

Using Numerical Integration

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Outline

- Review last lecture
 - Good programming practice
 - Simpson's rule
 - Trapezoid rule
- Selecting the step size for specified error in the numerical integral
 - Using computations for step size h in calculation of numerical integral for h/2
 - Richardson extrapolation and Romberg integration

Good Programming Practice

- Make programs as general as possible
- Plan your programs before coding
- Use good program structure
 - Logic easy to follow
 - No goto statements
 - Use multiple functions each doing one task
 - Use white space to show structure clearly
- Use comments effectively
- Use meaningful variable names

Review Numerical Integration

- Numerical integration is used for
 - Functions that have no analytic integral
 - We are able to compute f(x) for any x, but we cannot compute $\int f(x)dx$ analytically
 - Experimental or tabular data for which no functional relationship exists
- We integrate such functions by using interpolation between tabular data points or computed values of f(x)
 - See example at right

$$I = \int_{1.1}^{2.3} e^{-x^2} dx$$

Numerical integration formulas

- Simple methods use N+1 evenly-spaced points numbered from 0 to N
- Trapezoid rule
- $$I = \int_a^b f(x)dx = T + E = h \left[\frac{f_0 + f_N}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} f_i \right] + O(h^2)$$

Simpson's rule

$$I = \int_a^b f(x)dx = S + E = \frac{h}{3} \left[f_0 + f_N + 4 \sum_{i=1,3,5}^{N-1} f_i + 2 \sum_{i=2,4,6}^{N-2} f_i \right] + O(h^4)$$

- Look at example calculations with each of these rules

$$h = \frac{b-a}{N}$$

$$x_k = a + kh$$

$$f_k = f(x_k)$$

Apply Trapezoid Rule

$$T = \frac{h}{2} \left[f_0 + f_N + 2 \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} f_i \right] \quad h = \frac{b-a}{N} \quad x_k = a + kh$$

$$f_k = f(x_k)$$

k	x_k	f_k
0	0	1.00
1	0.1	1.10
2	0.2	1.20
3	0.3	1.29
4	0.4	1.37
5	0.5	1.45
6	0.6	1.50

- What are N and h? $N = 6$
 $h = 0.1$
- Write the equation for T using these data

$$T = \frac{0.1}{2} [1.00 + 1.50 + 2(1.10 + 1.20 + 1.29 + 1.37 + 1.45)]$$

$$T = 0.766$$

Apply Simpson's Rule

$$S = \frac{h}{3} \left[f_0 + f_N + 4 \sum_{i=1,3,5}^{N-1} f_i + 2 \sum_{i=2,4,6}^{N-2} f_i \right] \quad h = \frac{b-a}{N} \quad x_k = a + kh \quad f_k = f(x_k)$$

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$$S = 0.7667$$

How to Choose $h = (b - a)/N$

- Numerical integration formulae

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- Repeat calculations with different values of N until two values of S (or T) are close enough

$$h = \frac{b-a}{N}$$

$$x_k = a + kh$$

$$f_k = f(x_k)$$

Repeating Calculations

- Look at Trapezoid rule with N = 1, 2, 4, 8, etc. steps – what are $f(a+kh)$ sums?

Values in same color are at same x locations

– $L = b - a$, $h = (b - a)/N = L/N$

– $N = 1$, $\text{sum} = f(a)/2 + f(b)/2$

– $N = 2$, $\text{sum} = f(a)/2 + f(a+L/2) + f(b)/2$

– $N = 4$, $\text{sum} = f(a)/2 + f(a+L/4) + f(a+2L/4) + f(a+3L/4) + f(b)/2$

– $N = 8$, $\text{sum} = f(a)/2 + f(a+L/8) + f(a+2L/8) + f(a+3L/8) + f(a+4L/8) + f(a+5L/8) + f(a+6L/8) + f(a+7L/8) + f(b)/2$

$$T = h(\text{sum}) \quad (\text{sum}) = \frac{f_0 + f_N}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} f_i$$

Repeating Calculations II

- Use sums from previous steps:

– $N = 1$; $h = (b - a)/N$; $\text{sum} = [f(a) + f(b)]/2$; $T = h^*(\text{sum})$

– $N = 2$; $h = (b - a)/N$; $\text{sum} = \text{sum} + f(a+h)$; $T = h^*(\text{sum})$

– $N = 4$; $h = (b - a)/N$; $\text{sum} = \text{sum} + f(a+h) + f(a+3h)$; $T = h^*(\text{sum})$

– $N = 8$; $h = (b - a)/N$; $\text{sum} = \text{sum} + f(a+L/8) + f(a+3L/8) + f(a+5L/8) + f(a+7L/8)$; $T = h^*(\text{sum})$

$$T = h(\text{sum}) \quad (\text{sum}) = \frac{f_0 + f_N}{2} + \sum_{i=1}^{N-1} f_i$$

A General Approach

- The derivation on the next two slides shows that the Trapezoid rule value for step size h, T(h) and the value for step size 2h, T(2h), are related as follows:

$$T(h) = \frac{T(2h)}{2} + h \sum_{k=1,3,5,\dots}^{N-1} f(a + kh)$$

- This equation can be used in code where a conditional loop doubles N, computes the sum shown above, then gets a new T value = oldT/2 + h*sum

Another Approach II

$$T(2h) = 2h \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f(a + (1)2h) + f(a + (2)2h) + f(a + (3)2h) + f(a + (4)2h) + \dots + f(b - 2h) \right]$$

$$T(h) = h \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f(a + h) + f(a + 2h) + f(a + 3h) + f(a + 4h) + \dots + f(b - 2h) + f(b - h) \right]$$

$$\frac{T(2h)}{2} = \frac{2h}{2} \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f(a + 2h) + f(a + 4h) + f(a + 6h) + f(a + 8h) + \dots + f(b - 2h) \right]$$

Another Approach III

$$T(h) = h \left[\frac{f(a) + f(b)}{2} + f(a+h) + f(a+2h) + f(a+3h) + f(a+4h) + \dots + f(b-2h) + f(b-h) \right]$$

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$$T(h) - \frac{T(2h)}{2} = h [f(a+h) + f(a+3h) + f(a+5h) + \dots + f(b-h)]$$

$$T(h) = \frac{T(2h)}{2} + h \sum_{k=1,3,5,\dots}^{N-1} f(a+kh)$$

Trapezoid VBA Code

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converged = false : sum = (f(a) + f(b)) : trap = sum*(b - a)/2 : N = 1
Do While not converged
  oldT = trap : N = 2 * N
  h = (b - a) / N : sum = 0
  For k = 1 to N - 1 Step 2
    sum = sum + f(a + k * h)
  Next k
  trap = h * sum + oldT/2
  converged = abs(trap - oldT) <= maxRelErr * abs(trap)
Loop
Application.Run(f, a + k * h)
    
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Romberg Integration

- Algorithm that simultaneously decreases h (increases N) and increases order of the numerical integration formula
- Based on technique known as Richardson extrapolation
 - This will be covered in next slides
- Romberg integration gives accurate results with automatic setting of step size for desired accuracy

Derivation of Romberg method at end of this presentation

Richardson Extrapolation

- Uses finite-difference method with two step sizes to get improved accuracy
- Start with $E = F(h) + TE = F(h) + O(h^n)$
 - E is exact result
 - F(h) is finite difference approximation with step size h
 - Truncation error, TE, is $O(h^n)$
 - Actually have an infinite series for error

$$TE = \frac{h^n}{n!} \left(\frac{d^n f}{dx^n} \right)_{x=a} = \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} \frac{h^n}{n!} \left(\frac{d^n f}{dx^n} \right)_{x=a} = \sum_{k=n}^{\infty} A_k h^k$$

Richardson Extrapolation II

- Look at evaluating error with two step sizes, h and kh
 - Exact value will not change
 - Create sum to remove first error term
- $$E = F(h) + TE = F(h) + \sum_{m=n}^{\infty} A_m h^m = F(h) + A_n h^n + \sum_{m=n+1}^{\infty} A_m h^m$$
- $$E = F(kh) + TE = \dots = F(kh) + A_n (kh)^n + \sum_{m=n+1}^{\infty} A_m (kh)^m$$
- Multiply first equation by k^n and subtract it from the second equation to eliminate A_n
- $$k^n E - E = k^n F(h) - F(kh) + k^n A_n h^n - A_n (kh)^n + O(h^{n+1})$$

Richardson Extrapolation III

- Solve equation from previous slide for E

$$k^n E - E = k^n F(h) - F(kh) + O(h^{n+1})$$

$$E = \frac{k^n F(h) - F(kh)}{k^n - 1} + O(h^{n+1}) = RE + O(h^{n+1})$$
- The formula for the Richardson extrapolation, RE, has a higher order of the error
 - Truncation error for RE shown below

$$TE = \frac{k^n \sum_{m=n+1}^{\infty} A_m h^m - \sum_{m=n+1}^{\infty} A_m (kh)^m}{k^n - 1} = \sum_{m=n+1}^{\infty} B_m h^m \quad \frac{B_m}{k^n - 1} A_m$$

Richardson Extrapolation IV

- What does this mean?

$$E = \frac{k^n F(h) - F(kh)}{k^n - 1} + O(h^{n+1}) = RE + O(h^{n+1})$$

- E is the exact result, F(h) is a finite difference result with step size h
 - If we have two nth-order finite difference results, with two step sizes h and kh, we can use this formula to get an improved result with an error order of n + 1

Richardson Extrapolation V

- Use Richardson extrapolation for $d\cos(x)/dx$ at $x = 1$ and $h = 0.1$ & $h = 0.2$
 - What are k and n? $k = h_2/h_1 = 2$; $n = \text{order} = 1$

$$f_i' = \frac{f_{i+1} - f_i}{h} + O(h^1)$$

$$f_i'(h=0.1) = \frac{\cos(1.1) - \cos(1)}{0.1} = -0.8670618$$

$$f_i'(h=0.2) = \frac{\cos(1.2) - \cos(1)}{0.2} = -0.8897228$$

$$RE = \frac{k^n F(h) - F(kh)}{k^n - 1} = \frac{2^1(-0.86706) - -0.88972}{2^1 - 1} = -0.84440093$$

- Extrapolation closer to correct value of $d\cos(x)/dx|_{x=1} = -\sin(1) = -0.8414710$

Romberg Integration

- A technique that starts with a trapezoid rule value for an initial step size, h_{init}
- In a series of iterations, the step size is cut in half for each iteration
- The trapezoid rule is applied to the new step size
- Richardson extrapolation is applied to the trapezoid rule results **and** to all previous Richardson extrapolations

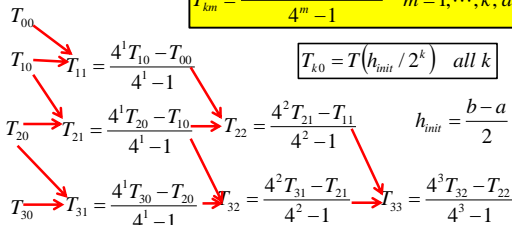
Romberg Integration Notation

- The original trapezoid approximation with $h = (b - a)/N_{\text{init}}$ is called T_{00} $N_{\text{init}} = 1$ or 2
- As N is doubled we get a sequence of Trapezoid Rule values with $N = 2N_{\text{init}}, 4N_{\text{init}}, 8N_{\text{init}}, \text{etc.}$ called $T_{10}, T_{20}, T_{30}, \text{etc.}$
- After we compute each T_{k0} , we compute Richardson extrapolations $T_{k1}, T_{k2}, \dots, T_{kk}$
- Continue to double N until we converge with $|T_{kk} - T_{k,k-1}| < \text{allowedErr} * |T_{kk}|$

Romberg Integration Structure

- General forms for initial T_{k0} and subsequent T_{km}

$$T_{km} = \frac{4^m T_{k,m-1} - T_{k-1,m-1}}{4^m - 1} \quad m = 1, \dots, k; \text{ all } k$$



Romberg Pseudo Code

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maxDoubles = 20; err = 1e-10; N = 2;
cvg = false; k = 0; h = (b - a)/2
T00 = h * [f(a) + 2 * f(a+h) + f(b)]/2;
while not cvg and k <= maxDoubles
    k = k + 1; N = 2 * N; h = (b - a)/N
    Loop to sum f(a+mh) for m = 1, N - 1
        (odd m only)
    T_k0 = T_{k-1,0}/2 + h * sum
    Loop for m = 1, k to get: T_km = (4^m T_{k,m-1} - T_{k-1,m-1}) / (4^m - 1)
    cvg = abs(T_kk - T_{k,k-1}) <= err * abs(T_kk)
end while loop
if cvg then ans = T_kk else ans = errorCode
    
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Programming Assignment Six

- Write Romberg integration code for in both VBA and MATLAB
 - function I = romberg(f, a, b)
 - Function Romberg(f As String, a As Double, b As Double) As Double
- MATLAB has input function handle for integrand as input to function
- VBA has string with name of VBA function that computes integrand
 - Uses Application.Run procedure

Romberg Derivation I

- As stated in Rao, page 587, the error of the Trapezoid rule is an infinite series with only even powers of h

$$I = T(h) + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} A_m h^{2m} = h \left[\frac{f_0 + f_1}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} f_k \right] + A_1 h^2 + \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} A_m h^{2m}$$

- Consider two step sizes, h and h/2
 - Apply the Richardson extrapolation formula

$$E = \frac{k^n F(h) - F(kh)}{k^n - 1} + O(h^{next}) \Rightarrow I = \frac{2^2 T(h/2) - T(h)}{2^2 - 1} + O(h^4)$$

Romberg Derivation II

- Define T_{00} as the trapezoid rule value, $T(h)$ and T_{10} as the trapezoid rule value, $T(h/2)$, and T_{11} as the Richardson extrapolation

$$I = T_{11} + O(h^4) = \frac{2^2 T_{10} - T_{00}}{2^2 - 1} + O(h^4)$$

- Trapezoid rule for a step size of h/4 is called T_{20} , and Richardson extrapolation with this value is called T_{21}

$$T_{21} = \frac{2^2 T(h/4) - T(h/2)}{2^2 - 1} = \frac{2^2 T_{20} - T_{10}}{2^2 - 1} \quad I = T_{21} + O(h^4)$$

Romberg Derivation III

- The previous slide showed T_{11} and T_{21} as two Richardson extrapolation approximations to the integral
- The error shown as $O(h^4)$ is actually an infinite series with even powers of h
- Each of the Richardson extrapolations is the same calculation starting with two different step sizes
- We can apply Richardson extrapolation to the first set of extrapolated values

Romberg Derivation IV

- Results now available

$$I = T_{11} + b_2 h^4 + \sum_{m=3}^{\infty} b_m h^{2m} = \frac{2^2 T_{10} - T_{00}}{2^2 - 1} + \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} b_m h^{2m}$$

$$I = T_{21} + b_2 \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^4 + \sum_{m=3}^{\infty} b_m \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^{2m} = \frac{2^2 T_{20} - T_{10}}{2^2 - 1} + \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} b_m \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^{2m}$$

- Multiply second equation by 2^4 and subtract the first equation to obtain

$$2^4 I - I = 2^4 T_{21} - T_{11} + 2^4 b_2 \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^4 - b_2 h^4 + O(h^6)$$

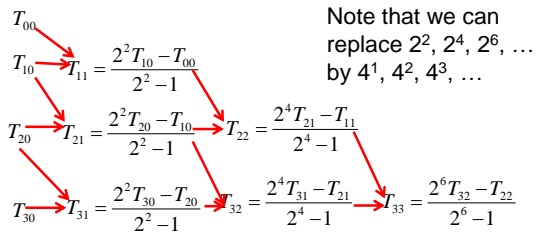
$$I = \frac{2^4 T_{21} - T_{11}}{2^4 - 1} + O(h^6) = T_{22} + O(h^6)$$

Romberg Derivation V

- What have we done?
 - Started with trapezoid rule calculation with step size h, called T_{00}
 - Did trapezoid rule calculation with step size h/2, called T_{10} and used Richardson extrapolation to get T_{11} from T_{00} and T_{10}
 - Did trapezoid rule calculation with step size h/4, called T_{20} and used two Richardson extrapolations: (1) get T_{21} from T_{10} and T_{20} , and (2) get T_{22} from T_{21} and T_{11}

Romberg Integration VII

- What is next row in this sequence?



- What is(are) the general form(s) for T_{km} ?

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