



[S]=T. Sauer, Numerical Analysis, Second International Edition, Pearson, 2014

## “Teorioppgaver”

1] Oppgave 6, Avsnitt 1.1, s. 29, [S]

**Solution:** One can see that the method produces the sequence of intervals  $[-2, 1]$ ,  $[-1/2, 1]$ ,  $[-1/2, 1/4]$ ,  $\dots$ ,  $[-1/2^k, 1/2^{k\pm 1}]$ . Thus the intervals bracket the value 0, which is not a root though. This happens because the function under consideration is not continuous on the initial interval  $[-2, 1]$ .

2] Oppgave 2, Avsnitt 1.2, s. 40, [S]

**Solution:**

(a)  $(x + 6)/(3x - 2) = x$  iff  $x + 6 = 3x^2 - 2x$  (and  $3x - 2 \neq 0$ ) iff  $3x^2 - 3x - 6 = (x + 1)(3x - 6)$  iff  $x = -1$  or  $x = 2$ .

(b)  $(8 + 2x)/(2 + x^2) = x$  iff  $8 + 2x = 2x + x^3$  (and  $2 + x^2 \neq 0$ ) iff  $x^3 = 8$  iff  $x = 2$  (if we only consider real roots). Otherwise  $-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}$  will also do the trick.

(c)  $x^5 = x$  iff  $x(x^4 - 1) = 0$  iff  $x = 0$  or  $x = \pm 1$ . Complex roots also include  $x = \pm i$ .

3] Oppgave 20, Avsnitt 1.2, s. 42, [S]

**Solution:** Let  $g(x) = wx + (1 - w)A/x^2$ ,  $0 < w < 1$ . Its fixed points are  $(1 - w)A + wx^3 = x^3$ ,  $x \neq 0$ , or  $r = A^{1/3}$  for  $A \neq 0$ .

The fastest local convergence of the fixed point iteration will be obtained when  $g'(r) = w - 2(1 - w)A/r^3 = 3w - 2$  has the smallest absolute value, that is, when  $w = 2/3$ .

4] Oppgave 1, Avsnitt 1.3, s. 50, [S]

**Solution:** In all cases, the forward error is  $|0.74 - 3/4| = 0.01$ .

The backward error is:

(a)  $|4 * 0.74 - 3| = 0.04$ ; (b)  $|(4 * 0.74 - 3)^2| = 0.0016$ ; (c)  $|(4 * 0.74 - 3)^3| = 6.4 \cdot 10^{-5}$ ;  
(d)  $|(4 * 0.74 - 3)^{1/3}| \approx 0.3420$

5 Oppgave 12, Avsnitt 1.4, s. 59, [S]

**Solution:** The Newton's iteration in this case is  $x_{k+1} = x_k - (1/x_k)/(-1/x_k^2) = x_k + x_k = 2x_k$ . Thus given  $x_0 = 1$ ,  $x_{50} = 2^{50}$ .

## “Computeroppgaver”

6 Oppgave 7, Avsnitt 1.1, s. 30, [S]

**Solution:**

Up to six digits  $x = 9.70830$ . The backward error is  $-5.025448 \cdot 10^{-4}$ . See `oppgave_1_1_7.py`

7 Oppgave 6 (b), Avsnitt 1.2, s. 43, [S]

**Solution:**

For example:  $x = g_1(x) = \exp(x - 2) + x^3$  (converges to  $x_1 \approx 1.63823 \cdot 10^{-1}$  with linear rate  $S \approx 2.399371 \cdot 10^{-1}$  and  $g'_1(x_1) \approx 2.399381 \cdot 10^{-1}$ );  $x = g_2(x) = (x - \exp(x - 2))^{1/3}$  (converges to  $x_2 \approx 7.889405 \cdot 10^{-1}$  with linear rate  $S \approx 3.760119 \cdot 10^{-1}$  and  $g'_2(x_2) \approx 3.760105 \cdot 10^{-1}$ );  $x = g_3(x) = -1 - \exp(x - 2)/(x^2 - x)$  (converges to  $x_3 \approx -1.023482$  with linear rate  $S \approx 5.802971 \cdot 10^{-2}$  and  $g'_3(x_3) \approx -5.803052 \cdot 10^{-2}$ ).

See `oppgave_1_2_6.py`

8 Oppgave 1, Avsnitt 1.3, s. 51, [S]

**Solution:**  $f(0) = \sin 0 - 0 = 0$ ,  $f'(0) = \cos 0 - 1 = 0$ ,  $f''(0) = -\sin 0 = 0$ ,  $f'''(0) = -\cos(0) \neq 0$ . Therefore the multiplicity of the root is 3.

```
import math
from scipy.optimize import fsolve

def f(x):
    return math.sin(x)-x

r = fsolve(f, 0.1)

fwd_error = abs(r-0)
bckwd_error = abs(f(r))

print('Forward error: %e, backward error: %e' % (fwd_error,bckwd_error))
```

produces the output

Forward error: 2.137514e-08, backward error: 0.000000e+00

- 9 a) Skriv en Matlab funksjon som gitt startverdien  $x_0$  og toleransen  $\delta$  løser likningen  $x^3 = 1$  ved bruk av Newtons metoden. Tjekk om metoden konvergerer kvadratisk.
- b) Likningen  $x^3 = 1$  har tre *komplekse* løsninger: 1 og  $(-1 \pm i\sqrt{3})/2$ . For startverdiene i boksen  $-2 \leq \text{re}(x_0) \leq 2$ ,  $-2 \leq \text{im}(x_0) \leq 2$ , plot punkter med fire forskjellige farver, som avhenger fra hvilken løsning Newtons metoden konvergerer til, eller om den ikke konvergerer. (Til denne oppgaven kan du bruke visualisering kode `coloring.py` fra wiki-siden.)

**Solution:**

a) By starting the Newton's iteration from random real initial points we can measure the ratios  $e_{k+1}/e_k^2$  for various iterations  $k$ . One observes behaviour like this:

```
iter = 1, e1=1.289931e-01, e1/e0^2 = 1.585234104690e+00
iter = 2, e1=1.417680e-02, e1/e0^2 = 8.520114556424e-01
iter = 3, e1=1.972487e-04, e1/e0^2 = 9.814269693620e-01
iter = 4, e1=3.889682e-08, e1/e0^2 = 9.997370660616e-01
iter = 5, e1=1.554312e-15, e1/e0^2 = 1.027330344408e+00
```

Note that the rate predicted by the calculus (formula (1.24) in the book)  $f''(x)/(2f'(x)) = 6x/(2 \cdot 3x^2) = 1/x$ , which at the real root  $x = 1$  evaluates to 1.

b) See `newtonx3.py`