \frac{1}{6} [f(0, 1) + 4f(\frac{1}{2}, 1) + f(1, 1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} [0 + 4 \cdot \frac{25}{4} + 34] = \frac{56}{6}$$

As For the y-direction.

$$I = \frac{1}{6} [I_1 + 4I_2 + I_3] = \frac{1}{6} [0 + 4 \cdot \frac{265}{96} + \frac{56}{6}]$$

$$\cancel{I = \frac{476}{144} = 3.326388}$$

$$I = \frac{163}{46} = 3.3958$$

$$\text{Error} = 0.07837$$