

Roots of Polynomials, Roots location with Software Packages [1-6]

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Müller’s method with guesses of $x_0, x_1, x_2 = 0.5, 0.4, 0.3$ respectively to determine a root of the equation

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x + 1$$

$$h_0 = x_1 - x_0 \quad h_1 = x_2 - x_1 \quad \delta_0 = \frac{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}{x_1 - x_0} \quad \delta_1 = \frac{f(x_2) - f(x_1)}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$a = \frac{\delta_1 - \delta_0}{h_1 + h_0} \quad b = ah_1 + \delta_1 \quad c = f(x_2)$$

$$x_3 = x_2 + \frac{-2c}{b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}$$

1st iteration

$$f(x_0) = f(0.5) = 0.5^3 - 3 \times 0.5 + 1 = -0.375$$

$$f(x_1) = f(0.4) = -0.136$$

$$f(x_2) = f(0.3) = 0.127$$

$$c = f(x_2) = 0.127$$

$$h_0 = 0.4 - 0.5 = -0.1$$

$$h_1 = 0.3 - 0.4 = -0.1$$

$$\delta_0 = (-0.136 - (-0.375)) / (-0.1) = -2.39$$

$$\delta_1 = (0.127 - (-0.136)) / (0.3 - 0.4) = -2.63$$

$$a = \frac{(-2.63 - (-2.39))}{(-0.1 - 0.1)} = 1.2$$

$$b = 1.2(-0.1) + (-2.63) = -2.75$$

$$c = 0.127$$

$$\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac} = \sqrt{(-2.75)^2 - 4 \times 1.2 \times 0.127} = 2.6368$$

$$|-2.75 - 2.6368| > |-2.75 + 2.6368|$$

$$x_3 = 0.3 + \frac{(-2 \times 0.127)}{(-2.75 - 2.6368)} = 0.34715$$

$$f(0.34715) = 0.000386$$

the Newton-Raphson method to determine one real root for the equation

using an initial guess of 3.0

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 11.7x^2 + 17.7x - 5$$

$$\bullet \quad x_{i+1} = x_i - \frac{f(x_i)}{f'(x_i)}$$

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 11.7x^2 + 17.7x - 5$$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 23.4x + 17.7$$

$$x_{i+1} = x_i - \frac{2x_i^3 - 11.7x_i^2 + 17.7x_i - 5}{6x_i^2 - 23.4x_i + 17.7}$$

Iteration	x_i	ϵ_a (%)
1	3	
2	5.1333	$[(5.1333 - 3) / 5.1333] 100\% = 41.5581$
3	4.2698	$[(4.2698 - 5.1333) / 4.2698] 100\% = 20.2234$
4	3.7929	$[(3.7929 - 4.2698) / 3.7929] 100\% = 12.5735$
5	3.5998	$[(3.5998 - 3.7959) / 3.5998] 100\% = 5.4503$

$$x = 3.5998$$

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for i=1:kmax          'bisection'
    ya=f(xl);
    yb=f(xu);
    xr=0.5*(xl+xu);
    yr=f(xr);
    fprintf(fid,'%4.1f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f  %7.4f  %7.4f  %7.4f\n',i,xl,xu,xr,ya,yb,yr);
    if ya*yr<0
        xu=xr;
    else xl=xr;
    end
    if abs(((sqrt(508)-xr)/(sqrt(508))))*100)<tol;
        break
    end
end
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'falseposition'

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for k=1:kmax
    xr=xu-yb*(xu-xl)/(yb-ya);
    y=f(xr);
    iter=k;
    fprintf(fid,'%4.1f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f\n',iter,xl,xu,xr,ya,yb,y);
    if abs(((sqrt(508)-xr)/(sqrt(508)))*100)<tol;
        disp('false position has converged');break;
    end
    if sign(y)~=sign(ya)
        xu=xr;
        yb=y;
    else
        xl=xr;
        ya=y;
    end
    if iter>=kmax
        disp('zero not found to desired tolerance')
    end
end
end
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for i=1:kmax
    ya=f(xl);
    yb=f(xu);
    xr=xl-(ya*(xl-xu))/(ya-yb);
    yr=f(xr);
    fprintf(fid,'%4.1f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f %7.4f \n',i,xl,xu,xr,ya,yb,yr);
    if abs(((sqrt(508)-xr)/(sqrt(508)))*100)<tol;
        break
    end
    xu=xl;
    xl=xr;
end
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'secant'

$$f(x) = X^2 - 12X + 27 = (x - 9)(x - 3)$$

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>> sys=[1 -12 27]
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sys =
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1 -12 27
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>> roots(sys)
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ans =
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9
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3
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>> fx=(ans).^2-12*(ans)+27
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fx =
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0
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0
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