

9.7b LaGrange Error p.645 #45-58

* LaGrange Error Bound $R_n(x) = |P_n(x) - f(x)| \leq \frac{\max |f^{(n+1)}(z)|}{(n+1)!} (x-c)^{n+1}$

Use Taylor's Theorem to find upper bound for error, then calculate value of error.

45) $\cos(0.3) \approx 1 - \frac{(0.3)^2}{2!} + \frac{(0.3)^4}{4!}$

$f^5(x) = -\sin x$ on $[0, 0.3]$
The max value of $-\sin x$ for $0 \leq x < 0.3$ is 1

$$R_4(x) \leq \frac{\max |f^5(z)|}{5!} (x-c)^5$$

$\swarrow \quad \nwarrow$
 0.3 0

$$R_4(x) \leq \frac{1}{5!} (0.3-0)^5 = \boxed{2.025 \times 10^{-5}}$$

46) $e \approx 1 + 1 + \frac{1^2}{2!} + \frac{1^3}{3!} + \frac{1^4}{4!} + \frac{1^5}{5!}$

$f(x) = e^x$
 $f^6(x) = e^x$ on $[0, 1]$
Max value of e^x on $0 < x < 1$ is e^1

$$R_5(x) \leq \frac{\max |f^6(z)|}{6!} (x-c)^6$$

$\swarrow \quad \nwarrow$
 1 0

$$R_5(x) \leq \frac{e^1}{6!} (1-0)^6 \approx \boxed{3.78 \times 10^{-3}}$$

47) $\arcsin(0.4) \approx 0.4 + \frac{(0.4)^3}{2 \cdot 3}$

$f(x) = \arcsin x$ $f'(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = (1-x^2)^{-1/2}$

$f''(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(1-x^2)^{-3/2}(-2x) = +x(1-x^2)^{-3/2}$

$f'''(x) = 1(1-x^2)^{-3/2} + x \cdot -\frac{3}{2}(1-x^2)^{-5/2}(-2x)$
 $= (1-x^2)^{-3/2} + 3x^2(1-x^2)^{-5/2}$

$f^{(4)}(x) = -\frac{3}{2}(1-x^2)^{-5/2}(-2x) + 6x(1-x^2)^{-5/2} + 3x^2 \cdot -\frac{5}{2}(1-x^2)^{-7/2}(-2x)$
 $= \frac{3x}{(1-x^2)^{5/2}} + \frac{6x}{(1-x^2)^{5/2}} + \frac{15x^3}{(1-x^2)^{7/2}} = \frac{9x(1-x^2) + 15x^3}{(1-x^2)^{7/2}}$
 $= \frac{6x^3 + 9x}{(1-x^2)^{7/2}}$

$$R_3(x) \leq \frac{\max |f^4(z)|}{4!} (x-c)^4$$

$\swarrow \quad \nwarrow$
 0.4 0

Max value of $f^4(x)$ on $[0, 0.4]$ is $f^4(0.4) = 7.3340$

$$R_3(x) \leq \frac{7.3340}{4!} (0.4-0)^4 \approx 0.00782 = \boxed{7.82 \times 10^{-3}}$$

$$48) \arctan(0.4) \approx 0.4 - \frac{(0.4)^3}{3}$$

$$f(x) = \arctan x \quad f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2} = (1+x^2)^{-1}$$

$$f''(x) = -1(1+x^2)^{-2}(2x) = -2x(1+x^2)^{-2}$$

$$f'''(x) = -2(1+x^2)^{-2} + (-2x) \cdot (-2)(1+x^2)^{-3}(2x) \\ = -2(1+x^2)^{-2} + 8x^2(1+x^2)^{-3}$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = +4(1+x^2)^{-3}(2x) + 16x(1+x^2)^{-3} + 8x^2 \cdot -3(1+x^2)^{-4}(2x)$$

$$= \frac{8x}{(1+x^2)^3} + \frac{16x}{(1+x^2)^3} - \frac{48x^3}{(1+x^2)^4} = \frac{24x(1+x^2) - 48x^3}{(1+x^2)^4} = \frac{24x(x^2+1)}{(1+x^2)^4}$$

$$R_3(x) \leq \frac{\max |f^{(4)}(z)|}{4!} (x-c)^4$$

Max value of $f^{(4)}(x)$ on $[0, 0.4]$ is $f^{(4)}(0.4) \approx 22.3672$

$$R_3(x) \leq \frac{22.3672}{4!} (0.4-0)^4 \approx \boxed{0.0239}$$

Determine degree of Maclaurin polynomial for error of approximation be less than 0.001 ($c=0$)

$$49) \sin(0.3)$$

$$g(x) = \sin x$$

$$|g^{(n+1)}(x)| \leq 1 \text{ for all } x$$

max value

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{\max |g^{(n+1)}(z)|}{(n+1)!} (x-c)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{1}{(n+1)!} (0.3)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

By Trial and error, $n=3$

$$50) \cos(0.1)$$

$$g(x) = \cos x$$

$$|g^{(n+1)}(x)| \leq 1 \text{ for all } x$$

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{\max |g^{(n+1)}(z)|}{(n+1)!} (x-c)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{1}{(n+1)!} (0.1)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

By trial and error, $n=2$

1.76

51) $e^{0.6}$

$g(x) = e^x$

Max on $[0, 0.6]$ for e^x
is $e^{0.6} \approx 1.8221$

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{\text{Max} |g^{(n+1)}(z)|}{(n+1)!} (x-c)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

\uparrow \uparrow
 0.6 0

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{1.8221}{(n+1)!} (0.6)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

By trial and error, $n = 5$

52) $\ln(1.25)$

$g(x) = \ln x$

Max on $[1, 1.25]$ for $\ln x$

is $n!$

$g'(x) = \frac{1}{x} = x^{-1}$

$g''(x) = -1x^{-2}$

$g'''(x) = 2x^{-3}$

$g^{(4)}(x) = -6x^{-4}$

$g^{(5)}(x) = 24x^{-5}$

$f^{(n+1)}(x) = (-1)^n \cdot \frac{n!}{x^{n+1}}$

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{\text{Max} |g^{(n+1)}(z)|}{(n+1)!} (x-c)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

\uparrow \uparrow
 1.25 1

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{n!}{(n+1)!} (0.25)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

$$= \frac{1}{n+1} (0.25)^{n+1} < 0.001$$

By trial and error, $n = 3$

54) Determine degree of Maclaurin polynomial for error to be less than 0.0001

$f(x) = e^{-\pi x}$ approximate $f(1.3)$

$f'(x) = -\pi e^{-\pi x}$ | Max value $\leq |(-\pi)^{n+1}|$ on $[0, 1.3]$

$f''(x) = +\pi^2 e^{-\pi x}$

$f'''(x) = -\pi^3 e^{-\pi x}$

$$R_n(x) \leq \frac{|\pi^{n+1}|}{(n+1)!} (x-c)^{n+1} < 0.0001$$

$$= \frac{\pi^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} (1.3-0)^{n+1} < 0.0001$$

By trial and error, $n = 16$

Determine values of x where error cannot exceed 0.001

55) $f(x) = e^x \approx 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!}, x < 0$

$R_3(x) \leq \frac{e^z}{4!} (x-0)^4 < 0.001, z < 0$

$\frac{e^z}{4!} x^4 < 0.001$

$e^z x^4 = 0.024$
 $(e^z x^4)^{1/4} = (0.024)^{1/4}$

$|e^{z/4} x| = 0.3936$

$|x| = \frac{0.3936}{e^{z/4}} < 0.3936$

$-0.3936 < x < 0$

56) $f(x) = \sin x \approx x - \frac{x^3}{3!}$

$R_n(x) \leq \frac{\max(\sin z)}{4!} (x-c)^4 \leq 0.001$

$\frac{1}{4!} x^4 < 0.001$

$x^4 = 0.024$

$|x| = 0.3936$

$-0.3936 < x < 0.3936$

57) $f(x) = \cos x \approx 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!}$

* first unused term is $n=6$
 $R_4(x) \leq \frac{\max(\cos z)}{6!} (x-0)^6 < 0.001$

$= \frac{1}{6!} x^6 < 0.001$

$x^6 = 0.72$

$|x| < 0.9467$

$-0.9467 < x < 0.9467$

58) $f(x) = e^{-2x} \approx 1 - 2x + 2x^2 - \frac{4}{3}x^3$

$f'(x) = -2e^{-2x}$

$f''(x) = 4e^{-2x}$

$f'''(x) = -8e^{-2x}$

$f^{(4)}(x) = 16e^{-2x}$

$R_3(x) = \frac{\max|f^{(4)}(z)|}{4!} (x-0)^4 < 0.001$

$= \frac{16e^{-2z}}{4!} x^4 < 0.001$

$= \frac{16e^{-2z}}{24} x^4 < 0.001$

$e^{-2z} x^4 < 0.0015$

$(x^4)^{1/4} < \left(\frac{0.0015}{e^{-2z}}\right)^{1/4}$

$|x| < 0.1970 e^{1/2 z} < 0.1970$

$0 < x < 0.1970$