

UNIT - 3

Numerical Integration

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Numerical Integration is the process of evaluating a definite integral from the values of the function, given in tabular form.

Newton-Cotes Quadrature formula -

$$\text{Let } I = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Let $x_0 = a, x_1 = a+h, x_2 = a+2h, \dots, x_n = a+nh = b$ and
Corresponding values of $f(x)$ be $y_0, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$ respectively.

$$p = \frac{x - x_0}{h}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = \frac{1}{h} \Rightarrow dx = h dp$$

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- (10)

Newton's forward interpolation formula -

$$y = y_0 + p \Delta y_0 + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} \Delta^2 y_0 + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} \Delta^3 y_0 + \dots$$

Integrating

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+nh} y dx = \int_0^n \left[y_0 + p \Delta y_0 + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} \Delta^2 y_0 + \dots \right] h dp$$

$$= h \left[p y_0 + \frac{p^2}{2!} \Delta y_0 + \left(\frac{p^3}{6} - \frac{p^2}{4} \right) \Delta^2 y_0 + \dots \right]_0^n$$

$$= h \left[n y_0 + \frac{n^2}{2} \Delta y_0 + \left(\frac{n^3}{6} - \frac{n^2}{4} \right) \Delta^2 y_0 + \left(\frac{n^4}{4} - n^3 + n^2 \right) \frac{\Delta^3 y_0}{6} + \dots \right]$$

This is Newton-Cotes Quadrature formula. ①

Trapezoidal rule $\therefore$ on taking $n=1$

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+nh} f(x) dx = \frac{h}{2} [(y_0 + y_n) + 2(y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + \dots + y_{n-1})]$$

Simpson's one-third rule $\therefore$ on putting $n=2$ in eq (1)

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+nh} f(x) dx = \frac{h}{3} [(y_0 + y_n) + 2(y_2 + y_4 + y_6 + \dots + y_{n-2}) + 4(y_1 + y_3 + y_5 + \dots + y_{n-1})]$$

Simpson's $\frac{3}{8}$ rule $\therefore$ on putting $n=3$ in eq (1)

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+nh} f(x) dx = \frac{3h}{8} [(y_0 + y_n) + 3(y_1 + y_2 + y_4 + \dots + y_{n-1}) + 2(y_3 + y_6 + y_9 + \dots)]$$

Weddle's rule $\therefore$ on putting $n=6$ in eq (1)

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_0+nh} f(x) dx = \frac{3h}{10} [y_0 + 5y_1 + y_2 + 6y_3 + y_4 + 5y_5 + y_6]$$

Romberg Integration $\therefore$

$$I_{k,j} = I_{k-1,j+1} + \frac{I_{k-1,j+1} - I_{k-1,j}}{4^{k-1} - 1}, \quad k \geq 2$$

where k = order of integration

$k=1$ value for regular trapezoidal rule.

$k=2$, value using error

j = more/less accurate estimate of integral

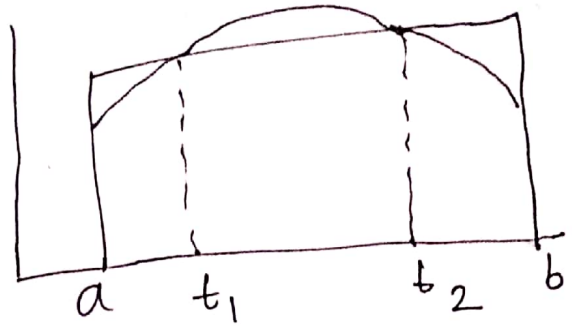
Gaussian Quadrature -:

Coordinate transformation from $[a, b]$ to $[-1, 1]$

$$t = \frac{b-a}{2}x + \frac{b+a}{2}$$

$$x = -1 \Rightarrow t = a$$

$$x = 1 \Rightarrow t = b$$



$$\int_a^b f(t) dt = \int_{-1}^1 f\left(\frac{b-a}{2}x + \frac{b+a}{2}\right) \left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right) dx = \int_{-1}^1 g(x) dx$$

Ex-1. Use trapezoidal rule with four steps to estimate the value of integral $\int_0^2 \frac{x}{\sqrt{2+x^2}} dx$

Sol. taking $n=4$
 $h = \frac{x_n - x_0}{n} = \frac{2 - 0}{4} = 0.5$

x	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
y	0	0.333	0.57735	0.72760	0.81649
	y_0	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^2 y dx &= \frac{h}{2} [(y_0 + y_n) + 2(y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + \dots + y_{n-1})] \\ &= \frac{h}{2} [(y_0 + y_4) + 2(y_1 + y_2 + y_3)] \\ &= \frac{0.5}{2} [(0 + 0.81649) + (0.333 + 0.57735 + 0.72760)] \\ &= 1.02326 \end{aligned}$$

Ans

Ex. Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{2x}{1+x^2} dx$ using Simpson's $\frac{1}{3}$ rule.

Sol taking $n=4$

$$h = \frac{1-0}{4} = 0.25$$

x	0	0.25	0.50	0.75	1.00
$y = \frac{2x}{1+x^2}$	0	0.47	0.80	0.96	1.00
	y_0	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 \frac{2x}{1+x^2} dx &= \frac{h}{3} [(y_0 + y_4) + 2y_2 + 4(y_1 + y_3)] \\ &= \frac{0.25}{3} [(0 + 1) + 2 \times 0.8 + 4(0.47 + 0.96)] \\ &= 0.69 \text{ Ans.} \end{aligned}$$

Ex.

Time(m)	2	4	6	8	10	12
Velocity(km/h)	22	30	27	18	7	0

Apply Simpson's $\frac{3}{8}$ rule to find the distance covered by the car

Sol. The velocity of the car is given in km/hr let us

Convert the velocity to km/min.

Time(m)	2	4	6	8	10	12
Velocity(km/min)	$\frac{22}{60}$	$\frac{30}{60}$	$\frac{27}{60}$	$\frac{18}{60}$	$\frac{7}{60}$	$\frac{0}{60}$
	y_0	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4	y_5

$$\begin{aligned} \int_2^{12} y dx &= \frac{3h}{8} [(y_0 + y_5) + 3(y_1 + y_2 + y_4) + 2(y_3)] \\ &= \frac{3 \times 2}{8} \left[\left(\frac{22}{60} + 0 \right) + 3 \left(\frac{30}{60} + \frac{27}{60} + \frac{7}{60} \right) + 2 \times \frac{18}{60} \right] \\ &= 3.125 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$