

Math 551 - DeLillo  
Homework for Chap 6  
due Th 5/1/08

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written HW

(8.) Do 6.20 from text

Computer HW VI

Program Simpson's rule. You may revise my  
`traptd2(f, a, b, n)`. Compare your program  
with `traptd2` and `quadtx` for some selected  
integrals, e.g.  $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$  where  $f(x) = x^2, x^3,$  and  $x^4$ .  
Also try the integral for  $\pi$  in 6.3 and 6.4.

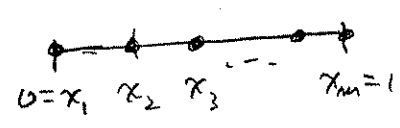
An alternate calculation of the NC weights

see P 4.1.2 (2<sup>nd</sup> edition) = P 4.1.4 (1<sup>st</sup> edition)

Recall the  $m$ -pt closed NC rules should

compute  $\int_0^1 x^{i-1} dx = \frac{x^i}{i} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{1}{i}$  exactly ( $i=1:m$ )

i.e.  $Q_{NC(m)} = \sum_{k=1}^m w_k f_k = \sum_{k=1}^m w_k x_k^{i-1} = \frac{1}{i}$

$x_k$ 's equidist.   $x_k := \frac{k-1}{m-1}, k=1:m$

$i=1$   $w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_m = 1$

$i=2$   $w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + \dots + w_m x_m = \frac{1}{2}$

$i=3$   $w_1 x_1^2 + w_2 x_2^2 + \dots + w_m x_m^2 = \frac{1}{3}$

$\vdots$

$i=m$   $w_1 x_1^{m-1} + w_2 x_2^{m-1} + \dots + w_m x_m^{m-1} = \frac{1}{m}$

↓ Think matrix-vector

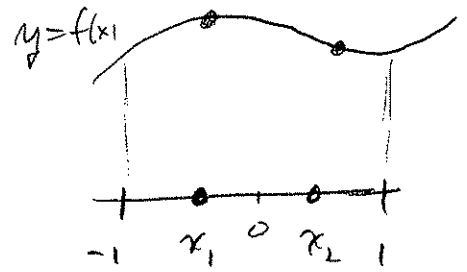
$$A w = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & \dots & x_m \\ x_1^2 & x_2^2 & x_3^2 & \dots & x_m^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_1^{m-1} & x_2^{m-1} & x_3^{m-1} & \dots & x_m^{m-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \\ w_3 \\ \vdots \\ w_m \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/3 \\ \vdots \\ 1/m \end{bmatrix} = r$$

$A =$  Vandermonde matrix again!  
since  $x_k$ 's are given.

MATLAB soln:  $w = A \setminus r$

(Notes from van Loan's book)

### 4.1.4 Gauss Quadrature



Problem Determine  $w_1, w_2, x_1, x_2$

such that

$$w_1 f(x_1) + w_2 f(x_2) \stackrel{!}{=} \int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx$$

exact!

$$x_1, x_2 \in [-1, 1]$$

for  $f(x) =$  polynomial of degree  $\leq 3$ .

degree 0  $f(x)=1 \Rightarrow w_1 + w_2 = \int_{-1}^1 1 dx = 2$

1  $f(x)=x \Rightarrow w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 = \int_{-1}^1 x dx = 0$

2  $f(x)=x^2 \Rightarrow w_1 x_1^2 + w_2 x_2^2 = \int_{-1}^1 x^2 dx = \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_{-1}^1 = \frac{2}{3}$

3  $f(x)=x^3 \Rightarrow w_1 x_1^3 + w_2 x_2^3 = \int_{-1}^1 x^3 dx = 0$

i.e.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} w_1 + w_2 &= 2 \\ w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 &= 0 \\ w_1 x_1^2 + w_2 x_2^2 &= \frac{2}{3} \\ w_1 x_1^3 + w_2 x_2^3 &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 4 \text{ nonlinear eqs.} \\ \text{in} \\ 4 \text{ unknowns} \\ w_1, w_2, x_1, x_2 \end{array}$$

Soln:  $4^{\text{th}} \text{ eq} - x_1^2 \times 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ eq} = \cancel{w_1 x_1^3} + w_2 x_2^3 - \cancel{w_1 x_1^3} - w_2 x_2 x_1^2$   
 $= w_2 x_2 (x_2^2 - x_1^2) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x_2^2 = x_1^2 \Rightarrow x_2 = \pm x_1$$

$x_2 = -x_1$  since  $x_1, x_2$  must be distinct ( $x_1 \neq x_2$ )

2<sup>nd</sup> eq  $\Rightarrow 0 = \omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2 = \omega_1 x_1 - \omega_2 x_1 = (\omega_1 - \omega_2) x_1$   
 $\Rightarrow \boxed{\omega_1 = \omega_2}$

1<sup>st</sup> eq  $\Rightarrow 2 = \omega_1 + \omega_2 = 2\omega_1 \Rightarrow \boxed{\omega_1 = \omega_2 = 1}$

3<sup>rd</sup> eq  $\Rightarrow \frac{2}{3} = \omega_1 x_1^2 + \omega_2 x_2^2 = 2x_1^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x_1^2 = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{matrix} x_1 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ x_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{matrix}}$

i.e.  $\int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx = \omega_1 f(x_1) + \omega_2 f(x_2)$   
 $= \left[ f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \right] =: Q_{GL}(2)$   
 ← 2 pt Gauss-Legendre rule or (Gauss quad.)

Note For  $\int_a^b f(s) ds$ , we need change-of-variables  
 $s = \frac{b-a}{2} x + \frac{a+b}{2}$  taking  $\begin{matrix} \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ & \bullet & 0 & \bullet & \\ & x_1 & & x_2 & \end{matrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ & & \bullet & \bullet & \\ & a & s_1 & s_2 & b \end{matrix}$

Then  $\int_a^b f(s) ds = \frac{b-a}{2} \int_{-1}^1 g(x) dx$  where  $g(x) = f\left(\frac{b-a}{2} x + \frac{a+b}{2}\right)$   
 $\approx \frac{b-a}{2} [g(x_1) + g(x_2)]$  exact

Note: For any cubic  $f(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3$   
 $\int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx = a_0 \int_{-1}^1 dx + a_1 \int_{-1}^1 x dx + a_2 \int_{-1}^1 x^2 dx + a_3 \int_{-1}^1 x^3 dx = f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$

## m-pt Gauss-Legendre rule

$$Q_{GL}(m) = \omega_1 f(x_1) + \omega_2 f(x_2) + \dots + \omega_m f(x_m)$$

where for  $f(x)$  with  $x \in [-1, 1]$  we have

$$\omega_1 f(x_1) + \dots + \omega_m f(x_m) \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{exact}}}{=} \int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx \quad (*)$$

for  $f(x)$  polynomial of degree  $\leq 2m-1$  \*\*

(\*\* This is the best we can expect with  
 $2m$  unknowns  $\omega_k, x_k \quad k=1:m$ )

For  $f(x) = 1, x, x^2, \dots, x^{2m-1}$

$$(*) \Rightarrow \omega_1 x_1^k + \omega_2 x_2^k + \dots + \omega_m x_m^k = \int_{-1}^1 x^k dx$$

$$= \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} \Big|_{-1}^1 = \frac{1 - (-1)^{k+1}}{k+1}$$

<u>l.e.</u>	$\omega_1 + \omega_2 + \dots + \omega_m = 2$	}	$2m$ nonlinear eq in $2m$ unknowns $\omega_k, x_k, k=1:m$ <u>Solve once + save</u>
(k=1)	$\omega_1 x_1 + \omega_2 x_2 + \dots + \omega_m x_m = 0$		
(k=2)	$\omega_1 x_1^2 + \omega_2 x_2^2 + \dots + \omega_m x_m^2 = \frac{2}{3}$		
⋮	⋮		
(k=2m-1)	$\omega_1 x_1^{2m-1} + \omega_2 x_2^{2m-1} + \dots + \omega_m x_m^{2m-1} = 0$		

How to solve? See Math 751 text Numerical Linear Algebra Lect. 37.

## Error estimate

$$\text{CBS} \quad \left| \int_a^b f(x) dx - Q_{GL(m)} \right| \leq \frac{(b-a)^{2m+1} (m!)^4}{(2m+1) [(2m)!]^3} M_{2m}$$

where  $|f^{(2m)}(x)| \leq M_{2m}$  for  $x \in [a, b]$ .

Note If  $f(x)$  is a poly. of degree  $\leq 2m-1$  then we can take  $M_{2m} = 0$  and error = 0.

Note: We have (roughly) that  $h \approx \frac{b-a}{m}$   
 $\therefore$  error  $\approx O(h^{2m})$  — very rough since  $x_k$ 's are not equally distributed.

### 4.4.2 Spline Quadrature

$S(x)$  = cubic spline interpolant of  $(x_i, y_i)$   $i=1:m$   
 $y_i = f(x_i)$ .

Then  $g_i(x) = p_{i,4} + p_{i,3}(x-x_i) + p_{i,2}(x-x_i)^2 + p_{i,1}(x-x_i)^3$

And  $\int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} g_i(x) dx = p_{i,4} h_i + \frac{p_{i,3}}{2} h_i^2 + \frac{p_{i,2}}{3} h_i^3 + \frac{p_{i,1}}{4} h_i^4$   
integrate term-by-term  
 $h_i := x_{i+1} - x_i$

$$\therefore \int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \int_{x_1}^{x_m} S(x) dx = \sum_{i=1}^{m-1} \int_{x_i}^{x_{i+1}} g_i(x) dx$$

Section 4.5 — skip

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% Script File: GLvsNC
%
% Compares the m-point Newton-Cotes and Gauss-Legendre rules
% applied to the integral of sin(x) from 0 to pi/2.
%
clc
home
disp(' m          NC(m)          GL(m) ')
disp('-----')
for m=2:6
    NC = QNC('sin',0,pi/2,m);
    GL = QGL('sin',0,pi/2,m);
    disp(sprintf(' %1.0f  %20.16f  %20.16f',m,NC,GL))
end

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function numI = QGL(fname,a,b,m)
%
% Pre:
%   fname    string that names an available function of the
%             form f(x) that is defined on [a,b]. f should
%             return a column vector if x is a column vector.
%   a,b      real scalars
%   m        integer that satisfies 2 <= m <=6
% Post:
%   numI     the m-point Gauss-Legendre approximation of the
%             integral of f(x) from a to b.
%
[w,x] = WGL(m);
fvals = feval(fname,((b-a)/2)*x + ((a+b)/2)*ones(m,1));
numI = ((b-a)/2)*w'*fvals;

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function [w,x] = WGL(m);
%
% Pre:
%   m        integer that satisfies 2 <= m <= 6
%
% Post:
%   w        column m-vector consisting of the weights for the
%             m-point Gauss-Legendre rule..
%   x        column m-vector consisting of the abscissae for the
%             m-point Gauss-Legendre rule.
%
w = ones(m,1);
x = ones(m,1);

if m==2
    w(1) = 1.000000000000000; w(2) = w(1);
    x(1) = -0.577350269189626; x(2) = -x(1);
elseif m==3
    w(1) = 0.555555555555558; w(3) = w(1);
    w(2) = 0.888888888888889;
    x(1) = -0.774596669241483; x(3) = -x(1);
    x(2) = 0.000000000000000;
elseif m==4
    w(1) = 0.347854845137454; w(4) = w(1);
    w(2) = 0.652145154862546; w(3) = w(2);
    x(1) = -0.861136311594053; x(4) = -x(1);
    x(2) = -0.339981043584856; x(3) = -x(2);
elseif m==5
    w(1) = 0.236926885056189; w(5) = w(1);
    w(2) = 0.478628670499366; w(4) = w(2);
    w(3) = 0.568888888888889;
    x(1) = -0.906179845938644; x(5) = -x(1);
    x(2) = -0.538469310105683; x(4) = -x(2);
    x(3) = 0.000000000000000;
else
    w(1) = 0.171324492379170; w(6) = w(1);
    w(2) = 0.360761573048139; w(5) = w(2);
    w(3) = 0.467913934572691; w(4) = w(3);
    x(1) = -0.932469514203152; x(6) = -x(1);
    x(2) = -0.661209386466265; x(5) = -x(2);
    x(3) = -0.238619186083197; x(4) = -x(3);
end;

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