

Sources of errors

- Formulation errors
- Inherent errors
- Truncation errors
- Rounding errors
- Chopping errors
- Accumulated errors

The numerical solution for any problem is approximate value to the exact value

Numerical solution = exact solution + error

There are two methods for measuring errors

- **Absolute error** Let x represents the approximate value to the exact value p , then the absolute error is defined as $e = x - p$
- **Relative error** $= \frac{e}{p}$

Example If $p = 0.300010$ and $x = 0.310010$ then $e = 0.1$ and $r = 0.33$

Accumulation in error to estimate errors in the four operations

• Addition

$$(x+y) = (x+y) - (0) = (x-0) + (y-0) = x + y$$

$$e = e_x + e_y$$

- **Subtraction**

$$(x-y) = (x-y) - () = (x-) - (y-) = x- y$$

$$= = - = x- y$$

3) Multiplication

$$(xy) = (xy) - () = (xy) -)x - x)(y-y = (xy - xy+xy+ y x +xy = xy+ y x +xy = xy+ y x$$

$$= = + = + x$$

4) Division

$$() = - = - = - = -()() = -()(1+) = -(+ y - -) = - - = - = (-)$$

$$= = = - y$$

Floating point formula

Let x be a real number .There are two formulas for numbers in the floating point. In

the first formula the number is written as $x = A$

Example $x = 25149 = 0.25149 \ Y$

$$= - 0.0125 = - 0.125$$

$$z = -78.439 = - 0.78439$$

$$k = 0.733 = 0. 733$$

Let $x = \quad$, $y = \quad$. To addition or subtraction x and y must the conditions satisfies $= \quad$, $= \quad$.
 . To multiplication or division x and y must the condition $= \quad$.

Example If $x = 22.159$, $y = 0.03$ and $z = 111$

Find 1) $k = 2x + \quad$ 2) $k = -yz$ 3) $k = x - 2y + xz$

$$x = 22.159 = 0.22159$$

$$y = 0.03 = 0.3$$

$$z = 111 = 0.111$$

$$2x = 2(0.22159) = 0.44318$$

$$y+z = 0.3 + 0.111 = 0.00003 + 0.111 = 0.11103$$

$$= = 0.501060517$$

$$2x + = 0.44318 + 0.501060517 = 0.44318 + 0.0501060517 = 0.4932860517$$

In the second formula the number is written as $x = \text{int} + \text{frac}$

Example write the following numbers in the floating point formula and three decimal places

$$x = 63249 = 0.63249 = 0.632 + 0.49$$

$$Y = -1579.26 = -0.157926 = -0.157 + (-0.926)$$

$$z = 0.01295 = 0.1295 = 0.129 + 0.5$$

$$k = 173.18 = 0.17318 = 0.173 + 0.18$$

Finding the absolute and relative errors

1) Errors in chopping case

$$\text{Let } x = \text{int} + \text{frac}, \text{ where}$$

$$(x) = \text{int} + \text{frac} =$$

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2) Errors in chopping case

Let $x = +$, $=$

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$(x) = = =$

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$(x) = = = = 0.5$

$(x) = = =$

Fundamental theorem of algebra

Every polynomial of degree n has n roots in complex numbers

Let f be a continuous function on $[a, b]$

If $f(a) f(b) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[a, b]$

If $f(a) f(b) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[a, b]$

Example Find the position of roots of $f(x) = -x^7 + 3x^2 + 26x - 10$ in $[-8, 8]$

x	-8	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4	6	8
F(x)	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+

$f(-2) f(0) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[-2, 0]$

$f(0) f(2) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0, 2]$

$f(2)f(4) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[2, 4]$

$f(4)f(6) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[4, 6]$

1) Bisection methods

Example Find the root of $x =$ in $[0,1]$

$$F(x) = x - F(0) = -1,$$

$$f(1) = 0.632$$

$f(0)f(1) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0, 1]$

$$= (0+1)/2 = 0.5, f(0.5) = -0.1065$$

$f(0)f(0.5) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[0, 0.5]$

$f(0.5)f(1) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.5, 1]$

$$= (0.5+1)/2 = 0.75, f(0.75) = 0.2776$$

$f(0.75)f(1) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.75, 1]$

$f(0.5)f(0.75) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.5, 0.75]$

$$= (0.5+0.75)/2 = 0.625, f(0.625) = 0.0897$$

$f(0.625)f(0.75) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.625, 0.75]$

$f(0.5)f(0.625) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.5, 0.625]$ **Example** Find the root of $f(x) =$

$$-7+3+26x-10 \text{ in } [0,2] F(0) = -10, f(2) = 14$$

$f(0)f(1) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0, 2]$

$$= (0+2)/2 = 1, f(1) = 13$$

$f(1) f(2) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[1, 2]$

$f(0) f(1) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0, 1]$

$$= (0+1)/2 = 0.5, f(0.5) = 2.9375$$

$f(0.5) f(1) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.5, 1]$

$f(0) f(0.5) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0, 0.5]$

$$= (0 + 0.5)/2 = 0.25, f(0.25) = -3.41796875$$

$f(0) f(0.25) < 0$ then there is no roots in $[0, 0.25]$

$f(0.25) f(0.5) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.25, 0.5]$

Stopping condition

1)

2)

3)

Example Find the root of $f(x) = x^2 - 1$ in $[-1, 1]$

$$f(-1) = 0, f(1) = 0$$

$f(-1) f(1) = 0$ then there exists roots in $[-1, 1]$

$= (-1+1)/2 = 0$, $f(0) = 0$, the root is

Example Find the approximate positive value of the root of $f(x) = \cos(x) - x$ in $[0,1]$

with $\epsilon = 0.01$ $F(0) = 1$, $f(1) = -0.46$

$f(0) f(1) > 0$ then there exists roots in $[0, 1]$

$= (0+1)/2 = 0.5$, $f(0.5) = 0.628$

$f(0) f(0.5) > 0$ then there is no roots in $[0, 0.5]$

$f(0.5) f(1) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.5, 1]$

$= (0.5+1)/2 = 0.75$, $f(0.75) = 0.169$

$= 0.25 \quad 0.01$

$f(0.5) f(0.75) < 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.5, 0.75]$

$f(0.75) f(1) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.75, 1]$

$= (0.75+1)/2 = 0.875$, $f(0.875) = -0.125$

$= 0.125 \quad 0.01$

$f(0.875) f(1) < 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.875, 1]$

$f(0.75) f(0.875) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.75, 0.875]$

$= (0.75+0.875)/2 = 0.813$, $f(0.813) = 0.026$

$= 0.062 \quad 0.01$

$f(0.75) f(0.813) < 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.75, 0.813]$

$f(0.813) f(0.875) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.813, 0.875]$

$$= (0.813+0.875)/2 = 0.844, f(0.844) = -0.048$$

$$= 0.031 > 0.01$$

$f(0.844) f(0.875) < 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.844, 0.875]$

$f(0.813) f(0.844) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.813, 0.844]$

$$= (0.813+0.844)/2 = 0.829, f(0.829) = -0.011$$

$$= 0.115 > 0.01$$

$f(0.829) f(0.844) < 0$ then there is no roots in $[0.829, 0.844]$

$f(0.813) f(0.829) < 0$ then there exists roots in $[0.813, 0.829]$

$$= (0.813+0.829)/2 = 0.821, f(0.821) = 0.007$$

$$= 0.008 > 0.01$$

The root is

2) False position (Regular False method)

$$= x_i, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Example Find the root of $f(x) = x \log x - 1$ in $[1, 2]$ with $\epsilon = 0.001$

$$x_1 = 1, f(x_1) = -1, x_2 = 2, f(x_2) = 0.3863$$

$$x_3 = 1.72134459, f(x_3) = -0.59402$$

$$x_1 = 1.89017687, f(x_1) = -0.477361475$$

$$x_2 = 0.16883228, f(x_2) = 0.001$$

$$x_3 = 1.76315, f(x_3) = -0.565755088$$

$$x_4 = 0.12702687, f(x_4) = 0.001$$

$$x_5 = 1.76322$$

$$x_6 = 0.00013, f(x_6) = 0.001$$

The root is

3) Secant method

$$x_{i+1} = x_i - \frac{f(x_i)}{f'(x_i)}, i = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Example Find the root of $f(x) = x^2 - 1$ in $[-1, 2]$, $f(-1) = 0$, $f(2) = 1$ with $\epsilon = 0.05$

$$f(-1) = 0, f(2) = 1, f'(x) = 2x$$

$$x_0 = -1, x_1 = 0.368, f(x_1) = -0.468$$

$$x_2 = 0.468005$$

$$x_3 = 0.503, f(x_3) = -0.168$$

$$x_4 = 0.168005$$

$$x_5 = 0.580, f(x_5) = 0.036$$

$$x_6 = 0.036005$$

The root is

4) Newton Raphson method

Let $f(x)$ be differentiable function on $[a,b]$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}, n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Example Find the root of $f(x) = x^2 - 1$ with $x_0 = 0$

$$f(x) = x^2 - 1$$

$$f'(x) = 2x$$

$$x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} = 0 - \frac{-1}{0} = \text{undefined}$$

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = 0.5 - \frac{-0.75}{1} = 1.25$$

The root is $x = 1$

Example Find the square root of a number n

$$X = \sqrt{n}, X^2 = n$$

$$F(x) = x^2 - n, f'(x) = 2x$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} = \frac{x_n^2 + n}{2x_n}$$

Example Find

$$X = \sqrt[n]{a}, n = 2, 3, \dots, F(x) = x^n - a, f'(x) = nx^{n-1}$$

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

5) Fixed point iterative theorem

A fixed point of a function $g(x)$ is a real number x such that $g(x) = x$

The iteration $x_{n+1} = g(x_n)$, $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ is called fixed point iteration

Example Find the root of $f(x) = x^3 - 2x - 3$ in $[2,3]$, $x_0 = 2.5$

$x_{n+1} = 1 + \sqrt[3]{2x_n}$

$x_{n+1} = -3/x_n$

$x_{n+1} = (x_n)^3 - 2x_n - 3$

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x_n	x_{n+1}	x_{n+2}	x_{n+3}
2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
2.2	3.25	2.40625	2.3125

2.36364	7.5625	2.35828	2.302802
2.26923	54.1914	2.33288	2.302776
2.32203	2933.71	2.31920	2.302776
2.29197	8606642.63	2.31176	2.302776
2.30892	741	2.30770	2.302776

The function $f(x)$, $g(x)$, converges to the solution while $h(x)$ diverges

The function $g(x)$ is converges to the solution if $|g'(x)| < 1$

Example $g(x) = 1 + x - x^2$, $x_0 = -2.05$

$$g(x_0) = 1 - 2.05 = -1.05$$

$$x_1 = -1.05$$

$$x_2 = -2.100625$$

$$x_3 = -2.0378135$$

$$x_4 = -2.41794441$$

The sequence does not converge to $x = -2$

Example $g(x) = 1 + x - x^2$, $x_0 = 1.6$

$$x_1 = 1.6$$

$$x_2 = 1.6$$

$$x_3 = 1.96$$

$$x_4 = 1.9996$$

$$= 1.99999996$$

The sequence converge to $x = -2$ **Aitken**

formula for accelerating convergence

$$= - , n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Example Find the root of $f(x) = -x^3$ in $[2,3]$, $= 2.5$

$$g(x) =$$

$$= 2.5$$

$$= g() = 2.40625$$

$$= g() = 2.35828$$

$$= - = 2.3080157$$

$$= g() = 2.3288$$

$$= - = 2.3042979$$

Consider the following system

$$(x,y) = 0 , (x,y) = 0$$

1) Fixed point iterative theorem

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$$= () , , n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

The condition for converges is

$$L = \max\{+, 1$$

Stopping condition and

Example

$$(x,y) = + -4, (x,y) = y - , = (1,1)$$

$$X = = (x,y)$$

$$Y = = (x,y)$$

$$L = \max\{+, \} = \max\{+, \}$$

$$L = \max\{+, \} = \max\{, \} = 1$$

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